

MEAT ANIMAL PROJECT RECORD FOR 200

NAME: _____ AGE: _____

ADDRESS: _____ PHONE: _____

SPECIES: (CIRCLE ONE) BEEF LAMB SWINE

BIRTHDATE OF ANIMAL IF KNOWN: _____ BREED: _____

(A) WEIGHT WHEN PURCHASED: _____ (B) DATE PURCHASED _____

(C) PROJECT STARTING WEIGHT: _____ (D) WEIGH-IN DATE: _____

(E) FINISHED WEIGHT: _____ (F) DATE OF FINAL WEIGHING: _____

EXPENSES:] USE PURCHASE COST OR MARKET VALUE (FIGURE EXPENSES FROM WEIGH-IN DATE)

VALUE OF PROJECT ANIMAL ON WEIGH-IN DATE: _____

Add these together

_____ TOTAL POUNDS HAY FED X _____ (VALUE PER POUND) = _____

_____ POUNDS CORN SILAGE X _____ (VALUE PER POUND) = _____

_____ POUNDS OF DRY HAY EQUIVALENTS FROM CORN SILAGE

(TO OBTAIN THIS, DIVIDE POUNDS BY 3)

_____ POUNDS HAYLAGE X _____ (VALUE PER POUND) = _____

_____ POUNDS OF DRY HAY EQUIVALENTS FROM HAYLAGE

(TO OBTAIN THIS, DIVIDE THE POUNDS BY 2.5)

_____ TOTAL POUNDS GRAIN X _____ (VALUE PER POUND) = _____

_____ TOTAL POUNDS OF HAY EQUIVALENTS & GRAIN FED (J)

BEDDING EXPENSES = _____

VET EXPENSE = _____

TRUCKING EXPENSE = _____

COMMISSION = _____

SLAUGHTERING = _____

OTHER EXPENSES = _____

(K) TOTAL EXPENSES = _____

Add these together

INCOME:

(L) LIVE WEIGHT. OF ANIMAL SOLD _____ X (M) PRICE/ LB _____ = _____ (N) GROSS SALE VALUE

(P) NET PROFIT _____ OR LOSS _____ (P= N-K)

EFFICIENCY FACTORS

TOTAL LIVE WEIGHT GAINED (E - C) = _____ POUNDS (R.)

TOTAL DAYS ON FEED (COUNT DAY AFTER (D) THROUGH (F)) = _____ DAYS (S)

GAIN PER DAY ((R) ÷ (S)) = _____ POUNDS PER DAY (T)

TOTAL POUNDS FEED PER POUND OF GAIN ((J) ÷ (R)) = _____ POUNDS FEED TO PRODUCE 1 POUND OF GAIN (V)

NOTE: YOU MAY KEEP TRACK OF THE TOTAL AMOUNT OF FEED FED TO A GROUP OF ANIMALS AND THEN DIVIDE THE TOTAL BY THE NUMBER OF ANIMALS IN THE PEN TO GET THE PER ANIMAL AVERAGE.

(OVER)

PROJECT SUMMARY

1. BRIEFLY EXPLAIN HOW YOU FINANCED THIS PROJECT, AND YOUR EVALUATION OF WHY YOU MADE (OR LOST) MONEY.
2. LIST SOME OF THE PROBLEM(S) YOU ENCOUNTERED DURING THE PROJECT, IF ANY. ALSO, WHAT YOU DID TO SOLVE THE PROBLEM(S).
3. HOW WILL YOU IMPROVE YOUR MEAT ANIMAL PROJECT FOR NEXT YEAR?
4. LIST SOME OF THE THINGS YOU HAVE LEARNED THIS YEAR.
5. ATTACH A COPY OF THE THANK YOU LETTER THAT YOU WROTE TO YOUR CURRENT YEAR BUYER OR BUYERS.