

Livestock List Instructions and Example

For Renewing Operations

Please review carefully: the list and instructions have changed significantly due to the Origin of Livestock Rule

The Livestock List is intended to be a living document. Please review the most recent Livestock List we have on file for you which was enclosed in your renewal packet. Indicate animals that have left and the reason/status they left with directly on that copy. Add animals purchased or born since the last update following the instructions below. Return the entire livestock list (updated file copy and new additions) with your renewal application.

**If you submit your own livestock list such as an Excel list, PC Dart, etc., it must contain all the information requested in the columns in the sample below, for each animal.

For each animal include the following:

- 1. Animal Identification information and birth date.
- 2. Dam identification or purchase date. *Poultry producers only—you may stop here.* If born on-farm, write the name or ID number of the animal's mother. If the animal was purchased, list the date of purchase. The name of the certified seller as well as the previous animal ID if it was changed upon purchase should be listed in Source of Animals, p.1. This information should correspond with animal purchase records.
- 3. Organic status of the animal (mammals): Dairy animals that have been treated with a restricted parasiticide may be eligible for organic status but are not eligible as organic slaughter stock. Only animals that have been managed organically from their last third of gestation and not treated with any synthetic dewormers are eligible for sale as organic slaughter stock.
- 4. If the animal is not eligible for sale as organic slaughter stock due to insufficient records or parasiticide use, indicate the reason in the applicable column.
- 5. OPT Grass-Fed program status, if applicable.
- 6. Comments may include information regarding visual identification such as colored ear tags or notched ear tags, or other notes you wish to include.
- 7. Reason an animal was removed from the farm, as well as the date removed. This information should correspond with medical records, cull records, and/or sales records. "Left as organic" includes both live organic animal sales and organic slaughter.

The table below serves as an example.

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Type of Livestock: (ex: dairy, beef, layers, sows)				Slaughter Eligibility (mammals)			Reason Slaughter Status Removed		OPT Grass Fed			Removed from farm			
	Permanent Animal ID # or Flock ID	Date of Birth	Dam ID or Purchase Date	Dairy/Fiber Only: Transitioned, not eligible		Last Third Organic: Slaughter Eligible	Insufficient records	Treated with parasiticides	Transitioned to OPT Dairy	Born/raised under OPT cert	Comments	Left as organic	Left as Nonorganic	Died	Date Removed
ex.															
1	Bertha	3/3/2022	Sadie		Х			Х			Red ID Tag				
ex.		= /0 /0													
2	35	7/2/2022	10	Х											
ex.											bought from				
3	22120	2/21/2017	12/23/2019			Х					John Miller				

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