# Swine Breeds Identification Guide

This Swine Breeds Identification Guide lays out identifying common swine breeds as ordered steps for swine producers and workers. Read it through first, adapt it to your farm, and keep a copy for the crew.

Farm / unit: _____ Date: _____ By: _____

1. Note ear carriage
2. Note coat color and markings
3. Compare body length and frame
4. Look at head and face shape
5. Observe leg and hoof color
6. Check for distinct breed features
7. Compare with breed association photos
8. Record the breed and any crossbred notes

**YOUR NOTES**

**TIP** Use photos and live animals together, and check each breed association for official descriptions.