

4-H Market Livestock Record

Beef, Sheep, Swine or Market Goat

(Circle correct species)

Year _____

Name _____

Age _____ This is my _____ year in 4-H.

County _____

Club _____

Project Suggestions

1. Select and own one or more animals of a kind (dairy or beef steers, heifers, lambs or pigs).
2. Develop management goals with parents and livestock leader.
3. Develop marketing goals with parents, leader and banker.
4. Manage and market according to goals.
5. Animals may be exhibited in a local event or sold when reaching market desirability. Check with your leader or agent for special show requirements at the start of your project.
6. Some counties may want to have an unfitted pen of three competition.
7. Always strive to obtain carcass information.

Description and Quality of Livestock:

Management and Goals: (Develop with leader and parents)

Financing Plan:

Purchase

Sales

Tag No.	Date	Weight	Cost Cwt.	Total Amount	Date	Weight	Market ^A Value Cwt.	Premium ^B Sale Value Cwt. or Total	Total Sales	Estimated Value of Animals Not Sold
Totals										

1. Total sales value (sales plus estimated value) \$ _____

^AFloor price or price animal would bring at a commercial market.

^BThe added value of the animal by being sold in a premium sale. This is the difference between the total sale value and the market value.

2. Other receipts (wool, prize money, etc.) \$ _____

3. Total receipts (add lines 1 and 2) \$ _____

4. Total purchase cost or value (from above) \$ _____

5. Gross income or increase in value (subtract line 4 from 3) \$ _____

6. Total feed cost \$ _____

6a. Average feed cost per animal \$ _____

7. Other expenses (vet., rent, equipment, etc.) \$ _____
 (If this is a major item, include explanation in your story, as indicated on back.)

8. Total expenses (add line 6 and 7) \$ _____

9. Return from project (subtract line 8 from 5) \$ _____

10. Average pounds gained per animal (sales wt. minus purchase wt.) lbs.

11. Average days each animal fed days

12. Average daily gain (line 10 divided by line 11) ADG

13. Feed cost per pound gained (line 6a divided by line 10) \$ _____

14. Average pounds of feed fed per animal lbs.

15. Pounds of feed per pound of gain (line 14 divided by line 10) lbs.

Marketing Strategy: (Detail goals developed with leader, banker and parents.)

Health Program: (Describe shots, etc., when animals purchased, and other items throughout feeding program.)

Growing Ration: _____ days on ration given below

Finishing Ration: _____ days on ration given below

Carcass Information: (Not all 4-H'ers will be able to get carcass information. Include as much as you can. If not available, make a note to indicate information unavailable.)

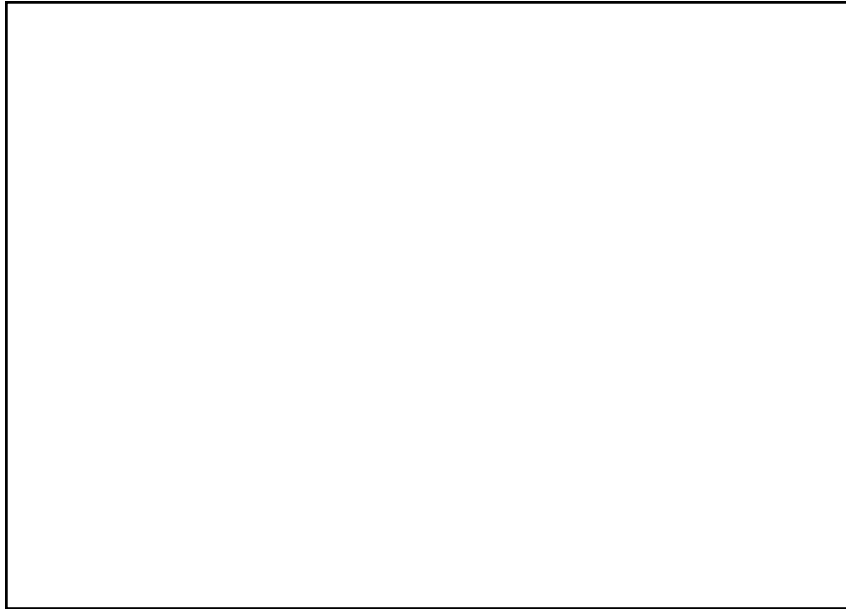
Identification	Live wt.	Warm Carc. wt.	Carcass Length* Marbling	Quality Grade	Fat Thickness	Rib Eye Area	%Lean* Yield Grade

*Swine Only

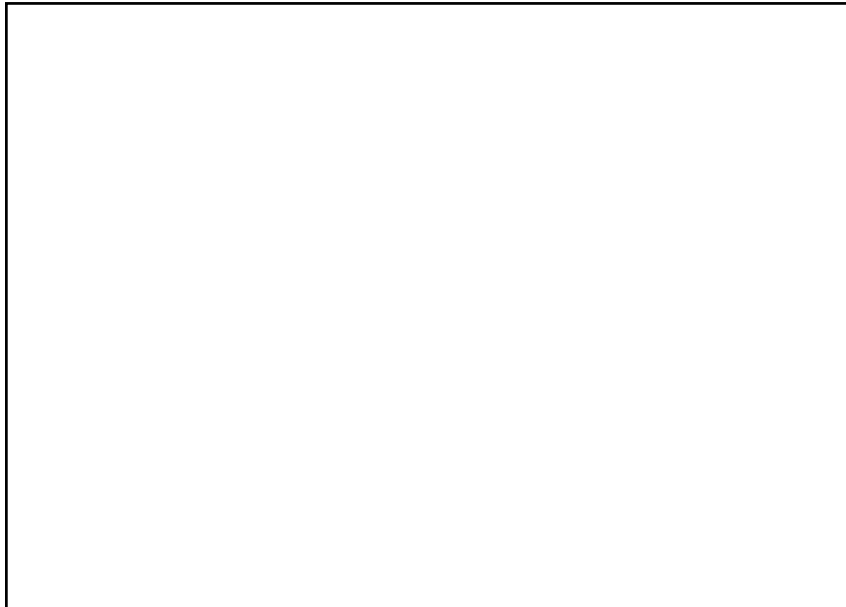
Story

Tell about your project. Include learning experiences or difficulties you had in completing your project.

Beginning Picture



Ending Picture



Project Leader's Signature _____

Parent or Guardian's Signature _____

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