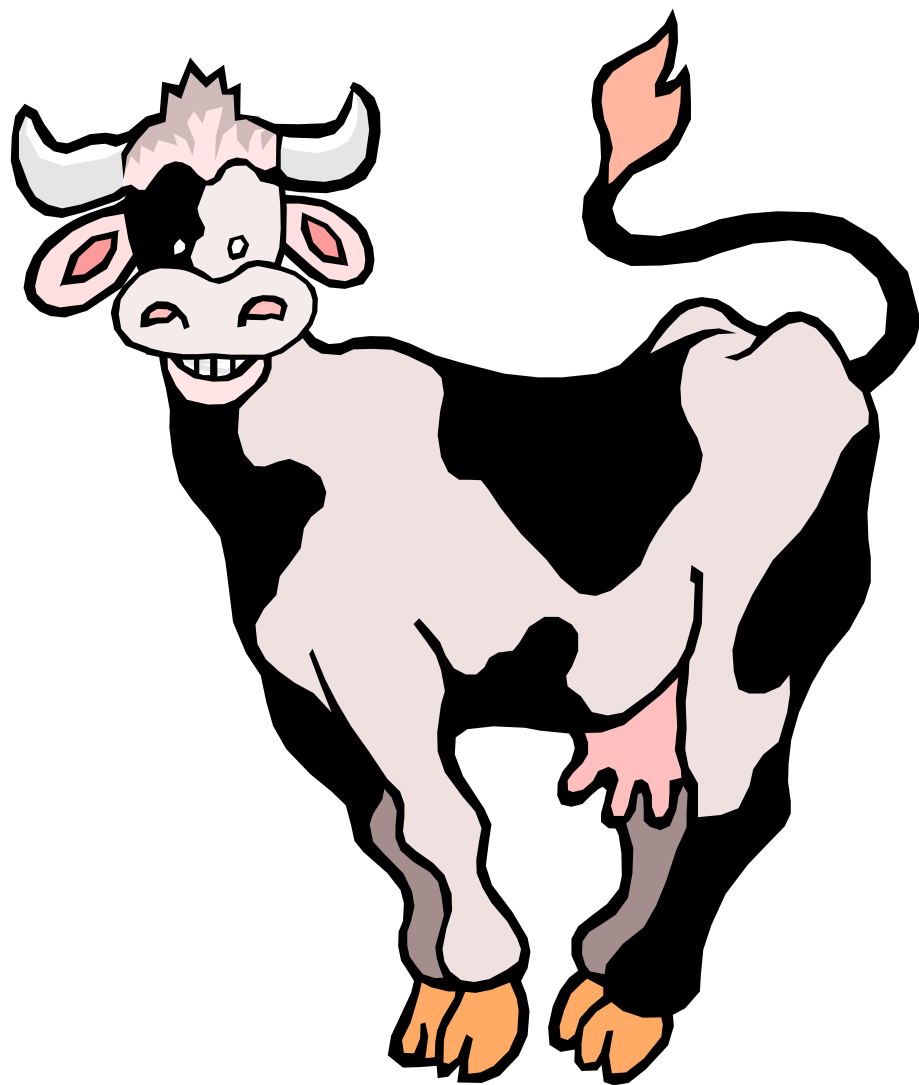


# Dairy Project Records



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**Extension**

## ANIMAL SCIENCES DAIRY

\*Use Dodge County Dairy Youth Project & Activities Handbook that you received with your literature for Record Book Dairy information. Sample pages of each required form appear in the handbook.

### **JUNIOR & SENIOR RECORDS**

Project Summary Page (SEE Dodge County 4-H Record Book Guidelines, pg. 4)

Cumulative Dairy Project Animals (page 1) This is a listing of **all** your owned or managerial dairy animals.

Exhibited Dairy Animals Information (page 3) You will fill this page out for each owned/managerial calf, heifer, or cow exhibited this project year at any show! ***Please duplicate this page according to the number of animals you exhibited!***

Summary of Producing Cows\* ((page 4), Include Dry Cows) \* You must include this page if you exhibited a cow - duplicate this page for each cow exhibited. Do not use this page if you did not exhibit a cow.

