

MULE - WELSH

Cross

Established in the UK: 20th century

ORIGINS

Sired by the Bluefaced Leicester ram on a hardy Welsh hill ewe, such as a Welsh Mountain or a Beulah Speckled Face. The Welsh Mule was developed as a prolific hardy ewe for prime lamb production.

CHARACTERISTICS

Hornless, with a mottled face and legs without wool. The fleece is well grown, medium-fine and demi-lustrous.

LOCATION

Throughout the UK.

MAIN USES

Mainly in carpet blends.



**Breed Society
Established:**
1978

Handle:
Soft/Medium

Colour:
White/Creamy

Fleece Weight:
2.5 - 3.5 kg

Staple Length:
10 - 18 cm

Micron Range:
29 - 32

PHOTOS

Above: female
Middle left: female
Opposite page: female

