

RESILIENCE OF THE HILL FLOCK



MAINTAINING SHEEP RECORDS & TAGGING

7TH FEBRUARY 2017

Why Keep Records?

- Traceability
- Food safety & animal health
- Flock/herd performance (physical & financial)
- Inspections – check keepers comply with ID & traceability law (EU & Scottish)



Sheep Inspection

- Main Elements:
 1. Keeper Registration
 2. Records
 3. Completing Movement Documents
 4. Notifying moves to SAMU
 5. Tagging

Animal Health Registration



- Register as a livestock owner
- Notify them where your livestock are kept
- Receive a herd or flock mark (UK123456).


Animal Health - Inverness
01463 728 800

Animal Health - Inverurie
01467 626 610

Sheep Holding Register



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HOLDING REGISTER

Address of Holding	<input type="text"/>
	Postcode <input type="text"/>
CPH Number	<input type="text"/>
Flock/Herd Number for this CPH	<input type="text"/>
Species (Sheep or Goats)	<input type="text"/>
Type of Production (e.g. milk, meat)	<input type="text"/>
Name of Registered Keeper	<input type="text"/>
Address of Keeper (if different from above)	<input type="text"/>
	Postcode <input type="text"/>

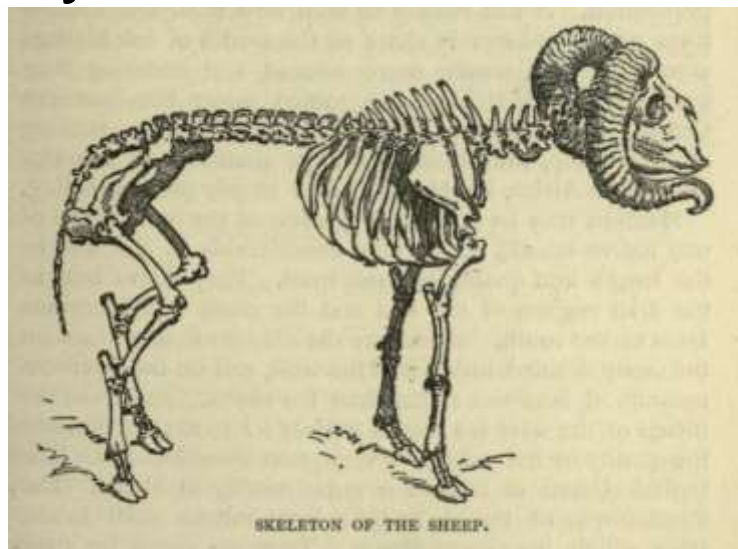
Sheep Records - Compulsory



- ✓ Replacement tag record
- ✓ Record of tagging
- ✓ Continuous records
- ✓ SAMUs – Movement Documents
- ✓ Keep for 3 years

Recording Sheep Deaths

- Record all animals:
 - Even if not yet tagged
 - Record any found skeletons



Annual Inventory



- Now online, paper form available
- 1 form per BRN
- Details sheep numbers present at farm codes used by your business on 1st December
- Must be completed
- SGRPID will use the information at inspection
- Can increase chance of inspection if not completed

Movement Documents

Sheep and Goat Movement Document

Section 1: To be completed by keeper moving animals off

DEPARTURE CPH _____
DEPARTURE DATE _____
DESTINATION CPH _____
Time First Animal Loaded _____
Time of Departure _____
Permit Number _____

Animal Identification Details
Where applicable (see paid cover), please supply an attached list including the number of this SAMU document and the number of this SAMU document and the number of this SAMU document to be provided by CCP to the SAMU database.

Food Chain Information (FCI)
Slaughter animals - All animals in the consignment satisfy FCI statements on reverse.
OR
The FCI statements are not applicable for this movement. E.g. moves within business or to show.

I declare that the above details are correct.

KEEPER'S SIGNATURE _____
ADDRESS OF KEEPER _____
CONTACT PHONE NUMBER _____

Section 2: To be completed by keeper receiving animals

ARRIVAL DATE _____
Date of Unloading (if different) _____
Time last animal unloaded _____

I declare that the details in Section 2 are correct

KEEPER'S SIGNATURE _____
CONTACT PHONE NUMBER _____

PRINT NAME _____
No. 4571353

Goat Movement Document

Section 1: To be completed by keeper moving animals off

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DESTINATION CPH _____
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Movement Documents

- Completed for all moves
 - (unless under a concession)
- Food Chain info must be completed
- Individual MDs for animals to and from shows
- Market line = movement document
 - Remember to note vehicle registration/driver information

Movement Documents



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ACCOUNT:		SALE		STIRLING STORE	DATE (TAX POINT)	02/05/11	53065
LOT	QTY	DESCRIPTION			WEIGHT	PRICE	AMOUNT
50	1	SUF EWE & 1 LAMB	UK542125		8043-SA		149.00
58	4	CRO EWE & 4 LAMB	UK541361		11471-SA	134.00	536.00
64	10	CHE EWE & 20 LAMB	UK560321			175.00	1750.00
					Gross		2435.00
					Net		2435.00

40 STORE SHEEP

Av. 60.88pph

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Haulage - Self SM52DXR

Permit Number



- If you do not have one enter “None” or put a score in the box
- If you are hauling animals over 65km (40 miles)
 - you must register with animal health to obtain a Permit Number
 - Complete training to prove competency

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ScotEID - Scottish EID Livestock Traceability Research

ScotEID works closely with the Scottish livestock sector & Scottish Government to design, develop and deliver solutions to ensure robust traceability and minimise legislative difficulties.

