WINTER GRAZING SYSTEMS MAP

DEER - FAST FINISHING

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FARM TYPE: RED DEER/SHEEP MIXED - BREEDING & FINISHING

LOCATION: SOUTH CANTERBURY

OWNERSHIP MODEL: FAMILY TRUST

CAPABILITY: FAST FINISHING (SEP-NOV CHILLED SEASON PREMIUM)

WINTERING METHOD: CROPPING

CYCLE LENGTH: 12 MONTHS

CALVING: SPRING

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FILLED: INTENTIONAL ACTION

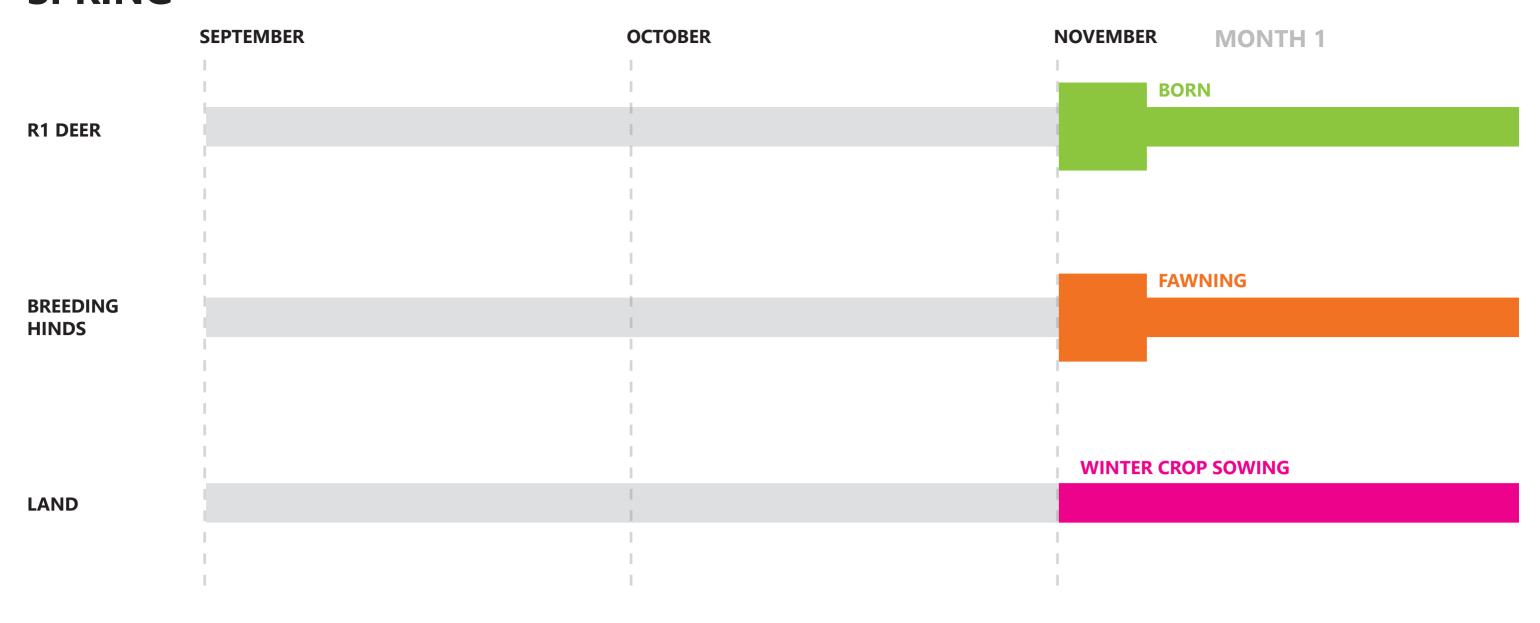


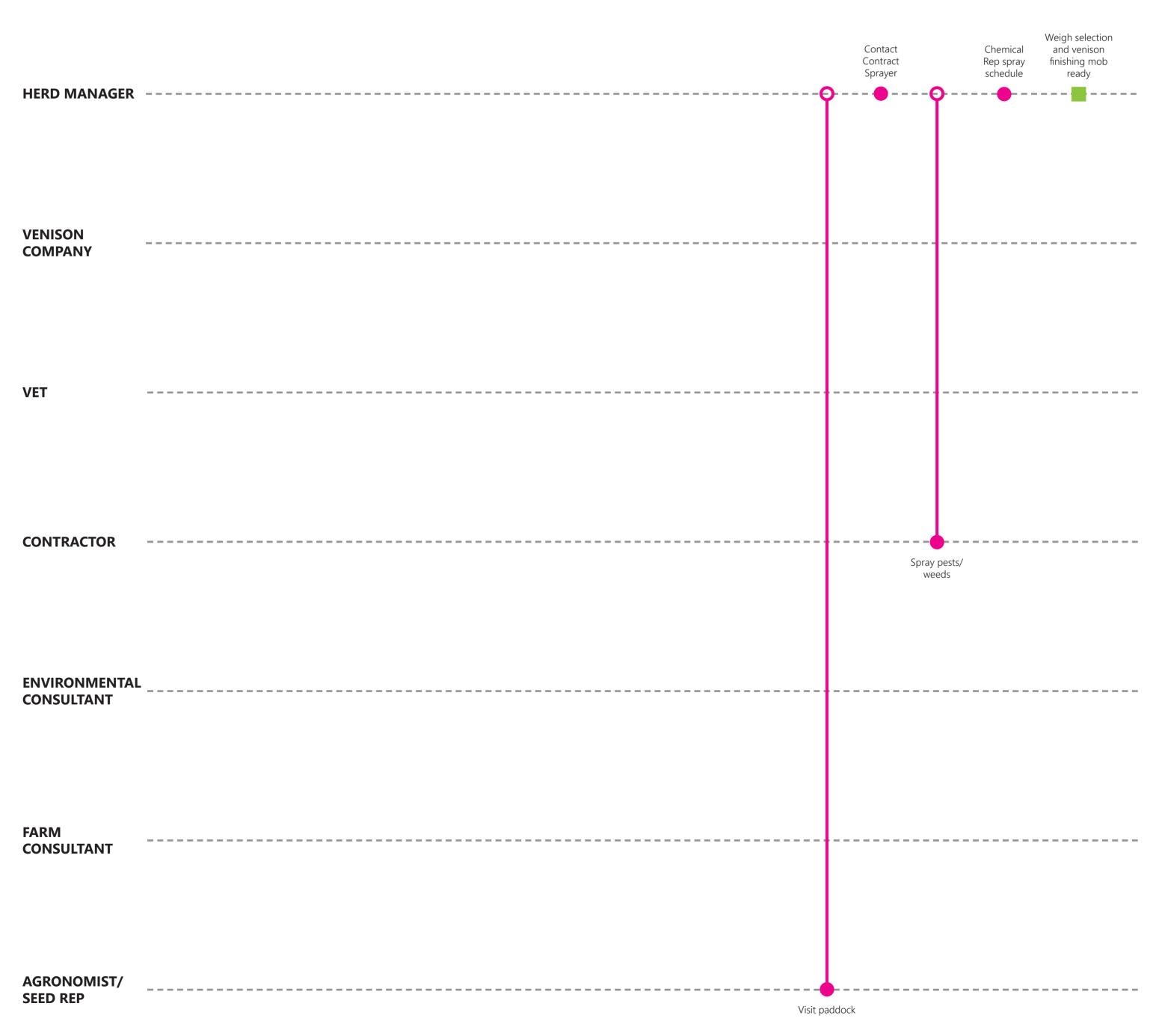
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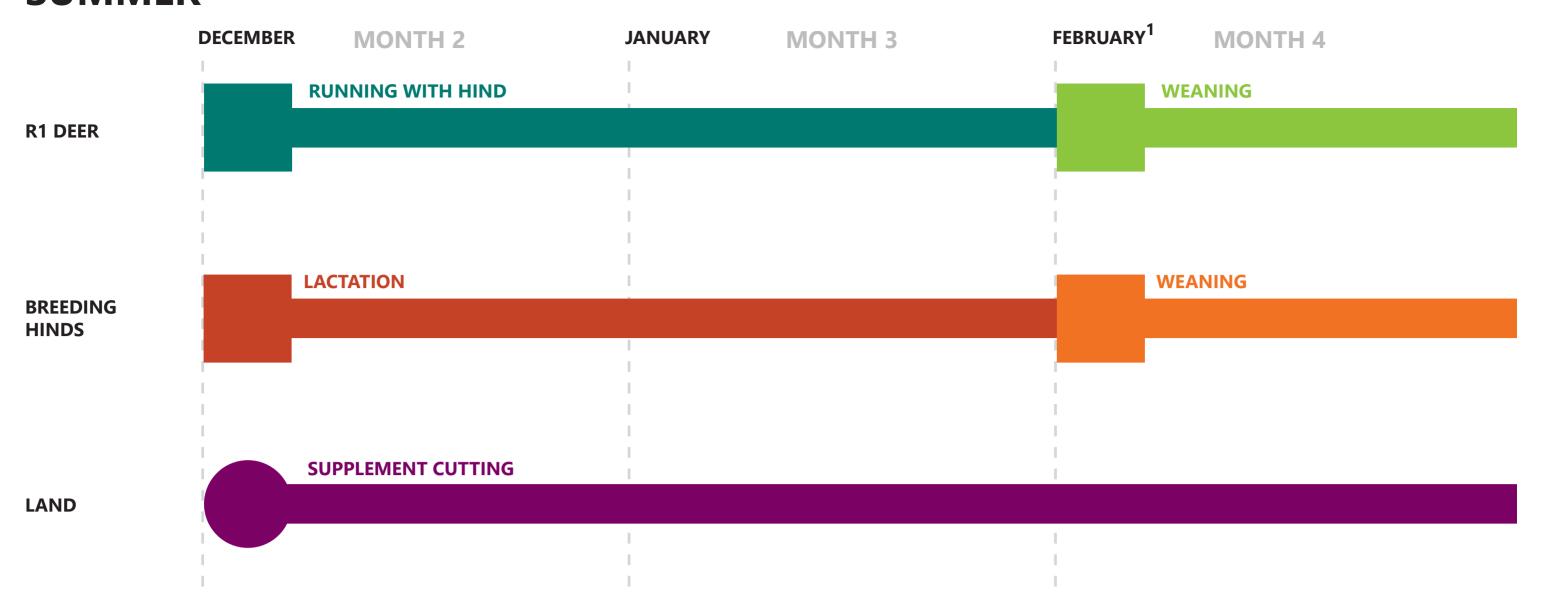
