#### Which sheep do I buy?

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# Lambing rates

**Current level** 

150

200

250

Roadmap goal 150 national LC

Typical Midwest farm flock

Sell feeder lambs

Sell ethnic non traditional lambs

Direct market

Typical Midwest farm flock

Terminal sires, PWW or Carcass plus

live weight versus grid



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Sell feeder lambs

Select terminal sires on WW or PWW carcass merit less important selling weight

Sell ethnic non traditional lambs

Live weights of 75-100 pounds moderate size different breeds

Direct market

target weights

EMD and Back fat

Carcass plus



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#### **Profit**

Flock prolificacy number factor

Hybrid vigor

LB, LW, MI, MWW

