**Supplement 5 - Standard Animal Weights (Agronomy Facts 54 – Table 1)**

**Proposed Changes**

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| **Type of Animal** | **Standard Weight (lbs) during Production (range)** |
| **Dairy** |  |
| Holstein/Brown Swiss |  |
|  Cow | 1450 |
|  Heifer: 1–2 yr. | 1000 (750 – 1250) |
|  Calf: 0–1 yr. | 420 (90 – 750) |
|  Bull | 1700 |
| Guernsey/Ayrshire |  |
|  Cow | 1200 |
|  Heifer: 1–2 yr. | 865 (630 – 1100) |
|  Calf: 0–1 yr. | 350 (70 – 630) |
|  Bull | 1600 |
| Jersey |  |
|  Cow | 1000 |
|  Heifer: 1–2 yr. | 675 (500 – 850) |
|  Calf: 0–1 yr. | 225 (50 – 500) |
|  Bull | 1200 |

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| **Type of Animal** | **Standard Weight (lbs) during Production (range)** |
| **Swine** |  |
| Nursery pig | 35 (13 – 57) |
| Wean to finish | 143 (13 – 273) |
| Grow finish | 165 (57 – 273) |
| Gestating sow | 450 |
| Sow and litter | 470 |
| Boar | 450 |

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| **Type of Animal** | **Standard Weight (lbs) during Production (range)** |
| **Poultry** |  |
| Layer: 18–75 wk. | 3.13 (2.82 – 3.44) |
| Layer: 18–90 wk. | 3.14 (2.82 – 3.46) |
| Layer, brown egg: 18-75 wk. | 3.85 (3.35 – 4.34) |
| Layer, brown egg: 18-90 wk. | 3.85 (3.35 – 4.34) |
| Pullet: 0–16 wk. | 1.38 (0.08 – 2.67) |
| Pullet, brown egg: 0–16 wk. | 1.54 (0.08 – 3.0) |
| Layer, white egg breeder hen: 17-70 wk. | 3.25 (2.7 – 3.8) |
| Layer, white egg breeder rooster: 17-70 wk. | 4.37 (3.67 – 5.06) |
| Layer, brown egg breeder hen: 17-70 wk. | 3.55 (2.9 – 4.2) |
| Layer, brown egg breeder rooster: 17-70 wk. | 5.05 (4.5 – 5.06) |
| Broiler, large: 0–53 days | 3.5 (0.09 – 7.0) |
| Broiler, medium: 0–35 days | 2.5 (0.09 – 5.0) |
| Roaster, male: 0–7 wk. | 4.7 (0.09 – 9.3) |
| Roaster, female: 0–9 wk. | 4.9 (0.09 – 9.8) |
| Broiler, breeder pullet: 0-20 wk. | 2.55 (0.09 – 5.0) |
| Broiler, breeder cockerel: 0-20 wk. | 3.55 (0.09 – 7.0) |
| Broiler, breeder hen: 20-65 wk. | 6.75 (5.0 – 8.5) |
| Broiler, breeder rooster: 20-65 wk. | 8.75 (7.0 – 10.5) |
| Turkey, tom brooder: 0-6 wk. | 3.36 (0.22 – 6.5) |
| Turkey, hen brooder: 0-6 wk. | 2.74 (0.22 – 5.25) |
| Turkey, tom: 6–18 wk. | 25.25 (6.5 – 44)  |
| Turkey, hen regular: 6–12 wk. | 11.13 (5.25 – 17)  |
| Turkey, hen heavy: 6-16 wk. | 14.63 (5.25 – 24) |
| Duck, starter: 0–17 days | 1.36 (0.22 – 2.5)  |
| Duck, finisher: 17-38 days | 4.88 (2.5 – 7.25) |
| Duck, developer: 0-196 days | 3.21 (0.22 – 6.2) |
| Duck, layer | 6.85 (6.2 – 7.5) |
| Guinea, growing: 0–14 wk. | 1.9 (0.06 – 3.75)  |
| Guinea, mature | 3.75 |
| Pheasant, growing: 0–13 wk. | 1.53 (0.05 – 3.0)  |
| Pheasant, mature | 3.0 |
| Chukar, growing: 0–13 wk. | 0.52 (0.04 – 1.0)  |
| Chukar, mature | 1.0 |
| Quail, growing: 0–13 wk. | 0.26 (0.02 – 0.5)  |
| Quail, mature | 0.5 |

