

National Wool Declaration

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 For Office Use Only

Business Name:

Farm Brand: Phone No: (.....)


Property Identification Code (PIC):

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Location (Town):

Mob No.	Bale Range or 1 st Bale for Mob	Mob Status (circle one per mob)	Age/Shearing Code	Breed Code	Sex Code	Contact with Shedding Breeds (Y/N)	Mob Crutched (Y/N)	Crutched within 3 months prior to Shearing (Y/N)	Office Use Only
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Age/Shearing Code	Breed Code	Sex Code
1 st Shearing	1 Merino	M Ewes E
2 nd Shearing to 2	2 Afrino	FO Wether W
3 years	3 SMMM	SM Rams R
4 years	4 Corriedale	CD Mixed M
5 years	5 Polwarth	PW
6, 7, 8 years etc.	6, 7, 8... Crossbred	XB
Mixed, e.g. 4 to 6 years	4 - 6 or 4, 5, 6 Downs	DN
	Shedding Breeds	SB
	Carpet Wool	CW



Shedding Breeds Definitions

Shedding Breeds Breeds that shed fibre (e.g. Afrikaner, Australian White, Awassi, Damara, Black Headed and White Dorper, Karakul, Meatmaster, Persian, Van Rooy, Wiltipoll, Wiltshire Horn).

Contact with Shedding Breeds Mated to, or run together since the previous shearing, with shedding breed sheep or their crosses (includes lambs from shedding breed sheep or their crosses).

By signing this National Wool Declaration, I warrant that (a) I am authorised to complete this declaration & confirm that all details contained in it are true & correct, (b) I authorise the selling agent to submit this document to the Australian Wool Exchange (AWEX), if requested, for the purpose of the Integrity Program & (c) I understand that random desk audits & on farm inspections are undertaken, the results of which may be made available to the buyers of the declared wool & the selling agent. Details of the AWEX NWD - Integrity Program & Privacy Policy are available on the AWEX website: www.awex.com.au

Owner/Manager Name

Owner/Manager Signature

Date/...../.....

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NWD Definitions/Supporting Explanations
Please use the most accurate definition that applies to each mob.
Mobs treated with Liquid Nitrogen must be declared as LN.

NWD Definitions

Non Mulesed (NM)	No sheep in this mob have been mulesed [^] or treated with liquid nitrogen [#] .
Liquid Nitrogen (LN)	Sheep in this mob have been treated with liquid nitrogen [#] .
Analgesic &/or Anaesthetic (AA)	Sheep in this mob have been mulesed [^] with the use of an analgesic &/or anaesthetic product registered by APVMA.
Mulesed (M)	Sheep in this mob have been mulesed [^] without the use of an analgesic &/or anaesthetic product registered by APVMA.

Supporting Explanations

[^] Mulesing	The removal of skin from the breech and/or tail of a sheep using mulesing shears. Source: Australian Animal Welfare Standards and Guidelines for Sheep prepared by Animal Health Australia, V1.0 2016.
[#] Liquid Nitrogen	The application of liquid nitrogen where ultra-low temperatures are used to degenerate tissue and result in the removal of skin from the breech and/or tail of a sheep.
Mobs of Mixed Status	For mobs of mixed status, use the lowest applicable status according to this hierarchy, NM > LN > AA > M. For example, declare AA for a mob containing NM and AA sheep, or declare M for a mob containing LN and M sheep.

Work, Health & Safety: In addition to completing this NWD, the Owner/Manager is also responsible for participation in the Integrity Program, which includes random desk audits and on farm inspections. The Owner/Manager acknowledges and agrees that they will participate in the on farm inspection process in a way that is compliant with health and safety rules and will advise AWEX if a scheduled inspection would be unsafe.