Today's Rancher - Livestock Management Software System V6.0

Today's Rancher® Desktop
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Commercial Operations Version—Version 6

Today's Rancher® Desktop is the answer for the commercial livestock operation that wants comprehensive record keeping at all stages of production. Designed for use in modern breeding operations, stock contractors, brood mare operations, cattle, goat, sheep market operations and virtually any type of livestock operation.

Today's Rancher®
Software that earned it's spurs on the ranch!
Ag Management Systems, Inc.

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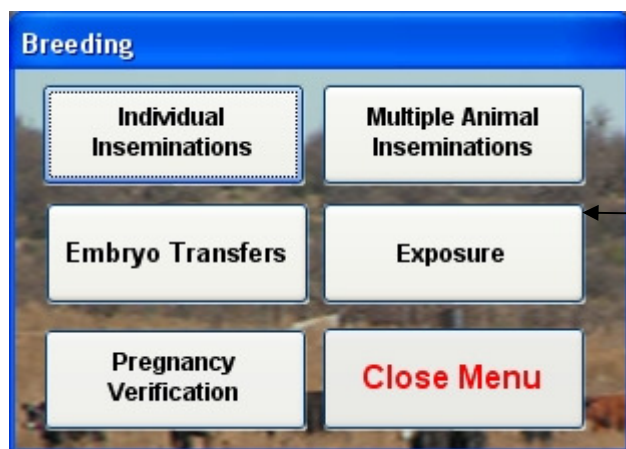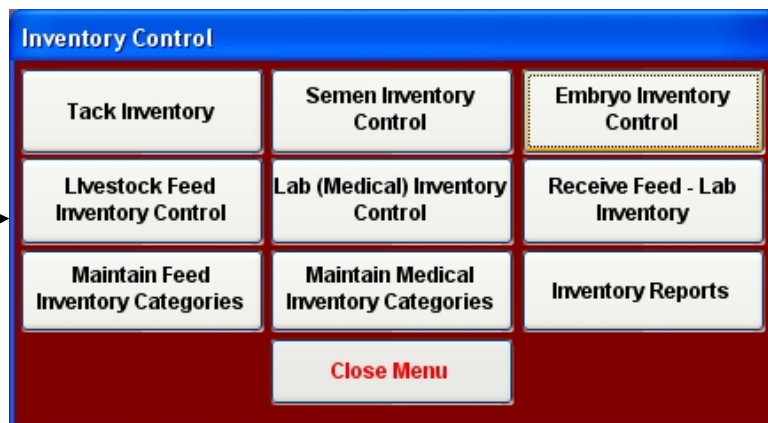Weaning Records * Weight Changes
Pasture Rotation
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System Menus

Inventory Main Menu
**Tack—Semen-Embryo
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Inventory Categories
Master Inventory Report Menu**

Inventory Control
Tack Inventory	Semen Inventory Control	Embryo Inventory Control
Livestock Feed Inventory Control	Lab (Medical) Inventory Control	Receive Feed - Lab Inventory
Maintain Feed Inventory Categories	Maintain Medical Inventory Categories	Inventory Reports
	Close Menu	

Breeding
Individual Inseminations	Multiple Animal Inseminations
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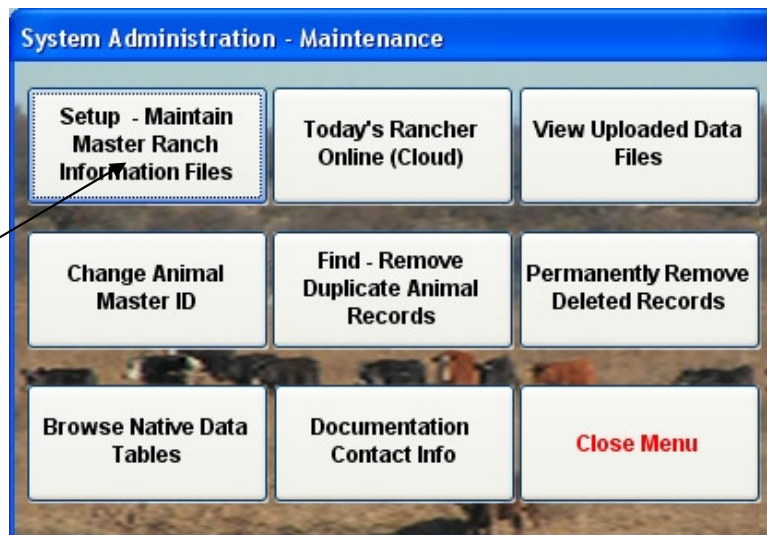## Breeding Operations
**Artificial Inseminations
Embryo Transfers
Exposure
Pregnancy Verification**

