SECTION HEADING

FBMT 1131: Managing and Modifying Farm System Data

Description

Managing and Modifying Farm System Data helps students refine their farm business data system and assist them in applying year-end procedures for farm business analysis. Students improve accuracy in the following: farm enterprise analysis, tax planning and filing, and cash and liabilities checks.

Management Credits

Topics to be Covered

- 1. Income and expense data management
- 2. Preparing data for asset valuation, liabilities, and enterprise data
- 3. Recording family living expense and non-farm business entities
- 4. Goal-setting concepts as they relate to farm business, family and financial goals
- 5. Cash accuracy check for analysis and tax purposes
- 6. Asset valuation and depreciation methods of the balance sheet
- 7. Liability section of the balance sheet
- 8. Crop and feed check
- 9. Data for enterprise analysis
- 10. Monitoring market strategies and applying them to income tax planning

Learning Outcomes

- 1. Prioritize area of risk
- 2. Refine method(s) of recording family living expenses and nonfarm business transactions
- 3. Apply goals to business planning processes
- 4. Analyze the advantages and disadvantages of capital asset ownership
- 5. Organize paid and unpaid labor and management resources for the farm business
- 6. Design a production input acquisition plan
- 7. Audit financial data using cash and liability accuracy checks
- 8. Determine pre-payment options and implications
- 9. Apply marketing strategies to tax planning
- 10. Compare business analysis with regional averages
- 11. Devise a data filing system
- 12. Analyze a tax estimate for the business