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Lockerbie Ram Sale

Monday 1st September 2025



Lockerbie Mart

Sydney Place, Lockerbie, DG11 2JA

Viewing of rams from 11:30am

Sale starts at 1:00pm

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2025 SALE INFORMATION

We are pleased to be back with the Harrison & Heatherington team, this time at a different location due to the Bluetongue restrictions. The sale will be held at Lockerbie Mart.

The sale has moved from its original location at Borderway mart, Carlisle to Lockerbie due to the rams for the sale being located at our grower unit in the Scottish Borders and crossing into England would complicate buying for our Scottish customers.

MartEye will be available at the sale, and if you wish to bid through MartEye, you must register **at least 24 hours in advance of the sale.**

You do not need to register to view the sale.

Go to <https://handh.marteye.ie/> for more information.

If you are unable to visit the sale, contact your regional sales advisers who will help you get the rams you need.



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WHAT DO ALL THE NUMBERS MEAN?

CARCASE Trait

EBVs tell you how well a ram's lambs will grow and grade.

INDEX

combines the EBVs for important traits. The most important traits have the biggest influence on the Index.

EWE Trait

EBVs tell you how well a ram's daughters will perform.

Carcase traits				Ewe traits			Shepherding			INDEX	Grade
Ram	Growth	Muscle depth	Fat depth	Lambing Percentage	Matern. ability	Ewe weight	FEC	Lamb ease	Lamb vigour		
							==Top 5% ==Top 10% ==Top 25%				
	0.0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0				49	
11978BF	1.3	0.9	-0.1	5	0.1	1.3	*			71	Elite
06778HH	0.7	0.1	0.2	5	-0.3	0.0	*		*	56	Select
06322MG	-0.2	0.0	0.0	-8	-0.3	-1.2				28	

EBVs (estimated breeding values) for each trait, this is an estimate of the ram's genetic merit that will pass on to its lambs. Positive values are above average. Negative values are below average.

More stars the better

The best of the best (top 25% and above) for lambing ease, lamb vigour, parasite resistance and longevity.

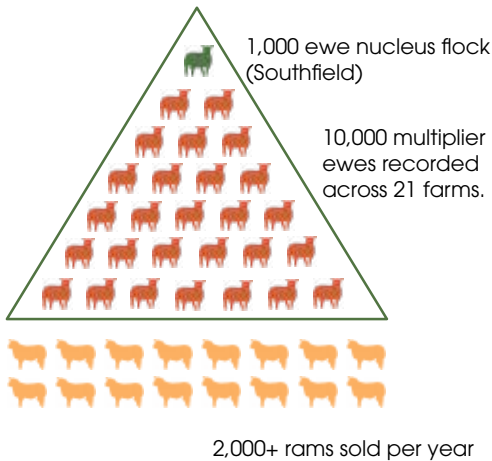
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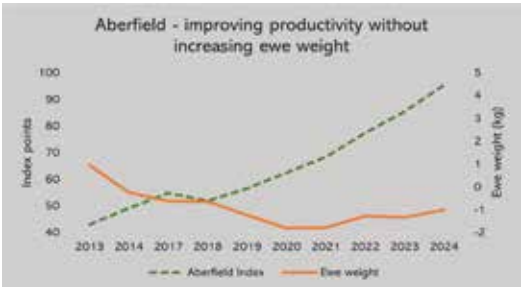
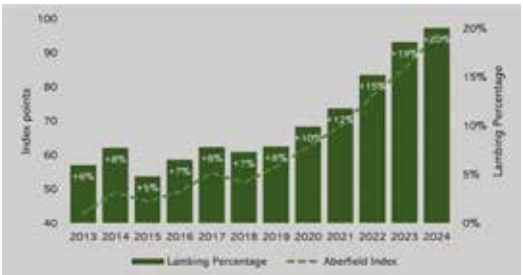
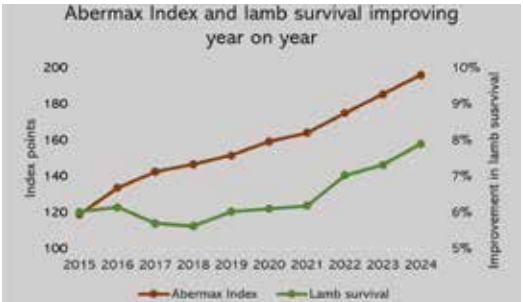
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records



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ABERFIELD

Aberfield is an improved alternative to traditional crossing sires. Producing efficient, profitable, replacement ewes and well conformed, fast growing wether lambs.

Aberfield SR incorporates Lleyn genetics to the Aberfield, creating a ram suited to breed replacements in closed flocks, keeping ewe size at an optimum whilst maintaining prolificacy.

Aberglân is a shedding composite based on the Aberfield. It offers an opportunity to incorporate shedding genetics into the flock combined with the efficiency and conformation of the Aberfield.

ABERTEX

A Texel based ram, recorded for maternal and meat traits. With the ability to breed hardy crossbred, maternal daughters for future replacements as well as quality finished lambs.

HIGHLANDER

100% New Zealand maternal genetics, bred in the UK.

Produces a productive and efficient ewe with a smaller mature weight - a low impact option for a regenerative system.

Highlander ewes scan up to 200% on a grass based system and rear their own body weight in lambs by weaning.

CHEVIOT

A compact ram with good structure and performance records selected under pressure

A ram to breed efficient ewes or as a terminal sire to add value to hill lambs in a hard environment

ABERMAX

Derived from the best Texel and Charollais genetics to produce a powerful meat ram. Bred for prime lamb production, the breeding programme focuses on lambing ease and lamb vigour, improved lamb growth and finished lamb conformation.

ABERBLACK

Bred from specific Suffolk lines with introgression of other important traits from Texel and Charollais.

The breeding programme is focused on rams that produce easy lambing, vigorous lambs that are very fast growing, and well conformed from forage diets. Ideal for outdoor lambing systems.

PRIMERA

100% New Zealand meat genetics, bred in the UK.

Lambs are easy lambing, suited to a low labour, outdoor system. Lambs are fast growing and easy finished on grass and forage.



All rams are performance recorded and reared in commercial conditions, on grass and forage only.

Each animal is health screened for the main production limiting diseases and are certified with a negative Borders Disease PI status.



Find out more about the different breeds

PRICING

Our prices have been set as follows for each sale.

We aim to select a variety of breeds and grades for each sale but some grades may not always be available.

If you have a specific breed and grade you'd like, contact your sales adviser.