System Administration Main Menu
**Master Ranch Information
Today's Rancher Cloud
System Utilities**

System Administration - Maintenance
Setup - Maintain Master Ranch Information Files	Today's Rancher Online (Cloud)	View Uploaded Data Files
Change Animal Master ID	Find - Remove Duplicate Animal Records	Permanently Remove Deleted Records
Browse Native Data Tables	Documentation Contact Info	Close Menu

Livestock Management

Cattle Data Main Screen

Your Data At A Glance—No Fumbling Around—
Large Buttons Make It easy To Navigate

Cattle Central

Ranch ID: 1   Master Animal Lookup

Animal Type: ◉ Bull ○ Cow ○ Steer ○ Heifer ○ Calf

Ear Tag

Name - ID

Calf Sex

Animal Status: ○ Active ○ Inactive ○ Sold ○ For Sale

Pen   Pasture   Current Weight

Description   Breed   Market Class

Sire   Dam

Date Of Birth   Birth Weight   ☐ Weaned   Date Weaned   Weight At Weaning

DNA - ID   Unique ID

Sold On   Sold To   Asking Price

Add   Edit   Delete Animal

Calf History | Animal Notes | Death Information | Purchase Information

Earnings | Expenses | Insurance | Brand History | This Animal's Reports | Exit

Goat Data Main Screen

Crucial Data At The Top Of The Form—
No Having To Hunt Around For It

Goat Central

Ranch ID: 1   Animal Lookup

Status: ○ Active ○ Inactive ○ Sold ○ For Sale

Ear Tag / ID

Type: ○ Billy ○ Nannie ○ Kid ○ Wether

Pen   Pasture   Current Weight   Kid's Sex

Description   Breed   Market Class

Dam   Sire

Date Of Birth   Birth Weight   ☐ Weaned   Date Weaned   Weight At Weaning

DNA - ID   Unique ID

Sold On   Sold To   Asking Price

Add   Edit   Delete

Animal Notes | Death Information | Purchase Information

Earnings | Expenses | Insurance | This Animal's Reports | Exit

Horse Data Main Screen

Unique Data Fields When Called For

Horse Central

Ranch ID: 1   Animal Lookup

ID Number

Animal Type: ◉ Stallions ○ Mares ○ Colts ○ Fillies ○ Geldings

Freeze Brand

Pen   Pasture

Animal Status: ○ Active ○ Inactive ○ Sold ○ For Sale

DNA - ID

Description   Breed

Dam   Sire

Date Of Birth   Weight   Height

Date Acquired   Cost   0.00

Acquired From

Sold On   To   Price   0.00

Add | Edit | Delete | Animal Notes | Animal Use | Insurance

Foal History | Income | Expenses | Death | This Animal's Reports | Exit

Livestock Management

Hog Data Main Screen

Every Animal Has Its Own Set Of Reports

Swine Central

Ranch ID: 1   Animal Lookup

Type: ○ Boar ○ Sow ○ Barrow ○ Gilt ○ Shoat

Ear Tag / ID

Shoat Sex   Status
○ Active ○ Inactive ○ Sold ○ For Sale

Pen   Pasture   Current Weight: 0

Description   Breed   Market Class

Dam   Sire

Date Of Birth   Birth Weight   Date Weaned   Weight At Weaning
/ /   0   ☐ Weaned

DNA - ID   Unique ID

Sold On   Sold To   Sold For
, .

Add   Edit   Input Images

Pedigree Photo Gallery   Pedigree   Animal Notes   Death Information   Purchase Information

Earnings   Expenses   Insurance   This Animal's Reports   Exit

Sheep Data Main Screen

Perfect For Showing Animals

Sheep Central

Ranch ID: 0   Animal Lookup

Type: ○ Ram ○ Ewe ○ Lamb ○ Wether

Status: ○ Active ○ Inactive ○ Sold ○ For Sale

Lamb's Sex

Id Number   Ear Tag   Paint Number

Pen   Pasture   Dam   Sire

Description   Breed   Market Class

Date Of Birth   Birth Weight   ☐ Weaned?   Date Weaned   Weight At Weaning   Current Weight

DNA - ID   Sold On   Sold To   Asking Price
, .