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| **Type of Animal** | **Standard Weight (lbs) during Production (range)** |
| **Beef**  |  |
| Calf: 0–8 mo.  | 300 (100 – 500) |
| Backgrounding Cattle | 500 (300 – 700) |
| Finishing: 8–24 mo.  | 950 (500 – 1400)  |
| Replacement Heifer: 8 mo.-1 yr. | 500 (300 – 700) |
| Replacement Heifer: 1-2 yr. | 875 (700 – 1050) |
| Cow  | 1400 |
| Bull | 1500 |

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| **Type of Animal** | **Standard Weight (lbs) during Production (range)** |
| **Veal** |  |
| Calf: 0–20 wk. | 280 (95 – 465)  |

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| **Type of Animal** | **Standard Weight (lbs) during Production (range)** |
| **Larger Breed Sheep** |  |
| Lamb: 0–1 yr. | 85 (10 – 180) |
| Ewe | 225 |
| Ram | 300 |
| **Medium Breed Sheep** |  |
| Lamb: 0–1 yr. | 80 (10 – 150) |
| Ewe | 175 |
| Ram | 225 |
| **Smaller Breed Sheep** |  |
| Lamb: 0–1 yr. | 45 (10 – 80) |
| Ewe | 100 |
| Ram | 125 |
| **Meat Goats** |  |
| Kid: 0–1 yr. | 65 (5 – 125) |
| Doe | 150 |
| Buck | 200 |
| **Dairy Goats** |  |
| Kid: 0–1 yr. | 45 (5 – 85) |
| Doe | 125 |
| Buck | 170 |

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| **Type of Animal** | **Standard Weight (lbs) during Production (range)** |
| **Miniature Horses & Miniature Donkeys** |  |
| Foal: 0–6 mo. | 35 (25 – 45) |
| Weanling: 6-12 mo. | 60 (45 – 75) |
| Yearling: 12-24 mo. | 100 (75 – 125) |
| Two Year Old: 24-36 mo. | 150 (125 – 175) |
| Mature | 200 |
| **Ponies & Donkeys** |  |
| Foal: 0–6 mo. | 65 (30 – 100) |
| Weanling: 6-12 mo. | 150 (100 – 200) |
| Yearling: 12-24 mo. | 300 (200 – 400) |
| Two Year Old: 24-36 mo. | 400 (300 – 500) |
| Mature | 600 |
| **Light Horses & Mules** |  |
| Foal: 0–6 mo. | 190 (80 – 300) |
| Weanling: 6-12 mo. | 450 (300 – 600) |
| Yearling: 12-24 mo. | 700 (600 – 800) |
| Two Year Old: 24-36 mo. | 900 (800 – 1000) |
| Mature | 1100 |
| **Draft Horses** |  |
| Foal: 0–6 mo. | 360 (120 – 600) |
| Weanling: 6-12 mo. | 800 (600 – 1000) |
| Yearling: 12-24 mo. | 1150 (1000 – 1300) |
| Two Year Old: 24-36 mo. | 1450 (1300 – 1600) |
| Mature | 1800 |

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| **Type of Animal** | **Standard Weight (lbs) during Production (range)** |
| **Bison** |  |
| Calf: 0–1 yr. | 275 (50 – 500) |
| Yearling 1-2 yr. | 650 (500 – 800) |
| Cow | 1000 |
| Bull | 1600 |

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| **Type of Animal** | **Standard Weight (lbs) during Production (range)** |
| **Deer** |  |
| Fawn: 0-6 mo. | 36 (7 – 65) |
| Yearling Doe: 6-18 mo. | 95 (65 – 125) |
| Yearling Buck: 6-18 mo. | 110 (65 – 155) |
| Mature Doe | 145 |
| Mature Buck | 200 |

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| **Type of Animal** | **Standard Weight (lbs) during Production (range)** |
| **Alpaca** |  |
| Young | 80 (15 – 145) |
| Mature Female | 145 |
| Mature Male | 170 |
| **Llama** |  |
| Cria: 0-1 yr. | 75 (25 – 125) |
| Yearling: 1-2 yr. | 213 (125 – 300) |
| Mature | 350 |