Maternal Rams	Elite	Select	Commercial
Aberfield Aberfield SR Aberglân Cheviot Highlander Abertex	£950	£850	£750

Meat Rams	Elite	Select	Commercial
Abermax Aberblack Primera	£900	£800	£700

Teasers	£350
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COMPARATIVE PRICING

The continued work we do to improve genetics and health as well as investment in research and development is reflected in our prices. Although higher than industry averages, below we have demonstrated the value our rams can bring your flock when longevity and mating capacity are taken into consideration.

We have an online mating cost calculator which calculates the cost of getting your ewes in lamb to an Innovis ram vs other industry rams - scan the QR code to try it...



It is important to note that rams' genetic potential has a huge impact on flock performance and is the real driver of profit, it's benefit is not estimated here.

	Sale Price	Ewes per Ram	Working Life (years)	Total lambs reared per ram (135%)	Cost/Lamb Produced	Total kg per ram (kg)	Cost per Kg Liveweight
Innovis Elite Ram Liveweight	£950	80	4	432	£2.19	18,144	5.2p/kg LWt
Industry Crossing Sire	£650	50	3	203	£3.20	8,526	7.6p/kg LWt
					£1.01 cheaper		2.4p cheaper



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TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SALE

SELLING PROTOCOL

Harrison & Hetherington, Lockerbie Mart are clerking the sale to facilitate our sales.

All rams will be sold by Harrison & Hetherington through the ring with the highest bid securing the purchase. The sale will also be live streamed through the 'MartEye' system and online bidding available. Please pre-register with MartEye before the sale if you intend to view and bid online.

Minimum prices are set for each breed and at each grade, shown on **page 7** of the catalogue.

The Innovis 'hat' option will not be available at this sale.

All rams purchased at the live sale must be paid for in full and moved on the day of purchase. Estates, Colleges or Businesses unable to accommodate this should notify our finance department in advance of the sale by email to **accounts@innovis.org.uk** or phone **01970 828236**.

Any queries over accounts must be addressed pre or post the event.

Harrison & Hetherington would like to take this opportunity to thank both Vendors and Purchasers for your support and attendance on the day.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS

All rams are sold in accordance with the Innovis Terms and Conditions for supply of goods and services, available to view on our website at www.innovis.org.uk

Innovis will guarantee the performance of all rams sold at its official sales for the first mating season after purchase, provided that the owner can demonstrate that they have made reasonable efforts to ensure the health, welfare and security of the ram during that period.

Any issues post sale must be raised prior to **1st February 2026** and accompanied by appropriate evidence/supporting documentation in addition to a veterinary report where applicable. In the event that a ram is found to be defective, a replacement ram of equivalent genetic potential will be supplied. A credit note for the value of the ram may be issued against the buyers next purchase if the replacement is not available. **No cash refunds are given.**

ABERFIELD			CARCASS TRAITS				EWE TRAITS				SHEPHERDING			INDEX	GRADE	
LOT	RAM	BORN	Growth	Muscle depth	Fat depth	Lambing %	Matern. ability	Ewe weight	FEC	Lambing ease	Lamb vigour					
											****Top 5%, ** Top 10%, *Top 25%					
Breed Average			(Innovis EBVs)		0.0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0				75		
1	20914HH	May-24	4.0	1.6	0.3	5	0.6	1.1			*			115	ELITE	
2	14497DL	Mar-24	0.8	-0.3	0.0	15	0.2	-3.7						112	ELITE	
3	14986DL	Mar-24	4.3	1.1	0.8	6	0.6	0.6		*				110	ELITE	
4	20820HH	Apr-24	3.8	0.7	0.8	4	0.9	-1.9			***			110	ELITE	
5	20558HH	Apr-24	3.1	0.3	0.3	9	0.4	-0.8			***			109	ELITE	
6	14372DL	Mar-24	2.9	0.2	0.4	11	0.5	2.8						108	ELITE	
7	20892HH	Apr-24	3.6	0.4	0.3	7	0.6	1.1			***			107	ELITE	
8	04735NS	May-24	2.5	0.3	0.4	13	0.0	-1.7			*			106	ELITE	
9	14934DL	Mar-24	1.4	1.1	0.2	8	0.3	2.3		*	*			106	ELITE	
10	14435DL	Mar-24	2.0	-0.5	0.2	14	0.1	-1.2						105	ELITE	
11	14804DL	Mar-24	-0.3	0.6	0.0	9	0.6	2.4		*				105	ELITE	
12	20363HH	Apr-24	4.5	1.8	0.6	3	0.2	-0.1						105	ELITE	
13	12872FW	Apr-24	2.2	0.7	0.2	6	0.4	0.6						103	ELITE	
14	14764DL	Mar-24	3.2	0.5	0.3	5	0.6	0.7		*				103	ELITE	
15	15134DL	Mar-24	4.1	0.3	0.5	6	0.5	1.9		***				103	ELITE	

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Breed Average			(Innovis EBVs)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0							75	
16	04697NS	Apr-24	2.0	0.8	0.4	8	0.0	-1.9		*	*			102	ELITE		
17	04938NS	Apr-24	0.7	1.5	0.1	6	0.1	0.6		***	*			101	ELITE		
18	20220HH	Apr-24	5.3	1.8	0.9	0	0.4	1.0		*	***			100	ELITE		
19	05558NS	May-24	1.8	0.4	0.0	5	0.5	2.1		***	*			99	ELITE		
20	20622HH	Apr-24	3.7	1.4	0.3	-2	0.5	-1.1			**			99	ELITE		
21	14262DL	Mar-24	1.8	0.6	0.1	5	0.3	-1.5						98	ELITE		
22	04179NS	Apr-24	4.0	0.2	0.3	3	0.4	0.3			*			97	ELITE		
23	05565NS	Apr-24	1.0	0.3	-0.2	8	-0.2	-0.1		***				97	ELITE		
24	20748HH	Apr-24	3.9	0.7	0.1	0	0.5	2.8			**			97	ELITE		
25	20749HH	Apr-24	3.4	0.7	0.0	0	0.5	2.8			**			97	ELITE		
26	20900HH	Apr-24	2.7	2.2	0.0	-5	0.7	0.0						97	ELITE		
27	04168NS	Apr-24	3.1	0.1	0.6	9	0.0	0.4		*	*			96	ELITE		
28	20279HH	Apr-24	3.6	1.8	0.3	-1	0.2	-0.4						96	ELITE		
29	20587HH	Apr-24	4.3	0.2	0.0	-1	0.7	0.8			***			96	ELITE		
30	20170HH	Mar-24	3.8	1.5	0.2	-1	0.3	2.8			**			95	ELITE		

