

# Grazing fundamentals EDGE



**Miles, Qld: Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> February 2022**

**VENUE** Coolumboola Room, Miles Leichardt Centre, 29 Dawson Street

**TIME** 8:30am to 4:30pm

**Grazing fundamentals EDGE is designed to give you a broad understanding of the components of the grazing production system and the core, scientifically-backed principles behind optimising grazing land productivity.**

**Attending this workshop will help you to:**

- understand what conditions drive pasture growth
- understand how you can use strategic grazing management to improve pasture productivity
- evaluate the productive potential of a property and identify opportunities for improvement
- better align herd management with seasonal changes in pasture condition
- build a seasonal climate profile for your location
- understand key considerations when designing paddock and property layout.

**What you will learn:**

- environmental regulators of pasture growth and quality
- seasonal pasture growth patterns and key decision dates
- how soil properties influence pasture growth
- how grazing affects pasture plants, their productivity and growth
- how to assess land condition and how this impact on carrying capacity
- know when and how to use pasture spelling
- principles behind successful grazing systems
- how to account for different classes of animals when assessing grazing pressure
- what's involved with forage budgeting and calculating carrying capacity.

## What do other producers think of this workshop?

### General feedback

“Great workshop, informative & practical.”

“Very beneficial & well presented.”

“I found it very informative for the time available.”

### What aspect producers found most valuable

“Production point, when to spell, what to look for in assessing land condition.”

“Different grazing systems, pasture stability and resilience.”

“Pasture management and identification.”

“Feed budgets and land condition.”

“The explanation of AEs and determining carrying capacities.”

### The presenters

“Knowledge exceptional, good mix of theory & activity.”

“Very experienced & great presentation.”

“Excellent presenters, knowledgeable & approachable.”

“Presenters were clear and precise in their presentation.”

“Experienced in broad range of topics. Have real life experience.”

### Value for time & money

“Best investment of my time & money in a long time.”

“For the time and money you spend it is an excellent workshop and definitely worthwhile.”

“Extremely valuable.”

“So good. Worth the time investment.”

“Small outlay for major gains.”

### Price ex GST

\$750pp ex GST / one person from a business

\$500pp ex GST / two or more people from one business

*Cost includes workshop, a comprehensive set of Workshop Notes, Workbook and all catering.*

### Presenter

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## Register now for Grazing fundamentals EDGE

Places are limited. Register via

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