
SECTION HEADING

LWMP 1601: Sheep Reproduction

Description

Sheep Reproduction will help students understand the sheep reproductive system including the function of their productive system; the reproductive cycle and factors affecting reproduction.

Management Credits

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Topics to be Covered

1. Ram reproductive system
2. Soundness exams
3. Ram effect and factors that affect the rams breeding ability
4. The ewe reproductive system and factors that affect reproductive performance

Learning Outcomes

1. Describe the ram effect.
2. Explain ram soundness exam.
3. Identify factors affecting reproductive performance of rams.
4. Describe the structure and function of the ram reproductive system.
5. Describe breeding problems in ewes.
6. Outline important relationships in reproductive function.
7. Identify factors influencing reproductive performance.
8. Explain detection of estrus and the estrous cycle.
9. Explain anestrus period in sheep.
10. Describe the structure and function of the ewe reproductive system.