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LOT	RAM	BORN	Growth	Muscle depth	Fat depth	Lambing %	Matern. ability	Ewe weight	FEC	Lambing ease	Lamb vigour					
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Breed Average			(Innovis EBVs)		0.0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0				75		
31	20226HH	Apr-24	3.5	1.7	0.4	1	0.0	0.4				*		95	ELITE	
32	20230HH	Apr-24	3.8	1.6	0.4	1	0.0	0.4				*		95	ELITE	
33	20366HH	Apr-24	3.6	2.0	0.2	-4	0.3	-0.7		*		***		95	ELITE	
34	20492HH	Apr-24	1.8	1.3	0.3	0	0.5	-1.6						95	ELITE	
35	20565HH	Apr-24	3.5	1.9	0.3	-4	0.4	-0.3				*		95	ELITE	
36	20856HH	Apr-24	3.2	1.6	0.3	-4	0.6	-0.4				*		95	ELITE	
37	20309HH	Apr-24	3.3	1.8	0.4	-3	0.6	2.7				*		94	ELITE	
38	20358HH	Apr-24	2.9	2.0	0.5	0	-0.1	-1.0						94	ELITE	
39	20359HH	Apr-24	3.3	2.0	0.7	0	-0.1	-1.0						94	ELITE	
40	20405HH	Apr-24	3.4	2.2	0.1	-9	0.8	-0.6				*		94	ELITE	
41	20368HH	Apr-24	1.7	1.6	0.0	-2	0.3	-0.3				**		93	ELITE	
42	04135NS	Apr-24	3.0	0.3	0.4	7	-0.2	0.1		*		*		92	ELITE	
43	20266HH	Apr-24	3.3	1.5	0.1	-3	0.2	0.6				**		92	ELITE	
44	20569HH	Apr-24	2.8	1.3	0.1	-4	0.5	-1.3						92	ELITE	
45	20605HH	Apr-24	0.7	1.5	0.0	3	-0.1	-0.1				*		92	ELITE	

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Breed Average (Innovis EBVs)			0.0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0				75	
46	20177HH	Mar-24	2.1	0.6	0.2	4	0.2	4.6			*	90	ELITE
47	20604HH	Apr-24	0.9	1.2	0.0	3	-0.1	-0.1			*	90	ELITE
48	20688HH	Apr-24	1.9	0.8	0.2	-2	0.6	0.8			***	90	ELITE
49	04393NS	Apr-24	1.5	0.0	0.1	6	0.0	0.8				89	SELECT
50	04886NS	May-24	2.3	-1.4	-0.4	4	0.8	5.8		**	*	89	SELECT
51	04936NS	Apr-24	-0.7	0.1	-0.2	8	-0.5	0.6	**	***	*	89	SELECT
52	20568HH	Apr-24	2.4	0.9	0.0	-4	0.5	-1.3				89	SELECT
53	20684HH	Apr-24	2.7	0.4	0.0	-2	0.5	1.1			***	89	SELECT
54	20860HH	Apr-24	1.3	1.8	0.2	-4	0.5	-0.7				89	SELECT
55	04609NS	Apr-24	0.4	0.5	0.2	4	0.0	-1.5		*		88	SELECT
56	20196HH	Mar-24	2.3	1.4	0.1	0	0.2	4.4		*	*	88	SELECT
57	20643HH	Apr-24	2.4	1.2	0.1	1	-0.3	0.1			*	88	SELECT
58	20711HH	Apr-24	1.2	0.0	-0.2	1	0.3	-2.0				88	SELECT
59	04391NS	Apr-24	1.5	0.4	0.4	5	0.1	0.6				87	SELECT
60	20326HH	Apr-24	1.3	-0.9	0.1	2	0.5	-2.5			***	87	SELECT

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									****Top 5%, ** Top 10%, *Top 25%				
Breed Average		(Innovis EBVs)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0				75	
61	20901HH	Apr-24	1.7	-0.2	0.0	-2	0.6	-2.3			*	87	SELECT
62	04814NS	May-24	0.6	-0.4	-0.5	1	0.4	1.9	*	***		86	SELECT
63	04951NS	Apr-24	0.9	-1.1	-0.6	4	0.2	1.1		***	*	86	SELECT
64	20392HH	Apr-24	4.7	0.7	0.2	-2	-0.1	-0.7				86	SELECT
65	20847HH	Apr-24	0.9	-1.0	0.1	3	0.5	-1.2			***	86	SELECT
66	20685HH	Apr-24	2.3	0.1	0.2	-2	0.5	1.1			***	85	SELECT
67	20863HH	Apr-24	0.8	-1.2	0.1	4	0.4	-2.2			***	85	SELECT
68	04312NS	Apr-24	1.6	-0.8	0.2	8	-0.3	1.0			*	84	SELECT
69	04390NS	Apr-24	1.8	-0.2	0.2	5	0.1	0.6				84	SELECT
70	20158HH	Mar-24	2.7	1.3	0.2	-5	0.3	0.6			*	84	SELECT
71	20630HH	Apr-24	1.4	-0.4	0.0	3	-0.1	-0.7			*	84	SELECT
72	04176NS	Apr-24	-0.2	-0.9	-0.3	7	-0.2	2.9	***	***	**	83	SELECT
73	20192HH	Mar-24	0.6	0.9	-0.1	2	-0.1	2.8			*	83	SELECT
74	20769HH	Apr-24	1.5	0.0	0.2	-1	0.4	-1.3			**	83	SELECT
75	20527HH	Apr-24	-0.3	0.5	0.0	3	-0.2	-0.2				82	SELECT

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Breed Average			0.0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0								75
76	20537HH	Apr-24	2.3	1.4	0.2	-6	0.3	0.6			*		82	SELECT		
77	20396HH	Apr-24	1.5	1.6	0.1	-7	0.4	-0.6					81	SELECT		
78	20723HH	Apr-24	2.4	0.5	0.0	-2	-0.1	-0.2			*		81	SELECT		
79	20840HH	Apr-24	2.8	0.1	0.1	-4	0.1	-3.1		*			81	SELECT		
80	20884HH	Apr-24	1.4	1.9	0.2	-10	0.6	0.4			**		81	SELECT		
81	20306HH	Apr-24	0.5	1.4	0.1	4	-1.0	-1.7					80	SELECT		
82	20687HH	Apr-24	3.4	0.1	0.1	-2	-0.2	-1.8			*		80	SELECT		
83	20408HH	Apr-24	0.4	0.0	0.0	-3	0.4	-2.8			**		79	SELECT		
84	20639HH	Apr-24	1.0	0.1	0.1	-1	0.3	2.2		*	***		79	SELECT		
85	20752HH	Apr-24	1.3	-0.7	-0.2	2	0.0	0.7		*	***		79	SELECT		
86	20531HH	Apr-24	2.0	0.0	0.1	-3	0.0	-3.6					78	SELECT		
87	20922HH	May-24	1.3	0.2	0.0	-2	0.0	-0.6					78	SELECT		
88	04283NS	Apr-24	2.5	-0.9	0.2	2	0.1	0.1					77	SELECT		
89	20199HH	Mar-24	0.8	0.6	0.1	-1	0.0	1.8					76	SELECT		

