

# HOW TO COMPLETE YOUR MATURE COW WEIGHT FORMS

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## Mature Cow Weight Recording Forms

**Herd** ABC - GENERAL HERD  
 Mr. & Mrs. Breeder

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Cow

	Sire Ident	Date of Birth	Ident	Disposal Code	Date	Weight	Man. Group	Condition (1-6)	Hip Ht (cm)	Comments
1	BCDD4	11Aug05	ABCA1		/ /					
2	ABCD5	17Jul05	ABCA7		/ /					

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### 1. Date

The date the mature cow weight forms were produced is specified. The information pre-printed on the forms will reflect the information recorded with your Breed Society/Association on this date

### 2. Cow Details

The sire & date of birth of the cow are pre-printed for each cow as an easy reference to the details already stored for that animal. If any of these details are INCORRECT, provide your Breed Society/Association with the CORRECT details.

### 3. Cow Ident

The ident for each cow is pre-printed (usually listed in tattoo order). All females recorded with your Breed Society/Association as being active, in your ownership and greater than 2 years of age will be printed.

### 4. Disposal Code

If the cow is no longer active in the herd, enter the relevant disposal code in this column (see bottom of each page for a list of the relevant disposal codes for your Breed Society/Association).

### 5. Date

Record the weigh date (or the date of disposal) in this column. (eg. 20-05-10). If the weigh date is the same for all animals, simply enter the date against the first animal and draw an arrow down the column.

### 6. Weight

Record the mature weight to the nearest kilogram in this column. Remember BREEDPLAN can only include mature cow weights that have been recorded within two weeks of the 200 day weight submitted for their calf.

### 7. Man. Group

Enter a management group code for any cow that has experienced any effects on her weight that is different to that experienced by her calf. For example, if the cow was injured/sick. If no management group information is specified, BREEDPLAN analysis will use the management groups submitted with the weaning weights of the calves to sub-group the weights of the cows.

### 8. Condition

Enter the condition score for the cow in this column. The standard fat scoring system of 1-6 must be used. This fat scoring system can be found on the BREEDPLAN website. Only whole scores will be used.

### 9. Hip Ht

If a hip height is measured, record the height (in whole cm) in this column. E.g. 126.