

## FARM / BUSINESS INFORMATION

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| <b>Application No</b> (admin to complete after receipt of application)                                   |                      |
| <b>Farm / Business Name</b>  |                      |
| <b>Milk supplier for MVM / Synlait</b>   | <b>Supply Number</b> |
| <b>Street Address</b>  |                      |
| <b>Town</b>  |                      |
| <b>Region</b>  | <b>Postcode</b>      |
| Please briefly describe your farm (e.g. size, herd, output, special features, etc.) (maximum 100 words). |                      |

## PRIMARY CONTACT

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| <b>First Name</b>   | <b>Surname</b> |
| <b>Phone Number</b> | <b>Email</b>   |

## PROJECT INFORMATION

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| <b>Project Title</b>   |  |
| <b>Project Location</b>  |  |
| <b>Which of the following priority funding areas is relevant to your project?</b> (tick one or more boxes) |  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Greenhouse gas emissions/footprint reduction                                      | <input type="checkbox"/> Enhancing biodiversity  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Carbon sequestration  | <input type="checkbox"/> Animal wellbeing/health |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Developing on-farm resilience   | <input type="checkbox"/> Improving soil health   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Improving on-farm water quality<br>(streams, rivers, wetlands etc.)               |  |

## PROJECT

### Project Description

Please provide an overview of your proposed project, and why it is important for your farm management system, environment and business (maximum 150 words)

### Project Objectives

Please list the objectives of your project (maximum 150 words)

### Project Activities

Please provide a list of the activities that will contribute to the completion of your project (maximum 150 words)

### Environmental Data Capture

Do you wish to access independently measured environmental performance data that may lead to future financial advantage and consent to the sharing of this data with a2MC?

### Monitoring & Reporting

What will you measure to ensure the project objectives have been achieved? (maximum 100 words)

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### Monitoring & Reporting

What records or methods will you use to measure project achievements? (e.g. before/after photos, farm footprint, etc) (maximum 100 words)

*Copies of reports from partners and collaborators (e.g. Overseer, Dairy NZ, Dairy Company, Consultants) or other supporting documentation should be submitted with your application.*

### Ongoing Maintenance

How will you maintain the project's benefits into the future? (maximum 100 words)

### Collaboration & Partnerships

Please list any individuals, groups, or organisations that will collaborate with you on this project. Next to their names, indicate their contribution (e.g. technical support, advice, networking, labour) (maximum 100 words)

### Other Comments

Please provide any additional information that will support your application (maximum 100 words)

### Additional project(s)

What additional and related developments would you seek to undertake in the future as part of a whole farm systems approach?

## PROJECT BUDGET

Please enter each budget item on a separate line.

- Include the quantity (with units) and rates (price per unit) for each budget item in the description.
- **Column A – Funding Requested** – enter the price of the items to be funded.
- **Column B – In-kind Contributions** – enter the price of the items that are being funded by external sources, if any.
- **Column C – Cash Contribution** – enter the amount of cash you will be contributing to the project
- If your business/farm is registered for GST, base your budget on GST exclusive pricing.
- If your business/farm is not registered for GST, base your budget on GST inclusive pricing.
- Please note – total funding requested (Column A) must not exceed the maximum award amount available (\$35,000 GST excl).
- The applicants contribution (cash and in-kind) towards the project cost must at least match the grant amount requested as a minimum; the applicant cash contribution must represent at least 50% of the total grant amount requested.

| Item Description | Column A<br>Funding Requested | Column B<br>In-kind or other Contributions | Column C<br>Cash Contribution |
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| <b>Total</b>     |                               |  |                               |

### Financial Information

Are you registered for GST?

## SUPPORTING INFORMATION

### Photographs / Supporting Documents

Have you provided 'before' photos?

*Please attach relevant photographs to support your application. Please email as attachments with your submission.*

## DECLARATION

By submitting this application form I declare that:

- The information given on this form is complete and correct.
- If successful, funds will be used only for the project described on this application.
- If successful, I understand I will need to enter into an agreement with Lincoln University setting out the terms on which the project will be undertaken.
- If successful, I agree to provide a Progress Report and photographs to Lincoln University within six months of the start date and a Final Report at project end.
- If successful, I consent to the release of project information in this application for promotional and evaluation purposes relevant to The a2 Milk Company.
- I will seek permission of all persons photographed prior to submitting photographs for the use of The a2 Milk Company.

By typing your name below, you are signing this application electronically. You agree that your electronic signature is the legal equivalent of your manual signature on this application.

**Signature**

**Name**

**Date**

Email your completed application form (and photos if including) to:

**Applications.RMO@lincoln.ac.nz**

Submission deadline; 5pm, Monday 4 July 2022

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For any general and farm enquiries,  
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