

VENDORS

Lot	Vendor
3, 8, 9	Walter Brennan - Monard, Mayo Abbey, Claremorris, Co. Mayo
1, 2, 6, 7, 10	Paul Coyne - Rathgranagher, Cloghans Hill, Tuam, Co. Mayo
4	Oisin Mctiernan - Donaghmore, Manorhamilton, Co. Leitrim
5	Pat Staunton - Cappaduff, Tourakeady, Co. Mayo

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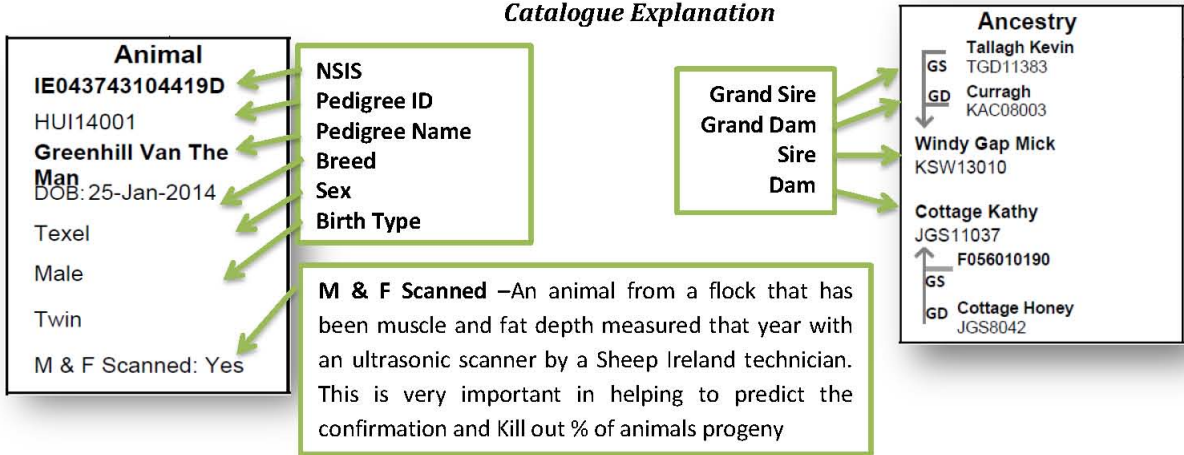
Background

Sheep Ireland was established “To achieve the greatest possible improvement, from genetic and other factors, in the profitability of the national sheep flock for the benefit of the Irish farmers and sheep industry”.

How to select a ram fit for purpose?

Evaluations should **never be the only tool** you use when selecting animals for breeding. Animals must also be examined to ensure the animal is also physically correct; an animal that is not physically correct (ie. mouth, feet, etc.) cannot compensate for this fault regardless of its evaluation and should be avoided for breeding purposes.

Catalogue Explanation



€uro-Stars – How to interpret them

- Each star represents the ranking of each index in 20% bounds
- One star represents the bottom 20% of the breed
- Five star represents the top 20% of the breed
- The higher the stars, the higher the predicted profitability of that animal

Rank

- This figure indicates more precisely where the animals rank within the breed. eg. Top 11% (see example below)
- This is displayed with the black pointer, the further to the right these are on the scale, the better its position with the breed.



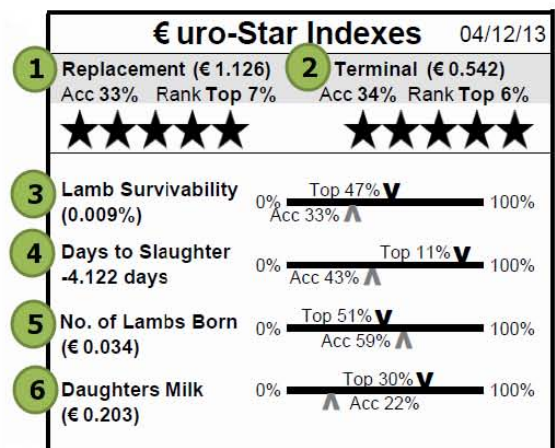
Acc % (Accuracy%)

- Acc is an abbreviation of Accuracy. This figure is very important as it represents the amount of data behind each evaluation. Where Acc is low, much less emphasis should be placed on the evaluation, and vice versa.
- This is displayed with the grey pointer, the further to the right these are on the scale, the more information this evaluation is based on. e.g. Acc 43% (see example above)

