

BERRICHON DU CHER

Fine

Established in the UK: 20th century

ORIGINS

A breed developed in France, improved by the Merino in the 1780's and by the British Dishley Leicester in the 1800's.

CHARACTERISTICS

Hornless, white faced, compact medium to large sheep whose dense, white medium-fine fleece has a good crimp.

LOCATION

Specialist flocks throughout the UK.

MAIN USES

In the Japanese bedding market for futons, also in blends for apparel yarns.



**Breed Society
Established:**
1986

Handle:
Soft

Colour:
White

Fleece Weight:
2 - 2.5 kgs

Staple Length:
4 - 7 cm

Micron Range:
30 - 32

PHOTOS

Above: female
Middle left: female
Opposite page: female



