

Balancing Beef Cow Nutrient Requirements and Seasonal Forage Quality on Annual Rangeland

* From University of California, 2001, Agricultural and Natural Resources Publication 8021, with irrelevant spring-calving data omitted.

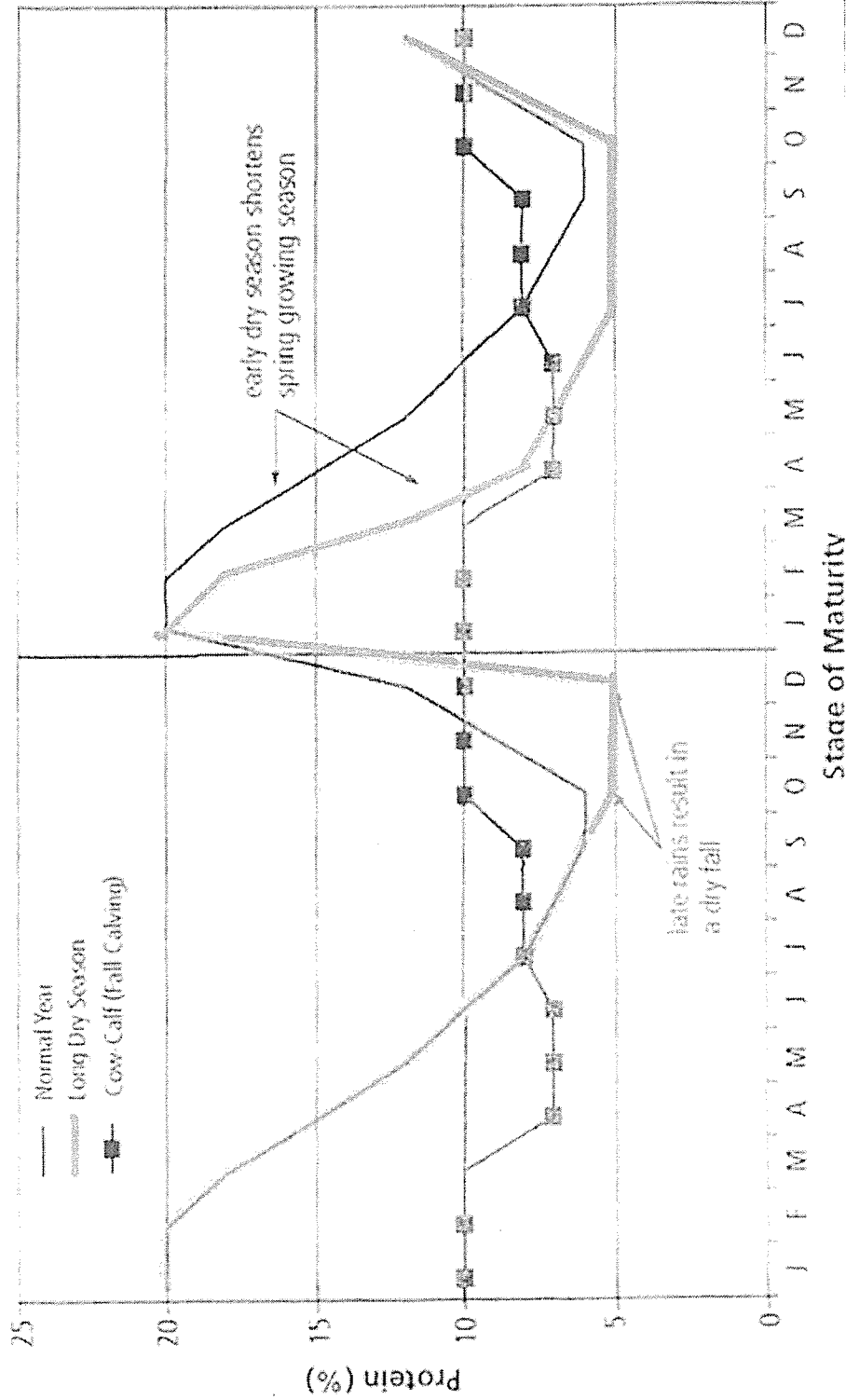


Figure 2: Example of annual rangeland forage protein for a normal year, a year with a dry fall, and a year with an early dry season, with cow protein requirements for fall-calving cows superimposed.