Acc % parameters

V.Poor, 0% - 14% **Poor**, 15% - 24%
Fair, 25% - 34% **Good**, 35% - 49%
V.Good, 50% and above

- 1) **Replacement (€1.126)** – If a farmer desires a ram to breed both lambs both for slaughter and replacement ewe lambs then they should select a ram based on this index. The bulk of this index is a combination of Lamb Survivability, Days to Slaughter, No. of lambs born & Daughters milk. The € value beside the index represents the difference in profit that each lamb sired from this ram will have.
- 2) **Terminal (€0.542)** – If a farmer desires a ram to breed only lambs both for slaughter then they should select a ram based on this index. The bulk of this index is a combination of Lamb Survivability, Days to Slaughter. The € value beside the index represents the difference in profit that each lamb sired from this ram will have.
- 3) **Days to slaughter** – This ranks animals on their genetic ability to grow. The index associated with this trait represents the difference in the predicted number of days required for the progeny of this ram to reach the desired slaughtered weight compared with other animals of the same breed.
- 4) **Lamb Survivability** – This ranks animals based on lambing ease and lamb survival rate. Every positive % point on this index is an extra lamb surviving to 40 days and vice versa.
- 5) **No. of Lambs Born** – This ranks animals based on the predicted prolificacy of the females from this animal compared with other animals of the same breed
- 6) **Daughters Milk** – This ranks animals based on the predicted milking performance of its daughters compared with other animals of the same breed



Ram Search

The Sheep Ireland Online Ram search is also available at sheep.ie; you can use this tool to get the most up to date evaluations for a ram, to search for rams by county, breed and evaluation ratings.

Contact Us

To Find out more about €uro-Star rams, LambPlus or the Online Ram search you can

- 1) Visit www.sheep.ie
- 2) E-mail query at [sheep.ie](mailto:info@sheep.ie)
- 3) Call us on 1850 601 901

Lot: 4	Owner: Oisin Mctiernan; Donaghmore, Manorhamilton, Co. Leitrim	
Animal OME13003 Mulkaun DOB: 21-Feb-2013 Texel Male Single	Ancestry GS Ettrick Jackpot GGH03082 GD Millar'S Vmg 04017(E) VMG04017 ↓ Millars Napoleon VMG07349 Mulkaun OME10005 ↑ GS Twyford Monkey TFE06004 GD Roscommon NBI08019	€uro-Star Indexes 02/09/2014 Flock is not a member of LambPlus
		Comment:

