

KATAHDIN HAIR SHEEP INTERNATIONAL REGISTRY HAIR COAT INSPECTION FORM

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Important
 1. Type or Print Legibly
 2. Check your application for errors
 3. Proper fees must accompany all work

OWNER OF SHEEP _____
ADDRESS _____
 St. OR Rt. _____ CITY _____ ST _____ ZIP _____

Owner # _____

KHSI INSPECTOR (*print name*) _____

Flock Prefix _____

DATE OF INSPECTION _____ **# OF ANIMALS INSPECTED** (*on this form*) _____

Leave Blank For Office Use Only	1 Sex	2 KHSI Prefix and ID (tag or tattoo)	3 Birthdate	4 % Katahdin	5 Horn/Poll Type (H, Sc, P)	6 Coat Type (A, B, C)	7 Inspector Comments
Sample	E	HGF 33-03	2-27-02	87.5%	P	A	

Brief Summary of Inspection Instructions

1. If previously Registered/Recorded, do not use this form. Use the "Original Certificate". Inspector will write the coat type, horn/poll type, sign, date and print their name on the certificate. Owner needs to mail the "Certificate(s)" with coat inspection and a Work Order and Fee Schedule to the KHSI Registry with \$5/animal inspected for Reclassification.
2. Use this "Hair Coat Inspection" form if sheep to be inspected has (have) not been previously Registered or Recorded. This "Hair Coat Inspection" form must be accompanied by an "Animal Registration Application" and a "Work Order and Fee Schedule" when submitted to the KHSI Registry.
3. Members that are KHSI Certified Coat Inspectors can inspect their own sheep. To inspect sheep that they do not, the member needing an inspection needs to contact the KHSI Operations Office to arrange an inspection.
4. Sheep to be inspected must be at least a year of age (on day of inspection), at least 75% Katahdin and be inspected between May 1 and September 30th. Inspection of 75%-87.49% sheep will not result in grading-up to fully registered 100% sheep. It is for the Registry database.
5. For more complete information and instructions, read the material on the reverse side of this form. In particular, read the instructions for grading up percentage rams. If you have questions, please contact the KHSI Operations Office (717-335-8280 ext 3, info@katahdins.org or PO Box 739, Fowlerville, MI 48836)

ATTENTION

- Please Check Work for Accuracy.
- After Completion, Please Keep a Copy of this Form in Your File

DATE _____
 DAYTIME PHONE _____
 EVENING PHONE _____
 FAX NUMBER _____
 E-MAIL _____

SIGNATURE OF OWNER OF SHEEP _____
 SIGNATURE OF INSPECTOR _____
 DATE OF INSPECTION _____ (Date of Inspection must be filled in by Inspector)

Signature above represents:
 Updated 12-20-2024 **"The information here is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief"**

KHSI HAIR COAT INSTRUCTIONS

Which Form Do I Use? - General Instructions

1. The animals to be inspected have previously been issued KHSI Certificates of Recordation or Registration.

- a. Do not use this form, use the original registration/recordation certificate.
- b. On the original certificate the KHSI Inspector needs to print coat type, horn/poll type, date of inspection, and name and then signs name.
- c. Owner of animal sends KHSI Work Order and marked-up certificate with inspector's signature and coat type to KHSI Registry with fee for reclassification with a KHSI Work Order Form.

2. If animals to be inspected have not been previously issued Certificates of Registration or Recordation, owner must submit the following to the KHSI Registry: A Registration/Recordation fee for each animal, a Reclassification fee for each animal, KHSI Work Order and Registration Application Form and the Hair Coat Inspection Form.

Hair Coat Inspection Form Instructions

1. Owner fills out form expect for name of inspector, date or inspection, Horn/Poll Type, Coat Type and number of animals inspected.
2. Inspector fills in his/her name, Horn/Poll Type, Coat Type, number of animals inspected, date of inspection and signs form.

General Coat Inspection Information

1. Animals in an upgrading program are eligible for full registration when they are at least 87.5% (7/8). They require a coat inspection with an A or B coat when at least 1 year of age and inspection must occur between May 1 and September 30.

- a. Females in an upgrading program that tare at least 87.5% blood, be inspected after one year of age, if the previous generations have been recorded.
- b. Males in an upgrading program must be at least 87.5% blood, be inspected after one year of age, and also have a dam inspected with an "A" coat to be eligible. The previous generations must have been recorded.

2. Inspection is optional for offspring born after January 1, 1998 of registered Katahdin parents. Such offspring that are subsequently registered but not inspected will not show a coat type or poll type on the registration certificate.

3. Animals to be inspected must be one year of age or older; and there is no maximum age. Animals must be 75% or greater Katahdin according to the KHSI Registry/Flock Book. Inspections will be conducted in the summer/early fall between May 1 and exception is for breeders who want an animal inspected for the AA coat which needs to be evaluated in January/February/ To be eligible for an AA coat inspection, the animal must have a previous inspection with an A coat.

4. To help ensure inspection, inspections need to be requested by May 15 (except in the cases of inspectors doing their own flocks) through contacting KHSI Operations Office, P.O. Box 739, Fowlerville, MI 48836; 717-335-8280 ext 3; info@katahdins.org. This is important so that inspection visits can be coordinated and costs minimized. Inspector will not be reimbursed for mileage unless the inspection has been arranged through the KHSI Operations Office. Personal in the KHSI Operations office and they will contact an inspector and arrange the farm visit.

Note: every reasonable effort will be made to fulfill inspection requests each year, but inspection will not be guaranteed in the year requested.

5. Animals that are to be inspected are not to be clipped, trimmed, plucked or sheared at all.

6. To be eligible for inspection, all animals must be identified clearly. Identifications (tag/tattoo) must match those on the registration or recordation certificates or the animal registration form. Tag or tattoo must include the KHSI prefix. Please keep your sheep identifications up-to-date! Individual imprinted replacement ear tags may be ordered from most mail order tag suppliers. Blank tags need a high-quality ear tag marking pen with long-lasting ink. Your sheep will not be inspected if they are not properly identified.

7. It is the owner's responsibility to have the animals needing inspection held in a pen or enclosure that enable the inspector to handle the sheep to verify animal identification (tag/tattoo) and carefully inspect coat type from all sides.

8. Registration Application and Hair Coat Inspection forms or Recordation/Registration certificates must be ready for review by the inspector when he/she arrives at the owner's farm. The inspector will fill in coat type and poll type on the certificate or form for each animal. On the form or certificate the inspector will a) print his/her name legibly, b) sign his/her name and c) print date of inspection.

9. The owner is responsible for sending the paperwork to the KHSI Registry, P.O. Box 27, Sedalia, MO 65302; with the appropriate fee(s). If the animal inspected already has a certificate of Recordation/Registration, the "Reissue/Coat Reclassification" fee will be charged to the owner by the KHSI Registry.

10. Appeal Process: An appeal can be made to the Board of Directors to grant a waiver of inspection requirement for animals that accidentally die or are mistakenly sold before they are inspected. Send request to KHSI Operations. Include photos of animal or parents/siblings and certificates.

Requirements for Certification as an KHSI Inspector

1. Two years (24 months) of KHSI voting membership.
2. Current year's dues paid.
3. Completion of inspector training session & examination, offered at Annual Gatherings/Expo & other times set up by KHSI Operations.
4. The term of certification is three years. Certification can be renewed at that point or earlier by re-examination. "Permanent" inspector certification requires one certification renewal a minimum of three years after the first, plus continuous KHSI membership.