Add   Edit   Delete

Lamb History   Animal Notes   Death Information   Purchase Information

Earnings   Expenses   Insurance   This Animal's Reports   Exit

Livestock Management

Animal Lookup Screen

Multiple Ranches or Operations

Lookup By Ear Tag
Or Id Number

Complete Listings Of All Your
Animals

Cattle Central

Animal Lookup

Ranch ID   1

Eartag Search

Lookup By
○ Ear Tag   ○ Id Number

Id Number Search

Animal Type
○ Bulls ○ Cows ● Steers ○ Heifers ○ Calves

Live	Inactive	Sold	For Sale
08-56A			
805-701231			
85-10			

Close Window

| Earnings | Expenses | Insurance | Brand History | This Animal's Reports | Exit |

Animal Expense Screen

Track Every Expense For Each
Animal—No Limit To The Number Of
Entries

Cattle Central   Animal 0510113B Current Status = Active

Ranch ID   1   Master Animal Lookup

Animal Type
○ Bull ○ Cow ○ Steer ○ Heifer ● Calf

Ear Tag   Name - ID

Animal Expense

Supplier ID   Supplier Name

Invoice   Expense Date / /   Ordered By

Item Number   Description

Expense Category   Amount   0.00

Add   **Close Window**

| Calf History | Animal Notes | Death Information | Purchase Information |
| Earnings | Expenses | Insurance | Brand History | This Animal's Reports | Exit |

Animal Income Screen

Animals Earn Any Money? Track Every
Earning For Each Animal—No Limit To
The Number Of Entries

Cattle Central   Animal 0510113B Current Status = Active

Ranch ID   1   Master Animal Lookup

Animal Type
○ Bull ○ Cow ○ Steer ○ Heifer ● Calf

Ear Tag   Name - ID

Animal Earnings

Event

Event Date / /   Event Type

Type of Winnings   What Won
○ Cash   ○ Prizes   Amount Of Winnings   0.00

Add   **Close Window**

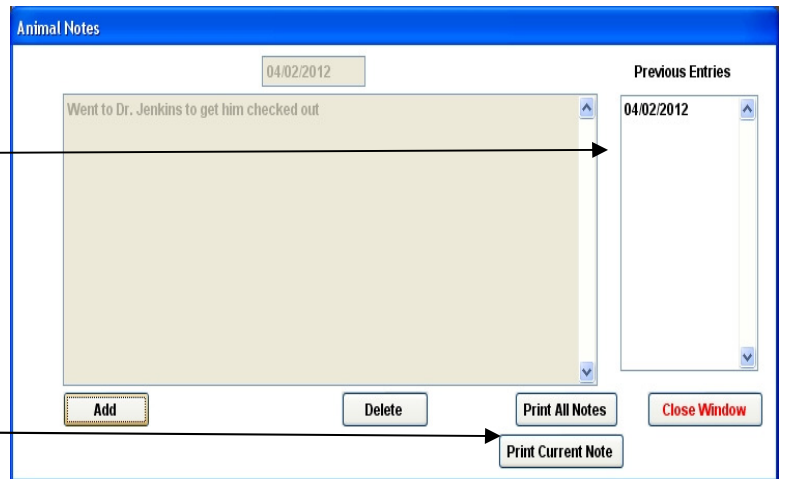| Calf History | Animal Notes | Death Information | Purchase Information |
| Earnings | Expenses | Insurance | Brand History | This Animal's Reports | Exit |

Livestock Management

Animal Notes Screen

Unique Note Tracking Capability,
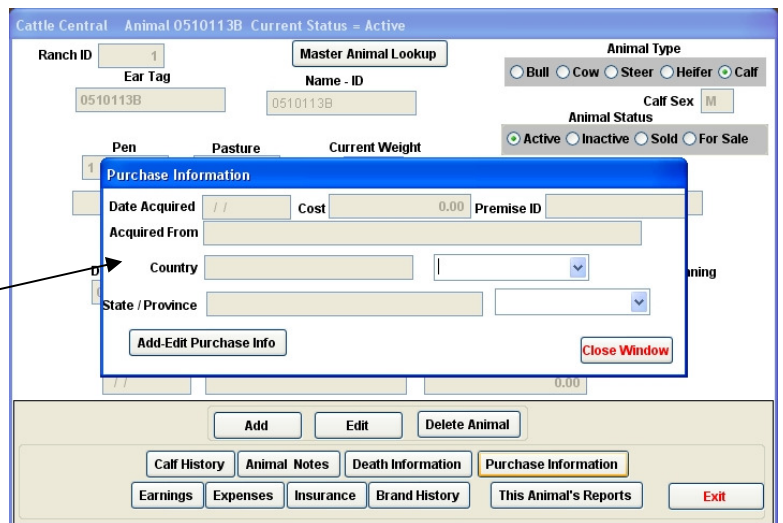Notes Are Listed By Date With
The Latest First

