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Beef finisher

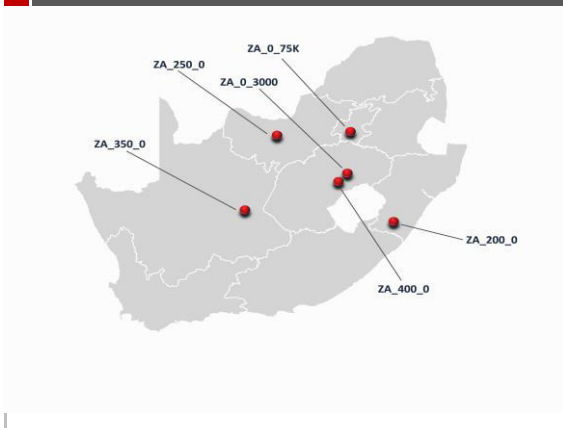
Farm overview

Legal status	Sole proprietor
Production system	Feedlot
Breeds	Taurus * Indicus
No. finished cattle sold per year	75 000
Barn/pen/grazing capacity	25 510
No. of breeding cows*	
Family labour (hours)	
Hired labour (hours)	78 667
Other activities	—

* only if cow-calf enterprise on the same farm

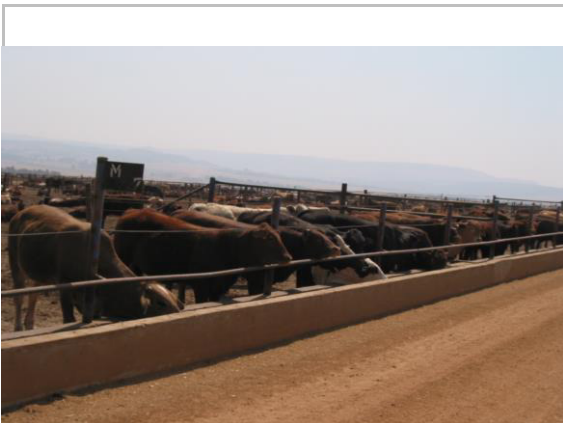


Location



Natural conditions

Country	South Africa
Region	Gauteng, Northern Free State
Relief	Plains
Elevation (above sea level)	1191,7 m
Soil	Sandy loam
Climate	DW – dry winters
Main growing season	September – April
Average annual temperature	18,8 °C
Average annual precipitation	422 mm
Precipitation	December – April



Particularities

The family-owned limited company is fully specialised in beef production with a one time capacity of 25,000 cattle, producing 75,000 cattle per year in three cycles. There are 5 executive staff plus 51 workers. The facilities comprise feed mixing and manufacturing, tractors and feed carts used for mixing feed and feeding cattle. Contract work is used for new developments and production/transport of hay and feed to the farm. The animals are transferred to an own abattoir and sold directly to supermarkets/restaurants.