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										***Top 5%, ** Top 10%, *Top 25%			
Breed Average				0.0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0			75	
90	30106DN	Feb-24		3.4	1.3	0.2	13	0.7	7.3		*	121	ELITE
91	05141NS	Apr-24		2.4	0.0	0.2	11	0.9	4.7	***	**	115	ELITE
92	05132NS	Apr-24		3.9	1.2	0.4	9	0.3	3.0	*	***	113	ELITE
93	30663DN	Mar-24		2.3	1.3	0.3	12	0.0	3.2		*	110	ELITE
94	04788NS	Apr-24		2.5	1.2	0.2	13	-0.2	3.1		**	109	ELITE
95	30030DN	Feb-24		2.7	1.5	0.2	4	0.7	4.8	*		107	ELITE
96	05679NS	Apr-24		0.2	-0.1	-0.2	13	0.4	4.8	***	**	106	ELITE
97	30282DN	Mar-24		1.8	2.2	0.1	5	0.1	2.3		*	104	ELITE
98	30484DN	Mar-24		1.2	-0.3	-0.1	9	0.8	2.8	*		104	ELITE
99	04898NS	Apr-24		2.3	1.1	-0.1	6	0.2	4.1		*	101	ELITE
100	05490NS	Apr-24		1.5	0.8	0.0	10	0.0	3.6			101	ELITE
101	04558NS	May-24		3.3	0.9	0.0	4	0.2	3.9	*	**	100	ELITE
102	05421NS	Apr-24		2.9	1.3	0.4	4	0.3	2.9		*	98	ELITE
103	05504NS	Apr-24		2.7	1.7	0.5	6	-0.2	3.3		*	98	ELITE
104	29979DN	Feb-24		5.9	0.9	0.5	2	0.2	4.8			94	ELITE

ABERFIELD SR												INDEX	GRADE
LOT	RAM	BORN	CARCASE TRAITS			EWE TRAITS			SHEPHERDING				
			Growth	Muscle depth	Fat depth	Lambing %	Matern. ability	Ewe weight	Lambing Ease	Lamb vigour			
									***Top 5%, ** Top 10%, *Top 25%				
Breed Average			(Innovis EBVs)			0.0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	75	
105	05447NS	Apr-24	-0.1	0.2	-0.1	10	0.0	3.6				93	ELITE
106	04492NS	Apr-24	1.7	1.1	0.2	1	0.3	2.0	*	*		91	ELITE
107	30077DN	Feb-24	0.2	-0.2	-0.1	9	-0.1	2.6		*		89	SELECT
108	30444DN	Mar-24	0.1	0.5	-0.1	7	0.0	4.2				89	SELECT
109	30193DN	Feb-24	0.8	1.0	0.0	2	-0.3	2.5		*		81	SELECT
110	04947NS	Apr-24	1.5	0.4	-0.4	-7	0.7	2.9		*		78	SELECT

ABERGLAN			CARCASE TRAITS			EWE TRAITS			INDEX	GRADE
LOT	RAM	BORN	Growth	Muscle depth	Fat depth	Lambing %	Matern. ability	Ewe weight		
Breed Average			(Innovis EBVs)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	75
111	05466NS	Apr-24	1.6	0.2	-0.6	-4	0.8	2.9	84	SELECT
112	04764NS	Apr-24	0.8	0.5	-0.5	-6	0.5	1.7	79	SELECT
113	05502NS	Apr-24	2.8	0.8	-0.1	-11	0.9	2.3	77	SELECT
114	04921NS	Apr-24	1.3	0.1	-0.1	-6	0.6	1.9	72	COMMERCIAL
115	04098PV	Apr-24	1.1	-0.9	0.0	-1	0.4	1.7	71	COMMERCIAL
116	04125PV	Apr-24	1.7	0.3	0.2	-4	0.1	0.9	71	COMMERCIAL
117	04170PV	May-24	1.4	-0.2	0.1	-3	0.2	0.4	71	COMMERCIAL
118	05501NS	Apr-24	2.8	-0.4	-0.4	-10	0.7	3.0	69	COMMERCIAL
119	04428NS	Apr-24	0.4	-0.5	-0.7	-6	0.6	3.6	68	COMMERCIAL

ABERTEX				CARCASE TRAITS			EWE TRAITS		MATERNAL INDEX	CARCASE INDEX			GRADE
LOT	RAM	BORN		Growth	Muscle depth	Fat depth	Lambing %	Matern. ability		Carcase Index	Lambing ease	Lamb vigour	
										***Top 5%, ** Top 10%, *Top 25%			
Breed Average			(Innovis EBVs)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	88				
120	45752CH	Mar-24		1.2	1.4	-0.2	4	0.1	112	**			ELITE
121	20836HH	Apr-24		0.9	3.2	0.2	-6	0.4	112	***	*	*	ELITE
122	04359BH	Apr-24		2.9	1.7	0.4	5	0.1	111	***			ELITE
123	04868NS	May-24		2.6	2.3	-0.1	-5	0.4	110	***		*	ELITE
124	20543HH	Apr-24		1.2	0.8	0.2	5	-0.3	108	*	*	*	ELITE
125	21093HH	Apr-24		0.7	0.7	0.1	4	0.2	106		*	**	ELITE
126	20508HH	Apr-24		1.8	1.5	-0.1	-5	0.6	104	***	*	*	ELITE
127	04256NS	Apr-24		4.8	1.1	0.0	-3	0.4	103	***			ELITE
128	04562BH	Apr-24		1.2	1.3	0.3	0	0.2	99	*			SELECT
129	04559BH	Apr-24		2.4	0.5	0.3	-1	0.5	96	*		*	SELECT
130	04386BH	Apr-24		2.3	0.4	0.2	1	0.2	95	*			SELECT
131	04412BH	Apr-24		0.9	0.3	0.0	3	0.4	93				SELECT
132	04353BH	Apr-24		-0.4	0.7	0.0	0	0.2	91				SELECT
133	04405BH	Apr-24		1.2	0.3	0.1	-1	0.1	89		*		SELECT
134	21077HH	Apr-24		0.0	-0.4	-0.1	-10	0.4	85		*	***	COMMERCIAL
135	21263HH	Apr-24		1.8	-0.6	0.1	-1	-0.3	84		**	***	COMMERCIAL
136	04383BH	Apr-24		-0.6	-0.5	0.1	4	0.1	83				COMMERCIAL
137	20481HH	Apr-24		3.3	-0.4	0.2	-6	-0.3	83		*	***	COMMERCIAL
138	04342BH	Apr-24		1.9	0.2	0.2	-4	0.2	82				COMMERCIAL