Print Out All Notes Or Your Most
Current One

Animal Purchase Info Screen
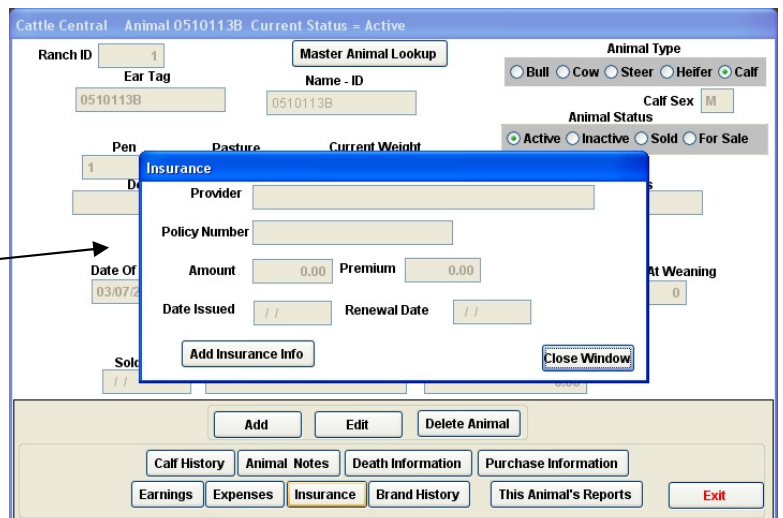
Never Have To Try And Remember Who
Sold You The Animal Or When You
Bought It Or
Where It Came From

Animal Insurance Screen

Special Animal? If It's Insured It Must
Be, Keep That Information Here

Livestock Management—*Pedigrees*

Animal Pedigree Screen

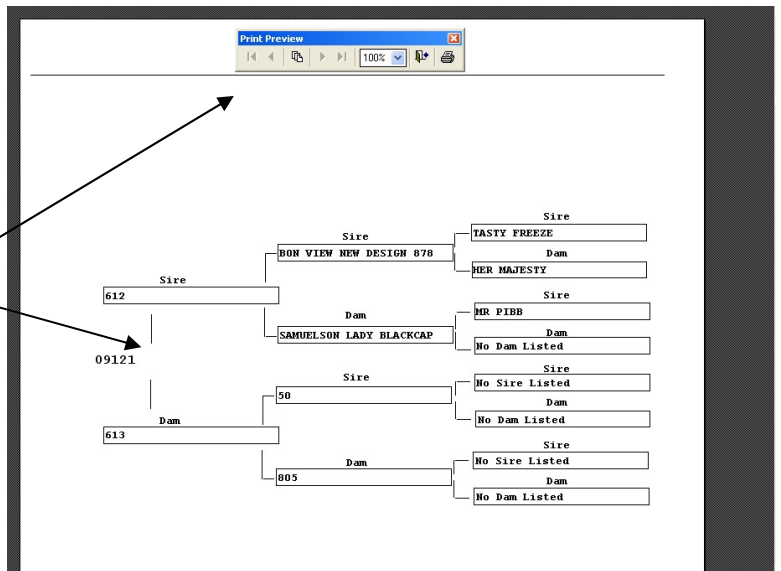Need To Know The Genetic Line?
View It At A Glance

Animal Pedigree Images Screen

Images Of Your Animal's Sires
Both His And Hers
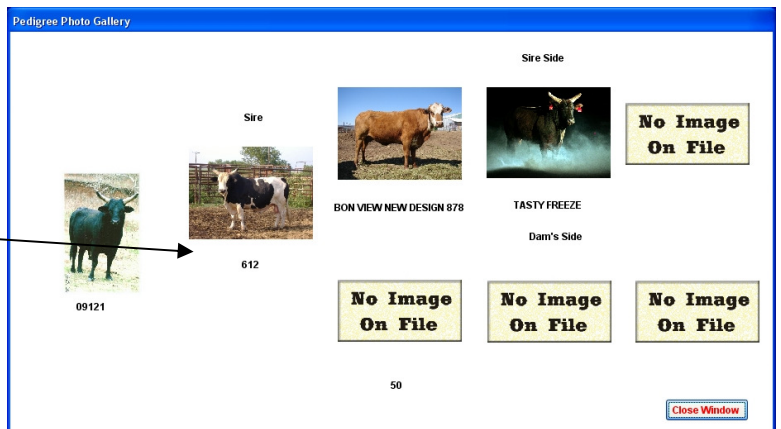
Animal Pedigree Hardcopy

Hardcopy Of The History Of The
Animal—Print To Screen Or Hard Copy

Livestock Management

Animal Quick Setup

Need to enter multiple animals quickly, in the Commercial version, simply get your list and start typing, once you've entered all your animals, click the save list button and the program will create all your necessary basic information files

