Relative Feed Value (RFV) Calculator

A worksheet for working out Relative Feed Value from lab numbers, for producers comparing hay lots. Fill in the lines with your own farm figures and keep the finished sheet with your planning records.

Farm / unit: _____ Date: _____ By: _____

Lot and sample ID _____

ADF result from lab report _____

NDF result from lab report _____

Formula from your lab or extension _____

Calculated RFV _____

Forage type _____

Comparison notes _____

Decision _____

NOTES / CALCULATIONS

TIP Use the formula given by your lab or extension office and compare lots of the same forage type.