

Whispering Pines Farm

Raw Fleece Data Sheet

6/2020

Whispering Pines Ivy



Average Fiber Diameter- Average diameter of all fibers tested in a sample. Shetland should have AFD <32	24.3	Age (years)	4
Spinning Fineness - A calculation developed by wool graders to help group fleeces by similar handle. A better gage of fineness than AFD alone. The best Shetland fleeces will have SF's lower than their AFD	24.3	Color	Grey
Standard Deviation - A measure of the variation in the fibers tested in a sample. Shetlands should have SD's < 5.5. High numbers indicate larger variability in fiber diameter, which will have a negative impact on handle.	4.9	Sex	Ewe
Coefficient of Variation - A calculation showing the SD as a % of the AFD. Shetlands should have CV's around 20% or lower. Higher numbers indicate larger variability in the fiber diameters.	20.3	Fleece year	2020
Fleece Weight (oz)	25	Price	100.80
Staple length (mm)	70		

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