



MEAT GOAT EVALUATION

Record Book

ABGA.ORG/NATIONAL-SHOW

Exhibitor Information

NAME

JABGA #

AGE

DATE OF BIRTH

ADDRESS

STREET ADDRESS

CITY

STATE

ZIP

**PARENT/GAURDIAN
NAME**

AGE DIVISION

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NOVICE (4-7 YEARS OF AGE)

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JUNIOR (8-12 YEARS OF AGE)

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INTERMEDIATE (13-16 YEARS OF AGE)

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SENIOR (17-21 YEARS OF AGE)

Goat Information

NAME

DATE OF BIRTH

SEX OF GOAT

☐

BUCK

☐

DOE

☐

WETHER

BREED
(PLEASE SPECIFY
WHAT PERCENTAGE OF
EACH BREED IF MORE
THAN ONE)

BREED

PERCENTAGE (%)

BREED

PERCENTAGE (%)

BREED

PERCENTAGE (%)

IDENTIFICATION

LEFT EAR TATTOO

RIGHT EAR TATTOO

MICROCHIP

EAR TAG

DATE OF OWNERSHIP/
PURCHASE DATE

BEGINNING VALUE OF
ANIMAL

Weight Record

IT IS RECOMMENDED TO WEIGH YOUR ANIMAL
AT LEAST ONCE EACH MONTH

DATE	WEIGHT	DATE	WEIGHT
BIRTH WEIGHT			
30 DAYS OF AGE			
60 DAYS OF AGE			
90 DAYS OF AGE			

Monthly Feed Record Worksheet

FEED TYPES	EX: ALFALFA HAY		EX: ALFALFA HAY													
	LBS.	COST	LBS.	COST	LBS.	COST	LBS.	COST	LBS.	COST	LBS.	COST	MONTHLY LBS.	COST	MONTHLY LBS.	MONTHLY COST
NOV	20 LBS	\$5														
DEC	10 LBS	\$2.5														
JAN																
FEB																
MAR																
APRIL																
MAY																
JUNE																
TOTALS	30 LBS	\$7.50														

NOTE: Type of feed should be expressed in pounds and include grains, supplements, mixes, hay, silage, etc. The estimated value of homegrown feed needs to be included.

TOTAL FEED COSTS:

Other Expenses Other Than Feed

	VETERINARY CHARGES	MEDICATIONS	INSECTICIDES	BEDDING	HOUSING FEES OR BARN RENT	CLIPPING AND FITTING FEES	MISC. EXPENSES (SPECIFY)	MONTHLY COST
NOV								
DEC								
JAN								
FEB								
MAR								
APRIL								
MAY								
JUNE								
TOTALS								

TOTAL COST OF EXPENSES OTHER THAN FEED

Medication Report

DATE	MEDICATION DESCRIPTION/ PRODUCT NAME	METHOD (SQ/IM/IV)	DOSAGE/DURATION	ILLNESS/REASON	WITHDRAWAL DATE

WHY IS IT IMPORTANT TO KEEP ACCURATE MEDICAL RECORDS FOR YOUR MARKET GOAT?

Break Even Calculations

MY ESTIMATED PROJECT INCOME

$$\frac{\text{MARKET PRICE}}{\text{FINAL WEIGHT}} \times = \text{EXPECTED INCOME}$$

*Market Price – is the price you would receive under normal sale conditions (such as an auction sale yard). These prices are published in agriculture newspapers, magazines, or TV and radio farm reports and online.

MY PROJECT EXPENSES

PURCHASE PRICE OR ESTIMATED BEGINNING VALUE OF ANIMAL	\$
TOTAL FEED COST	\$
TOTAL OTHER EXPENSES	\$
TOTAL PROJECT EXPENSE	\$

FORMULA TO CALCULATE YOUR BREAKEVEN PRICE

$$\frac{\$ \text{TOTAL EXPENSES}}{\text{TOTAL FINAL WEIGHT}} = \$ \text{BREAKEVEN PRICE EXPENSES (PRICE PER POUND NEEDED TO COVER EXPENSES)}$$

Efficiency Information

$$1. \frac{\text{TOTAL LBS. OF GAIN (A)} \\ (\text{FINAL WEIGHT} - \text{BEGINNING WEIGHT})}{\text{DAYS ON FEED}} = \text{AVERAGE DAILY GAIN}$$

$$2. \frac{\text{TOTAL FEED COST}}{\text{TOTAL LBS. OF GAIN FEED (A)}} = \text{COST PER LBS. OF GAIN}$$

$$3. \frac{\text{TOTAL LBS. OF FEED FED}}{\text{TOTAL LBS. OF GAIN (A)}} = \text{LBS. OF FEED FED PER LBS. OF GAIN}$$

WHY IS IT IMPORTANT TO CALCULATE EACH OF THE FACTORS ABOVE WHEN RAISING ANIMALS?

