

Per-Animal Economics Calculator

Dairy, Poultry & Livestock

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This guide explains what the tool produces, how to use the output, and what to watch for. The actual output (draft/report) is generated on the tool page.

Background

Calculates the economics of a single animal or bird across its productive cycle — output, feed and other costs, and net return — so you know whether each unit pays. Use it to judge animal-level profitability and culling. For whole-farm P&L use the Farm P&L Modeller.

Purpose of this tool & output

Profit per cow, buffalo or bird

How the output is used

Use it to find profit per cow, buffalo or bird — the per-animal economics that show which animals actually pay.

Who should vet it

A dairy-development officer or your accountant, to confirm the per-animal yield and cost data behind the numbers.

Important cautions

Include the dry-period feed cost and animal depreciation for a true per-animal figure. A cow below your margin-over-feed threshold across a lactation is a cull candidate — verify with records.

Companion documents

- Dairy / Farm P&L Modeller
- Farm Break-Even Calculator
- Feed Cost per Litre Modeller
- Broiler Batch Economics Calculator
- Farm Working Capital Planner
- Dairy Loan & Subsidy Financing Plan

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