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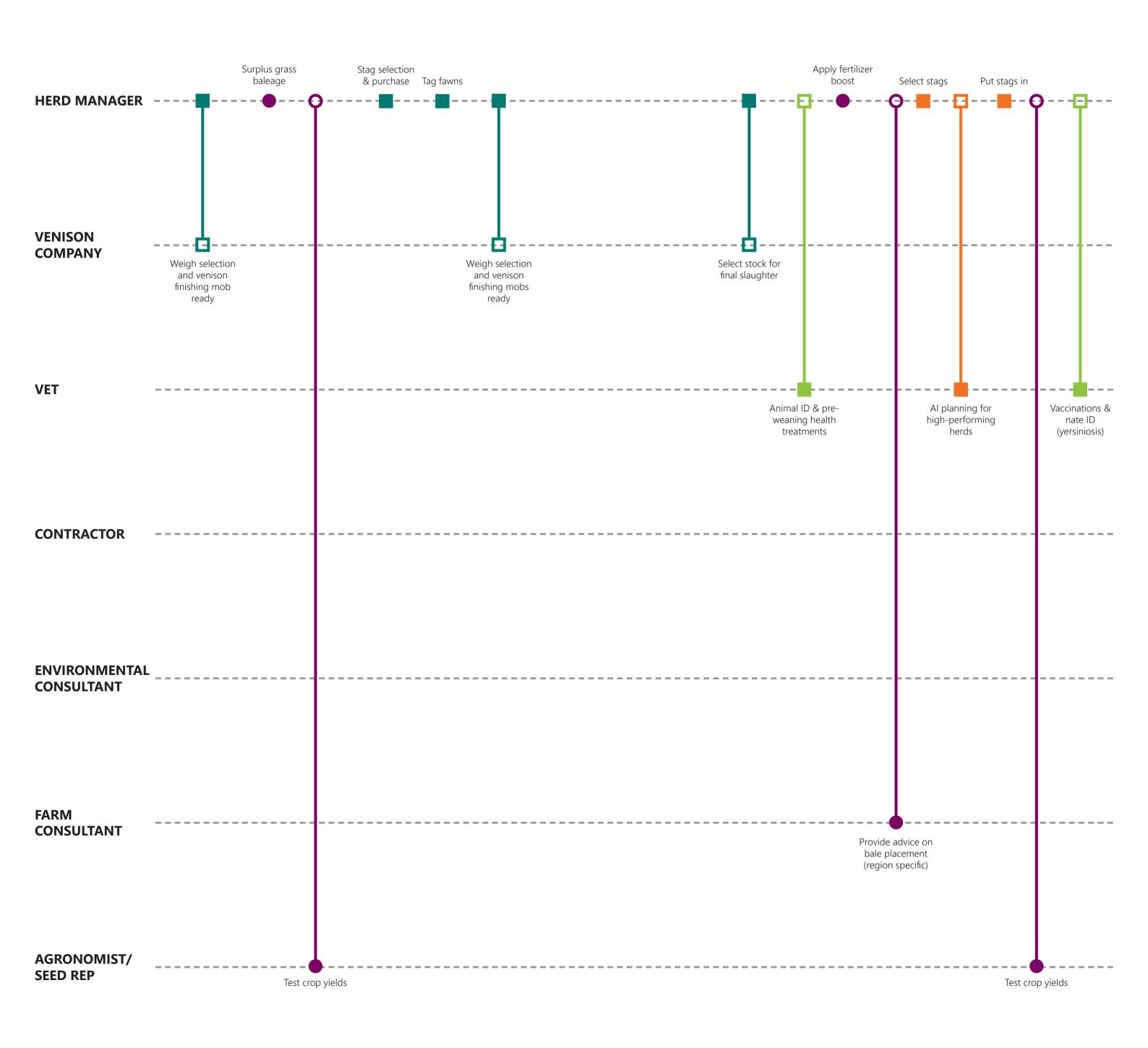
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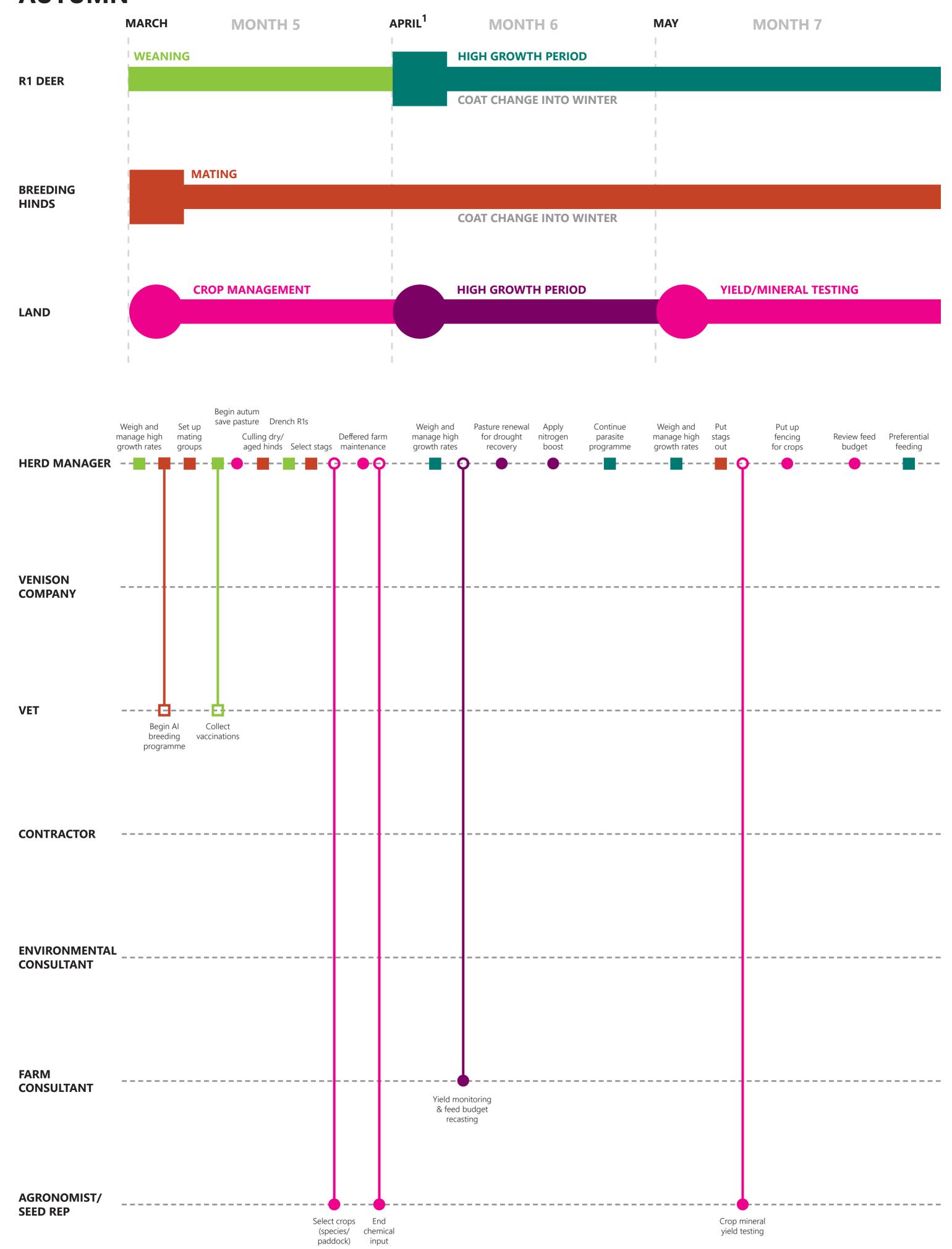
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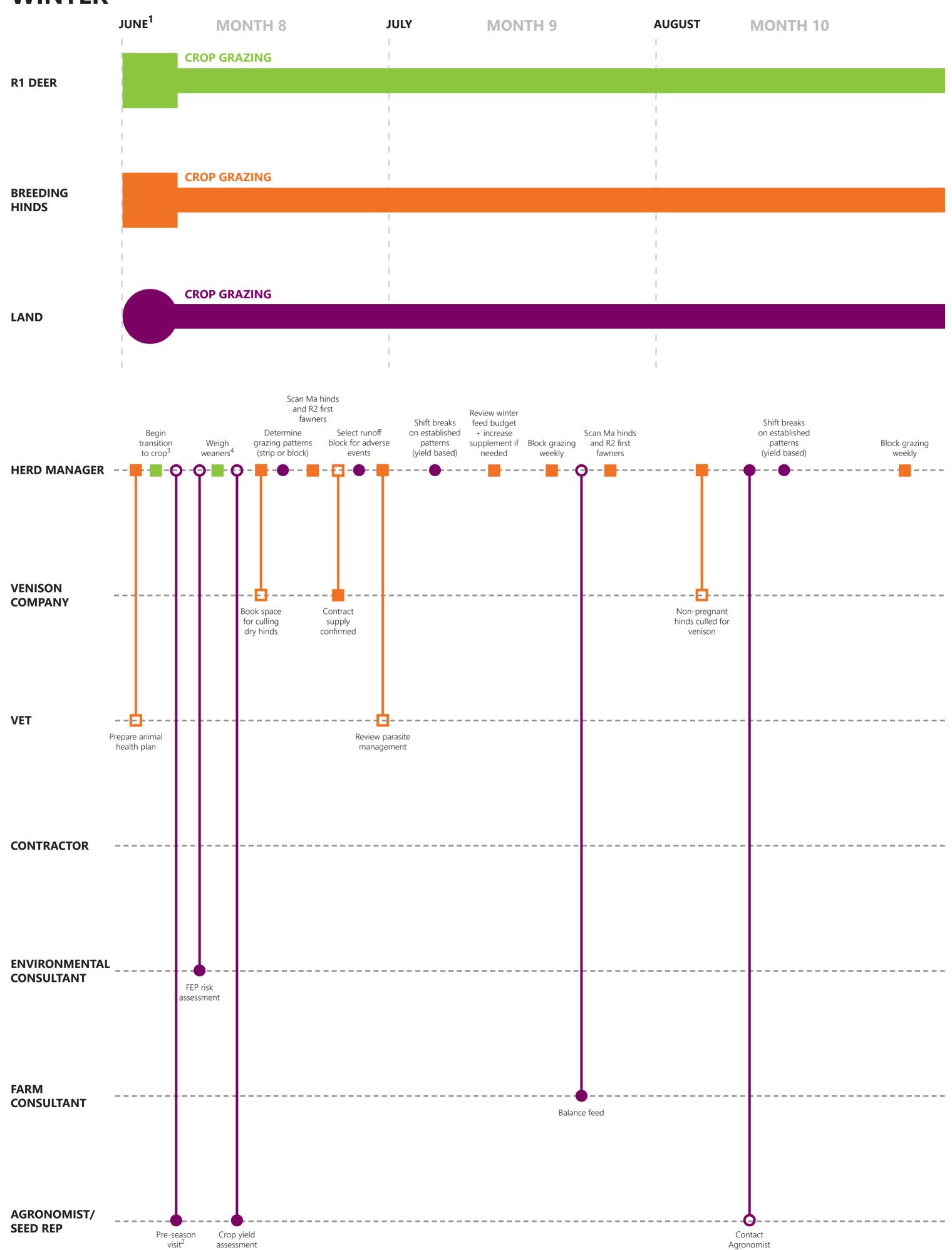
¹ Generally weaning occurs only in the last week of February.

AUTUMN



¹ Note: April can be a critical time of year if there is a drought. Droughts put pressure on farmers to prioritize pasture for young stock feed.

WINTER



¹ Note: Farmers will likely be routinely weighing R1 deer in the interest of meeting growth rate requirements of chilled seasons. R1 deer will go from 130 grams of feed to 70 grams or less.

² The pre-season visit is a good opportunity to engage & review.

³ R1 deer will be crop grazing in separate mobs over the winter period.

⁴ Weight collection date for putting animals weight data into Deer Select. (Genetic database used by deer industry)

SPRING