Cattle Quick Setup

Ranch ID

How To Use This Form

○ Bulls   ○ Cows   ○ Steers   ○ Heifers   ○ Calves

Use EarTag As IdNumber?   ○ Yes   ● No

EarTag	Id Number	Pasture	Pen	Breed	Age	Year Purchased
					0	/ /

Add This Animal To List

0.00   / /   / /

Save List And Update Files   Close Window

Quick Calf Setup

Running a cow-calf operation and need to get all your calf information in quickly? Here's the spot, simply get your list and start typing, once you've entered all your animals, click the save list button and the program will create all your necessary basic information files and links the calf to the appropriate cow

Calf Quick Setup

Ranch ID   1   Dam   1086

Animal List

0510112	C
0710912	H
1086	C
1137	C
267	C
602-05	C
603-10	C
606	C
613	C
614	C
615	C
617	C

Calf History
1086A
927

Use EarTag As IdNumber?   ● Yes   ○ No

EarTag   Pasture

Id Number   Pen

Calf Type   Birth Weight   Birth Date
● Bull ○ Heifer   0   / /

Add This Animal To List

0.00

How To Use This Form   Save List And Update Files   Close Window

Quick Sheep Setup

Running a large sheep operation? Don't worry about data entry, use our quick sheep setup and get your list and start typing, once you've entered all your animals, click the save list button and the program will create all your necessary basic information files

Quick Sheep Setup

Ranch ID   1   ● Ram ○ Ewe ○ Lamb ○ Wether   How Do I Use This?

Id Number	Paint Nbr	EarTag	Pasture	Pen	Breed	Age
						0

/ /   / /

Add Animal To List

Save List And Update Files

Close Window

Livestock Management

Quick Lamb Setup

Lambing Time? Grab your list, select the Ewe, display her previous history and quickly and easily enter this new group

Quick Lamb Setup (screen)

Ranch ID 1   Ewe D5200

Animal List
D5200
D5201
D5203

Kid History
D5200A
D5200B

Id Number

Pasture

Pen

Lamb Sex
○ Male ○ Female

Birth Weight 0   Birth Date / /

Add This Animal To List

How To Use This Form   Save List And Update Files   Close Window

Quick Goat Setup

Just picked up 20 goats? Don't want to enter them one at a time?   Get your list and start typing, once you've entered all your animals, click the save list button and the program will create all your necessary basic information files

Goat Quick Setup (screen)

Ranch ID 1
○ Billies ○ Nannies ○ Kids

Use EarTag As IdNumber? ○ Yes ○ No

EarTag   Id Number   Pasture   Pen   Breed   Age 0   Year Purchased

Add This Animal To List

Save List And Update Files   Close Window

Animal Batch Import

Just picked up our software and have your animals listed in a text file or in Excel? Don't retype them, Today's Rancher will import the data for you— Questions about format? Answer is here

Multiple Animal Acquisition Setup (screen)

Ranch ID 1   ○ Cattle ○ Horses ○ Goats

○ Text File - Tab Delimited ○ Text File - Comma Delimited
○ Excel File

How To Use This Form

Is Location?
○ Pen ○ Pasture

Get File

Import

Update Livestock Records   Close Window

Livestock Management—*Reports*

Individual Animal Reports

Having The Data Does You No Good
If You Can't See It—
EVERY Animal Has Its Own Reports

Master Animal Report Central

When You Need Information
About All The Animals Or By A Range
Of Dates—Its Right Here

Operations
Medical Treatments / Feedings

Individual Medical Treatments

It's becoming more and more important that we know when we treated our animals and with what—keep a complete history

Treat a single animal or several at one time—easy animal selection

Medical Treatments

Ranch ID: 1

Animals
JACK
JOE
KATE
LEGS
LIL BLACK
MAGGIE
N201
N305

Treatment Dates
10/14/2008
06/13/2008
05/26/2008
05/25/2008
05/22/2008

View Current Ranch Past Treatments

Animal: LIL BLACK

Medicines: eastern, western, venezualan encephilitis, west nile, rhinopnuemenitis, tetnus

Date Treated: 06/13/2008   Treatment Time:

Animal Temperature: 0.00

Treatment Location:

Feeding: Amount of Feed:

Date Prescribed: / /   Prescribed by:

[Edit] [Cancel] [Multiple Animal Treatment] [Print Treatments] [Delete Treatment] [Close Window]

Need to treat every animal in the pasture or pen? Need to schedule recurring treatments? Here's the place to do it, automatically updates all the records so you don't have to remember to

Global Medical Treatment

Ranch ID: 1   ○ Cattle ○ Horses ○ Goats

○ Specific Pen ○ Specific Pasture ○ All Animals   Treatment Date: / /   Treatment End Date: / /   □ Recurring?

