

GLOSSARY OF TERMS

KEEP IT ALL STRAIGHT WITH THIS QUICK REFERENCE:

'Excluded from Reporting' Notes that are for the laboratory staff only. These will only be seen by the Rock River Laboratory data entry team and are not included in reports.

Feeder The farm, company, or individual associated with the Rock River Laboratory account.

Feeder Farm The farm that is utilizing the feedstuffs to be sampled. This may be the farm associated with the account, or it may be a different farm.

FeedScan Code The random series of numbers and letters assigned to a sample when utilizing the FeedScan app or FeedScan web interface. This code is replaced with a "lab number" when the sample is received by the lab.

Grower Farm The farm growing the feeds to be purchased.

Lab # The unique identifier assigned to a sample upon receipt by the lab. It follows the sample through the analysis process and is included on the final report. The Lab # is different from the FeedScan code.

Package The analysis the user would like to run on the sample. This is broken down between the various analysis formats - Near Infrared (NIR), Wet Chemistry, Wet Chemistry - Additional (these must be added to a NIR or Wet Chemistry package), Anti-nutritional Analysis, and Water Analysis.

Rolling Average A feedstuff's analysis results, averaged over time. This is calculated based on the number of samples selected (i.e. "3" will average 3 recent samples from the selected feedstuff).

Sample Descriptions The titles given to each of the feedstuffs that are to be sampled. This description is determined by the user, and may include categorical names, dates, etc.

Vendors This may include any outside companies or brokers who are utilized in purchasing outside feeds. Users may list up to three vendors in the Sample Submission box.