

Lone Star County Agriculture Forage Production

This year, the Lone Star County Cooperative Extension Program is planning to offer several educational activities associated with forage production. Research has documented several new forage varieties that could be of great benefit to us. In order for us to develop the most effective educational program for you, please answer the following questions.

SUMMER FORAGE QUESTIONS

What type of summer forages do you currently plant?

How many acres of summer forage do you plant?

What is your best estimate on your total annual yield (*in tons per acre, total square bales or round bales*)?

WINTER FORAGE QUESTIONS

What type of winter forages do you currently plant?

How many acres of summer forage do you plant?

What is your best estimate on your total annual yield (*in tons per acre, total square bales or round bales*)?

What are factors you consider when you are deciding on what type of forage varieties you are plan to plant? Circle the number that best reflects your thoughts.

	<i>1 = Not important</i>	<i>3 = Somewhat Important</i>	<i>5 = Very Important</i>
Yield	1	2 3 4	5
Weed control potential	1	2 3 4	5
Overall fertility	1	2 3 4	5
Percent digestibility	1	2 3 4	5
Percent protein	1	2 3 4	5
Energy content	1	2 3 4	5
Seed costs	1	2 3 4	5
Water Requirements	1	2 3 4	5
Other _____	1	2 3 4	5
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What are some specific topics concerning forages you would like more information about?

Thanks for your time!!