Hay Waste Assessment Form

A form for assessing hay waste at feeding, helping producers see how much is lost to trampling, weather and feeder design. Fill it out soon after the event or period, while details are fresh, and file it with your records.

Farm / unit: _____ Date: _____ By: _____

Feeding site and date _____

Hay type and bale format _____

Feeder type _____

Animal group _____

Weather during feeding _____

Estimated hay left over _____

Likely cause of waste _____

Changes to try next time _____

NOTES / CALCULATIONS

TIP Compare the same group across feeders so you can judge which system wastes least.