



MASHAM

Cross

Established in the UK: 20th century

ORIGINS

Produced by crossing a Teeswater or Wensleydale ram with a Northern hill ewe such as the Swaledale or Dalesbred.

CHARACTERISTICS

A hardy sheep, without horns, its face and legs are black and white. It has a long lustrous fleece.

LOCATION

The hills of Northern England.

MAIN USES

Mostly in blends, either with other lustrous wools for particular effects, or in carpet yarn blends.



**Breed Society
Established:**
1986

Handle:
Soft/Demi-Lustre

Colour:
White/Creamy

Fleece Weight:
3 - 4.5 kg

Staple Length:
12 - 25 cm

Micron Range:
33.5 - 35

PHOTOS

Above: female
Middle left: female
Opposite page: female