

## Carbon workshop

### What is required of participants and what will they receive?

Producers participating in the carbon footprint project will receive:

1. One-one expert assistance to develop the carbon account and footprint of their major enterprise.
2. Workshop attendance.
3. A brief carbon account report with a 'high level' carbon footprint, based on the data they have provided.
4. A SWOT analysis and action list to reduce emissions, which will be summarized in the report.

The process is as follows:

1. Producer signs up and provides contact details.
2. The contractor will provide each participant with a data request and instructions on how to enter their data.
3. A 1:1 meeting will be set up between each producer and the contractor to review the data they have supplied and then develop a carbon account for their farm.
4. Participants will be invited to attend a 3-4-hour group webinar facilitated by the contractor to develop their knowledge base around carbon emissions and sequestration opportunities. The groups aggregated (and de-identified) carbon account results will be used to compare against benchmarks. Participants will be asked at the end of the webinar to complete a short survey to provide feedback on the process.
5. A 30 minute follow up meeting between the contractor and each participant will be held to discuss the participants carbon account, answer any further questions they may have, complete a SWOT analysis and develop actions to reduce emissions, specific to their enterprise.
6. Each producer will receive a brief report with their carbon footprint and action plan.

The data requirements are:

- Livestock inventory (if relevant): livestock numbers, liveweight, growth rates, sales and purchases throughout the year.
- Purchased inputs: quantities of fertiliser, fodder, herbicides/pesticides, fuel and electricity used over the same 1-year period.
- Data regarding crop yields, fertiliser application rates etc.
- Provide property boundary details (supplied before 1:1 meeting) to be used to generate a report detailing carbon stored in vegetation on the property where likely to be significant.

## Notes:

- If attendees operate multiple farms, they will have the opportunity to develop a carbon account for one farm, or the whole enterprise/company, this is their choice.
- Other enterprises (e.g. cash cropping) operating on the same farm will be separated and the workshop will focus on the primary enterprise (i.e. grazing Or cropping) but not both to reduce complexity.
- Data supplied remains confidential and will not be disclosed to third parties without attendee's permission. Anonymised data may be used for regional reporting purposes to communicate environmental stewardship credentials.



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