

INCREASING PRODUCTIVITY – LIVESTOCK 2020

Priority Issue

Increasing the productivity, efficiency and resilience of our livestock production systems

Actions Required

1. Define productivity in terms of measurements of production and profit that are meaningful to the supply chain.
2. Establish benchmarks and best practice recommendations to achieve improvements in the desired productivity parameters.
3. Identify and improve available predictive models and decision support systems to simplify and improve management of complex systems.
4. Define limiting factors to productivity and efficiency improvement from a systems perspective to inform targeted investment.
5. Determine approach to adoption of the above to maximise end user impact.

Potential Partners

- Current R, D & E providers
- MLA and MLA Donor Company. AWI, GRDC
- Agribusiness e.g. Landmark/Elders, Banks, Fertiliser & Seed companies
- Producers
- Cattle Council Australia
- Sheep Producers Australia

Comments:

- Generic actions
- Similar words in this to climate change – cross linked to productivity and carbon neutrality
- Opportunity to look at decision support tools