



**South Central College**  
**Program Design**

# **CERT 2148/CERT 3148 Essentials of Farm Business Management Certificate**

## **Program Information**

**Instructional Level** Certificate

**Career Cluster** Agriculture, Food & Natural Resources

## **Description**

The following is a list of courses required to earn the Essentials of Farm Business Management Certificate.

## **Program Admission Dates (Fall and/or Spring)**

Fall, Spring, and Summer Semester

## **Program Location (North Mankato and/or Faribault)**

North Mankato and Faribault

## **Program Student Learning Outcomes**

- 1 Student will learn farm records management.
- 2 Student will learn to analyze and interpret farm business data.
- 3 Student will develop and implement a management plan.

## **Program Configurations**

### **Essentials of FBM Certificate - (30 Credits)**

#### **Credits**

Technical Course	24
Elective	6
<b>Total Credits</b>	<b>30</b>

## **Technical Courses**

<b>Course #</b>	<b>Course Title</b>	<b>Credits</b>	<b>Function</b>
FBMT 1112	<b>Foundations For Farm Business Management</b>	4	Technical Course

FBMT 1121	<b>Preparation for Farm Business Analysis</b>	4	Technical Course
FBMT 1122	<b>Implementing the System Management Plan</b>	4	Technical Course
FBMT 1131	<b>Managing and Modifying Farm System Data</b>	4	Technical Course
FBMT 1132	<b>Interpreting and Using Farm System Data</b>	4	Technical Course
FBMT 1211	<b>Introduction to Farm Business Management</b>	4	Technical Course

### Elective Courses

Course #	Course Title	Credits	Function
	<b>CHOOSE SIX CREDITS from the Following Courses</b>	6	Elective
FBMT 1170	<b>Intro to Farm Commodity Marketing (3 cr.)</b>		Elective
FBMT 1173	<b>Directed Study-Intro to Farm Commodity Marketing (2 cr.)</b>		Elective
FBMT 2201-2204	<b>Special Topics in General Farm Management (1 cr.)</b>		Elective
FBMT 2205-2209	<b>Special Topics in General Farm Management (2 cr.)</b>		Elective
FBMT 2210-2214	<b>Special Topics in Marketing (1 cr.)</b>		Elective
FBMT 2215-2219	<b>Special Topics in Marketing (2 cr.)</b>		Elective
FBMT 2220-2224	<b>Special Topics in Crops (1 cr.)</b>		Elective
FBMT 2225-2229	<b>Special Topics in Crops (2 cr.)</b>		Elective
FBMT 2230-2234	<b>Special Topics in Livestock (1 cr.)</b>		Elective
FBMT 2235-2239	<b>Special Topics in Livestock (2 cr.)</b>		Elective

### Program Course List

Number	Title	Credits	Pre/Corequisites
<b>FBMT 1112</b>	<b>Foundations For Farm Business Management</b>	4	None
<b>FBMT 1121</b>	<b>Preparation for Farm Business Analysis</b>	4	None
<b>FBMT 1122</b>	<b>Implementing the System Management Plan</b>	4	None
<b>FBMT 1131</b>	<b>Managing and Modifying Farm System Data</b>	4	None
<b>FBMT 1132</b>	<b>Interpreting and Using Farm System Data</b>	4	None
<b>FBMT 1170</b>	<b>Intro to Farm Commodity Marketing</b>	3	None
<b>FBMT 1173</b>	<b>Directed Study-Intro to Farm Commodity Marketing</b>	2	None

<b>FBMT 1211</b>	<b>Introduction to Farm Business Management</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>None</b>
<b>FBMT 2201-2204</b>	<b>Special Topics in General Farm Management</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>None</b>
<b>FBMT 2205-2209</b>	<b>Special Topics in General Farm Management</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>None</b>
<b>FBMT 2210-2214</b>	<b>2210-2214: Special Topics in Marketing</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>None</b>
<b>FBMT 2215-2219</b>	<b>2215-2219: Special Topics in Marketing</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>None</b>
<b>FBMT 2220-2224</b>	<b>2220-2224: Special Topics in Crops</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>Prerequisites: None</b>
<b>FBMT 2225-2229</b>	<b>2225-2229: Special Topics in Crops</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>None</b>
<b>FBMT 2230-2234</b>	<b>Special Topics in Livestock</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>None</b>
<b>FBMT 2235-2239</b>	<b>2235-2239: Special Topics in Livestock</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>None</b>