1. AVERAGE DAILY GAIN: _____

2. FEED COST PER LBS. OF GAIN: _____

3. LBS. OF FEED FED PER LBS. OF GAIN: _____

Essay Questions

PLEASE RESPOND TO THE QUESTION FOR YOUR AGE DIVISION.

NOVICE

What is your daily routine when caring for your goat?

JUNIOR

What challenges have you faced while raising your goat and what have you learned through this project? How do you think you will use these experiences going forward in future projects?

INTERMEDIATE

An animals performance is based off of genetic potential and it's environment. What factors can prevent a goat from developing into its full genetic potential?

SENIOR

Goat meat is marketed to a wide variety of clientele in the United States. Halal and Kosher are two of the largest markets. What do these terms mean, and what requirements have to be met when raising and harvesting goats to qualify for these programs?

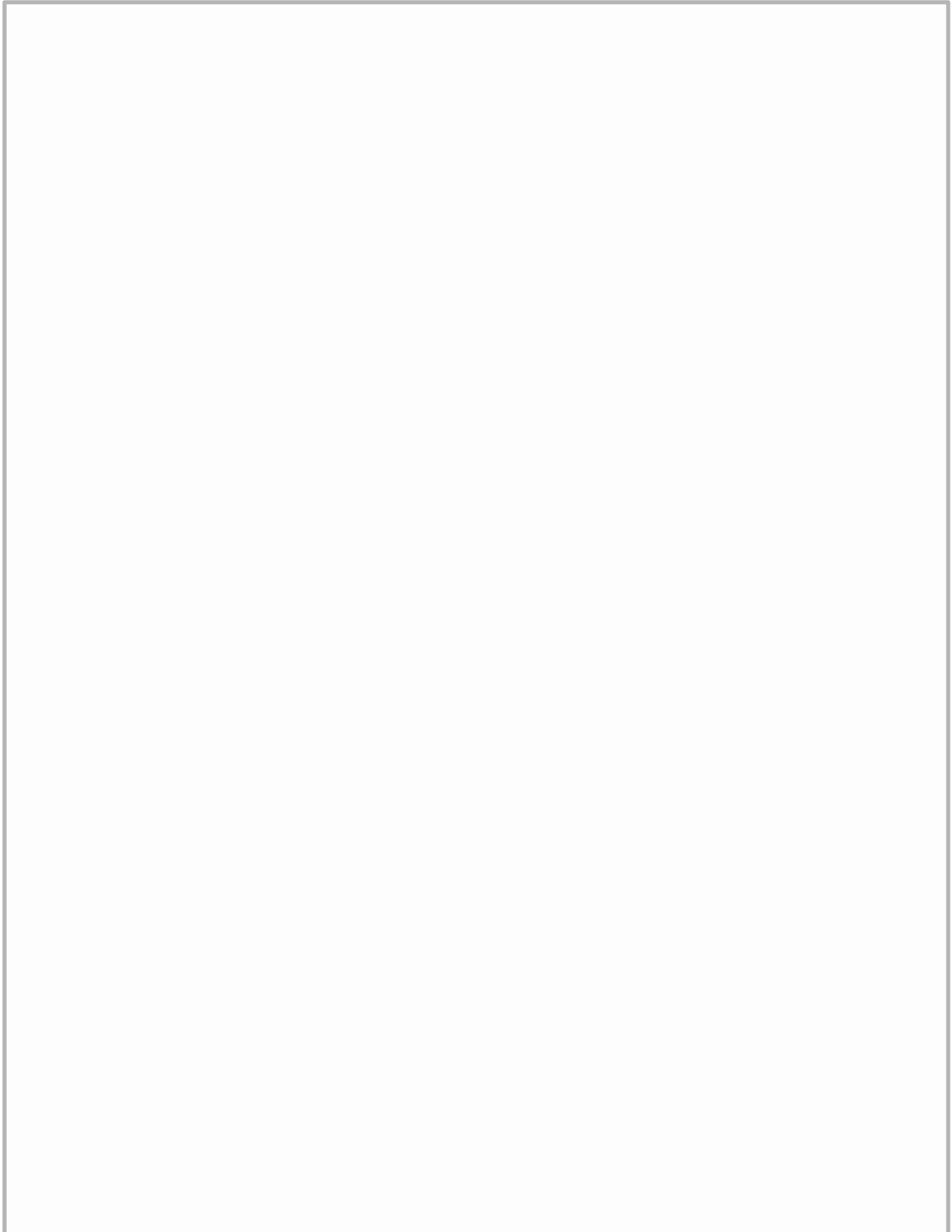
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YOU MAY ATTACH AN ADDITIONAL PAGE IF YOU NEED MORE SPACE.

Photos

Please include a photo of your animal at the beginning and end of your project. Feel free to add more pages with additional photos.



Score Sheet

EXHIBITOR NAME _____

AGE DIVISION ☐ NOVICE ☐ JUNIOR ☐ INTERMEDIATE ☐ SENIOR

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