

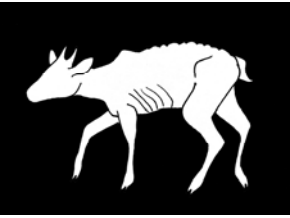
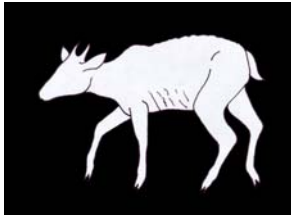
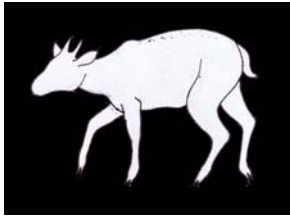
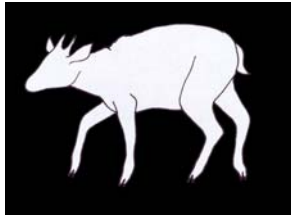
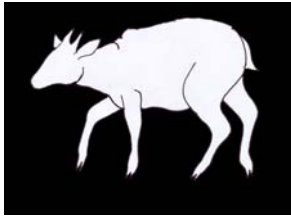
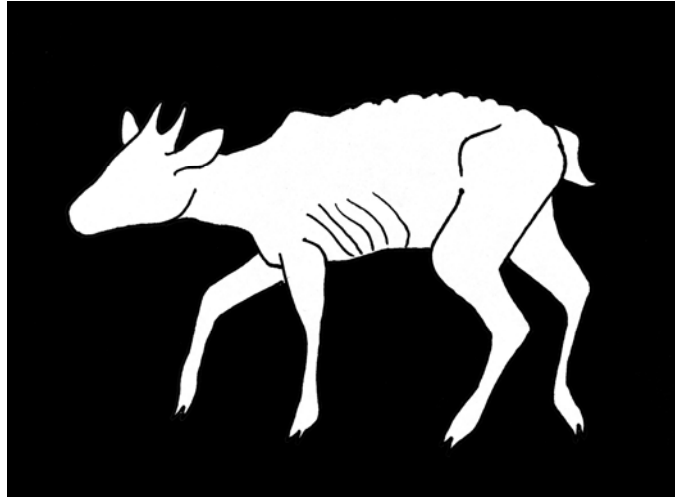
Score	1: Emaciated	2: Thin	3: Good	4: Fat	5: Obese
Outline Depictions					
Neck & Shoulders	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Emaciated • Bone structure is easily visible • No fat 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Neck is thin • Decreased girth 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Neck is thick • Shoulders are flat 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Neck is thick • Fat deposits evident • Shoulders slightly rounded 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fat is evident along neck • Bulging fat • Neck is thick • Neck blends into shoulder • Shoulders are rounded
Withers	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Emaciated • Bone structure is easily visible • No fat 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Thin • Bone structure is evident 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Withers has fat deposits • Decreasing visibility of bone structure 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fat deposits are evident 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fat deposits make withers appear flatter/less discernable
Loin & Back	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Emaciated • Spinous processes are easily identifiable 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Spinous processes are not individually identifiable, but spine is still prominent • Transverse processes faintly discernable 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Back is sloped to withers 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fat deposits are present • Back appears flatter 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Wide back • Patchy fat • Back is flat
Tailhead & Hips	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Pelvic bones are very prominent 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Pelvis bones at the point of the hip are rounded, but still evident • Pelvic bones at rump may be slightly discernable 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fat is present around tailhead • Pelvic bones are flat 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hips are rounded 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hips/thighs are very round
Ribs	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Emaciated • Rib spacing appears wide and depressed 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ribs still discernable, but fat is discernable by touch 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ribs are not visible, but discernable by touch 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ribs are not visible • Fat deposits may be evident 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fat deposits may be present, easily evident

Table 3: Summary Body Condition Scores for Yellow-Backed Duikers

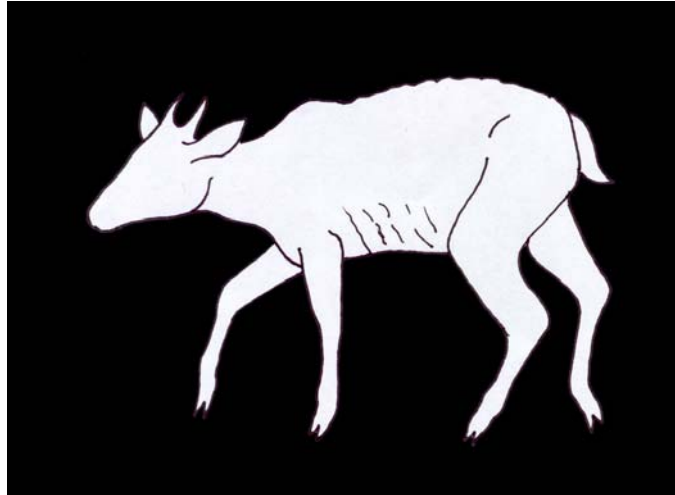
Score 1: Thin/Emaciated



Neck & Shoulders	Emaciated; Bone structure is easily visible; No fat
Withers	Emaciated; Bone structure is easily visible; No fat
Loin & Back	Emaciated; Spinous processes are easily identifiable
Tailhead & Hips	Pelvic bones are very prominent
Ribs	Emaciated; Rib spacing appears wide and depressed

