Dairy Culling Decision Worksheet

A dairy culling decision worksheet for producers to weigh a cow's production, health, reproduction and replacement options before deciding to keep or cull.

Farm / unit: _____ Date: _____ By: _____

Cow ID and lactation number _____

Milk production trend _____

Udder health history _____

Reproductive status _____

Lameness and other health issues _____

Current body condition _____

Replacement heifer availability _____

Market and salvage considerations _____

Final decision and reason _____

NOTES / CALCULATIONS

TIP Use the same criteria for every cow so culling choices are consistent, and talk it through with your veterinarian.