

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):

Property Status (Ceased Mulesing). Please answer the following questions (circle answers):											
1. Have any lambs born on this property <u>been mulesed</u> in the last 12 months? Yes or No											
2. Have any mulesed (or AA) ewes/wethers <u>been purchased</u> in the last 12 months? Yes or No											
Mob No.	Bale Range or 1 st Bale for Mob	Mob Status (circle one per mob)			Age 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
		NM	LN	AA	M						
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Age/Shearing Code	Breed Code	Sex Code	NWD Definitions
1 st Shearing	1 Merino	M Ewes	Non Mulesed (NM) No sheep in this mob have been mulesed [^] or treated with liquid nitrogen [#] .
2 nd Shearing to 2 yrs	2 Afrino	FO Wethers	Liquid Nitrogen (LN) Sheep in this mob have been treated with liquid nitrogen [#] .
3 years	3 SAMM	SM Rams	
4 years	4 Corriedale	CD Mixed	Analgesic &/or Anaesthetic (AA) Sheep in this mob have been mulesed [^] with the use of an analgesic &/or anaesthetic product registered by APVMA.
5 years	5 Polwarth	PW	
6, 7, 8 years etc	6, 7, 8... Crossbred	XB	Mulesed (M) Sheep in this mob have been mulesed [^] without the use of an analgesic &/or anaesthetic product registered by APVMA.
Mixed, e.g. 4 to 6 yrs	4 - 6 or 4, 5, 6 Downs	DN	
NWD V9.3, March 2022	Carpet Wool	CW	



NWD Definitions/Supporting Explanations	NWD Definitions
National Wool Declaration (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.	Ceased Mulesing (CM) No lambs born on this property in the last 12 months have been mulesed [^] . No mulesed [^] (or AA) ewes or wethers have been purchased in the last 12 months.

Work Health and Safety	NWD Supporting Explanations
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 in a way that is compliant with health and safety rules, and will advise AWEX if a scheduled inspection would be unsafe.	[^]Mulesing The removal of skin from the breech <u>and/or</u> tail of a sheep using mulesing shears. <i>Source:</i> Australian Animal Welfare Standards and Guidelines for Sheep prepared by Animal Health Australia, V1.0 2016.

By signing this National Wool Declaration, I warrant that (a) I am authorised to complete this declaration and confirm that all details contained in it are true and 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 and (c) I understand that random desk audits and on farm inspections are undertaken, the results of which may be made available to the buyers of the declared wool and the selling agent. Details of the AWEX NWD - Integrity Program and Privacy Policy are available on the AWEX website: www.awex.com.au .	[#]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 <u>and/or</u> 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 > ND. For example, declare AA for a mob containing NM and AA sheep, or declare M for a mob containing LN and M sheep.

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).

Owner/Manager Name

Signature Date