Scottish **sheep, pig & cattle** keepers can [register with ScotEID](#) in order to meet or minimise current legislative requirements.



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News

28/12/2016: ScotMoves Registration

If you currently have cattle on linked holdings (or will have on the 1st January 2017) and you have not yet returned your [ScotMoves Application Form](#), you must do so immediately. If you did not receive a form from ScotEID, please click on the link to download a form, then complete and post, fax, or scan and email back to ScotEID. ScotMoves will be available online from the 1st January to those that have registered.

ScotEID will be open on the 1st, 2nd, and 3rd of January 2017.

12/12/2016: BES tagging update

Tissue tagging lists are now available from on the 'tagging' tab on BES. If there is no tab available, then for the period 1st Jan to 1st Jun 2016, none of your calves have been selected for the genotyping tissue tags. If you require more information, please contact RPID on 0300 300 2222 or BESMailbox@gov.scot.

12/12/2016: Sheep and goat Inventory and December Survey

All sheep & goat keepers should have received an Inventory or Survey either by email or in the post, please complete, as soon as possible. The best way to do this is online. The link and password are in your email or printed on your form. If you are a sheep or goat keeper but haven't received a form, please check your emails. Otherwise please contact the Scottish Government at 0300 244 9725 (ScotEID cannot issue the emails or the forms).

More information is available at www.gov.scot/Topics/Statistics/Browse/Agriculture-Fisheries/Publications/SGAI-DAS

Register Here

Sheep Movements - Concessions



- Stock graze on a seasonal holding within 5 miles of the main holding and do not mix with another keepers animals
- A crofter uses an active share of the common grazing within the same township and the keeper does not change
- Holdings covered by a licence (7000 keeper)

5 Mile Concession

- Only for seasonal or short term grazings within 5 miles of the main holding as the crow flies
- The animals must not mix with other keepers stock in the field



Sheep Concessions

- The keeper must be registered at that holding with animal health
 - There is no need to:
 - Record movement details
 - Complete a movement document
 - Report movements to SAMU
 - Tag animals if moved before they are 9 months old
- Main holding flock mark can be used

MOVEMENT RESTRICTIONS



- Introduced in 2002
- Aim to reduce spread of livestock disease
- Imposes standstill periods when animals brought onto a holding
 - Cattle & Sheep = **13 days** standstill
 - Pigs = **20 days** standstill

Separation Agreements

- Standstill periods may be avoided if an approved Separation Agreement is in place
- Animals brought onto the holding must be kept separate for the period of the standstill
- The standstill will only apply to the animals brought onto the holding, not existing stock
- Some exemptions in place – see sheet

Sheep Records - Way Forward



- ✓ Keep system simple
- ✓ Ensure sheep tagged properly
- ✓ Ensure records up to date
- ✓ Do anything – **RECORD IT**

Tagging Rules



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EID Tag - Which Ear?

- Recommended left ear when standing behind



The electronic tag
should be inserted in
the left ear as you look
from behind the sheep

Tagging Rules – The Basics



- Lambs do not need tagged until:
 - 9 months of age or...
 - Leaving holding of birth (CPH) prior to 9 months old
 - (Unless under a concession)
- Lost tags - replace within 28 days of discovery and note in records

Tagging Rules – Store/Fat

- Best for animals sold slaughter / store
- ONLY to be used in animals under 12 months