Highlander				Carcase Traits			Ewe Traits			Shepherding			Index	Grade
Lot	Ram	Born		Growth	Muscle depth	Fat depth	Lambing %	Matern. ability	Ewe weight	Lambing ease	Lamb vigour			
				****Top 5%, ** Top 10%, *Top 25%										
Breed Average				0.0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0				205	
139	34898SH	Apr-24		4.6	2.3	1.1	4	0.2	-0.6				233	ELITE
140	21960CB	Apr-24		5.9	1.5	0.9	3	0.0	-1.3				231	ELITE
141	05674NS	Apr-24		1.3	-0.4	0.2	15	0.1	0.2		*		229	ELITE
142	21720CB	Mar-24		1.0	2.0	0.7	5	-0.1	-1.5	*			228	ELITE
143	34976SH	Apr-24		2.9	1.3	0.6	2	0.3	-0.7				225	ELITE
144	34816SH	Apr-24		5.5	2.7	1.5	-4	0.2	0.1		*		224	ELITE
145	34820SH	Apr-24		3.8	2.3	0.9	-2	0.2	0.2				224	ELITE
146	05013NS	Apr-24		2.4	1.1	0.6	4	-0.1	-0.5	**	*		222	ELITE
147	34978SH	Apr-24		3.3	1.2	0.7	1	0.3	-0.3				222	ELITE
148	35075SH	Apr-24		2.4	2.5	0.4	-4	0.1	-0.1				221	ELITE
149	21792CB	Apr-24		-0.2	1.1	0.2	10	-0.5	-0.8				220	ELITE
150	35059SH	Apr-24		4.0	1.9	0.7	-6	0.3	0.0		*		220	ELITE
151	05030NS	Apr-24		-0.5	1.3	-0.1	4	-0.3	-0.2	***	***		219	ELITE
152	21904CB	Mar-24		1.5	1.2	0.4	-1	0.2	-0.9				218	ELITE
153	21889CB	Apr-24		2.3	0.5	0.5	4	0.0	-0.8				218	ELITE

HIGHLANDER				CARCASE TRAITS			EWE TRAITS			SHEPHERDING			INDEX	GRADE
LOT	RAM	BORN	Growth	Muscle depth	Fat depth	Lambing %	Matern. ability	Ewe weight	Lambing ease	Lamb vigour				
									***Top 5%, ** Top 10%, *Top 25%					
Breed Average			(Innovis EBVs)			0.0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0		205	
154	21897CB	Mar-24	4.3	1.4	0.8	-6	0.4	0.1				218	ELITE	
155	35085SH	Apr-24	2.8	1.1	0.4	-2	0.4	0.3				218	ELITE	
156	22015CB	Apr-24	1.6	0.6	-0.2	-3	0.3	-0.3	*			216	ELITE	
157	21997CB	Apr-24	1.3	1.2	0.1	0	-0.1	-0.1	*			216	ELITE	
158	35055SH	Apr-24	2.7	2.1	1.0	-5	0.2	-0.8				216	ELITE	
159	21832CB	Apr-24	1.2	0.6	0.1	-2	0.3	-1.0				216	ELITE	
160	04514NS	Apr-24	1.1	2.5	0.5	-8	-0.1	-2.1	***	*		215	ELITE	
161	35023SH	Apr-24	2.4	2.5	0.9	-4	-0.1	-0.4				215	ELITE	
162	34827SH	Apr-24	2.5	1.4	0.5	2	-0.2	1.1				215	ELITE	
163	21863CB	Apr-24	1.2	1.2	-0.1	-1	-0.2	-0.3				214	ELITE	
164	21774CB	Mar-24	-0.2	0.5	-0.3	1	0.0	-0.6	*			214	ELITE	
165	21979CB	Apr-24	-0.2	0.5	-0.1	4	-0.2	-1.5				214	ELITE	
166	04669NS	Apr-24	2.6	0.8	0.4	-6	0.1	0.0	***	***		211	SELECT	
167	35015SH	Apr-24	2.0	0.9	0.5	3	-0.3	1.1				211	SELECT	
168	21763CB	Apr-24	3.9	0.0	0.0	0	0.2	1.1				211	SELECT	

HIGHLANDER				CARCASS TRAITS			EWE TRAITS			SHEPHERDING			INDEX	GRADE
LOT	RAM	BORN		Growth	Muscle depth	Fat depth	Lambing %	Matern. ability	Ewe weight	Lambing ease	Lamb vigour			
										***Top 5%, ** Top 10%, *Top 25%				
Breed Average			(Innovis EBVs)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0				205	
169	21892CB	Apr-24		0.9	0.1	0.5	5	-0.4	-0.8	*			209	SELECT
170	21928CB	Apr-24		1.5	0.4	0.6	2	-0.2	-0.4	**			209	SELECT
171	21833CB	Apr-24		1.8	0.7	0.0	-6	0.2	0.5				209	SELECT
172	21840CB	Apr-24		-1.0	0.4	0.0	4	-0.2	-0.4				208	SELECT
173	34870SH	Apr-24		3.4	1.1	0.9	-4	-0.1	0.4				208	SELECT
174	35084SH	Apr-24		1.9	0.3	0.5	-3	0.3	-0.2				208	SELECT
175	21853CB	Apr-24		2.3	0.5	1.2	7	-0.7	-1.3				208	SELECT
176	21807CB	Apr-24		-0.1	0.8	-0.1	-5	0.3	0.3				207	SELECT
177	21883CB	Mar-24		2.3	1.1	-0.2	-12	0.2	0.0	*			207	SELECT
178	21988CB	Apr-24		-0.1	0.3	-0.2	-3	0.0	-0.1				205	SELECT
179	34884SH	Apr-24		3.2	1.7	1.0	-9	0.1	-0.8				205	SELECT

NORTH COUNTRY CHEVIOT										INDEX	GRADE
LOT	RAM	BORN	Growth	Muscle depth	Fat depth	Lambing %	Matern. ability	Ewe Weight			
Breed Average			(Signet EBVs)	1.00	0.16	0.02	-0.02	0.05	0.36	£11.38	
180	UK 0 561789 05101 *	Apr-24	3.50	0.14	-0.08	0.05	0.24	0.24	0.24	£19.57	ELITE
181	UK 0 561789 05351 *	Apr-24	4.29	0.17	-0.16	0.04	-0.02	-0.02	-0.02	£19.26	ELITE
182	UK 0 561789 05198 *	Apr-24	3.55	-0.68	-0.22	0.06	-0.06	-0.06	-0.06	£16.59	ELITE
183	UK 0 561789 04555	Apr-24	1.07	2.25	0.39	-0.03	0.18	0.18	0.18	£16.49	ELITE
184	UK 0 561789 04565 *	Apr-24	2.85	0.26	0.08	-0.06	-0.21	-0.21	-0.21	£15.99	ELITE
185	UK 0 561789 04292 *	Apr-24	2.01	0.60	-0.01	-0.06	0.18	0.18	0.18	£15.18	SELECT
186	UK 0 561789 04592 *	Apr-24	1.88	0.00	-0.36	-0.02	0.24	0.24	0.24	£13.75	SELECT
187	UK 0 561789 05055 *	Apr-24	0.93	0.17	0.14	0.05	0.07	0.07	0.07	£12.06	SELECT
188	UK 0 561789 05329 *	Apr-24	1.19	0.02	-0.15	-0.02	-0.34	-0.34	-0.34	£11.17	COMMERCIAL

