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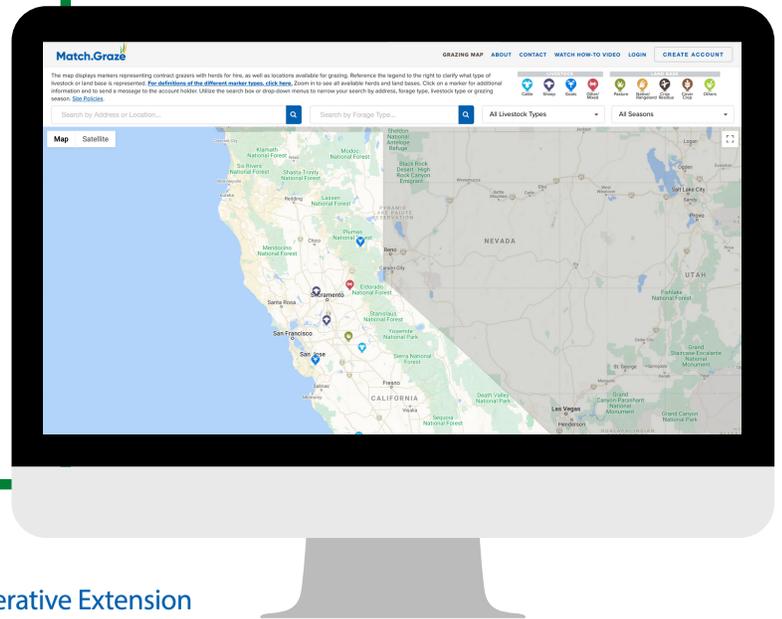
Where Grazers and Grasslands meet their Match

MatchGraze.com

Livestock producers throughout the state can document their services and their geographic locations. This will increase grazing opportunities while providing a service to landowners with no livestock to manage vegetation.

Match.Graze will promote the integration of livestock grazing to reduce fire fuels, increase biodiversity and improve soil health.

University of California Cooperative Extension has created an opportunity to facilitate a "matching" system, bringing grazing animals to land to reduce fire fuels.



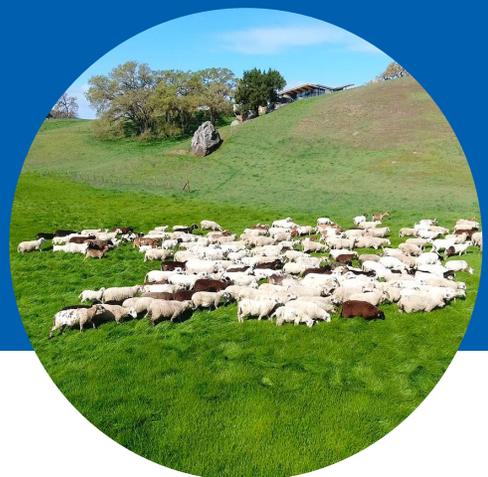
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It's Easy To Get Started

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Listed below are some of the features that Match.Graze offers its users



RESOURCES

All features, tools and factsheets included on the website are completely free.



MAP

The interactive map overlay displays both sites where lands are available for grazing and of livestock producers that will move animals to grazing sites.



DASHBOARD

Match.Graze has an easy-to-use dashboard that allows users to easily manage their own information.



CUSTOMIZABLE

Users can create and manage customizable "pins," by entering information about the land/livestock they have available for grazing.

Grazing Made Easy 3-Tier Model

Different Tiers Meeting Different Needs

Tier 1: Community / Neighborhood Grazing

Community grazing involves small-scale livestock grazers using their animals to graze a community of small-scale property owners. These property owners range from ¼ acre to several acres; animals graze one parcel then are moved to a neighboring parcel.

Tier 2: Contract / Targeted Grazing

Contract or targeted grazing is the application of a specific kind of livestock at a determined season, duration, and intensity to accomplish defined vegetation or landscape goals. The major difference between targeted grazing and traditional grazing management is that targeted grazing refocuses outputs of grazing from livestock production to vegetation and landscape enhancement.

Tier 3: Traditional Grazing

Land leased on an annual or long-term basis. Traditional grazers are livestock producers that own cattle, sheep and/or goats that are managed year round on owned and/or rented properties – these grazers are interested in fulfilling their production goals.

Contact Us

Contact your local University of California Cooperative Extension (UCCE) office if you have questions about grazing management. UCCE is at the forefront of change, working to preserve agriculture, helping communities shape wise public policy and strengthening community development and leadership in our youth and adults.

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