

UNIT – Sheep Production

Name: _____

Lesson 2: Selection of Sheep

Date: _____

EVALUATION

Circle the letter that corresponds to the best answer.

1. Which of the following is considered a ewe breed?
 - a. Rambouillet
 - b. Dorset
 - c. Montadale
 - d. Hampshire

2. Which of the following is considered a ram breed?
 - a. Finnsheep
 - b. Cheviot
 - c. Delaine-Merino
 - d. Columbia

3. When selecting a specific sheep, what should the producer consider?
 - a. Food and fiber resources
 - b. Enterprise type
 - c. Equipment needed
 - d. Fertility

4. Which of the following should be considered when selecting a breed of sheep?
 - a. Soundness
 - b. Health
 - c. Market opportunities
 - d. Conformation

5. What is the name of the top of the sheep's head?
 - a. Poll
 - b. Saddle
 - c. Muzzle
 - d. Pasterns

6. What are the loin and rump collectively known as on a sheep?

- a. Poll
- b. Saddle
- c. Muzzle
- d. Pasterns

Match the following terms to the appropriate definition.

____ 7. Ewe

a. A castrated male sheep

____ 8. Ram

b. Meat of a sheep that is over 2 years old

____ 9. Wether

c. The young of a sheep

____ 10. Lamb

d. A male sheep

____ 11. Mutton

e. A female sheep