



4-H Animal Project Record (for ages 8-19)



4-H Projects: (List all your animals) _____

Name: _____ 4-H Age: _____ Number of Years in Program: _____

Club Name: _____ Club Leader: _____

Project Leader (if applicable): _____ Years in Project: _____

Record Start Date: _____ Record End Date: _____

This record is for all your 4-H animal projects. By keeping your records up to date you will be able to see how much progress you make as you set your goals and work to accomplish them. If you need help, ask your parents or leader to work with you. Add notebook pages if you need more space. Use this form for up to three animal projects for any of the following: beef, dairy, goat, sheep, swine, rabbits, and poultry. Your rabbit and poultry pens are done as one whole animal project, not as individuals.

I. My Project Plans: (tell why you enrolled in this project and challenges you faced). *Include all your animals.*

II. About My Animal or Animals: *Include all your animals.*

a. This is how I obtained my animals: _____

b. This is what I do to keep my animal or animals healthy: _____

c. This is what I feed my animal or animals: _____

Project Animals:

Record Start Date: _____

Record Closed Date: _____

Identification of Animals (Tag Number)	Sex	Date of Birth	Date of Purchase	Purchase Price or Start Value	Market Price Day of Entry	Other information (replacement, cost, etc)

Your first animal information:

Purchase Price (1): \$ _____

Market Price Day of Entry (2): \$ _____

Your second animal information:

Purchase Price (1): \$ _____

Market Price Day of Entry (2): \$ _____

Your third animal information:

Purchase Price (1): \$ _____

Market Price Day of Entry (2): \$ _____

Weight Records

When possible, animals could be weighed monthly and separate sheet could be added.

Identification of Animal (Tag number)	Beginning Weight	Final Weight	Total lbs. of Gain	Date of Beginning Weight	Date of Ending Weight	Days on Feed	Average Daily Gain

First animal information:

Total lbs of gain (3) _____ Days on Feed (4) _____ Average Daily Gain (5) _____

Second animal information:

Total lbs of gain (3) _____ Days on Feed (4) _____ Average Daily Gain (5) _____

Third animal information:

Total lbs of gain (3) _____ Days on Feed (4) _____ Average Daily Gain (5) _____

Expenses

Feed (Grain, Hay, and Supplements)

		Amount and Cost of Grain (include commercial mixtures)					Amount and Cost of Supplements (protein, minerals, salt, etc.)		
	Animal ID	Number of months (a)	Corn Lbs/cost (b)	Hay Lbs/cost (b)	Commercial Feed Lbs/cost (b)	Pasture Lbs/cost (b)	Soybean Meal Lbs/cost (b)	Other Lbs/cost (b)	Cost per Month (c)
1									
2									
3									

To calculate cost per month: add the (b) costs per animal and divide by the number of months fed (a). This will give you the cost per month (c).

First animal: Total Feed Costs (6) _____ Total Feed Lbs (7) _____

Second animal: Total Feed Costs (6) _____ Total Feed Lbs (7) _____

Third animal: Total Feed Costs (6) _____ Total Feed Lbs (7) _____

Other Expenses

	Animal ID	Health Expenses (dewormer, vet, meds)	Bedding	Registrations Fees	Sheering Fees	Other equipment fees
1						
2						
3						

First Animal Expenses (8): \$ _____

Second Animal Expenses (8): \$ _____

Third Animal Expenses (8): \$ _____

Project Efficiency Information

First Animal:

_____/_____=_____
Total lbs. of gain (3) Days of Feed (4) Average Daily Gain

\$_____/_____=_____
Total Feed Costs (6) Total lbs. of gain (3) Feed Cost per lbs. of gain

_____/_____=_____
Total lbs. of feed (7) Total lbs. of gain (3) lbs. of Feed per lb. of gain

Second Animal:

_____/_____=_____
Total lbs. of gain (3) Days of Feed (4) Average Daily Gain

\$_____/_____=_____
Total Feed Costs (6) Total lbs. of gain (3) Feed Cost per lbs. of gain

_____/_____=_____
Total lbs. of feed (7) Total lbs. of gain (3) lbs. of Feed per lb. of gain

Third Animal:

_____/_____=_____
Total lbs. of gain (3) Days of Feed (4) Average Daily Gain

\$_____/_____=_____
Total Feed Costs (6) Total lbs. of gain (3) Feed Cost per lbs. of gain

_____/_____=_____
Total lbs. of feed (7) Total lbs. of gain (3) lbs. of Feed per lb. of gain

Financial Summary

Fill in the following to determine the net income or net loss from your Market Project. **Please remember that a negative figure does not mean that you did a poor job with your project**

Value of Animal at Close of Records (2): Animal 1: \$ _____ Animal 2: \$ _____ Animal 3: \$ _____

Value of Animal at Start of Records (1): Animal 1: \$ _____ Animal 2: \$ _____ Animal 3: \$ _____

Feed Costs (6): Animal 1: \$ _____ Animal 2: \$ _____ Animal 3: \$ _____

Other Expenses (8): Animal 1: \$ _____ Animal 2: \$ _____ Animal 3: \$ _____

Total Lines 1, 6, & 8 (10): Animal 1: \$ _____ Animal 2: \$ _____ Animal 3: \$ _____

Net Profit/Loss (10 minus 2): Animal 1: \$ _____ Animal 2: \$ _____ Animal 3: \$ _____

Record book add-on sheet for Auction price

Animal 1

_____ X _____ = _____
Auction Price per pound X weight of animal on weigh in day (21)

Value of Animal at Close of Records Auction price (21) _____

From record book Value of Animal at Start of Records (1): Animal 1: \$ _____

From record book Feed Costs (6): Animal 1: \$ _____

From record book Other Expenses (8): Animal 1: \$ _____

From record book Total Lines 1, 6, & 8 (10): Animal 1: \$ _____

Auction Net Profit/Loss (10 minus 21): **Animal 1: \$** _____

Different between Auction and Market price

Auction Net Profit/Loss - Net Profit/Loss (From record book)

_____ - _____ = _____

Animal 2

_____ X _____ = _____
Auction Price per pound X weight of animal on weigh in day (21)

Value of Animal at Close of Records (21) _____

From record book Value of Animal at Start of Records (1): Animal 2: \$ _____

From record book Feed Costs (6): Animal 2: \$ _____

From record book Other Expenses (8): Animal 2: \$ _____

From record book Total Lines 1, 6, & 8 (10): Animal 2: \$ _____

Auction Net Profit/Loss (10 minus 21): **Animal 2: \$**

Different between Auction and Market price

Record book add-on sheet for Auction price

Auction Net Profit/Loss - Net Profit/Loss (From record book)

_____ - _____ = _____

Animal 3

_____ X _____ = _____

Auction Price per pound X weight of animal on weigh in day (21)

Value of Animal at Close of Records (21) _____

From record book Value of Animal at Start of Records (1): Animal 3: \$ _____

From record book Feed Costs (6): Animal 3: \$ _____

From record book Other Expenses (8): Animal 3: \$ _____

From record book Total Lines 1, 6, & 8 (10): Animal 3: \$ _____

Auction Net Profit/Loss (10 minus 21): **Animal 3: \$**

Different between Auction and Market price

Auction Net Profit/Loss minus Net Profit/Loss (From record book)

_____ - _____ = _____