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SOUTH COUNTRY CHEVIOT										INDEX	GRADE
LOT	RAM	BORN	Growth	Muscle depth	Fat depth	Lambing %	Matern. ability	Ewe Weight			
Breed/Average		(Signet EBVs)		1.00	0.16	0.02	-0.02	0.05	0.36	£11.38	
189	UK 0 563090 18045	Apr-24	0.85	0.86	-0.33	0.01	-0.10	-0.10	-0.10	£13.81	SELECT
190	UK 0 563090 18062	Apr-24	0.73	0.85	-0.01	0.01	-0.10	-0.10	-0.10	£13.32	SELECT
191	UK 0 563090 18054	Apr-24	1.10	0.28	-0.16	0.02	-0.10	-0.10	-0.10	£13.08	SELECT
192	UK 0 563090 18040	Apr-24	1.35	0.09	-0.13	0.05	-0.10	-0.10	-0.10	£13.01	SELECT
193	UK 0 563090 18056	Apr-24	0.99	0.35	-0.20	0.01	-0.10	-0.10	-0.10	£13.01	SELECT
194	UK 0 563090 18050	Apr-24	1.09	0.34	-0.21	-0.04	-0.10	-0.10	-0.10	£12.93	SELECT
195	UK 0 563214 25346	Apr-24	1.34	0.08	-0.08	-0.03	-0.04	-0.04	-0.04	£12.90	SELECT
196	UK 0 563214 04119	Apr-24	0.47	0.38	0.00	-0.05	0.27	0.27	0.27	£11.82	SELECT

ABERMAX				ULTRASOUND			LAMBING SUBINDEX	INDEX	LAMBING EASE	GRADE
LOT	RAM	BORN	Growth	Muscle depth	Fat depth					
Breed Average			(Innovis EBVs)			0.0	0.0	0.0	174	***Top 5%, ** Top 10%, *Top 25%
197	34838SH	Apr-24	4.0	1.5	0.1	6	243			ELITE
198	35032SH	Apr-24	1.6	2.6	0.1	7	241	*		ELITE
199	34919SH	Apr-24	3.3	2.1	0.4	8	238	*		ELITE
200	34866SH	Apr-24	3.6	2.5	0.7	7	238			ELITE
201	34901SH	Apr-24	2.3	1.5	0.0	8	231			ELITE
202	35100SH	Apr-24	0.4	2.2	-0.2	8	231			ELITE
203	35107SH	Apr-24	0.4	2.2	0.0	8	227	*		ELITE
204	35088SH	Apr-24	-0.4	2.4	-0.1	7	223			ELITE
205	34874SH	Apr-24	2.3	1.4	0.2	6	222			ELITE
206	34861SH	Apr-24	2.8	1.2	0.3	8	219			ELITE
207	12478FW	Mar-24	2.8	1.0	0.0	1	218			ELITE
208	35017SH	Apr-24	1.3	0.9	-0.1	9	211	*		ELITE
209	35056SH	Apr-24	2.2	1.5	0.6	8	210	*		ELITE
210	34922SH	Apr-24	1.0	1.4	0.2	7	208			ELITE
211	45728CH	Mar-24	1.4	0.8	0.0	9	208	*		ELITE
212	34877SH	Apr-24	-0.1	1.5	-0.1	6	207			ELITE

ABERMAX				ULTRASOUND			LAMBING SUBINDEX	INDEX	LAMBING EASE	GRADE
LOT	RAM	BORN	Growth	Muscle depth	Fat depth					
Breed Average				(Innovis EBVs)			0.0	0.0	0.0	
213	34934SH	Apr-24	0.1	0.7	-0.4	8	205	*		ELITE
214	34888SH	Apr-24	2.2	-0.1	-0.3	4	205			ELITE
215	35090SH	Apr-24	2.0	1.3	0.6	8	204	*		ELITE
216	45997CH	Mar-24	0.1	0.8	-0.2	9	203			ELITE
217	34863SH	Apr-24	-0.7	0.7	-0.5	8	202			ELITE
218	45657CH	Mar-24	0.8	0.9	-0.1	0	200			ELITE
219	34933SH	Apr-24	-0.3	0.2	-0.6	8	199	*		ELITE
220	45927CH	Mar-24	0.6	0.7	-0.1	6	198			ELITE
221	34964SH	Apr-24	-0.1	0.5	-0.3	7	197	*		ELITE
222	45960CH	Mar-24	0.8	0.6	-0.1	5	197			ELITE
223	45688CH	Mar-24	-0.6	1.3	0.0	8	197			ELITE
224	35122SH	Apr-24	0.1	1.0	0.0	5	196			ELITE
225	34860SH	Apr-24	-0.5	1.4	0.1	6	196			ELITE
226	34966SH	Apr-24	1.2	0.1	-0.1	6	195			ELITE
227	35052SH	Apr-24	-0.5	0.9	-0.1	8	194	*		SELECT

ABERMAX				ULTRASOUND			LAMBING SUBINDEX	INDEX	LAMBING EASE	GRADE
LOT	RAM	BORN	GrowthMuscle depthFat depth							
Breed Average			(Innovis EBVs)	0.0	0.0	0.0	4	174	***Top 5%, ** Top 10%, *Top 25%	
228	45541CH	Mar-24	0.9	0.3	0.0	7	192			SELECT
229	45880CH	Mar-24	0.8	0.2	0.0	9	191			SELECT
230	45560CH	Mar-24	0.0	0.2	-0.3	6	191			SELECT
231	45940CH	Mar-24	0.0	0.0	-0.3	7	188			SELECT
232	45654CH	Mar-24	2.5	-0.3	0.1	2	188			SELECT
233	35099SH	Apr-24	1.3	0.0	0.0	6	187			SELECT
234	45516CH	Mar-24	0.2	0.1	-0.2	8	187	*		SELECT
235	45692CH	Mar-24	-0.4	0.6	-0.2	4	186			SELECT
236	45850CH	Mar-24	0.5	0.2	-0.1	2	185			SELECT
237	45941CH	Mar-24	-0.3	0.2	-0.1	7	183			SELECT
238	45680CH	Mar-24	-0.2	-0.1	-0.4	5	183			SELECT
239	45549CH	Mar-24	-0.8	0.4	-0.1	9	182	*		SELECT
240	46021CH	Apr-24	-0.5	-0.1	-0.3	3	178			SELECT
241	34997SH	Apr-24	-0.6	0.4	-0.1	2	176			SELECT
242	45635CH	Mar-24	-0.2	-0.7	-0.4	8	175	*		SELECT
243	45913CH	Mar-24	0.2	-0.6	-0.3	6	174			SELECT
244	45882CH	Mar-24	-0.3	-0.2	-0.2	5	174			SELECT

