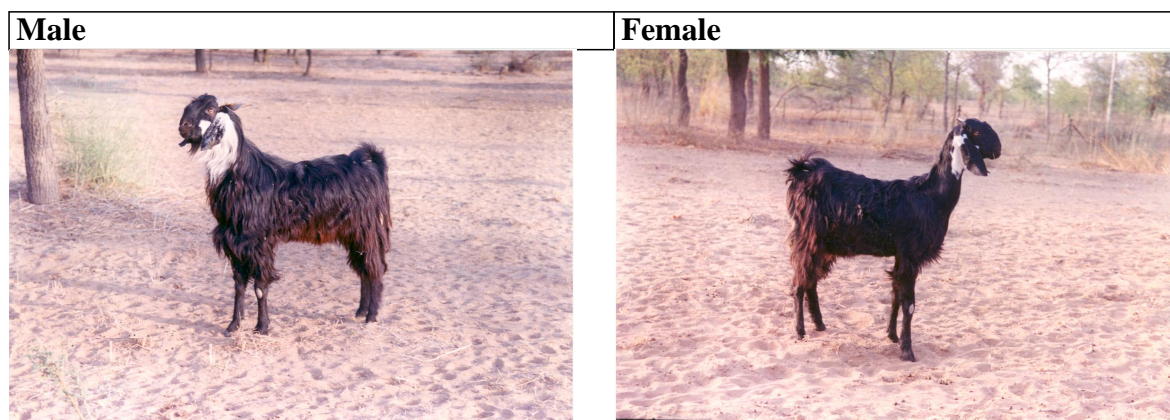


Breed Descriptor of Kutchi (Goat)



Breeding Tract			
State: Gujarat	Patan		
	Kutchchh		
	Mahesana		
	Banas Kantha		
Location			
Longitude (deg.)	70.00 - 72.40		
Latitude (deg.)	23.03 - 24.00		
General Information			
Synonyms	Kathiawari, Deshi		
Origin	The breed derived its name from Kutch or Kachchh region of Gujarat state of India.		
Major utility	Food - Meat and Milk		
Comments on utility			
Comments on breeding tract			
Adaptability to environment			
Population			
	Year	Population	Other information
	2006	453209	Sample survey by NBAGR, Karnal
	2013	380723	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	Semi-Intensive		
Mobility	Stationary		
Feeding of adults	Grazing, Fodder and Concentrate		

Comments on Management			
Morphology			
Colour	Coat is predominantly black. White spots on neck, mouth and ear region.		
Horn shape and size	Horns are small to long, corckscrew type and directed upwards.		
Visible characteristics	Long and coarse hair, slightly roman nose, and corckscrew type horns.		
	Male	Female	Overall
Height (avg. cm.)	85.96	79.78	
Body Length (avg. cm.)	83.17	79.78	
Heart girth (avg. cm.)	80.91	76.88	
Body weight (avg. kg.)	46.96	39.91	
Birth weight (avg. kg.)	3.57	3.08	
Performance			
	Average	Minimum	Maximum
Litter size born	1.12	1.0	2.0
Age at first parturition (months)	24.14		
Parturition interval (months)	10.38	9.8	10.8
Milk yield per lactation (kg)	114.5	110.0	141.0
Dressing percentage	58.4		
Any Peculiarity of the breed			