

Tasmanian Pademelon (*Thylogale billardierii*)

Milk	Age (days)	Tail (mm)	Foot (mm)	Head (mm)	Weight (g)	Feed (mL/day)	Notes
<0.4	40	29	22	23	38	12	
	50	35	26	26	46	13	Whiskers present
	60	41	31	30	55	15	
	70	48	36	33	65	16	
Transition	72	50	37	34	68	16	12mL <0.4 + 4ml 0.4
	75	52	38	35	73	16	8mL <0.4 + 8ml 0.4
	78	54	40	36	77	16	4mL <0.4 + 12ml 0.4
0.4	80	56	41	37	80	16	
	90	64	46	40	95	19	Lower incisors first visible
	100	73	51	44	115	21	
	110	82	55	47	138	24	Eyes opening
Transition	112	84	56	48	144	24	18mL 0.4 + 6ml 0.6
	115	87	57	49	153	24	12mL 0.4 + 12ml 0.6
	118	90	59	50	163	24	6mL 0.4 + 18ml 0.6
0.6	120	92	60	51	170	24	
	130	103	65	54	218	28	
	140	114	70	58	270	32	Fine hair growth
Transition	142	116	71	58	282	32	24mL 0.6 + 8ml >0.7
	145	119	72	59	303	32	16mL 0.6 + 16ml >0.7
	148	123	74	60	325	32	8mL 0.6 + 24ml >0.7
>0.7	150	125	75	61	340	32	
	160	137	80	65	430	39	First emerging from pouch
	170	150	85	68	540	46	
	180	163	90	72	680	55	
	190	176	95	75	850	65	
	200	189	100	79	1030	75	Fully emerged from pouch
Weaning	210	Growth rate now about 15-20g per day				65	Feed volume now depends on amount of solids consumed
	230	Not Valid				45	
	250					30	Gradually increase solid food and reduce milk intake
	270					15	
	290					0	Fully weaned [approx 2.2 -3.0kg]

Other Growth Charts

Growth charts are available for a range of other macropod species including Whiptail, Tammar & Parma Wallaby, Brush-tailed, Unadorned & Yellow-footed Rock-wallaby, Red-necked and Red-Legged Pademelon, Quokka, Long-nosed & Long-footed Potoroo, Rufous, Northern, Tasmanian & Brush-tailed Bettong (Woylie). Contact Wombaroo or visit www.wombaroo.com.au for further information.