- Easy to record batches of lambs

Tagging Rules - Breeding

- Sheep being retained or sold for breeding
- For all sheep over 12 months old



- Records to detail full individual ID

Replacements - Homebred Sheep



Breeding Sheep

Remove any remaining tags and apply 2 new matching yellow tags



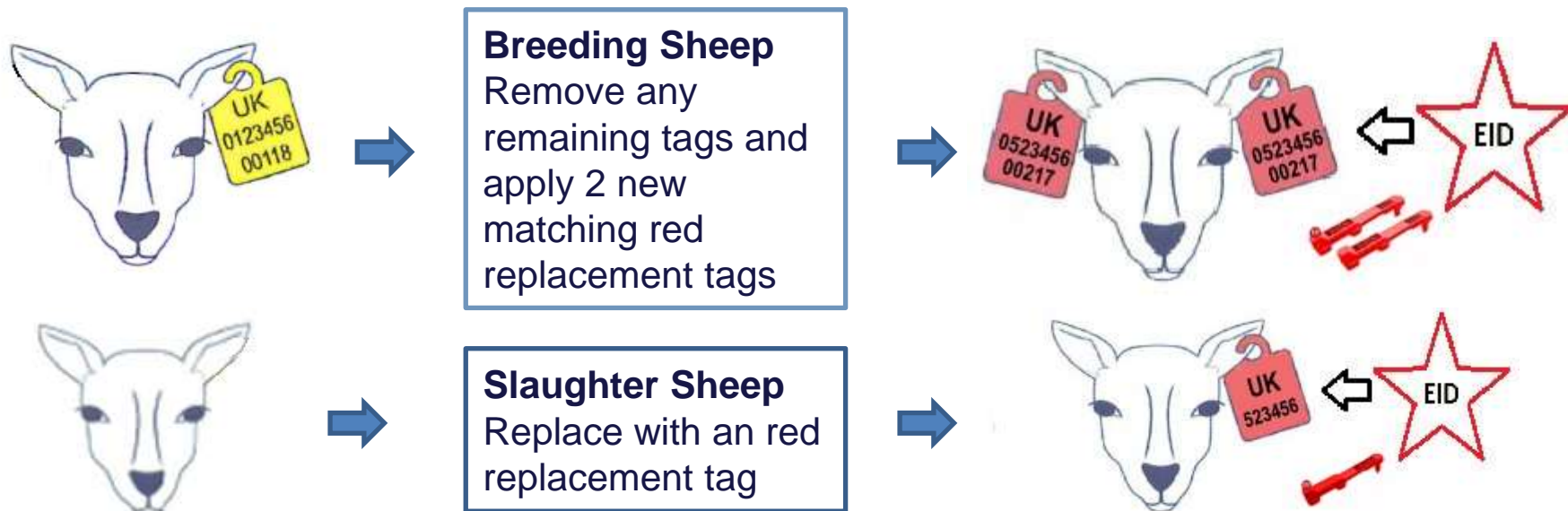
Slaughter Sheep

Replace with an identical yellow tag



Record Replacement - date, individual flock number and original tag, reason

Replacements - Bought In Sheep



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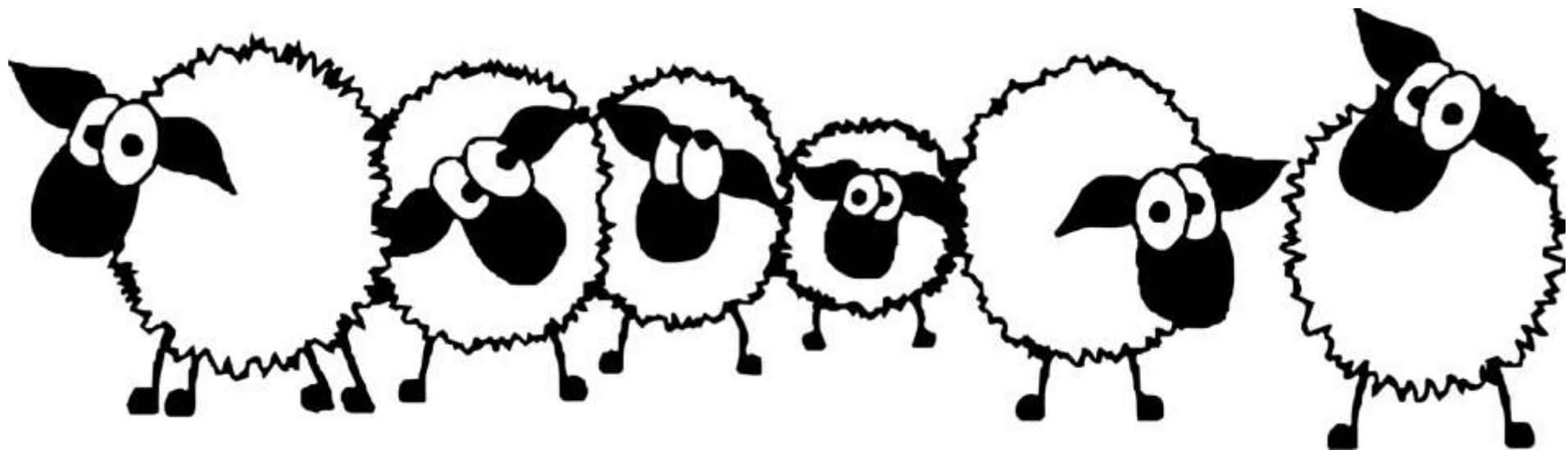
REMEMBER – DON'T FORGET ABOUT THE TUPS

Selling Old Sheep

- Sheep born before 2010 (pre-EID)
- Must be fully recorded when sold
 - Individually identified/noted
 - Upgrade tags to EID
- DO NOT use a slaughter tag!

Damaged / Unused Tags

- Keep note of any damages or unused tags
- Helps track/explain tagging queries



Sheep Inspection Day



- The Records:
 - Cross check all on/off movements for past 12 months
- The Sheep:
 - Total head count
 - Check a portion of the flock (60 sheep) for correct tagging requirements – may need to see more if issues found.
- Damaged/Unused tags.

Sheep Records Conclusion

DO ANYTHING



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Thank You