Recurring Treatments
Pen Pasture Start End
NORTH 40 03/05/2012 03/17/2012

Pens: 1, 2, MAIN
Pastures: EAST, HWY, MARCS, NORTH 40, WEST

Animal List

Prescribed by: Prescribed on: / /

Treatment

[Create Treatment From Entries]
[Modify Number Of Treatments]

[UpdateTreatment Records] [Browse Medical Treatments] [Print List Of Treated Animals]   [Close Window]

Individual Feedings

What did you feed your animals? When did you feed them? How Much did you feed them? Record it all right here, including the cost

Feedings

[View Current Ranch Past Feedings]

○ Horses ● Cattle ○ Goats ○ Hogs

Ranch ID: 1

[Change Ranch ID]

0510112A
0510113A
0510113B
0710912
0710912A
0710912B
10091012
10515

Animals
0510112
0510113
0710912
09012
101011
ALLAMANDA HANCOCK

Feeding Dates

Animal ID: Feed: Date Used: Where Used: Quantity Used: 0   Quantity Type: Cost:

[Save] [Cancel] [Multiple Animal Feedings] [Print Feedings] [Delete Feeding]   [Exit]

Dropping some hay in the pasture? Just letting the animals eat what they want? Record those right here, record by pen or pasture, create a record for every animal in the that location

Feeding By Pen / Pasture

Ranch ID: 1   Feed Start Date: / /   Feed End Date: / /   □ Recurring?

Standard Scheduled Feedings
Pen Pasture Start End

○ Specific Pen
○ Specific Pasture

Pens: 1, 2, 3, MAIN
Pastures: EAST, HWY, MARCS, NORTH 40, WEST

Feed

[Create Feed Record]   ◉ Print Feeding History   [Create Feed Record From Entries]
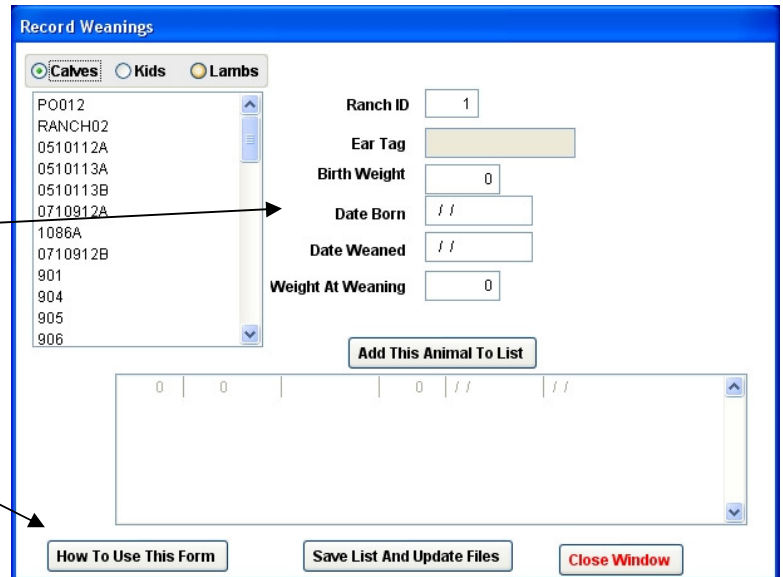[Modify Number Of Feedings]

[Close Window]

Operations
Weaning / Weight Changes/Pasture Management

Record Weanings

Eventually every calf, kid or lamb has to be weaned, this list makes it easy to select which one, program will fill in the birth weight and date born, you fill in the date weaned and the weight at weaning—the program does the rest
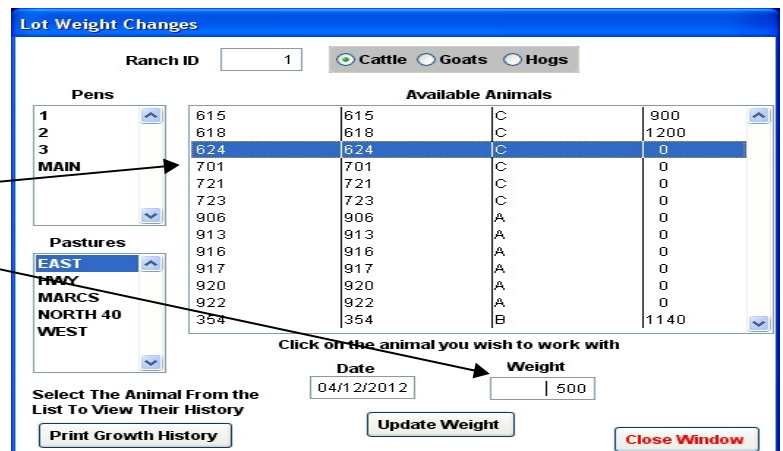
Question about what to do? Answer is here

