



Illinois 4-H Livestock Record

Name: _____ Club: _____

Species: *(Circle below - Use a form for each different species)* Yrs. in Project: _____ Project Yr: 20 _____

BEEF

DAIRY

DAIRY GOATS

MEAT GOATS

HORSES

POULTRY

RABBITS

SHEEP

SWINE

OTHER: (list)

This record should help you become familiar with the costs of raising animals and help provide you with details regarding profits and losses. It will also be valuable in showing others what you have done in this area, including how your herd or flock has grown, and what you have learned.

In the Beginning. . .

What animals do you own or are leasing at the beginning of the 4-H year?

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What are your plans for expanding your herd or flock this year? *(By purchasing, leasing, breeding, and/or birth)*

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Production Records

Breeding/Producing

List each female separately

Name or ID Number of Female	Date Bred	Name or Number of Sire	Date Born/Laid/Hatched	Number Born/Laid/Hatched	Number Surviving	Date Weaned	Age at Weaning
Totals							
Averages							

Market Animals

Weigh your animals at least twice a year.

Name or ID Number of Animal	First Weighing		Second Weighing		Days on feed	Total pounds gained	*Average daily gain
	Date	Weight	Date	Weight			

**Divide the total pounds gained by number of days between first and second weighing.*

Use the following tables to record your feed costs and other expenses during the year (*vet bills, bedding, show supplies, purchase price of animals, etc.*) Recorded income and expenses should be the actual costs or the fair market value, otherwise your information will not provide a true look at your animal project. Any financial arrangements for this project should be noted and indicate how assistance was or will be obtained and how repayment will be made.

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Animals Purchased

Date	Name or ID Number of Animal(s) Purchased	Purchased From	Cost
12-1-07	Example: Steer calf #2991	XXXXXXX Farms	\$xxx.xx
Total Cost of Animals Purchased			\$

Veterinary Expenses

Date	Purpose of Vet Visit (include name or number of animal)	Treatment Given (including dosages)	Cost
6/11/2008	Example: Vaccinations - #2291, 3343, 5503, and 2296	Pseudorabies	\$xxx.xx
Total Veterinary Expenses			\$

Other Expenses

Date	Description of Expense	Paid To	Cost
4/1/2008	<i>Example: 6-month Horse Lease Payment ("How to Run")</i>	<i>Jane Doe</i>	<i>\$xxx.xx</i>
Total Other Expenses			\$

General Income

Use the table below to record your income from sales of animal products (milk, wool, etc.), show income, etc.

Date	Description of Income	Amount
5/1/2008	<i>Example: Goat Milk Sold at Farmer's Market; XXX Fair Premiums</i>	<i>\$xx.xx</i>
Total General Income		\$

Project Activity

Record any other activity you had with this project (*breeding, working the animals, tattooing, tours, judging contests, presentations, community service, etc.*) If reached a specific audience, include the number of people reached. Please add additional sheets if more space is needed.

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Leadership Demonstrated

List your leadership activities in this project area for the year. Include the number of people you helped for each occurrence.

Date	Leadership Demonstrated (What did you do?)	Number of people assisted
	<i>Example: Taught members to make a rope halter; Led barn tours at county fair; Served on county Livestock Committee</i>	4; 600

Final Results

Knowledge and Skills Gained

What did you learn throughout the year related to this project?

Date	What you Learned	Who Helped You?
	<i>Examples: Make a rope halter; Keep feed records; ; How to AI a heifer; To suture a wound, etc.</i>	Dad

I hereby certify that I have personally been responsible for the care of this/these animal(s), have personally kept records on this project, and have personally completed this record form.

Member Signature _____ Date _____

We have reviewed this report and believe it to be truthful and correct.

Parent/Guardian Signature _____