Breed Descriptor of Patanwadi (Sheep)





Breeding Tract					
State: Gujarat	Patan				
	Surendranagar				
	Rajkot				
	Kutchchh				
	Junagadh				
	Jamnagar				
	Bhavnagar				
	Amreli				
	Mahesana				
Location					
Longitude (deg.)	70.07 - 72.37				
Latitude (deg.)	21.31 - 23.52				
General Information					
Synonyms	Kutchi, Kathiawari, Vadhiyari, Charotari				
Origin					
Major utility	Fibre - Wool; Food - Meat				
Comments on utility					
Comments on breeding					
tract					
Adaptability to environment					
Population					
	Year	Population	Other information		
	2013	472997	Source: Estimated		
			Livestock Population		
			Breed Wise Based on		
			Breed Survey 2013.		
			Department of		
			Animal Husbandry,		
			Dairying & Fisheries,		
			Government of India,		
			New Delhi		
Management		•	•		
Management system	Extensive				
Mobility	Stationary and Transhumant				
Moonity	Zamana Tamonamin				

Feeding of adults	Grazing			
Comments on Management				
Morphology				
Colour	Face colour is light to dark brown. Fleece is white.			
Horn shape and size	Both polled.			
Visible characteristics	Typically roman nose. Ears are medium to large with			
	hairy tuft. Fleece is of medium carpet quality and not			
	very dense. The migratory sheep have larger body and			
	long legs. They have coarse fleece and are found in			
	Western and North-Eastern Gujarat.			
	Male	Female	Overall	
Height (avg. cm.)	65.12	59.55		
Body Length (avg. cm.)	59.34	59.28		
Heart girth (avg. cm.)	78.46	70.42		
Body weight (avg. kg.)	33.34	26.53		
Birth weight (avg. kg.)			3.06	
Performance				
	Average	Minimum	Maximum	
Litter size born	1.0			
Age at first parturition	33.26			
(months)				
Fleece weight (kg/year)	1.05			
Any Peculiarity of the breed				