



American Blackbelly Open Registration Progeny Testing Data Sheet

IMPORTANT: READ THE POLICY AND PROCEDURES ON THE BBSAI WEBSITE BEFORE MAKING ENTRIES. ONLY ONE CANDIDATE SHEEP PER FORM. INCOMPLETE APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE PROCESSED. IF POSSIBLE, THIS FORM SHOULD BE COMPLETED AND SUBMITTED ON-LINE ON THE BBSAI WEBSITE OR EMAILED. FIELDS 1, 2 & 3 MUST EXACTLY MATCH FIELDS 1, 4 & 6 FROM AN OPEN REGISTRATION CANDIDATE SHEEP APPLICATION SUBMITTED BY YOU AND APPROVED BY THE COMMITTEE.

ALL BLANKS MUST CONTAIN INFORMATION. "N/A" AND "UNKNOWN" ARE ACCEPTABLE WHERE APPLICABLE.

① OWNER/APPLICANT NAME	② CANDIDATE SHEEP NAME	③ PERMANENT ID FOR BBSAI USE ONLY
	④ BRED-TO SHEEP NAME*	⑤ PERMANENT ID ⑥ REGISTRATION NO.

*IF THE "BRED-TO SHEEP" WAS BORROWED, LEASED, OWNED BY ANOTHER MEMBER ATTACH A COMPLETE BBSAI CERTIFICATE OF PARENTAGE/SERVICE FORM.

⑦ PLEASE PROVIDE THE COEFFICIENT OF INBREEDING (COI) FOR THIS MATING, IF POSSIBLE:

LIST ALL PROGENY BORN OF THIS MATING BELOW. **ATTACH 4 PHOTOS OF EACH LAMB.**

⑧ SHEEP NAME	⑨ SEX	⑩ ID/EAR TAG	⑪ DATE OF BIRTH	⑫ BIRTH TYPE	⑬ NOTES

⑭ LIST KNOWN PROGENY BORN OF ANY OTHER MATING IN WHICH THE CANDIDATE SHEEP WAS THE SIRE/DAM, *REGARDLESS OF WHETHER OR NOT THE MATE OR PROGENY WERE REGISTERED.* ATTACH PHOTOS OF THE OFFSPRING IF AVAILABLE.

SHEEP NAME	SEX	ID/EAR TAG	DATE OF BIRTH	BIRTH TYPE	SIRE/DAM NAME. ID, AND REGISTRATION NO.
					SIRE
					DAM
					SIRE
					DAM
					SIRE
					DAM
					SIRE
					DAM

IF POSSIBLE, THIS FORM SHOULD BE COMPLETED AND SUBMITTED WITH PHOTOS ON-LINE THROUGH THE BBSAI WEBSITE OR EMAILED. OTHERWISE, THE FORM AND PHOTOS MAY BE MAILED TO: American Blackbelly Open Registration Committee

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Anderson, IN 46012

ANY QUESTIONS SHOULD BE ADDRESSED TO: ABOpenReg@blackbellysheep.org

I certify that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the information provided is true, accurate, and complete, that all progeny listed are from the mating(s) described, all offspring are "purebred" American Blackbelly Sheep and meet, at the level of "Acceptable" or "Ideal", all current American Blackbelly breed standards set by the BBSAI. I understand that submission of this application and data does not guarantee the candidate sheep will be registered. I have attached or included with this submission the four photographs of each lamb as required.

MEMBER'S SIGNATURE (scanned or hard-copy submissions) OR TYPED NAME (electronic submissions):	DATE
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American Blackbelly Open Registration Progeny Testing Instructions

Candidate sheep must be at least seven (7) months old before beginning the Open Registration process and have passed a preliminary evaluation by the American Blackbelly Open Registration Committee. Once eligibility has been determined, the candidate sheep must be bred to an unrelated, BBSAI registered sheep. If the mate is borrowed or rented (not owned by the candidate sheep's owner), a BBSAI Certificate of Service must be completed. Lambs born from this mating (the progeny) must be at least three (3) months old before being photographed and submitting this form. Incomplete forms and/or inadequate photographs will delay or prevent processing of applications. Please refer to the American Blackbelly Open Registration Policies and Procedures for additional details on progeny testing.

①	OWNER/APPLICANT NAME	The name of the person who currently owns the candidate sheep. This must be the same owner that submitted the original application.
②	CANDIDATE SHEEP NAME	The common or "pet" name of the candidate sheep. This name will be appended to the flock name and become the sheep's official registered name (e.g., Double J Helen).
③	PERMANENT IDENTIFICATION	The candidate sheep's permanently affixed identification. This may be an ear tag, RFID, microchip or tattoo with the individual animal identification number or code mandated/assigned by government authority for animal traceability (e.g., USDA Scrapie ID – AL192-0110; CCIA ID –1240005001390707).
④	BRED-TO SHEEP NAME	The BBSAI official registered name of the sheep to which the candidate sheep was bred. (e.g., Double J Crazy4Ewe II). If the Bred-to Sheep was borrowed, rented or leased (owned by someone else) a BBSAI Certificate of Service must be completed and submitted with this form.
⑤	PERMANENT IDENTIFICATION	The bred-to sheep's permanently affixed identification. See #3 for specifics.
⑥	REGISTRATION NO.	The BBSAI registration number of the sheep to which the candidate sheep was bred (e.g., DJF06042774AB).
⑦	COEFFICIENT OF INBREEDING	If possible, provide the coefficient of inbreeding (COI) for the mating. This will be the COI for all lambs born of the mating. The COI is an estimate of the probability that the sheep has common ancestors, expressed in percentage, i.e., the relatedness of its parents. (See: blackbellysheep.org/about-the-sheep/coefficient-of-inbreeding/)
PROGENY INFORMATION:		
⑧	SHEEP NAME	The common or "pet" name of the candidate sheep's lambs born during progeny testing.
⑨	SEX	R = ram E = ewe
⑩	ID/EAR TAG	The permanently affixed identification on the lambs born during progeny testing.
⑪	DATE OF BIRTH	mm/dd/yyyy (e.g., 05/22/2022 = May 5, 2022)
⑫	TYPE OF BIRTH	S =single TW =twin TP =triplet QD =quadruplet
⑬	NOTES	Any comments related to BBSAI AB breed standard conformance may be entered here.
⑭	PROGENY OF PREVIOUS MATING	Optional: Enter progeny information from any previous mating of the candidate sheep to registered AB sheep.

Four (4) clear photographs (front, rear, left side and right side) of each lamb born during progeny testing must be submitted. At least one of the photographs must clearly show the animal identification tag. There should be no other sheep in the picture and the date of the photograph should be on the picture. Digital files should contain the animal's name in the file name. For additional information on what constitutes a good registration photograph, see the BBSAI website's Registration page: <https://www.blackbellysheep.org/registration/>.

NOTE: Once a candidate sheep has received a BBSAI registration, the lambs from the progeny testing may also be registered using the regular registration process.