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## Lesson 11.3: The Sheep Industry

### Lesson Review

Carefully study the lesson and then answer the following questions.

1. On average, Americans consume \_\_\_\_ of lamb or mutton each year. (11.3.1)

- A. 1 lb
- B. 5 lb
- C. 10 lb
- D. 25 lb

Answer:

2. *True or False?* Americans consume, on average, more lamb and mutton per person than countries such as Australia or New Zealand. (11.3.1)

Answer:

3. *True or False?* US lamb and mutton consumption has increased in the last 50 years. (11.3.1)

Answer:

4. What are the two main purposes for raising sheep? (11.3.1)

Answer:

5. List the top five wool-producing countries in the world. (11.3.1)

Answer:

6. Which US state produces the most wool? (11.3.1)

- A. Wyoming
- B. Illinois
- C. Texas

D. California

Answer:

7. In its raw state, wool is called \_\_\_\_\_ wool. (11.3.1)

A. fleece

B. plain

C. greasy

D. sheared

Answer:

8. *True or False?* Wool quality varies only slightly from region to region or breed to breed. (11.3.1)

Answer:

*Match each of the terms to its definition.* (11.3.1)

A. Ewe

B. Ewe lamb

C. Flock

D. Lamb

E. Lambing

F. Mutton

G. Ram

H. Ram lamb

I. Wether

9. Castrated male

Answer:

10. Mature female

Answer:

11. Young of either gender, or meat from a sheep under one year old

Answer:

12. Young female

Answer:

13. Young male

Answer:

14. Giving birth

Answer:

15. Mature male

Answer:

16. Meat from a sheep over one year old

Answer:

17. Group of sheep

Answer:

18. The gestation of a ewe is \_\_\_\_ days. (11.3.2)

A. 100

B. 125

C. 150

D. 175

Answer:

19. Sheep are seasonal breeders; this means that their breeding is influenced by \_\_\_\_.  
(11.3.2)

A. the phase of the moon

B. summer rainfall

- C. shifts in daily temperature
- D. the length of day

Answer:

20. What is the difference between range production and farm flocks? (11.3.3)

Answer:

21. What is the main goal of purebred producers? (11.3.3)

Answer:

22. Sheep have a(n) \_\_\_\_\_ digestive system. (11.3.4)

- A. avian
- B. modified monogastric
- C. monogastric
- D. ruminant

Answer:

*Label the external anatomy of sheep.* (11.3.4)

23. Chest floor

Answer:

24. Dock

Answer:

25. Face/eye channel

Answer:

26. Flank

Answer:

27. Forerib

Answer:

28. Hindsaddle

Answer:

29. Hip

Answer:

30. Hock

Answer:

31. Hoof

Answer:

32. Knee

Answer:

33. Leg

Answer:

34. Loin

Answer:

35. Middle

Answer:

36. Muzzle

Answer:

37. Neck

Answer:

38. Pastern

Answer:

39. Point of shoulder

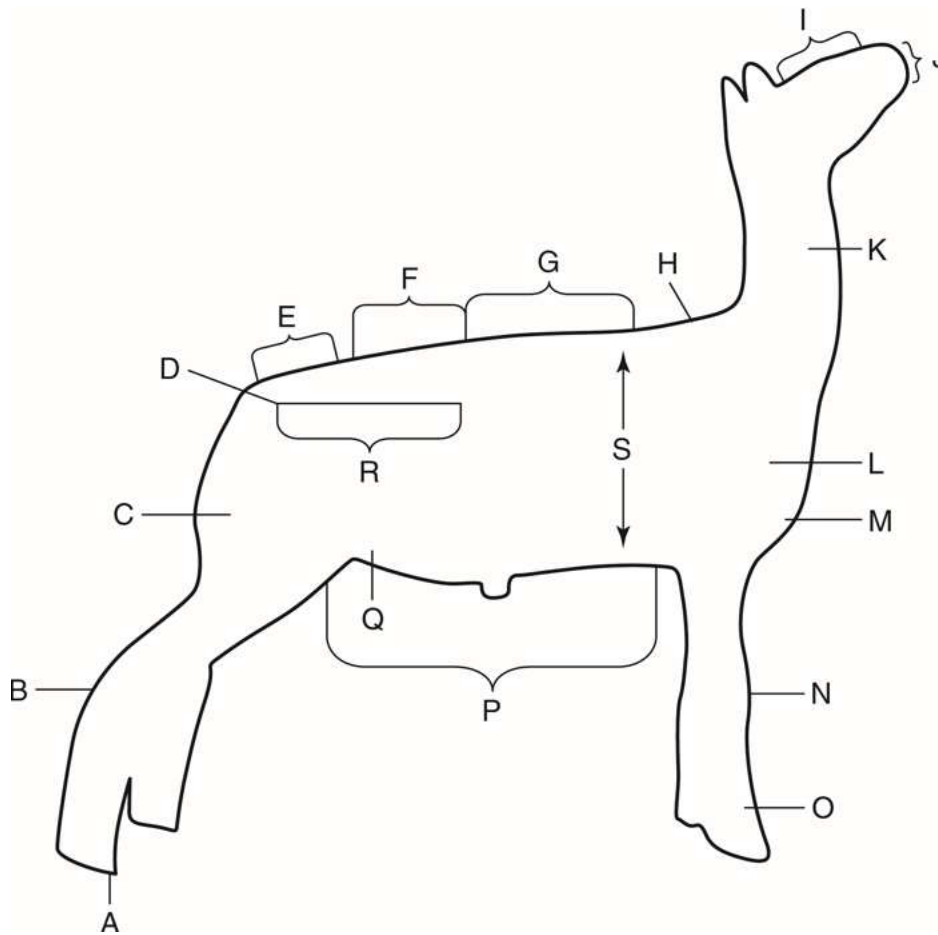
Answer:

40. Rack

Answer:

41. Top of shoulder

Answer:



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42. The number of animals on a given amount of land over a certain period of time is called the \_\_\_\_\_. (11.3.4)

- A. quarantine number
- B. stocking rate
- C. range number
- D. flock size

Answer:

43. *True or False?* It is easy to separate several sheep from the flock. (11.3.5)

Answer:

44. *True or False?* Sheep will try to stay in well-lit areas. (11.3.5)

Answer:

45. *True or False?* The term *flight zone* refers to how close you can get to sheep before they start moving. (11.3.5)

Answer:

46. List three important primal cuts of lamb or mutton. (11.3.6)

Answer:

47. List one breed of sheep for each of the following types. (11.3.6)

A. Fine-wool

Answer:

B. Long-wool

Answer:

C. Medium-wool

Answer:

D. Crossbred-wool

Answer:

E. Hair

Answer:

### Critical Thinking

1. Why do you think the consumption of lamb and mutton is so different in the United States compared to countries such as Australia and New Zealand? (11.3.1)

Answer: