

Form 2 — Instruction Key — Keep for Future Reference — Instruction Key — Form 2

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Birth / Weaning Report and Yearling Worksheet (Form 2)

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CALF														Sire				Dam				Weaning					2001 EPD's					Yearling Worksheet											
Herd ID	Regn No.	% Blonde	DOB			S E X	C E	Act Birth Wt	Adj Birth Wt	Birth Wt Ratio	Birth Contemp Grp		ID / Regn No	ID / Regn No	R G E	Age at Weaning	Act. Wt	Adj 205 Wt	Adj 205 Ratio	Weaning Contemp Grp		Weaning Frame Score	Birth EPD		Weaning EPD		Milk EPD		M&G EPD		Yearling EPD		S E X	Date Weighed			Yearling Wt	Yearling FC	Yearling Grp	Hip Height	Scrotal Circum (cm)	Sheath Navel Score	Disp
			Mo	Day	Yr						ID	#Head								ID	#Head		EPD	Acc	EPD	Acc	EPD	Acc	EPD	Acc	EPD	Acc		Mo	Day	Yr							

General Guidelines:

- A) This "Form 2" is both a **REPORT** for both birth and weaning information as well as a **FORM** for yearling information. Information in the left portion of this report is pre-printed at the ABAA office with information relative to the calf's birth and weaning information. The blanks on the right side of the form are for you to report yearling performance information to the ABAA office.
- B) Complete all Boxes which are applicable: Boxes marked with **R** are required fields for yearling performance data.
- C) If you do not plan to collect and submit yearling performance data, keep this form for your permanent record of birth and weaning information.
- D) Applications must be typed or printed in ink.

Performance Information: With all performance data (birth, weaning and yearling weights), entire calf crops should be performance tested to make records accurate and representative of your herd. Processing weights on all calves, even those not registered, increases the accuracy of the records.

Yearling Performance Information:

- **Yearling Sex:** Calf's sex at Yearling. (B=Bull, C=Cow, S=Steer). This is used when male sex changes when castrated
- **Yearling Date Weighed:** Format (MM / DD / YY). Calves from the same weaning group should be weighed on the same day or as closely as possible.
- **Yearling Weight:** Actual weight of calf in pounds taken at yearling. Acceptable age range is **320 to 410** days of age. Calves outside of this range will be marked as irregular and will not receive an adjusted weight or ratio.
- ◆ **Yearling Feed Code:** Yearling Feed or Management Code. 1=Pasture or roughage only; 2=Pasture or roughage with supplement; 3=Dry lot fed, low energy ration; 4=Dry lot fed, high energy; 5=Fitted for show*; 6=Bull Test; 7=Other. *Calves not compared to contemporaries and no ratio calculated.

- ◆ **Yearling Group:** Calf's Yearling Management Group. A code (1 to 9) assigned to indicate calves managed alike (with same code) or differently (with different code). Sometimes referred to as calf's pasture code.
- **Yearling Hip:** Calf's Yearling Hip Height. Measured in inches, rounded to the nearest half inch.
- ⊗ **Yearling Scrotal Circumference:** Actual scrotal circumference of yearling bulls measured in centimeters. Measurement should be taken same day yearling weight is taken. Acceptable age range is same as for yearling weight.
- ◆ **Yearling Sheath / Navel Score:** Referred to as a Navel Score for females and a Sheath Score for bulls. This is a visual appraisal evaluation. 1=Tight; 2=Medium; 3=Loose. Score should be evaluated same day yearling weight is taken. Acceptable age range is same as for yearling weight.
- ◆ **Yearling Disposal Code:** Code to indicate removal of animal (calf or cow) from herd. Codes are: 1) Aborted / premature. 2) Stillborn / full term. 3) Died at birth – defect. 4) Died at birth – calving difficulty. 5) Died at birth – other. 6) Born alive, died before weaning – disease. 7) Born alive, died before weaning – other. 8) Died after weaning – disease. 9) Died after weaning – other. 10) Died – old age. 11) Died while calving – calving difficulty. 12) Culled – physical defect. 13) Culled – fertility. 14) Culled – performance / productivity. 15) Culled – temperament. 16) Culled – old age. 17) Sold – other (including sold, not transferred).