



## Ruminant Animal ID List

Vermont Organic Farmers, LLC (VOF)

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### Who does this form apply to?

All VOF certified producers who raise and/or manage organic ruminant livestock on their farm operation.

### Instructions:

Use the form below as a recordkeeping template for all ruminant livestock under organic management at your operation.

### Status of Animal definitions:

*Non-organic breeder stock* - Female ruminant livestock whose *offspring* may be incorporated into an organic operation at the time of their birth, but who does not qualify as organic herself.

*Dairy Only Transitioned* - A dairy animal converted to organic milk production that has not been under continuous organic management from the last third of gestation; offspring born to a transitioned animal that, during its last third of gestation, consumes third-year transitional crops; and offspring born during the one-time transition exception that themselves consume third-year transitional crops. *NOTE - these animals will never qualify for organic slaughter stock*

*Organic and Slaughter Eligible* - A ruminant animal that has been managed organically since the last third of gestation and has never been treated with a synthetic parasiticide

*Organic and Not Slaughter Eligible* - A ruminant animal that has been managed organically since the last third of gestation but *has* been treated with a synthetic parasiticide

Producer please complete the animal ID list below. Add more rows if necessary.

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