

Lee County 4-H at LCJLS

March 3 - 6, 2021

Average Daily Gain

Average Daily Gain (ADG) is the amount of weight gained per day by the animal over a given period of time. If your animal does not make the minimum weight or is overweight, then you may not be able to participate at the County Junior Livestock Show. By keeping track of your ADG every two weeks, you can determine if your animal is in the weight range required for the stock show.

For example, an animal weighs 800 pounds on January 1 and weighs 841.5 pounds on January 15; the animal gained 41.5 pounds in 14 days.

$$\frac{41.5 \text{ lbs.}}{\text{total pounds gained}} \div \frac{14 \text{ days}}{\text{number of days fed}} = \frac{2.96 \text{ lbs./day}}{\text{Avg. Daily Gain}}$$

Weigh-In Countdown

Based on the ADG calculated for your livestock project, feed can be adjusted according to the number of days before official stock show weigh-in.

DATE	#Days	DATE	#Days	DATE	#Days	DATE	#Days
Dec 03	90	Dec 26	67	Jan 18	44	Feb 10	21
Dec 04	89	Dec 27	66	Jan 19	43	Feb 11	20
Dec 05	88	Dec 28	65	Jan 20	42	Feb 12	19
Dec 06	87	Dec 29	64	Jan 21	41	Feb 13	18
Dec 07	86	Dec 30	63	Jan 22	40	Feb 14	17
Dec 08	85	Dec 31	62	Jan 23	39	Feb 15	16
Dec 09	84	Jan 01	61	Jan 24	38	Feb 16	15
Dec 10	83	Jan 02	60	Jan 25	37	Feb 17	14
Dec 11	82	Jan 03	59	Jan 26	36	Feb 18	13
Dec 12	81	Jan 04	58	Jan 27	35	Feb 19	12
Dec 13	80	Jan 05	57	Jan 28	34	Feb 20	11
Dec 14	79	Jan 06	56	Jan 29	33	Feb 21	10
Dec 15	78	Jan 07	55	Jan 30	32	Feb 22	9
Dec 16	77	Jan 08	54	Jan 31	31	Feb 23	8
Dec 17	76	Jan 09	53	Feb 01	30	Feb 24	7
Dec 18	75	Jan 10	52	Feb 02	29	Feb 25	6
Dec 19	74	Jan 11	51	Feb 03	28	Feb 26	5
Dec 20	73	Jan 12	50	Feb 04	27	Feb 27	4
Dec 21	72	Jan 13	49	Feb 05	26	Feb 28	3
Dec 22	71	Jan 14	48	Feb 06	25	Mar 01	2
Dec 23	70	Jan 15	47	Feb 07	24	Mar 02	1
Dec 24	69	Jan 16	46	Feb 08	23	Mar 03	WEIGH IN
Dec 25	68	Jan 17	45	Feb 09	22		

Last updated: 1/21/2021

Show Weight

Show weights are the weight ranges for each specific species. Only animals within show weights will be permitted to be show. A 3-pound weight tolerance will be allowed on the minimum and maximum weight limit; meat rabbits are allowed a 3 oz. tolerance per pen.

Animals within the tolerance will be recorded at the minimum or maximum weight.

Meat Rabbits — 10 lbs. - 15 lbs. per pen (3 animals/pen)

Market Lambs — at least 100 lbs.

Market Hogs — at least 220 lbs., but not over 280 lbs.

Market Steers — minimum 1,000 lbs.

Market Goats — between 70 lbs. to 125 lbs.

Review LCJLS Rules for additional information regarding your livestock project. <https://www.leecountyjuniorlivestockshow.com/lcjl-rules>

	2020	2019	2018	2017-16	2015
Steer	1244-1365*	1198-1345*	1054-1201*	1051-1371*	1042-1497*
	1072-1186	1082-1191	1027-1125	1075-1185	1066-1216
	1205-1280	1234-1285	1155-1216	1216-1280	1259-1298
	1310-1425	1316-1405	1262-1450	1313-1369	1328-1447
Lamb	123-132	109-124	126-137	111-128	123-134
	134-138	129-146	140-141	132-142	136-147
	142-152	150-155	143-154	150-160	151-160
	156-191	162-178	159-170	161-172	161-171
Goat	70-79	73-86	71-89	71-89	75-87
	81-84	87-92	90-96	90-97	88-91
	87-92	93-99	97-103	98-102	93-99
	97-105	100-121	104-113	103-121	100-119
Hog	222-229	222-228	220-228	220-228	220-232
	231-237	230-236	230-237	229-233	233-238
	238-246	237-242	239-244	234-241	239-249
	247-254	243-247	245-252	243-255	250-258
	257-262	248-254	255-26.	257-262	259-266
	263-267	255-264	261-267	263-268	267-271
	270-272	265-270	268-275	269-273	272-274
	273-279	276-280	276-280	274-280	275-280

*Brahman Cross

Weight breaks are published merely as a reference tool.

Breaks fluctuate from year to year.