Record Weanings

○ Calves ○ Kids ○ Lambs

PO012
RANCH02
0510112A
0510113A
0510113B
0710912A
1086A
0710912B
901
904
905
906

Ranch ID   1
Ear Tag
Birth Weight   0
Date Born   / /
Date Weaned   / /
Weight At Weaning 0

[Add This Animal To List]

0   0   0   / /   / /

[How To Use This Form]   [Save List And Update Files]   [Close Window]

Record Weight Changes

Those animals sure can grow fast. Rather than having to locate each one in the master list, use this form to select an animal, change the weight and let the program do the rest

Lot Weight Changes

Ranch ID   1   ○ Cattle ○ Goats ○ Hogs

Pens

1
2
3
MAIN

Pastures

EAST
HAY
MARCS
NORTH 40
WEST

Select The Animal From the List To View Their History

Available Animals

615	615	C	900
618	618	C	1200
624	624	C	0
701	701	C	0
721	721	C	0
723	723	C	0
906	906	A	0
913	913	A	0
916	916	A	0
917	917	A	0
920	920	A	0
922	922	A	0
354	354	B	1140

Click on the animal you wish to work with

Date   Weight
04/12/2012 | 500

[Print Growth History]   [Update Weight]   [Close Window]

Operations
Pasture Management / Change Animal Type

Pasture Management

Keep track of what you do to your pastures— Store the date, the condition and the treatment, records sorted by pasture

Change Animal Type

Ready to change what type of animal this is? Calves to Steers, Bulls or Heifers, Heifers to Cows, Bulls to Steers?

Here's the form you can use instead of going into the main animal control screen.

Select The type of animal you want to change

Select The Pen Or Pasture where the animals are located

Select The animal

Pick the new type

Hit Update and you're done, that quick and easy

Operations
Create Sales List—Record Lot Sales

Create Sales List

Selling Animals?
This list shows those you've already marked for sale

Select Any additional animals you want to sell

Enter a price and the master record will be updated accordingly

Sale Animals

Ranch ID   1

Current Animals For Sale

◉ Horses ○ Cattle ○ Goats ○ Sheep   ◉ Horses ○ Cattle ○ Goats ○ Sheep

Animal	Type
ALLAMANDA HANCOCK	M
CAPTAIN	G
COCHISE	G
DUKE	G
FOXY	M
GUS	S
JACK	G
KATE	M
LEGS	G
MAGGIE	M
OREO	G
PISTOL	C

Animal	Type	Asking Price
BOO	G	1200.00
SEB	G	750.00
JOE	G	0.00
BANDIT	G	1200.00
BLONDIE	G	1200.00
LIL BLACK	M	0.00
FANCY	M	0.00
EVE	M	0.00
BOOMER	M	0.00
CAJUN	S	0.00

To select multiple animals hold down the <Ctrl> key and <Left Click> the mouse

To Change The Asking Price, or Remove From The Sale List - Click on the Animal

Asking Price

Update Sales List   **Remove Animal From Sale List**

Update Price

Print List Of Sale Animals   **Close Window**

Record Lot Sales

What Type Of Sale Is This?

How Were They Priced?

Select All In A Location Or Various Animals From our Master List?

Sales Information Entered Here

Update Master Records

Lot Sales

Type Of Sale
○ Single Animal Sale ○ Lot Sale

Ranch ID   1   **How Do I Use This Form?**

Sold To

Price Type
◉ PX Each ○ Per LB ○ CWT

Animal Group
○ Cattle ○ Goats ○ Horses ○ Sheep

○ By Pasture ○ From Master List

Sold Where

Selected Animals

Date Of Sale
/ /

Available Animals

Update Sales List

Invoice

Price
$0.00

Nbr Of Head

To Remove From The Sale List - Double Click on the Animal

Calculate Sale

Multi-Select is 'OFF' for Single

Total Sale
$0.00

Update Sales Records

Close Window

Operations
Excel Spreadsheets—Scheduler

Smart phone read excel files? If so create a file, and put it on your phone, enter the work and then import it back into the system. The Commercial version creates worksheets for Animal Notes, Medical Treatments, Feedings, Animal Use, Insemination, Pregnancy Verification, and Embryo Transfers

Event Scheduler

Scheduling what goes on at the ranch or operation is critical. Today's Rancher scheduling let's you quickly and easily enter upcoming events, the system will post them to your MS Outlook and you have complete control over the types of events (categories) you want to enter. Comprehensive reports of upcoming events is available

Operations
Move Animals / Record Animal Use

Pasture Rotation

Pasture rotation is an important part of managing your herd. Use this form to quickly identify which animals are in which pasture and then select them to move. Enter the target location and let the program do the rest

Animal Use

Rent out or let other use your animals? Use this form to keep track of them, track who used them, where they were used, anything happen. If you're tracking horses, this form will automatically link to your tack inventory

Operations
Body Condition Scores / Teat-Udder Condition Scores

Body Condition

Keeping track of how your animals are doing is vital to your bottom line. Here's where you can store that information along with photos

Data is only good when you can get to it. All of our condition reports (body—Udder —Frame Score—Linear Measurements) show the history and photos of your production records

Teat-Udder Conditions

Healthy Calves, Kids and Lambs are vital to a successful operation. They won't be healthy if the dam isn't.