ABERBLACK			CARCASE TRAITS			LAMBING SUBINDEX	SHEPHERDING			INDEX	GRADE
LOT	RAM	BORN	Growth	Muscle depth	Fat depth		Lamb Survival	Lambing Ease	Maternal Index		
							***Top 5%, ** Top 10%, *Top 25%				
Breed Average			0.0	0.0	0.0	3				102	
245	04505BH	Apr-24	3.7	1.7	0.6	6	*		***	176	ELITE
246	34968SH	Apr-24	4.6	1.4	0.0	3			***	176	ELITE
247	04504BH	Apr-24	3.7	1.6	0.6	6	*	*	***	175	ELITE
248	34841SH	Apr-24	3.7	1.7	0.3	2			***	174	ELITE
249	35093SH	Apr-24	3.7	1.5	0.3	3			***	169	ELITE
250	34907SH	Apr-24	4.9	0.9	0.2	2			***	168	ELITE
251	34829SH	Apr-24	5.3	0.7	0.3	2			***	167	ELITE
252	35001SH	Apr-24	3.7	1.2	0.3	2			**	162	ELITE
253	34842SH	Apr-24	3.4	1.1	0.1	2			***	158	ELITE
254	34876SH	Apr-24	2.5	1.5	0.1	2			***	157	ELITE
255	35104SH	Apr-24	2.7	1.4	0.3	1			***	154	ELITE
256	34819SH	Apr-24	3.5	0.8	-0.3	1			***	153	ELITE
257	35116SH	Apr-24	1.4	1.8	-0.2	2			**	152	ELITE
258	04408BH	Apr-24	3.7	0.6	0.3	2			*	151	ELITE
259	34938SH	Apr-24	2.5	1.2	0.1	1			*	150	ELITE

ABERBLACK				CARCASE TRAITS			LAMBING SUBINDEX	SHEPHERDING			INDEX	GRADE
LOT	RAM	BORN		Growth	Muscle depth	Fat depth		Lamb Survival	Lambing Ease	Maternal Index		
								***Top 5%, ** Top 10%, *Top 25%				
Breed Average				0.0	0.0	0.0	3				102	
260	35021SH	Apr-24		3.1	0.8	0.2	2			***	148	ELITE
261	34894SH	Apr-24		3.1	0.8	0.2	0			***	146	ELITE
262	34873SH	Apr-24		2.2	1.0	-0.1	2			**	144	ELITE
263	34828SH	Apr-24		2.0	0.9	-0.2	2			*	140	ELITE
264	34899SH	Apr-24		3.2	0.3	-0.1	3			***	140	ELITE
265	34872SH	Apr-24		2.7	0.5	-0.1	2			*	139	ELITE
266	34955SH	Apr-24		2.4	0.7	-0.3	1			***	138	ELITE
267	34832SH	Apr-24		1.8	0.7	-0.3	3			***	135	ELITE
268	34834SH	Apr-24		1.6	0.9	0.1	1			*	134	ELITE
269	34939SH	Apr-24		2.5	0.3	-0.1	1			*	131	ELITE
270	35004SH	Apr-24		-0.1	1.5	-0.2	1			*	131	ELITE
271	35124SH	Apr-24		0.6	1.1	-0.2	2			**	129	ELITE
272	34994SH	Apr-24		1.4	0.5	-0.2	0			*	122	SELECT

PRIMERA							CARCASS TRAITS			INDEX	LAMMING SUBINDEX	GRADE
LOT	RAM	BORN	Growth	Muscle depth	Fat depth							
										****Top 5% ** Top 10%, *Top 25%		
Breed Average			(Innovis EBVs)			0.0	0.0	0.0	207			
273	04409BH	Apr-24	2.9	1.2	0.1				261		ELITE	
274	04719NS	Apr-24	2.3	1.0	0.5				256	**	ELITE	
275	04478BH	Apr-24	2.5	1.0	0.2				255	*	ELITE	
276	04638NS	Apr-24	4.2	0.0	0.3				254	**	ELITE	
277	04508BH	Apr-24	3.9	0.2	0.0				251		ELITE	
278	04481BH	Apr-24	1.8	0.9	0.0				246	*	ELITE	
279	04549BH	Apr-24	1.9	1.0	0.2				246		ELITE	
280	04474BH	Apr-24	0.9	1.3	0.2				244		ELITE	
281	04500BH	Apr-24	2.6	0.4	0.2				243		ELITE	
282	04432BH	Apr-24	1.9	0.5	-0.1				239		ELITE	
283	04395BH	Apr-24	2.1	0.1	0.1				232	*	ELITE	
284	04401BH	Apr-24	1.7	0.4	0.3				232		ELITE	
285	04475BH	Apr-24	0.7	0.7	0.1				231		ELITE	
286	04548BH	Apr-24	1.1	0.5	-0.2				229		ELITE	
287	04445BH	Apr-24	1.9	-0.1	0.3				226	*	SELECT	

PRIMERA				CARCASS TRAITS				INDEX	LAMBING SUBINDEX	GRADE	
LOT	RAM	BORN	Growth	Muscle depth	Fat depth						
Breed Average			(Innovis EBVs)				0.0	0.0	0.0	207	***Top 5%, ** Top 10%, *Top 25%
288	04371BH	Apr-24	0.5	0.5	0.2		225			SELECT	
289	04375BH	Apr-24	1.8	-0.3	-0.1		223	*		SELECT	
290	04388BH	Apr-24	1.4	-0.1	0.1		221			SELECT	
291	04468BH	Apr-24	1.5	-0.4	0.0		217	*		SELECT	
292	04437BH	Apr-24	0.8	0.0	-0.1		216			SELECT	
293	04416BH	Apr-24	0.1	0.4	0.1		215			SELECT	
294	04519BH	Apr-24	2.4	-0.9	0.1		215			SELECT	
295	04461BH	Apr-24	-0.5	0.2	0.1		208			SELECT	
296	04530BH	Apr-24	-1.2	0.6	0.0		208			SELECT	

OUR SALES

Our first ram sale was held in 2011 at Aberystwyth.

