Training Course on Feedlot Management and Efficiency

Professional Development Training Course Outline

Category	Agriculture	**Duration**	5 Days
Base Fee	$1,500 USD	**Delivery Mode**	Online / On-site Hybrid

Course Introduction

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Training Objectives

1. Enhance livestock production efficiency through optimized feedlot management.
2. Apply precision feeding strategies to improve feed conversion ratios.
3. Develop sustainable waste management systems for environmental compliance.
4. Utilize performance metrics and KPIs for productivity analysis.
5. Strengthen animal welfare and health monitoring protocols.
6. Implement biosecurity measures to prevent disease outbreaks.
7. Evaluate feed quality and ration formulation techniques.
8. Manage labor and logistics for smooth feedlot operations.
9. Apply climate-smart practices for heat stress and weather variability.
10. Integrate digital tools and IoT solutions for real-time monitoring.
11. Understand market trends and supply chain logistics in feedlot beef.
12. Conduct economic analysis and budgeting for profitability.
13. Execute strategic planning and risk management in feedlot systems.

Target Audiences

1. Livestock farm managers
2. Veterinary officers
3. Animal nutritionists
4. Agricultural extension officers
5. Feedlot operators
6. Agribusiness investors
7. Policy makers in agriculture
8. Agricultural students and researchers

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Course Modules

Module 1: Fundamentals of Feedlot Systems

- Overview of feedlot operations and infrastructure
- Types of feedlot systems (intensive, semi-intensive)
- Core principles of feedlot design
- Legal and environmental compliance
- Animal selection and procurement
- **Case Study:** Designing a small-scale commercial feedlot

Module 2: Animal Nutrition and Feeding Strategies

- Basics of ruminant nutrition
- Ration formulation using locally available feed
- Feed storage and handling best practices
- Cost-effective feeding strategies
- Use of feed additives and growth promoters
- **Case Study:** Optimizing feed mix to improve average daily gain

Module 3: Animal Health and Welfare

- Disease prevention and vaccination programs

- Monitoring and recording health parameters
- Handling stress, injuries, and humane practices
- Veterinary protocols and treatment plans
- Emergency response planning
- **Case Study:** Managing a respiratory disease outbreak in a feedlot

Module 4: Feedlot Performance Monitoring

- Key performance indicators (ADG, FCR, mortality)
- Record keeping and data analysis tools
- Benchmarking and productivity comparisons
- Identifying underperforming cattle
- Technologies for monitoring (RFID, sensors)
- **Case Study:** Analyzing KPIs to reduce feedlot losses

Module 5: Biosecurity and Waste Management

- Principles of biosecurity in intensive systems
- Isolation and quarantine practices
- Sanitation and pest control
- Manure and effluent management
- Odor control and community relations
- **Case Study:** Implementing a zero-waste feedlot model

Module 6: Labor, Logistics, and Cost Management

- Labor planning and management
- Time and motion studies
- Logistics of feed delivery and pen management
- Budgeting and financial recordkeeping
- Minimizing operational costs
- **Case Study:** Reducing labor costs through scheduling optimization

Module 7: Technology and Innovation in Feedlots

- Precision livestock farming technologies
- Data-driven decision-making
- Use of drones, cameras, and automation
- Mobile apps and cloud-based tools
- Integrating AI and machine learning
- **Case Study:** Boosting yield using IoT-based feed monitoring

Module 8: Marketing, Economics, and Risk Planning

- Beef value chain analysis
- Trends in consumer demand and export opportunities
- Economic evaluation of feedlot operations
- Insurance and financial risk mitigation
- Strategic planning and SWOT analysis
- **Case Study:** Developing a business plan for feedlot investment

Training Methodology

- Interactive lectures and presentations
- Group discussions and peer learning
- Hands-on demonstrations and simulations

- Practical case study analysis
- Post-training mentorship and feedback sessions

Register as a group from 3 participants for a Discount

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Certification

Upon successful completion of this training, participants will be issued with a globally- recognized certificate.

Tailor-Made Course

We also offer tailor-made courses based on your needs.

Key Notes

a. The participant must be conversant with English.

b. Upon completion of training the participant will be issued with an Authorized Training Certificate

c. Course duration is flexible and the contents can be modified to fit any number of days.

d. The course fee includes facilitation training materials, 2 coffee breaks, buffet lunch and A Certificate upon successful completion of Training.

e. One-year post-training support Consultation and Coaching provided after the course.

f. Payment should be done at least a week before commence of the training, to Fineskill Training Center account, as indicated in the invoice so as to enable us prepare better for you.

Upcoming Scheduled Sessions

Start Date	End Date	Location	Price
23 Nov 2026	27 Nov 2026	Online	$1,000
23 Nov 2026	27 Nov 2026	Physical	$1,500
23 Nov 2026	27 Nov 2026	Physical	$3,000
23 Nov 2026	27 Nov 2026	Physical	$3,000
23 Nov 2026	27 Nov 2026	Physical	$6,000
23 Nov 2026	27 Nov 2026	Physical	$4,500
23 Nov 2026	27 Nov 2026	Physical	$6,000
23 Nov 2026	27 Nov 2026	Physical	$6,000

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