Operations
Frame Score / Linear Measurements

Frame Score

Enter the date of birth, the date recorded and the system calculates the age in months, enter the height of the animal and let Today's Rancher do the rest.. For the most accurate history store the animals current image

Data is only good when you can get to it. All of our condition reports (body—Udder —Frame Score—Linear Measurements) show the history and photos of your production records

Linear Measurements

Take the measurements, enter the data into our form and let Today's Rancher do the rest.. For the most accurate history store the animals current image, when you need to see how an animal is doing, just print out the history report.

Breeding Operations

Record A.I.

When you're breeding animals, it's important that your record keeping is accurate. With Today's Rancher, the guess work is taken out of the process of A.I. you know when, what batch, the condition of the animal plus you have space for extra notes—the system will calculate an approximate due date for you

Inseminating multiple animals with semen from the same batch on the same day? This is the form you'll use, multi-select the animals enter the data and the program will create the appropriate data files for each animal

Breeding Operations

You don't have to remember all your animals in either the A.I or Embryo Transfer forms, If you <right click> in the animal id field you'll get a list of the appropriate animals, simply select and go

Letting Big Daddy roam the pasture? Use this form to record when he started and when you took him out, the program calculates everything else and creates a record for every animal in the pasture.

Pregnancy Verification

The vet's on the way to check the status of our pregnant animals. Once finished, enter the results of the examination here, the system will calculate an approximate due date for you

Inventory Control

Tack / Semen / Embryos / Reports

Tack Inventory

Raising horses? Have horses for rent or use? Store your tack inventory right here, keep track of where it's stored and which animal uses it.

Semen Inventory

Semen is expensive. Don't lose track of how much you have on hand. On hand quantity is automatically updated when a straw is used in the Insemination module, you can also withdraw and manually enter how many are withdrawn and let the system calculate the balance and value

Embryo Inventory

Embryos are expensive. Don't lose track of how much you have on hand. On hand quantity is automatically updated when used in the embryo transfer module, you can also withdraw and manually enter how many are withdrawn and let the system calculate the balance and value

Inventory Reports

Keeping track of your inventory isn't much use unless you're able to print out the information, here's where you take care of that

Inventory
Medical / Feed Inventories

Medical Inventory

It seems like every day there are new rules and regulations about what medicines you can and can't use and keep on your premise, Keep track of your medicines and medical equipment here

Feed Inventory

See at a glance what feed you have on hand—no more having to hunt around in the barn or shed

Receive Inventory

When you receive in new quantities, enter them here, your on hand amounts are automatically updated

Income And Expenses

Suppliers

Keeping track of our suppliers can sometimes be tedious, we're trying to take the hassle out of the task. Give each supplier an Id, and then when entering a purchase from them, if you <right click> in the supplier id field, the system will fill in the appropriate data for you.

Expense Transactions

Keep track of where you spend your money. Maintain a history for each of your suppliers, each transaction can have multiple line items and each line item can have its own expense category.

Selling Locations

Do you sell your animals or hay at specific spots? Use this to keep track of those locations and then use the popup to select at which location you sold

Income And Expenses

Customers

Keeping track of our customers can sometimes be tedious, we're trying to take the hassle out of the task. Give each customer an Id, and then when entering a sale to them if you <right click> in the customer name field, the system will fill in the appropriate data for you. The program will also let you have multiple types of contacts, (i.e. personal, business, association etc) for the creation of mailing lists.

Income Transactions

Keep track of where you earn your money. Maintain a history for each of your customers, each transaction can have multiple line items and each line item can have its own income category.

Financial Reporting

Financial tracking doesn't help without reports and Today's Rancher has the reports you need. Customer and Supplier ledgers, Profit-Loss statement and much more. It's all right here

Income And Expenses

How are those steers or wethers selling? About your breeding animals? Sell some hay or other ranch products?
With the ability to have EVERY line item as a separate income category, you'll never be surprised by how your operation is doing

Need to see how much any one of your customers has spent with you? Here's the report that breaks it all down for you

Where do you get the best prices for your animals or your other ranch products? If you print out a report by location you'll always know

Income And Expenses

Where are you spending your money? Here's the complete breakdown, by invoice and date

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Are you making or losing money? Here's a quick summary glance that will give you that answer