Other Income and Expense Sheet (page5) Listing of income/expenses on exhibited dairy animals.

### Project Story

Suggestions: Be sure to include in your story these additional items --

- Any problems you had and how you solved them
- Examples of leadership and learning in this project year
- Your achievements/accomplishments
- Future goals
- Indicate where help came from in project

You may include one photo for each project animal plus 6 additional photos/clippings which pertain to your project work.

Remember to report county, district, state and national shows or events in which you participated in your project work or Activity Section of the 4-H Record Book AND make reference to that reporting in the opposite section.

### Cumulative Dairy Project Animals

(Listing of all your owned/managerial dairy animals - even if they weren't shown at any event!)

	Years		Years		Years		Years		Years		Years		Years		Years		Years	
<b>Project Animals</b>	# of animals	Value	# of animals	Value	# of animals	Value	# of animals	Value	# of animals	Value	# of animals	Value	# of animals	Value	# of animals	Value	# of animals	Value
Calves																		
Yearlings																		
Bred Heifers																		
Cows																		
Embryos																		
Bulls																		
Totals																		

Comments or observations regarding inventory value change.

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**EXHIBITED DAIRY ANIMAL INFORMATION**

Provide the following available information for your animal as it pertains to the animal’s permanent identification. ( This page for owned/managerial calves, heifers, or cows exhibited this project year at any show.)

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Registration or Ear Tag #.: \_\_\_\_\_

Breed: \_\_\_\_\_

Sire: \_\_\_\_\_ Dam : \_\_\_\_\_

Primary Strength \_\_\_\_\_

Primary Weakness \_\_\_\_\_

**FINANCIAL AGREEMENT**

The project is:

- Owned (Project financed by me)
- Partnership (I share financial costs)
- Managerial (Someone else owns the animal, but I manage and care for it.)

I have the following financial understanding with my parents for the costs involved in this project.

- I pay for all expenses
- My parents pay for all expenses
- I borrow the money from my parents and pay them back.
- My labor is exchanged for expenses
- Other \_\_\_\_\_

**FEED EXPENSES FOR THIS ANIMAL**

- List in the top row of the table the type of feed that you fed. You may have more than one type of feed or you may only have one kind. If you feed more than 4 different kinds, you may add columns.
- In the "Total Pounds" column, enter in the amount that you fed each month.
- In the "Total Cost" column, enter the total feed cost for each month.
- Your Feed could be:

A complete feed	Concentrates such as corn, protein, oats or others	Hay
Corn Silage of Haylage replacer or milk	Mineral and salt	Milk
Pasture/Grazing (give an estimated cost)	You may feed something different!	

**\*\* Water is the most important nutrient that your animal needs - be sure to always have a clean and adequate water supply available for your animal.\*\***

Type of Feed Enter type of Feed →								
	Total Pounds	Total Cost	Total Pounds	Total Cost	Total Pounds	Total Cost	Total Pounds	Total Cost
September		\$		\$		\$		\$
October		\$		\$		\$		\$
November		\$		\$		\$		\$
December		\$		\$		\$		\$
January		\$		\$		\$		\$
February		\$		\$		\$		\$
March		\$		\$		\$		\$
April		\$		\$		\$		\$
May		\$		\$		\$		\$
June		\$		\$		\$		\$
July		\$		\$		\$		\$
August		\$		\$		\$		\$

(This page may be duplicated. One per each dairy animal *exhibited*)

**SUMMARY OF PRODUCING COWS  
(INCLUDE DRY COWS)**

**Cow's Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

Age	2x or 3x	Days (365 or less)	Milk lbs.	Fat %	Fat	Protein %	Protein	Value of Milk Produced

**BREEDING AND CALVING RECORDS**

Date Bred Mo. Day. Yr.	Name or Sire	DATE DUE	DATE FRESH	SEX	REMARKS Calving difficulties

**Comments or other information you want included concerning this animal**

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**(This page may be duplicated. One per each dairy animal *exhibited*)**

- **This page may be included from year to year as a cumulative record.**

