



## SHEEP AND GOAT REPORT

January 1, 2011



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Stratum	POID	Tract	Subtr.

[Verify name and mailing address of this operation. Make any corrections necessary (including the correct operation name) on the label and continue.]

[Check if name label verified]

2. Were any sheep, lambs, goats or kids, regardless of ownership:  
 (Include Barbados and all hair breed sheep.)

- on this operation on **January 1, 2011**?
- on this operation at any time during **2010**?
- or will there be any on this operation at any time during **2011**?

**Yes** [Go to **Item 3** .]

**No** Were you (the individual named on the label) operating a farm or ranch on January 1, 2011?

- Yes** – [Go to **Section 4** .]
- No** - [Go to **Section 3** .]

3. Are the day-to-day decisions for this **operation** made by one individual, a hired manager, or partners? [Check one]

- One individual – [Go to **Section 1** .]
- A hired manager – [Go to **Section 1** .]
- Partners – How many partners make the day-to-day decisions?

**Number of Partners**

[Enter number of partners, including the partner named on the label. Identify the other person(s) in this partnership in the boxes on the next page, then continue with **Section 1** .] .....

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Please identify the other person(s) in this partnership, then *continue*.  
 [Verify partners names and make necessary corrections if names have already been entered]

[Check if verified]

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_  
                     (First)                    (Middle)                    (Last)

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
   (Rt or St.)  (City)  (State)  (Zip)

Did this partner operate land individually on June 1, 2010?  
 **Yes**       **No**

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Ind. Op.	924

[Check if verified]

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_  
                     (First)                    (Middle)                    (Last)

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
   (Rt or St.)  (City)  (State)  (Zip)

Did this partner operate land individually on June 1, 2010?  
 **Yes**       **No**

Office Use	
Stratum	926
Ind. Op.	924

[Check if verified]

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_  
                     (First)                    (Middle)                    (Last)

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
   (Rt or St.)  (City)  (State)  (Zip)

Did this partner operate land individually on June 1, 2010?  
 **Yes**       **No**

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Stratum	927
Ind. Op.	924

[Check if verified]

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_  
                     (First)                    (Middle)                    (Last)

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
   (Rt or St.)  (City)  (State)  (Zip)

Did this partner operate land individually on June 1, 2010?  
 **Yes**       **No**

Office Use	
Stratum	928
Ind. Op.	924

## Section 1 - Sheep and Lambs

1. On January 1, 2011 were any sheep or lambs, regardless of ownership, on this operation?  
(Include Barbados and all hair breed sheep. Sheep and lambs on grazing land leased on a fee per head or animal unit month (AUM) basis should be included by the sheep owner, excluded by the land owner.)

Yes – [Go to **Question 2** .]

No – Will there be any sheep or lambs, regardless of ownership, on this operation during **2011**?

1  Yes = 1

2  Don't Know = 2

3  No = 3

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Were any sheep or lambs, regardless of ownership, on this operation at any time, during **2010**?

Yes – [Go to **Question 5** .]

No - [Go to **Section 2** .]

### Sheep and Lambs for Breeding

2. Of the sheep and lambs for breeding, regardless of ownership, on this operation on January 1, how many were:

- a. Ewes 1 year old and older? ..... +
- b. Rams 1 year old and older? ..... +
- c. Replacement lambs less than 1 year old (including unweaned lambs kept for breeding)? . . . . +

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282
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### Sheep and Lambs for Market

3. Of the sheep and lambs for market, regardless of ownership, on this operation on January 1, how many were:

- a. Market lambs less than 1 year old and:
  - (i) Under 65 pounds (including unweaned market lambs)? . . . . . +
  - (ii) 65 to 84 pounds? . . . . . +
  - (iii) 85 to 105 pounds? . . . . . +
  - (iv) Over 105 pounds? . . . . . +
- b. Market sheep 1 year old and older (not used for breeding)? . . . . . +

836
837
838
839
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### Total Sheep and Lambs

4. [Add Items 2a through 3b and verify total.]

Then the total sheep and lambs on hand January 1 was: . . . . . =

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### Lamb Crop for 2010

(Include lambs born on grazing land leased on a fee per head or animal unit month (AUM) basis.)

5. How many lambs dropped during 2010 were or will be marked, docked, or branded? . . . . .

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### Deaths and Losses During 2010

(Include sheep and lambs that died or were lost on grazing land leased on a fee per head or animal unit month (AUM) basis.)

