

Animal Project Inventory

Record all the animals carried within project for the current 4-H year. Note animals kept, sold, consumed, or lost.

Name of Animal	Id Tag or Tattoo #	Breed	Sex	Date of Birth	Date Purchased ^A	Purchase Price/Value ^B	Kept/Sold/Died Consumed	Animal Value ^C

Total(1) (beginning):\$ _____ **Total(2) (ending):\$** _____

^AApplies only if you purchased the animal. If you raised the animal, leave blank.

^BIf you purchased the animal, list purchase price. If you raised the animal, list the Fair Market Value of animal at birth/project start. (*Fair Market Value = What it would cost if you had to buy it or what you could get if you sold it at that point in time*)

^CList the value of animals that you have on hand at the end of project year. If the animal died, please list a loss value. If you sold or consumed the animal, report this in the *Project Income* section.

Market Animal Project Performance Record

Use this section to record weight gain on market animals. If you do not have exact weights, estimates are acceptable.

Animal ID/ Name	Date Started on Feed	Beginning Weight	Final Weight	Date of Final Weight	Total lbs. of Gain ^A	Days on Feed ^B	Average Daily Gain ^C

Totals (3): _____ **(4):** _____ **Ave.(5):** _____

^A: Final Weight (*column 4*) – Beginning Weight (*column 3*) = Total Pounds of Gain

^B: Number of days between Date Started on Feed and Date of Final Weight (*column 5 – column 2*)

^C: Total Lbs. of Gain (*column 6*) / Days on Feed (*column 7*) = Average Daily Gain

Feed Expense

Record the kind, amount and value of feed each time a purchase is made or a quantity of home-raised feed is used for project. Report pasture usage by months. Estimate feed usage if you don't know exact amounts.

Date	Kind of feed, grain, protein, supplement, roughage, pasture... (one line each)	Quantity of Feed (lbs)	Cost of Feed		Remarks: List items: feed changes, ration notes, feeding troubles, etc...
			Per cwt	Amount	

^ATotal Lbs. Fed (6):\$ _____ ^BTotal Cost (7):\$ _____

^A: Add together the total pounds of feed fed, from all feed categories, for all animals in the project.

^B: Add together the total cost of feed fed (including pasture cost if applicable) for all animals in the project.

Market Animal Project Efficiency Information

\$ _____ / Total Feed Cost (7)	_____ =	\$ _____ Feed Cost per lb. of Gain
_____ / Total lbs. of Feed Fed (6)	_____ =	_____ / Lbs. of Feed Fed per # of Gain

Other Expenses

List all other expenses you have related to your project. Record these by month and category.

Items	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Total
Vet bills													\$
Bedding													\$
Insecticides													\$
Show expense													\$
Grooming fees													\$
Boarding/Fence/ Housing													\$
Tag/Id fees													\$
Registration													\$
Training													\$
Breeding fees													\$
Insurance													\$
Interest paid													\$
Other													\$

Total (8):\$ _____

Project Reflection

(May be used by 7-9 year olds in place of a separate 4-H project story, or use this format for your story)

1. The favorite part of my project was... _____

2. The part of my project that I am proud of is... _____

3. The most difficult part of the project was... _____

4. The most important thing I learned in this project was... _____

5. Next year I want to... _____

Ways you received help this year included: (Check all that apply)

<input type="checkbox"/>	Attended project training (project meetings/project fairs) offered at the Club, District, Area, or State level.
<input type="checkbox"/>	Guidance from a 4-H leader, guest presenter or adult.
<input type="checkbox"/>	Use of printed, audio or video resources (CCS, resources on www.meadowlark.k-state.edu/4-h , other...)
<input type="checkbox"/>	Own knowledge
<input type="checkbox"/>	Help from friends/other youth
<input type="checkbox"/>	Other (describe)

4-H PROJECT STORY & PHOTOS

IF you are over age 9 or did not choose to complete the "Project Reflection" above, attach a separate sheet of paper (no more than six (6) pages) with a story telling why you chose this project. Talk about experiences, goals, challenges, successes, field trips, activities, income/expense, project meetings, tours, presentations given, accomplishments, things you hope to try next year, etc... Please use at least 11 point font, single side of paper. You may also include up to three (3) pages of photos. Photos should be on white paper, single sided and have captions describing what is happening in photos.

Member Signature

Project Leader Signature



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