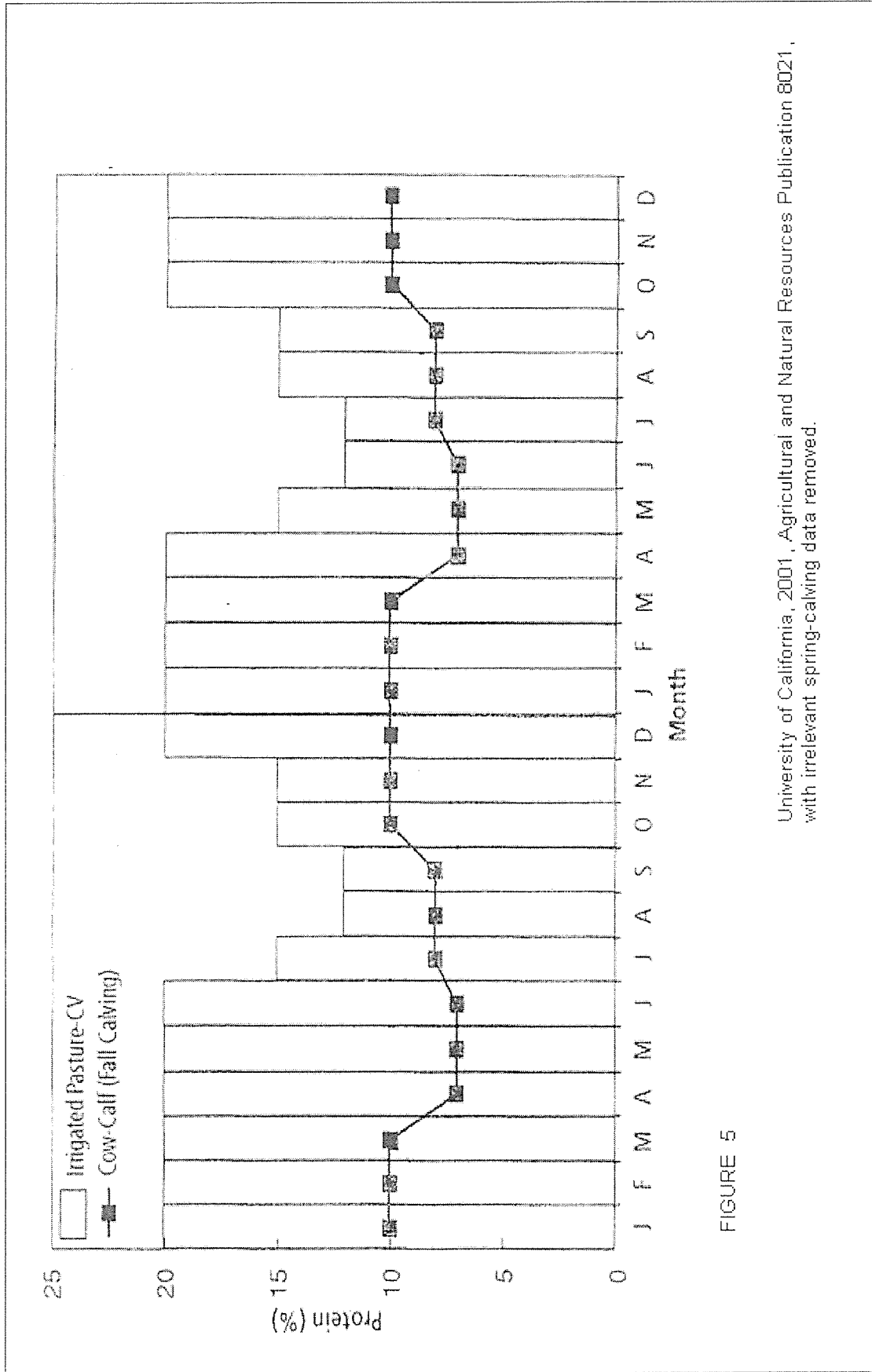


FIGURE 5

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Example protein content for a Central Valley cool-season irrigated pasture, with cow protein requirements for fall-calving cows superimposed.