

# Farm Business Plan

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## Farm Business Plan

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### 1. Business Purpose

Why the business exists, and what owners expect from it?

### 2. People

#### 2.1 Ownership and governance

Who sets the long term direction?

#### 2.2 Management

Who has to deliver on objectives?

#### 2.3 Operational staff

The key people, their skills and experience

### 3. Industry and Business Environment

External factors likely to impact the business.

### 4. Business Assets

Quality of assets, their current efficiency and future potential.

## 5. Business Performance and Outlook

Results compared to benchmarks.

### 5.1 Business performance

### 5.2 Productivity

### 5.3 Costs

### 5.4 Return on assets

### 5.5 Outlook

Where is the business going?

## 6. Financial Structure and Gearing

Appropriateness of financial structure relative to assets and income.

## 7. Options to Increase Performance

**Option 1**

**Option 2**

**Option 3**

**8.Strategic Position (SWOT)**

**8.1 Strengths**

**8.2 Weaknesses**

**8.3 Opportunities**

**8.4 Threats**

9. **Plan** (If completing this form on your computer you can go to the View tab at the top of your screen then choose, Rotate view, then Clockwise to rotate for easier completion.

| What | How | Who | When | Expected Results |  |
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## 10. Budgets, Liquidity and Profit

### Three year outlook

## 10.1 Budgets

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## 10.2 Liquidity

### 10.3 Profit

## **11. Critical Success Factors**

## **12. Risks and Issues**

**13. Monitoring and Performance Management**

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