



# SCC DIAGNOSTICS TOOL BOX

## QCW-4: Lameness Scorecard

Farm \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

- Score 1 = **Normal**
- Score 2 = **Mildly lame**; arches back slightly when walking; gait slightly abnormal
- Score 3 = **Moderately lame**; stands with arched back, walks with arched back; gait has short strides with one or more legs
- Score 4 = **Lame**; arched back standing and walking; one or more legs favored but can partially bear weight
- Score 5 = **Severely lame**; arched back; refuses to bear weight on one limb; may refuse moving or have great difficulty moving from lying position

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See ZinPro's Lameness Calculator at <http://www.availa4.com/locomotion/lamenesscalculator.html>

