



4-H ANIMAL PROJECT FINANCIAL RECORDS

Name _____ Year _____

Grade _____

Project Area (circle only one):

Beef Cattle

Horse & Pony

Dog

Dairy Cattle

Sheep

Other Animal

Bucket Bottle Calf

Swine

Poultry

Dairy Goat – Meat Goat

Cat

Rabbit

These pages are designed as minimum financial records that can be used by a member. If more thorough records are desired, contact your club leader or the Extension Office for assistance. Record all expenses or costs whether they are cash or non-cash.

Definitions and Instructions:

Beginning Inventory- These animals were owned prior to the start of the current project year. If the animals were a recorded project previously, the Beginning Inventory **MUST** equal the Ending Inventory value from the previous year.

Animal Purchases- These animals were purchased during the current project year. An individual animal **CANNOT** be included in the Beginning Inventory and the Animal Purchases during the same year.

Ending Inventory- These animals are still part of the project at the end of the current project year. The Ending Inventory **MUST** equal the Beginning Inventory of the next project year.

Surviving offspring born to projects during the current year (such as baby pigs, calves, lambs, etc.) **ARE NOT** included in the “Expenses”, but should show up in the Ending Inventory or Animals Sold.

Animal Inventory/Scope

	How many	Notes and Descriptions (if needed)
Beginning Inventory	(1)	
Animals Purchased	(2)	
Animals Born	(3)	
Animals Sold	(4)	
Animals Died	(5)	
Ending Inventory	(6)	

(To check inventory numbers: The sum of lines 1 + 2 + 3 should equal the sum of lines 4 + 5 + 6)

EXPENSES	
ANIMALS	
Beginning Inventory Value	\$
Animal Purchases	\$
Breeding Fees	\$
Other Related Expenses	\$
Sub Total	\$ (A)
FEED	
Grain, Supplement	\$
Hay, Silage	\$
Pasture	\$
Mineral, Salt	\$
Other Feed Expenses	\$
Sub Total	\$ (B)
FACILITIES	
Buildings, Lots, Pens	\$
Bedding	\$
Other Utility Expenses	\$
Sub Total	\$ (C)
EQUIPMENT	
Halters, saddles, etc.	\$
Pans, buckets, etc.	\$
Clippers, brushes, etc.	\$
Special Clothes	\$
Other Equipment Expenses	\$
Sub Total	\$ (D)
HEALTH	
Vet Services	\$
Vaccinations	\$
Medication	\$
Other Health Expenses	\$
Sub Total	\$ (E)

EXPENSES (cont.)	
MARKETING/SHOWING	
Transportation	\$
Commissions	\$
Entry Fees	\$
Other Related Expenses	\$
Sub Total	\$ (F)
TOTAL EXPENSES (A+B+C+D+E+F = G)	\$ (G)

INCOME	
ANIMALS	
Ending Inventory Value	\$
Animals Sold	\$
Sub Total	\$ (P)
PRODUCTS	
Milk, Wool, Eggs, etc.	\$
Other By-Products Value	\$
Sub Total	\$ (R)
OTHER INCOME	
Show Premiums	\$
Insurance	\$
Other related Income	\$
Sub Total	\$ (S)
TOTAL INCOME (P+R+S = T)	\$ (T)
NET INCOME (PROFIT) (T - G = Z)	
	\$ (Z)