2025 will be our 15th season of sales and since our original sale, we are now hosting 8 sales and a number of selection days throughout the UK as well as events for Pilgrim’s and Kepak.

Our rams are bred by 23 breeding partner flocks located throughout the country and recording 10,000+ ewes. Each ram has gone through rigorous selection process before being deemed fit for sale and we regularly cull animal that do not achieve the high standard we ad our clients expect.

The Innovis breeding programme remains of the largest globally.

2025 SALES

Coldrochie Farm	Redgorton, Perthshire, PH1 3EN	3 September
Aberystwyth 2	Peithyll, Aberystwyth, SY23 3HU	11 September
Old Hall Farm	Roughlee, Nelson, BB9 6NL	17 September

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The emerging risk of Bluetongue to UK flocks has been widely discussed in the farming press. The precise level of risk to any individual flock is difficult to estimate as many factors may influence the proportion of the flock that become infected.

We do know that the weather conditions are very likely to be a major factor, if the summer temperature and rainfall conditions favour the midge populations then we may see far larger numbers of flocks infected in 2025 than we saw last year. The proportion of infected animals in those flocks may also be significantly higher.

We do know that once a sheep is infected the disease is severe and very often fatal. As breeding rams are the most valuable animals in the flock and a big financial investment, **Innovis are vaccinating all breeding rams**, to provide maximum protection against BTV-3 before sale.

All rams will be sold with an accompanying health declaration document which details all vaccines the ram has received, including BTV-3. The BTV-3 vaccines currently available are anticipated to provide protection for approximately 1 year so buyers should consult their vet to discuss booster vaccinations next year as part of their annual health planning.

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Here at Innovis we work hard to make sure we are constantly improving the genetics we offer to our customers so that our flock performance can continue to improve. For the rams we offer for sale this means that the average index and threshold to qualify as an Elite grade (Top 25%) gets higher each year.

Once again this year we are offering a Genetic Upgrade Voucher to customers who have a live Innovis ram **born on or before 2020**.

Terms & Conditions:

- Vouchers must be claimed **before 12pm on Friday 29th August** to redeem your voucher at this sale.
- One voucher to be offered per live ram e.g., a customer who bought 3 x 2020 born rams can receive 3 x £50 vouchers.
- Each voucher can only be used on one ram e.g., a customer receiving 3 x £50 vouchers must purchase 3 new rams to be able to use all 3 vouchers.
- Each voucher must only be redeemed when buying an Elite or a Select grade ram.
- Voucher must be used in the same year as when it is received, it will expire at the end of the year.

Please note:

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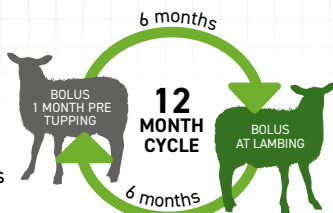
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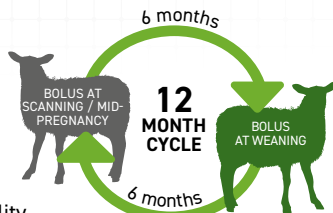
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To advertise your ewes for sale on the Innovis website, we have 2 options:

Package 1- £20:

- Listing to appear on the Innovis website
- Ewes advertised on all Innovis social media pages on a regular basis
- Innovis staff to contact individuals who may be interested in purchasing crossbred ewes.

Package 2 - £30:

- All items listed above in package 1
- Additional advertising on the Innovis Sell My Livestock portal.

If you would like to list ewes for sale, follow these steps:

1. Visit our website - scan the QR code
2. Choose the best package for you
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 - Name/business name
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 - Price per head
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 - Attach any relevant images
4. Double check the information provided
5. Proceed to the checkout and complete payment. Once payment has been recieved the listing will go live as soon as possible.



For more information or for any help with a listing, get in touch with our head office on 01970 828236

Health Protocol

Innovis understand that when selecting sheep for breeding, health is vitally important in order to protect the productivity of your flock. Therefore, we operate a unique programme to maximize health and biosecurity of our whole ram production system, from the source flocks, through to growing units and finally the rams for sale.

All breeding partner flocks are part of a health screening programme where ewes are blood sampled and some culled and screened for the major production limiting iceberg diseases through a partnership with 'Farm Post Mortems'. Further strategic screening is undertaken throughout the year and tailored flock health plans ensure that all ram lambs have had a similar start to life.

The five main Iceberg diseases:

Maedi Visna (MV)

Our breeding partner flocks are either MV accredited with PSGHS or monitored on a proportional testing programme in line with the MV accreditation scheme but operated by Innovis. Please contact our office if you specifically want MV accredited (PSGHS) stock. Innovis would implement a test and cull protocol across the whole flock if one of our breeding flocks tested positive for MV until two clear tests were achieved.

Borders Disease

In a ground-breaking initiative for our Sheep Industry, each ram has been bled and certified as Borders Disease (PI) Negative. Any PI positive ram would be culled albeit that none have been identified since we started testing in 2017.

Caseous lymphadenitis (CLA)

All our breeding flocks are monitored for CLA and any suspect abscesses on rams tested. Vaccination would be introduced if a flock were identified with CLA.

Ovine pulmonary adenocarcinoma (OPA)

As there is no robust validated test, we monitor condition score of ewes on a regular basis and post-mortem fallen stock or any ill-thrift animals where possible. We are actively involved in trying to develop a more robust approach to diagnosis and screening.

Johnes Disease

All retained ram lambs are vaccinated with 'Gudair' vaccine before five months of age, irrespective of the flock Johnes status, to safeguard their working life to customers. We also monitor for Johnes disease at multiplier flock level annually through faecal samples and post-mortem reports.



Ram lambs move on to grower units, selected for good biosecurity and management systems - each farm runs a grass and forage-based system and has a tailored health plan, meaning that each ram for sale is grown under similar conditions.

Finally, to ensure our rams are fit for purpose, each ram undergoes a pre-sale MOT to examine its suitability for breeding. This includes a clinical examination together with palpation and visual inspection of the external genitalia. Rams will leave our sales having had a quarantine drench of either 4-AD = Monepantel (Zolvix™) or 5-SI = Derquantel / abamectin (Startect™) in line with SCOPS guidelines. The rams will have also received a trace element bolus and Pasteurella vaccination booster pre-sale.



Sheep Scab – rams will have either been screened for exposure to Scab (Psoroptes ovis antibody ELISA test) at a group level or treated with a 2% Moxidectin injection at 1mg moxidectin/kg bodyweight pre-sale.

For information on **Bluetongue**, see **page 30**.



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