6. How many Lambs died or were lost from all causes after being marked, docked, or branded during 2010? . . . . .

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7. How many sheep died or were lost from all causes during 2010? . . . . .

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## Section 1 - Sheep and Lambs - Continued

### Wool Production in 2010

(Report sheep and lambs only once if sheared both Spring and Fall.)

8. How many sheep and lambs (breeding & market) were shorn in 2010? .....	<b>Head</b>	215
a. How many pounds of wool were shorn from these sheep and lambs in 2010? (Include tags.) .....	<b>Pounds</b>	216
Or – Average weight per fleece		217

### Wool Price in 2010

9. What was the average price received per pound for wool sold in 2010? (Include marketing charges for commissions, coring, and grading.) .....	<b>Dollars and cents</b>	296
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### Inventory Values for Sheep & Lambs on Hand on January 1, 2011

10. What is the average replacement value per head of the following: (Report to nearest dollar)		
a. Breeding ewes 1 year old and older? .....	\$	680
b. Breeding rams 1 year old and older? .....	\$	681
c. Breeding replacement lambs less than 1 year old? .....	\$	679
d. Market lambs less than 1 year old? .....	\$	845
e. Market sheep 1 year old and older? .....	\$	846

### Farm Slaughter in 2010

	<b>Lambs</b>	<b>Sheep</b>
11. During 2010, how many lambs and sheep were slaughtered on this operation, regardless of ownership? .....	1201	1202

    Include mobile slaughtering.  
    Exclude custom slaughter at commercial establishments.

1 – Incomplete, has sheep or lambs	291
2 – Incomplete, presence of sheep or lambs unknown	
3 – Valid Zero	

**Sheep and Lamb Deaths and Losses.**

[Refer to Items 6 and 7 on the previous pages.]

1. You indicated earlier that [item 6] Lambs died or were lost after being marked, docked, or branded, and that [item 7] Sheep died or were lost on this operation last year. Now we need to determine what happened to them.

- a. How many lambs and sheep were killed by predators? . . . . . +
- b. How many lambs and sheep died or were lost from disease or other **known** causes? . . . . . +
- c. How many lambs and sheep died or were lost from **unknown** causes? . . . . . +

<b>Lambs after being marked, docked, or branded</b>	<b>Sheep</b>
035	981
027	057
032	058

2. [Add lamb and sheep deaths by cause in each column. These totals should agree with the death loss recorded in items 6 and 7 previously. If they don't agree, make corrections wherever necessary.] . . . . . =

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1 – Incomplete, has sheep or lambs losses	115
2 – Incomplete, sheep or lambs losses unknown	
3 – Valid Zero	

## Section 2 - Goats and Kids

1. On January 1, 2011 were any goats or kids, regardless of ownership, on this operation?

- Yes** -[Go to **Question 2 .**]       **No** - Will there be any goats or kids, regardless of ownership, on this operation during 2011?

1  **Yes = 1**   2  **Don't Know = 2**   3  **No = 3**

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Were any goats or kids, regardless of ownership, on this operation at any time during **2010**?

- Yes** – [Go to **Question 5 .**]  
 **No** – [Go to **Section 4 .**]

2. **Goats & Kids for Breeding** – Of the goats and kids for breeding, regardless of ownership, on this operation on January 1, how many were:

(\*\* Report based on utilization regardless of breed \*\*)

	Angora	Milk	Meat & Other
a. Does 1 year old and older?..... +	1172	1180	1186
(i) What percent of these (item 2a) Angora does were or will be bred to pure bred Angora billies to produce kids for mohair production?..... %	1173		
(ii) What percent of these (item 2a) Angora does were or will be bred to boers or meat type billies to produce meat type kids?..... %	1174		
b. Bucks 1 year old and older?..... +	1175	1181	1187
c. Replacement kids less than 1 year old?..... +	1176	1182	1188

3. **Goats & Kids for Market** – Of the goats and kids for market, regardless of ownership, on this operation on January 1, how many were:

a. Market kids less than 1 year old?..... +	1177	1183	1189
b. Market goats 1 year old and older (not used for breeding)?..... +	1178	1184	1190

**Total Goats & Kids**

4. [Add items 2a through 3b and verify.] Then the total goats and kids on hand January 1 was:..... =	1179	1185	1191
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**Kid Crop for 2010**

	Angora	Milk	Meat & Other
5. How many kids were born on this operation during 2010? (Exclude kids born dead.).....	1101	1104	1107