Figure 11: Body Condition Score 1 - Thin/Emaciated Yellow-Backed Duiker

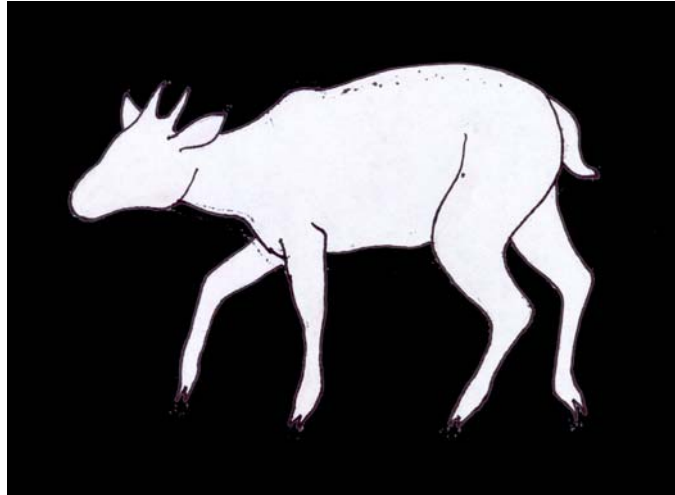
Score 2: Thin



Neck & Shoulders	Neck is thin; Decreased girth
Withers	Thin; Bone structure is evident
Loin & Back	Spinous processes are not individually identifiable, but spine is still prominent; Transverse processes faintly discernible
Tailhead & Hips	Pelvic bones at the point of hip are rounded, but still evident; pelvic bones at rump may be slightly discernible
Ribs	Ribs are still discernible, but fat is discernible by touch

Figure 12: Body Condition Score 2 - Thin Yellow-Backed Duiker

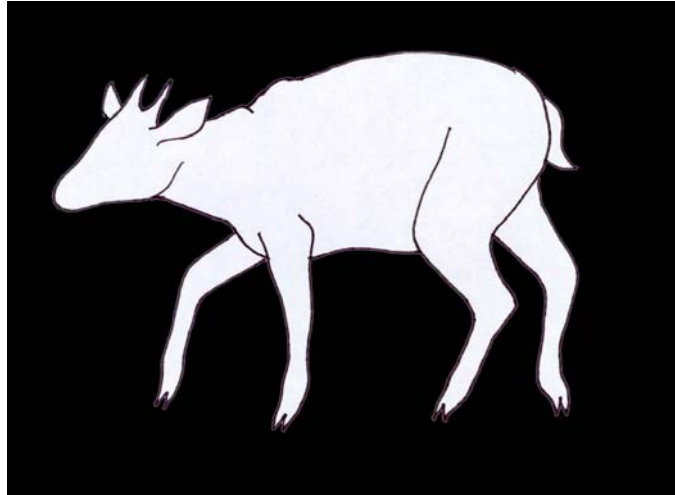
Score 3: Good



Neck & Shoulders	Neck is thick; Shoulders are flat
Withers	Withers has fat deposits; Decreasing visibility of bone structure
Loin & Back	Back is sloped to withers
Tailhead & Hips	Fat is present around tailhead; Pelvic bones are flat
Ribs	Ribs are not visible, but discernible by touch

Figure 13: Body Condition Score 3 - Yellow-Backed Duiker

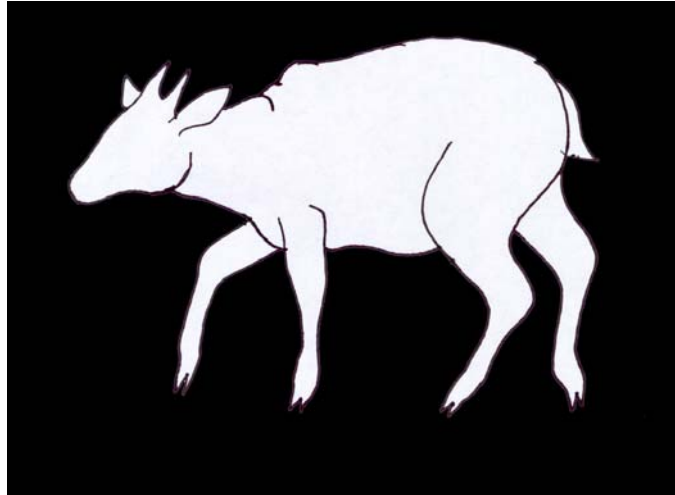
Score 4: Fat



Neck & Shoulders	Neck is thick; Fat deposits are evident; Shoulders are slightly rounded
Withers	Fat deposits are evident
Loin & Back	Fat deposits are present; Back appears flatter
Tailhead & Hips	Hips are rounded
Ribs	Ribs are not visible; Fat deposits may be evident

Figure 14: Body Condition Score 4 - Good Yellow-Backed Duiker

Score 5: Obese



Neck & Shoulders	Fat is evident along neck; Bulging fat; Neck is thick; Neck blends into shoulder; Shoulders are rounded
Withers	Fat deposits make withers appear flatter/ less discernable
Loin & Back	Wide back; Patchy fat; Back is flat
Tailhead & Hips	Hips/thighs are very round
Ribs	Fat deposits may be present, easily evident

Figure 15: Body Condition Score 5 - Obese Yellow-Backed Duiker