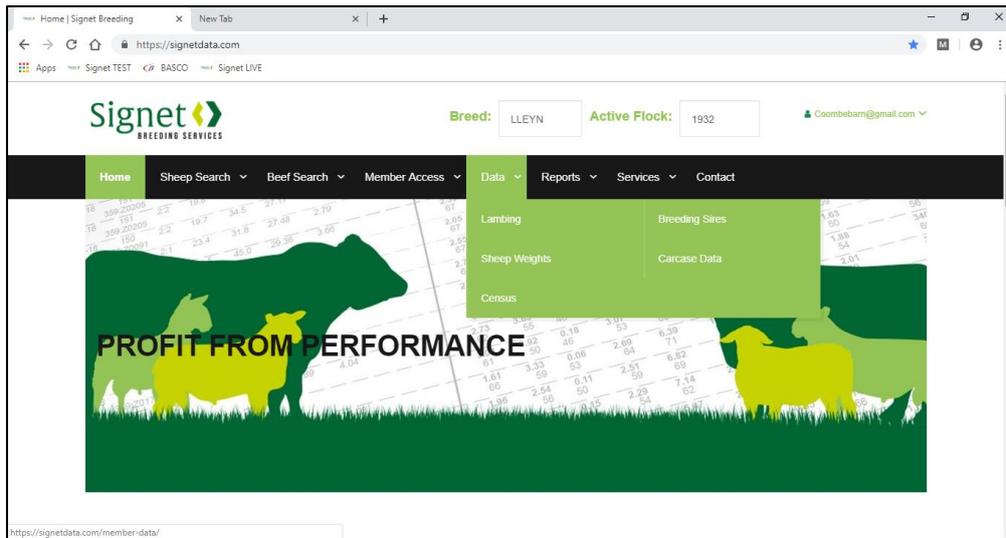


Signetdata.com: Sheep Census

The Signet database has moved to www.signetdata.com.

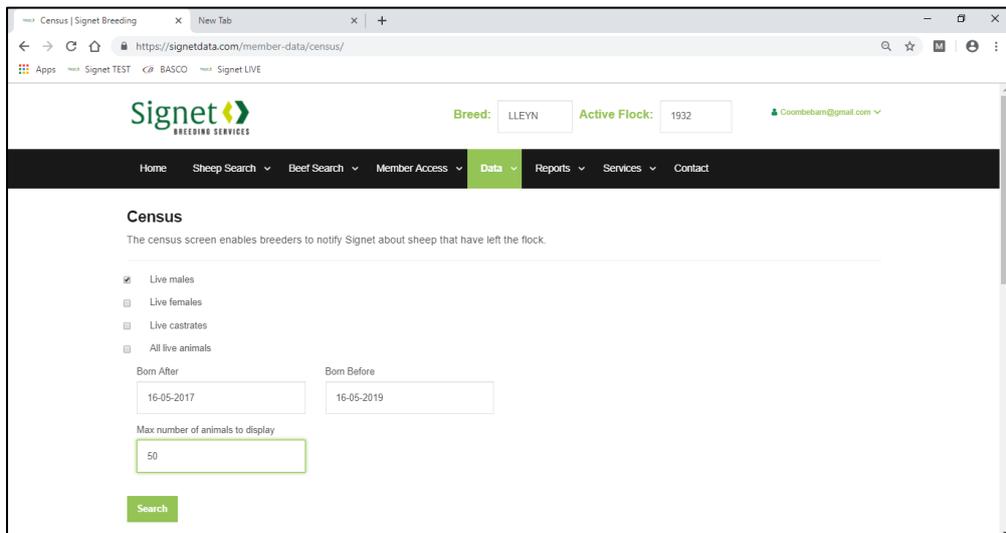
To complete your flock census, go to the website and log in via “Member Access”. A help guide is available for first time users, who will need to set up a password to gain access.

1). On the home page, go to “Data” and then “Census”



2). The Census screen can be used to change the status of animals that are live on the database to “Dead” or “Sold” – and if you wish attribute a fate code.

