

Sheep and their fleece production every year

NEW ZEALAND ROMNEY



Numbers	27,000,000
Bodyweight	45-65kg
Wool Production	
Fibre diameter	33-39 microns
Staple length	125-175 mm
Fleece weight	4.5-6.5kg
Lamb production	90-150 percent

The New Zealand Romney is a dual purpose breed with long, medium-lustre wool. Farmed throughout New Zealand in almost all environments. Medium to large sheep with white face and legs usually covered with wool. Wool on poll and cheeks, with clear eyes. Black nostrils.

COOPWORTH

Numbers	7,500,000
Bodyweight	55-65kg
Wool Production	
Fibre diameter	35-40 microns
Staple length	125-175 mm
Fleece weight	4.5-6kg
Lamb production	110-150 percent



The Coopworth is a dual purpose breed with coarse, long, lustrous wool. Farmed throughout New Zealand on lowlands and improved hill country. Medium to large sheep with white face and legs clear of wool. Usually some wool on the poll.