

How To Use The 'Suggested Weigh date' Tool in Helical

1 Log into your Helical account

Orari Gorge Station Ltd (0400)

Overview Genomics Parent Verification Registrations Genetic Conditions EBVs Performance

Quick Actions Click to collapse ▲

Click any button to view the matching records.

- Show me 2221 animals missing genotypes
48% of active animals
- Show me 1 unregistered animals with both parents verified
Unregistered but fully parent verified
- Show me 2284 animals without any parent verification
51% of active animals
- Show me 2 unregistered animals with genotypes
Unregistered but have genotypes
- Show me 13 unregistered animals with performance data
Unregistered but have performance data
- Show me 13 animals with pending registrations
Registrations awaiting approval

Action Needed: 1 Draft Data Imports Awaiting Submission

You have 1 draft import that need to be completed and submitted.

Name	Status	Created
0400_20260908_CalfEntryForm	draft	2026-09-08

2 Click "Tools"

The screenshot shows the NZ Herefords Orari Gorge Station Ltd (0400) dashboard. The user is logged in as robert@orarigorge.co.nz. The left sidebar contains a menu with items: Dashboard, Animals, Import Data, Genetic Trends, Transfers, Mating Planner, **Tools** (circled in orange), Tasks, Test Requests, Requests, Samples, Account, and Invoices. The main content area has tabs for Overview, Genomics, Parent Verification, Registrations, Genetic Conditions, EBVs, and Performance. Under the Overview tab, there is a 'Quick Actions' section with several buttons: 'Show me 2221 animals missing genotypes', 'Show me 1 unregistered animals with both parents verified', 'Show me 2284 animals without any parent verification', 'Show me 2 unregistered animals with genotypes', 'Show me 13 unregistered animals with performance data', and 'Show me 13 animals with pending registrations'. Below this is an 'Action Needed: 1 Draft Data Imports Awaiting Submission' section with a table showing a draft import for '0400_20260908_CalfEntryForm'.

3 Click "Suggested Recording Age"

The screenshot shows the NZ Herefords Orari Gorge Station Ltd (0400) dashboard with the 'Tools' menu item selected in the left sidebar. The main content area displays the 'Tools' section, which includes a card titled 'Suggested Recording Age'. This card contains the text 'Calculate the ideal date to record measurements on your here' and is circled in orange. The sidebar menu is the same as in the previous screenshot, with 'Tools' highlighted.

4 Select the year group you wish to see suggested weigh dates for

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Select the calving year using the Year option. If you want more control over the animals considered from your herd you can use Date of Birth Between options to only get animals born between two dates.

Year: 2024 Date of Birth Between: 01/01/2026 - 31/12/2026

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No Animals matched

5 To view another year group, simply select a different year group

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Group By: Sex

Sex	First Date of Birth	Last Date of Birth	Average Date of Birth	Total Animals	Suggested Weaning Weight Recording Date	Suggested Yearling Weight Recording Date	Suggested F Recording D
Bull	2024-08-20	2024-10-24	2024-09-21	202	2025-04-09	2025-10-26	2026-05-14
Cow	2024-08-22	2024-11-06	2024-09-29	134	2025-04-17	2025-11-03	2026-05-22