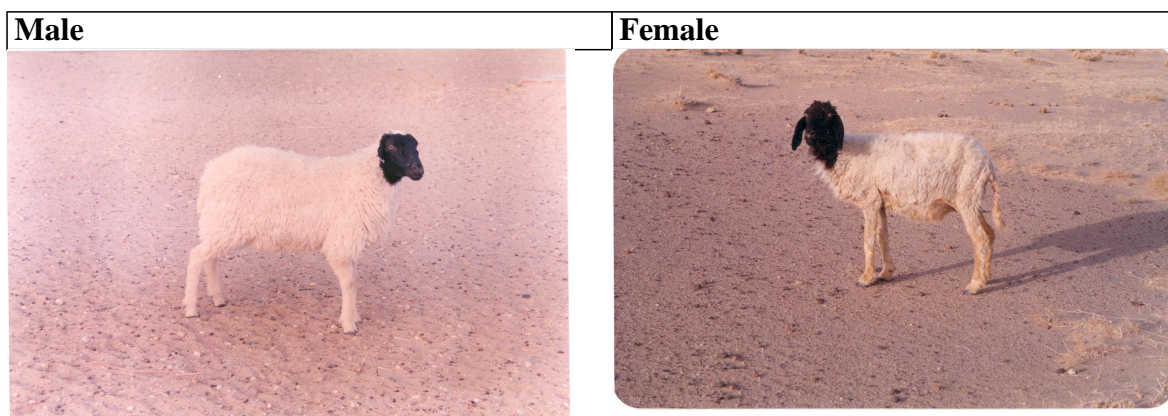


Breed Descriptor of Jaisalmeri (Sheep)



Breeding Tract			
State: Rajasthan	Jodhpur		
	Jaisalmer		
	Bikaner		
	Barmer		
Location			
Longitude (deg.)	70.30 - 71.50		
Latitude (deg.)	25.40 - 26.30		
General Information			
Synonyms			
Origin			
Major utility	Fibre - Wool; Food - Meat		
Comments on utility			
Comments on breeding tract			
Adaptability to environment			
Population			
	Year	Population	Other information
	2013	1018880	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		
Feeding of adults	Grazing		
Comments on Management	In certain pars, the flocks may migrate a little for water during summer months.		
Morphology			

Colour	Face is black or dark brown, the colour extends up to the neck.		
Horn shape and size	Both polled.		
Visible characteristics	The animals are fairly well built and tall. Legs are long. Head is big with typical Roman nose. Long drooping ears, generally with a cartilaginous appendage.		
	Male	Female	Overall
Height (avg. cm.)	66.2	66.91	
Body Length (avg. cm.)	65.6	68.55	
Heart girth (avg. cm.)	72.6	82.39	
Body weight (avg. kg.)	27.78	29.94	
Performance			
	Average	Minimum	Maximum
Litter size born	1.0		
Parturition interval (months)	12.0		
Fleece weight (kg/year)	1.54		
Any Peculiarity of the breed			