

Exhibit Food Project – Cost Comparison

The member should accompany the parent/guardian or leader on a shopping trip to understand the costs associated with their foods project. Each intermediate or senior member is required to compare the cost of their *food project fair exhibit item* to a comparable store bought item.

Homemade item (breakdown by individual ingredients)

Date	Paid To	Description	Amount
<i>Ex: Jan.25, 2009</i>	<i>Albertsons</i>	<i>2 eggs</i>	<i>\$0.33</i>
			\$
			\$
			\$
			\$
			\$
			\$
			\$
Total			\$

Store bought item

Date	Paid To	Description	Amount
			\$

Which item cost more? _____

How much was the difference? _____

What is the reason that you would choose one over the other? _____

NOTE : *Since the majority of our members use ingredients and kitchen supplies purchased by their parent/guardian or their leader, we do not require that the members calculate the cost of each ingredient for every item made in their foods project (for example: 1 cup of flour out of a 5# bag of flour). Instead, we require that any special food item or kitchen item that was purchased only for this specific foods project be included in the Expense Record on page 7 of the 4-H Project Record Book - #91950 (enrollment dues, club dues, registration fees for contests/camps should be recorded there as well).*