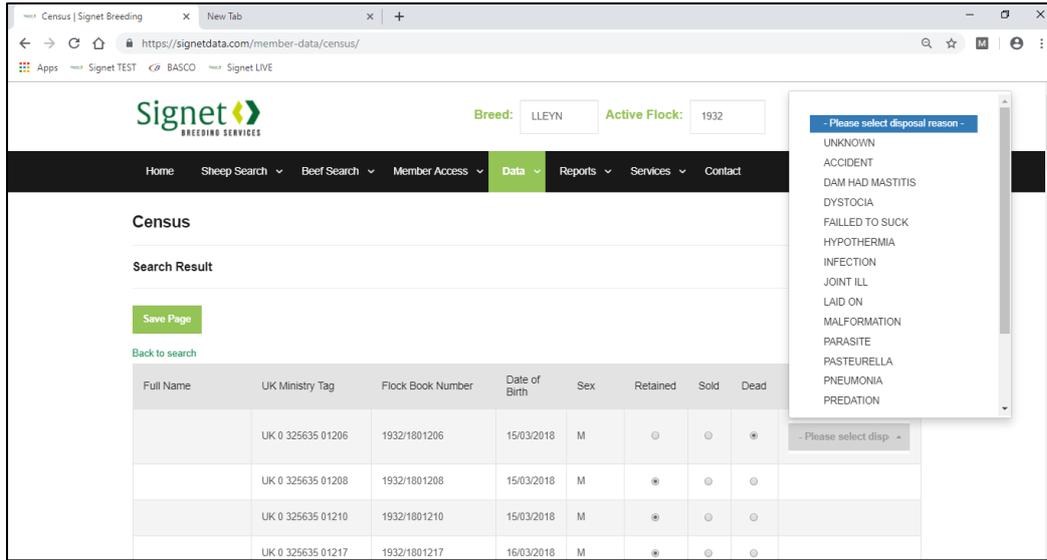
First, select the category of animals of interest. Limiting the search to a smaller number of animals will mean the screens run faster and save more quickly.



3). One by one, identify animals that you wish to remove from the flock. Provide a fating code if known, if not leave the disposal reason as “unknown”.

Once completed press “Save Page”

Signet suggest that you press “Save Page” relatively regularly when entering data for a large flock, rather than waiting until you have completed lots of records – just in case the internet drops while you are using the site and your hard work is lost.



The screenshot shows the Signet Breeding Services web application interface. At the top, there is a navigation bar with the Signet logo and the text 'BREEDING SERVICES'. Below this, there are search filters for 'Breed: LLEYN' and 'Active Flock: 1932'. A navigation menu includes 'Home', 'Sheep Search', 'Beef Search', 'Member Access', 'Data', 'Reports', 'Services', and 'Contact'. The main content area is titled 'Census' and shows a 'Search Result' section with a 'Save Page' button and a 'Back to search' link. Below this is a table with the following columns: Full Name, UK Ministry Tag, Flock Book Number, Date of Birth, Sex, Retained, Sold, and Dead. The table contains four rows of data. A dropdown menu is open, showing a list of disposal reasons: UNKNOWN, ACCIDENT, DAM HAD MASTITIS, DYSTOCIA, FAILED TO SUCK, HYPOTHERMIA, INFECTION, JOINT ILL, LAID ON, MALFORMATION, PARASITE, PASTEURILLA, PNEUMONIA, and PREDATION. The dropdown menu also includes a 'Please select disposal reason' header and a 'Please select disp' footer.

Full Name	UK Ministry Tag	Flock Book Number	Date of Birth	Sex	Retained	Sold	Dead
	UK 0 325635 01206	1932/1801206	15/03/2018	M	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>
	UK 0 325635 01208	1932/1801208	15/03/2018	M	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
	UK 0 325635 01210	1932/1801210	15/03/2018	M	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
	UK 0 325635 01217	1932/1801217	16/03/2018	M	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Why is the census important?

The main reason for keeping your census up to date is that it will greatly streamline both paper and electronic reports created from the new database. This will make it easier to interpret the information provided by Signet relating to sheep currently in the flock.

What if I have hundreds of sheep to sell off?

Some flocks have hundreds of “live” sheep on the database that need selling off.

In this scenario we suggest the user exports a list of live sheep into Excel, using EBV Search for example, and creates a sub-list of those that require disposal.

If you send this electronic list to Signet, we will be glad to upload it to the database and change their status to “sold” en masse.