

BREED STANDARDS

General Appearance:

- Small sized sheep
- Mature body weight; Rams 70-85 kg. Ewes 55-70 kg
- Alert, active, symmetrical and compact

Head:

- Medium in length and broad, ample width between eyes
- Free of wool
- Eyes large, clear and alert with dark pigmentation preferred around the eyes
- Straight to slightly Roman nose in ewes, slightly Roman nose in rams
- Large black nostrils
- Ears sharply erect, medium length, well placed and covered with fine short fine hair
- Occasional small black spots on ears permitted

Neck:

- Short and wide blending smoothly into the shoulders

Shoulders:

- Muscular, well covered smoothly blended into body

Chest:

- Deep, wide and full
- Brisket broad, well rounded and deep

Back, Loin and Rump:

- Back straight broad thickly fleshed
- Loin wide, thick, well covered blending into rump
- Rump long, level, wide, well carried out to dock
- Bulge on outside of leg to indicate heavy muscling

Feet and Legs:

- Legs squarely placed and free of wool below knee, covered with white hair
- Pasterns short and strong
- Hooves dark colour

Fleece:

- Long, dense, covering body from behind poll and ears to knees, including belly
- Balance of body covered with fine, short, white hair
- Uniform quality 1/4 to 3/8 blood
- Bright and soft with distinct crimp

Skin:

- Pink
- Freckles on skin acceptable.

Defects:

- Scurs
- Black spots (except on ears)
- Bare belly
- High shoulder
- Light coloured eyes
- Grey nose
- Sandy or brown hair on head or legs
- Wrinkles on face
- Split scrotum

Disqualifying Faults:

- Horns
- Pink nose
- Poorly placed or thick ears
- Black spots in wool
- Pink or white hooves

STANDARDS DU RACE

Apparence générale:

- Mouton de petite taille
- Poids à la maturité: Béliers 70- 85 kg Brebis 55-70 kg

Tête:

- De longueur moyenne, large entre les yeux
- Sans laine
- Le nez Romain ou presque Romain
- De grandes narines noires
- Les oreilles doivent être très droites, de longueur moyenne et recouvertes de poils blancs fins et courts
- Visage sans rides

Cou:

- Court et large et se joint doucement aux épaules

Épaules:

- Bien musclées, se joignent doucement au corps

Poitrine:

- À forte poitrine, large
- Dos, reins et croupe:
- Le dos droit, large et bien charnu
 - Les reins larges, épais, se joignent doucement à la croupe
 - Le haut des jambes protubérants, indiquant du bon muscle

Pieds et jambes:

- Jambes placées carrément, sans laine en dessous des genoux, recouvertes de poils blancs
- Paturons courts et forts
- Sabots de couleur foncé

Toison:

- Longue, épaisse, couvrant le corps de la nuque jusqu'aux genoux y compris le ventre
- Qualité uniforme 1/4 à 3/8 de sang
- Brillante et douce avec crêpage distincte

Peau:

- Rose

Défauts sérieux:

- Ventre chauve
- Épaules hautes
- Sabots roses ou blancs
- Nez rose
- Poils sablés ou bruns sur la tête et les jambes
- Cornes ou fausses cornes