

V(A). Planned Program (Summary)

Program # 16

1. Name of the Planned Program

Food Safety: Goat Dairy Herd Improvement (DHI) Laboratory

Reporting on this Program

V(B). Program Knowledge Area(s)

1. Program Knowledge Areas and Percentage

KA Code	Knowledge Area	%1862 Extension	%1890 Extension	%1862 Research	%1890 Research
308	Improved Animal Products (Before Harvest)		100%		100%
	Total		100%		100%

V(C). Planned Program (Inputs)

1. Actual amount of FTE/SYs expended this Program

Year: 2012	Extension		Research	
	1862	1890	1862	1890
Plan	0.0	0.1	0.0	1.0
Actual Paid Professional	0.0	0.2	0.0	0.1
Actual Volunteer	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

2. Actual dollars expended in this Program (includes Carryover Funds from previous years)

Extension		Research	
Smith-Lever 3b & 3c	1890 Extension	Hatch	Evans-Allen
0	7613	0	22926
1862 Matching	1890 Matching	1862 Matching	1890 Matching
0	24896	0	24896
1862 All Other	1890 All Other	1862 All Other	1890 All Other
0	78036	0	99594

V(D). Planned Program (Activity)

1. Brief description of the Activity

Extension personnel will conduct goat milk quality tests in the Langston University Goat Dairy Herd Improvement Laboratory.

2. Brief description of the target audience

All goat producers in Oklahoma.

3. How was eXtension used?

eXtension was not used in this program.

V(E). Planned Program (Outputs)

1. Standard output measures

2012	Direct Contacts Adults	Indirect Contacts Adults	Direct Contacts Youth	Indirect Contacts Youth
Actual	250	300	150	200

2. Number of Patent Applications Submitted (Standard Research Output)

Patent Applications Submitted

Year: 2012

Actual: 0

Patents listed

3. Publications (Standard General Output Measure)

Number of Peer Reviewed Publications

2012	Extension	Research	Total
Actual	0	1	1

V(F). State Defined Outputs

Output Target

Output #1

Output Measure

- Number of Research Projects completed on Goat Dairy Herd Improvement (DHI) Laboratory.

Year	Actual
2012	0

V(G). State Defined Outcomes

V. State Defined Outcomes Table of Content

O. No.	OUTCOME NAME
1	Number of goat producers who learned about the Goat Dairy Herd Improvement Laboratory.
2	Number of goat producers who are using the Goat Dairy Herd Improvement Laboratory.
3	Goat producers who have increased their production profits by utilizing the Goat Dairy Herd Improvement Laboratory.

Outcome #1

1. Outcome Measures

Number of goat producers who learned about the Goat Dairy Herd Improvement Laboratory.

2. Associated Institution Types

- 1890 Extension
- 1890 Research

3a. Outcome Type:

Change in Condition Outcome Measure

3b. Quantitative Outcome

Year	Actual
2012	400

3c. Qualitative Outcome or Impact Statement

Issue (Who cares and Why)

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What has been done

During 2012, we used a program developed in cooperation with other institutions to utilize goat language for accurate data measurements and recordings. Accurate records were produced on dairy goat breeds along with correct gender identification and expected delivery dates for pregnant does. Workshops were conducted on the benefits of having DHIA records and how to collect raw data and milk samples for DHI laboratory processing.

Results

Goat producers are now able to get records for their animals that reflect accurate information with the correct language. These records not only reflect higher fat and protein values for a doe, but also are easier to understand when used for genetic evaluation and for herd management. Currently, we are serving 145 goat producers in 34 states. Information provided by the Langston University DHI Laboratory has allowed goat producers to demand higher prices for their animals during sales. Of the 145 participating producers, information from this program helped them increase their profits.

4. Associated Knowledge Areas

KA Code	Knowledge Area
308	Improved Animal Products (Before Harvest)

Outcome #2

1. Outcome Measures

Number of goat producers who are using the Goat Dairy Herd Improvement Laboratory.

2. Associated Institution Types

- 1890 Extension
- 1890 Research

3a. Outcome Type:

Change in Knowledge Outcome Measure

3b. Quantitative Outcome

Year	Actual
2012	200

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Outcome #3

1. Outcome Measures

Goat producers who have increased their production profits by utilizing the Goat Dairy Herd Improvement Laboratory.

2. Associated Institution Types

- 1890 Extension
- 1890 Research

3a. Outcome Type:

Change in Condition Outcome Measure

3b. Quantitative Outcome

Year	Actual
2012	200

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V(H). Planned Program (External Factors)

External factors which affected outcomes

- Natural Disasters (drought, weather extremes, etc.)

Brief Explanation

External factors did not affect outcomes.

V(I). Planned Program (Evaluation Studies)

Evaluation Results

Goat producers are able to get accurate milk fat and protein records for their dairy goats.

Key Items of Evaluation

Goat producers are able to get accurate milk fat and protein values to use in marketing their does and improving their herds.