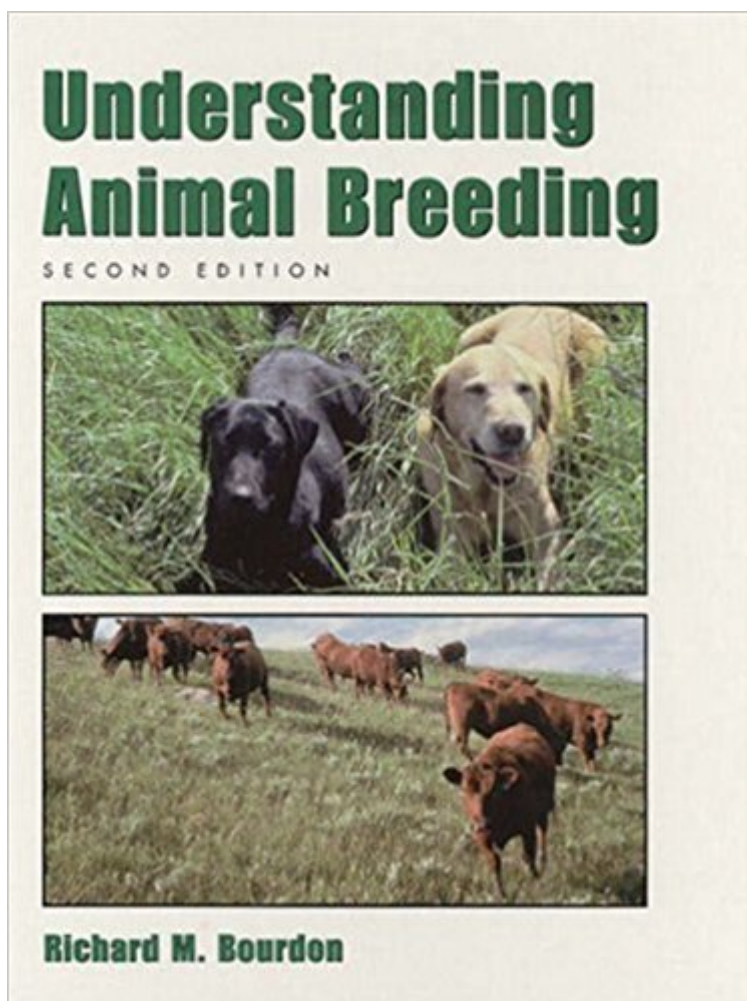


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This is a textbook I bought for a class. I liked the information and it was very good for some supplemental learning when I didn't understand something. All in all this is a very well written book and is a staple for anyone wanting to learn about animal breeding and the pros of making a few small changes to your breeding program. This book is also quite lighter than you'd expect a book of its size to be so I would not recommend it as a paper-weight.

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