Lot: 5	Owner: Pat Staunton; Cappaduff, Tourakeady, Co. Mayo												
Animal XT113016 Tourmakeady Ukraine DOB: 25-Feb-2013 Texel Male Twin M & F Scanned: Yes	Ancestry GS Glenside Razzle Dazzle FPG1000055 GD Ballybrooney EW109007 ↓ Ballybrooney Topper EW112009 Tourmakeady XT107009 ↑ GS Enniscrone Magic Mushroom GAI06032 GD Chessy PNI03073	€uro-Star Indexes 02/09/2014 <table border="1"> <tr> <td>Replacement (€0.753) Acc 28% Rank Top 19%</td> <td>Terminal (€0.3) Acc 29% Rank Top 23%</td> </tr> <tr> <td>★★★★★</td> <td>★★★★★</td> </tr> </table>	Replacement (€0.753) Acc 28% Rank Top 19%	Terminal (€0.3) Acc 29% Rank Top 23%	★★★★★	★★★★★							
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Lot: 6	Owner: Paul Coyne; Rathgranagher, Cloghans Hill, Tuam, Co. Mayo												
Animal IE043259802416F LC113116 Miller DOB: 12-Mar-2013 Texel Male Twin M & F Scanned: Yes	Ancestry GS Springwell Keystone GRS04070 GD Roughan SJI02017 ↓ Roughan Laptop SJI05025 Curraghmore JBE06008 ↑ GS Baileys Kraka EBE04023 GD Chessy PNI04149	€uro-Star Indexes 02/09/2014 <table border="1"> <tr> <td>Replacement (€0.115) Acc 47% Rank Btm 41%</td> <td>Terminal (€0.121) Acc 47% Rank Top 50%</td> </tr> <tr> <td>★★★</td> <td>★★★</td> </tr> </table>	Replacement (€0.115) Acc 47% Rank Btm 41%	Terminal (€0.121) Acc 47% Rank Top 50%	★★★	★★★							
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Lot: 7	Owner: Paul Coyne; Rathgranagher, Cloghans Hill, Tuam, Co. Mayo	
Animal IE043259802430E LCI13130 Miller DOB: 17-Mar-2013 Texel Male Twin M & F Scanned: Yes	Ancestry GS Kelso Picasso MBZ09040 GD Hillcrest YZI09065 ↓ Hillcrest Statesman YZI11036 Miller LCI07099 GS Greenhill Lunasa HUI05085 GD Miller LCI04167	€uro-Star Indexes 02/09/2014 Replacement (€0.789) Terminal (€0.379) Acc 41% Rank Top 18% Acc 45% Rank Top 15% ★★★★★★ ★★★★★★ Lamb Survivability (0.526%) Poor Top 6% V Excellent 0% Acc 39% 100% Days to Slaughter -2.147 days Top 35% V 100% 0% Acc 52% ^ No. of Lambs Born (€0.338) Top 19% V 100% 0% Acc 65% ^ Daughters Milk (€-0.383) V Btm 39% 100% 0% Acc 36% ^
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Lot: 8	Owner: Walter Brennan; Monard, Mayo Abbey, Claremorris, Co. Mayo	
Animal XWI13033 Monard DOB: 16-Feb-2013 Texel Male Twin M & F Scanned: Yes	Ancestry GS Kelso Picasso MBZ09040 GD Hillcrest YZI09065 ↓ Hillcrest Statesman YZI11036 Monard XWI10062 GS Larahirl Nutter GEI07077 GD Monard XWI05018	€uro-Star Indexes 02/09/2014 Replacement (€0.713) Terminal (€0.545) Acc 32% Rank Top 21% Acc 33% Rank Top 6% ★★★★★ ★★★★★★ Lamb Survivability (0.556%) Poor Top 5% V Excellent 0% Acc 35% 100% Days to Slaughter -2.844 days Top 23% V 100% 0% Acc 38% ^ No. of Lambs Born (€-0.017) V Btm 42% 100% 0% Acc 62% ^ Daughters Milk (€0.788) Top 14% V 100% 0% Acc 27% ^
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Lot: 9	Owner: Walter Brennan; Monard, Mayo Abbey, Claremorris, Co. Mayo	
Animal XWI13008 Monard DOB: 13-Feb-2013 Texel Male Single M & F Scanned: Yes	Ancestry GS Claybury DHL05079 GD Seneirl CAS04215 ↓ Larahirl Nutter GEI07077 Monard XWI05021 GS Cluntagh Goldeneye MGC00061 GD Monard XWI00001	€uro-Star Indexes 02/09/2014 Replacement (€0.009) Terminal (€0.276) Acc 32% Rank Btm 34% Acc 34% Rank Top 25% ★★★ ★★★★★★ Lamb Survivability (0.076%) Poor Top 38% V Excellent 0% Acc 23% 100% Days to Slaughter -2.057 days Top 37% V 100% 0% Acc 42% ^ No. of Lambs Born (€-0.524) V Btm 6% 100% 0% Acc 63% ^ Daughters Milk (€0.63) Top 18% V 100% 0% Acc 32% ^
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Lot: 10

Owner: Paul Coyne; Rathgranagher, Cloghans Hill, Tuam, Co. Mayo

Animal

IE043259802431G

LCI13131

Miller

DOB: 17-Mar-2013

Texel

Male

Twin

M & F Scanned: Yes

Ancestry

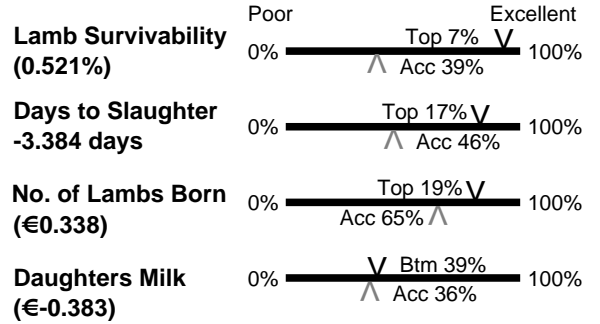
GS **Kelso Picasso**
MBZ09040
GD **Hillcrest**
YZI09065

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Hillcrest Statesman
YZI11036

Miller
LCI07099
GS **Greenhill Lunasa**
HUI05085
GD **Miller**
LCI04167

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Replacement (€1.016)	Terminal (€0.524)
Acc 38% Rank Top 10%	Acc 40% Rank Top 7%
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