







# Holding Register

Every entry in this record should be in ink (please use ball point pen).

This register must be retained for three years after the last movement was recorded.

This register must be produced for inspection at all reasonable times on demand to any Inspector of the Local Authority or DEFRA and the Inspector is entitled to make a copy thereof.



### FOR OFFICIAL PURPOSES

NAME	SIGNATURE	ORGANISATION	DATE	Comments

A signature by any inspector in relation to these records does not signify that an inspection has been made of every entry in the record or of the accuracy of the information.

### **SECTION 1**

Name of Registered Keeper					
Address of Holding					
				Postcode:	
Holding Identifier (CPH)					
Additional Identifiers (CPH numbers)					
Flock/Herd Number					
Species <sup>1</sup>	Sheep	Goats	Both		
Type of production <sup>2</sup>	Meat	Wool	Dairy	Breeding Stock	Other
Address of Keeper (if different from above)					
				Postcode:	

<sup>1</sup> Please complete which species this Register relates to. If it's for sheep only there is no need to complete the "Sheep or Goats" column in Section 5 <sup>2</sup> Please enter whether the type of production is breeding, meat, wool, dairy, other

## SECTION 2 Example Page

Record of Replacement Tags						
1.	2.	3.	4.	5.		
Date of Replacement	Number of Replacements	Replacement Identifiers Individual Number or Flock Mark	Previous or Surviving Identifier Details (If known) Individual Number	Comments		
12/2/2010	4	UK244220		Lost tags – own animals intended for slaughter		
23/5/2010	1	UK024422000006	UK024422001964	lllegible – own animal		
19/6/2010	1	UK024422000106	UK0127787001012	Lost tag - bought in animal		
20/10/2010	1	UK127787		lllegible - slaughter animal		
26/10/2010	1	UK024422016541	UK030386719012	Upgrade to breeding animal		
1/11/2010	1	UK024422016542		Breeding animal - both tags lost		

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## SECTION 3 Example Page

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Date of Identification	Individual Identification Number (where appropriate)*	Number of Animals Identified	Year of Birth	Breed if known	Genotype if known	Own Use
2/1/2010	UK024422000126	1	2009	Swaledale		
15/4/2010	UK024422000127-31	5	2010	Swaledale		
15/8/2011	UK024422000132	1	2011	Cross		
16/10/2011	UK244220	20	2011	Mixed		
26/10/2010	UK024422016541	1	2010	Mixed		Upgraded from brought in slaughter anima
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## SECTION 4 Example Page

Deaths									
1.	2.	3.	4.	5.					
Month/Year of death	Individual Identification Number (where appropriate)*	Number of Animals Dead	Breed if known	Approved disposal route used**					
Feb 2011	UK024422020004	1	Swaledale						
March 2011	UK244220	1	Swaledale						

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## SECTION 5 Example Page

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			Moves	Off				
DateSheep or Goats*Number of Animals MovedIndividual Identification Number or Batch Identifier** or Cross Ref. to list of animals*** (where appropriate)CPH/Location Animals Moved ToHauliers NameRegistration Number of Transport								
20/1/2010		1	UK024422000423	01/001/5678	Own vehicle	X00 YYD		
1/4/2010		1	UK024422000135	01/001/5678	Own vehicle	X00 YYD		
20/8/2010		15	UK244220x10 UK303867x5	01/001/5678	A Other	W33 123		
1/9/2010		50	See Central Point Recording Centre document 10	Smithys Market	Own vehicle	X00 YYD		
16/9/2010		50	See Movement Document 11	Jones Slaughterhouse	Own vehicle	X00 YYD		
20/10/2010		25		Jones Slaughterhouse	Own vehicle	XOO YYD	Home bred slaughter animals	

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16/2/2010		1	UK028418900613	01/001/1234				
19/2/2010		5	UK028481900934-38	01/001/1234				
16/6/2010		15	See MDI	01/001/1234				
1/7/2010		10	UK2444000	04/000/0001				

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# SECTION 7 Example Page

Annual Inventory*				
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Inventory Date 1 December 20	Total Number of Sheep	Total Number of Goats	Date Entered	
Example 1 December 2010	50	2	6.12.2010	

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## Notes for Guidance

- The Holding Register is designed to meet the record keeping requirements for sheep and goats as laid down in Council Regulation (EC) 21/2004.
- The Holding Register should cover all animals on a single holding and should be retained for 3 years from the last day when an animal dies or leaves the holding.

#### Section 1

• Must always be completed in full.

#### Section 2

• You must make a record in Section 2 every time you apply a replacement tag. For further details see the "Replacement" section of Keepers Guidance booklet.

#### Section 3

• You must record the date that identification is applied to the animal and its year of birth.

### Section 4

• The month/year of death of an animal must be recorded as well as the identification.

#### Section 5

• All movements on and off your holding must be recorded within 36 hours of the move taking place. You can retain the movement document for moves on/off your holding but you will need to cross reference. Movement documents must be kept with the Holding Register in date order. Where you choose to use central point recording (i.e. individual animal numbers are read on your behalf and sent back to you) individual animal information must be recorded in the Register within 48 hours of when the animal(s) left your holding.

#### Section 6

• Once a year you must record the total number of sheep and goats that were present on your holding on 1 December. A separate line for each year can be recorded in this section unless a separate Holding Register is kept for each year.



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