Improving the Accuracy and Applicability of Forage Testing in Georgia
A Project to Develop NIRS Digestibility Equations for Warm Season Forages
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Please fill out the information below as completely as possible when submitting hay samples. Accurate information is important for accurate results! To be involved in this program answers to questions with “*” must be provided.

*(1) Location of Sample: State _________  County ____________

*(2) County Agent _________________   Phone _________________

*(3) Forage Species (circle)
   Bermudagrass  Bahiagrass  Sorghum-Sudan  Millet
   Perennial Peanut  Other____________

*(4) Forage Variety (if known i.e. Tifton 85, Pensacola etc.) ______________

(5) Fertilizer Source (circle)
   Inorganic  Animal Manure  Municipal Waste  Other _____________

(6) Nitrogen applied
   a. Lbs/Acre Inorganic/commercial fertilizer for this harvest ______________
      OR
   b. Tons/Acre Biosolids/Poultry Litter etc. for this harvest ______________

(7) Age of forage at harvest (i.e. 6 weeks since last cutting) ______________

(8) Rate weathering condition of the hay.
    Not Weathered  Slightly Weathered (1-4”)  Severely Weathered (4” or greater)

(9) Rate moldiness of the hay.
    Not moldy  Slightly moldy  Severely moldy

(10) Is there evidence of damage from heating? Yes No
    If yes was damage slight, medium or high? ____________