



MARKET SHOWS - DIVISION METHOD

STEERS, LAMBS, & GOATS

In an effort to bring consistency to the Market Shows (Steers, Hogs, Goats and Lambs) at the Arkansas State Fair, the Division Method will be used to determine the Grand and Reserve Grand Champions as well as the Sale order.

Based on the number of classes and the size of the show, after a given number of classes have been judged, a Division Champion, Reserve Division Champion, and potential sale participants will be selected. The judge will determine the number in each class to come back to compete for Division Sale Order. Division Champions and Reserve Division Champions will compete for Grand and Reserve Grand Champion. The judge will select the sale order following the Grand and Reserve Grand in all species. All animals selected for the premium sale will move directly to the testing area with the exception of Market Hogs (See Market Hog Selection Guidelines.)

MARKET HOG SHOW – DIVISION METHOD

1. Market Hogs will be divided into classes by weight, at the discretion of the Market Hog Show Superintendent & the Market Hog Show Advisory Committee. Classes will be placed 1st through 10th place.
2. Classes will be divided into divisions. Each division will consist of a minimum of 4 classes and a maximum of 6 classes. The maximum number of divisions will be 5, which will be determined by the Advisor and the Coordinators.
3. The Division Champions and the Reserve Division Champions will automatically qualify for the Junior Livestock Sale. In the event an exhibitor has more than 1 division champion, only one animal will be sold and it will be the highest placing animal as selected by the judge.
4. The judge will determine the number of animals from each class that will return to compete for sale order within the division. These animals will be listed on a read-a-board at the show ring.
5. Division Champions and Reserve Division Champions, along with all other animals selected to compete for the sale at the end of each division will move immediately to the collection area for urine testing and DNA collection. The only exception will be the last division, these animals will be urine and DNA tested after the final sale order has been determined. ASF Management reserves the right to retest the Grand and Reserve Champion Market Hogs after selection. The ASF reserves the right to retest the Grand and Reserve Champion Market Hogs after selection.
6. The Division Champions will compete for Grand Champion Market Hog; the Reserve from the Grand Champion's Division will compete with other Division Champions for Reserve Grand Champion Market Hog.