**Deaths and Losses During 2010**

6. How many kids died or were lost from all causes during 2010? (Exclude kids born dead.).....	1102	1105	1108
7. How many goats died or were lost from all causes during 2010?..	1103	1106	1109

**Inventory Values for Goats and Kids on Hand on January 1, 2011**

8. What is the average replacement value per head of the following: (Report to nearest dollar)

	Angora	Milk	Meat & Other
a. Breeding does 1 year old and older?..... \$	1120	1125	1130
b. Breeding bucks 1 year old and older?..... \$	1121	1126	1131
c. Breeding replacement kids less than 1 year old?..... \$	1122	1127	1132
d. Market kids less than 1 year old?..... \$	1123	1128	1133
e. Market goats 1 year old and older?..... \$	1124	1129	1134

**Farm Slaughter in 2010**

	Kids	Goats
9. During 2010, how many kids and goats were slaughtered on this operation, regardless of ownership? . . . . .	1203	1204

Include mobile slaughtering.  
Exclude custom slaughter at commercial establishments.

**Mohair Production in 2010** (Report goats and kids only once if clipped both Spring and Fall.)

10. How many Angora goats and kids were clipped in 2010? . . . . .	<b>Head</b>	278
a. How many pounds of mohair were clipped from these Angora goats and kids in 2010? (Include tags.) . . . . .	<b>Pounds</b>	279
Or – Average weight per fleece	205	. __

**Mohair Price in 2010**

11. What was the average price received per pound for mohair sold in 2010? (Include marketing charges for commissions, coring, and grading.) . . . . .	<b>Dollars and cents</b>	297
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1 – Incomplete, has goats or kids	1112
2 – Incomplete, presence of goats or kids unknown	
3 – Valid Zero	

**Goat and Kid Deaths (Killed by Predators and Other Losses)**

	Kids	Goats
12. The following questions are about goats and kids that died or were lost on this operation last year (2010). (Exclude kids born dead.)		
a. How many kids and goats were killed by predators? . . . . .	330	325
b. How many kids and goats died from disease or other <b>known</b> causes? . . . . .	331	326
c. How many kids and goats died or were lost from <b>unknown</b> causes? . . . . .	332	327
13. [Add kid and goat deaths by cause in each column.]	_____	_____

Then the total killed by predators and deaths from  
all other causes last year (2010) was: . . . . .

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[These totals should agree with the death loss recorded previously.  
If they don't agree, make corrections wherever necessary.]

1 – Incomplete, has goats or kids losses	116
2 – Incomplete, goats or kids losses unknown	
3 – Valid Zero	

**Go to Section 4 on back page**



### Section 3 – Change in Operator

•[Complete this section only if all questions in Item 2 on the front page are answered “No”.]

1. Has the operation named on the label been sold, rented, or turned over to someone else?  
 Yes- [Continue]                       No- [Go to a.]
2. Was the operator (name on label) operating a farm or ranch on June 1, 2010?  
 Yes- [Continue]                       No- [Continue]
3. Please provide the following information for the operation that has taken over the land:
  - a. What is the name and address of the new operation?  
 Operation Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Operator Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
 City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Phone: \_\_\_\_\_
  - b. Was the [Item 3a] new operation in business before June 1, 2010?  
 Yes- [Go to Section 4.]                       No- [Continue]
  - c. Is the [Item 3a] new operation managed?  
 Yes- [Go to Section 4.]                       No- [Continue]
  - d. Were any individuals associated with the [Item 3a] operation operating land individually before June 1, 2010?  
 Yes- [Go to Section 4.]                       No- [Go to Section 4.]

a. Will the land be used for any agricultural purpose by you (the operator), or anyone else in the next year? (Including growing crops or raising livestock.)

Yes       Don't Know       No

[Regardless of answer to above, write a note to explain the situation, then go to **Section 4.**]

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### Section 4 – Conclusion

1. Do you (the operator named on the label) make any day-to-day decisions for another farm or ranch?  
 Yes – 1a. What is the name of the other operation(s): \_\_\_\_\_
- 1b. Was this operation in business before June 1, 2010?     Yes                       No  
 No - [Continue]

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Would you rather have a brief summary mailed to you at a later date? 1  Yes      3  No      099

**This completes the survey. Thank you for your help.**

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Date: __ __ __ __			

Respondent's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

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3-Inac		3-Acct/Bkpr		3-Face-to-Face					
4-Office Hold		4-Partner		4-CATI					
5-R – Est		9-Oth		5-Web					
6-Inac – Est				6-e-mail					
7-Off Hold – Est				7-Fax					
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