

High Survival, High Performance Romneys

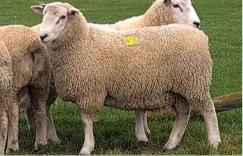




1/2 Perendale x 1/2 Romney (Romdale) 1/4 Perendale x 1/4 Texel x 1/2 Romney



1/2 Romney X 1/2 Texel 3/4 Romney X 1/4 Texel



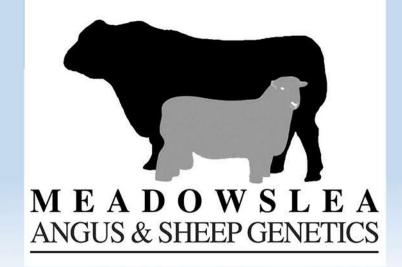
K X Romney (1/2 composite x 1/2 Romney)



Terminator tough hill-bred sire



K Maternal hill-bred composite



#### Finance available!

No interest, no deposit and no repayments for 4 months



32 YEARS UNSHEPHERDED ON HILL-COUNTRY

# RAM SALE

**300 RAMS** 

Thursday November 28th 12:30pm

**Helmsman Auction** 

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### Meadowslea Romneys & Romney - cross rams

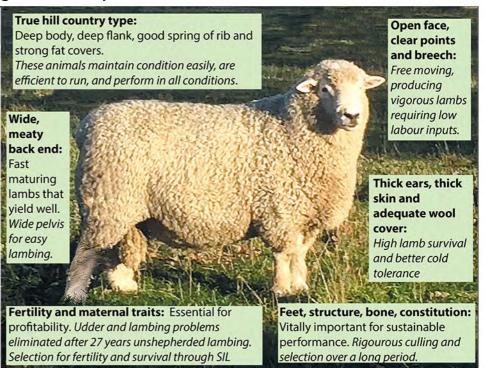
Romneys have been bred at Meadowslea since 1926, and for the last 32 years they have lambed totally unshepherded on our Berridale hill block. The resulting in-built survival sets our sheep apart. They have now evolved into tough, deep-bodied, strong-boned Romney sheep that deliver high performance in adverse conditions.

The Romney ewes are very fertile with great mothering ability. They also form the solid base of our exciting first cross ram breeding programme.

We can now offer greater genetic choices that are proven to deliver increased performance over a wide range of country.

# Meadowslea Hill Country Romneys

- Bred from high fertility ewes rearing top lambs off tussock
- Easy care, unshepherded and high survival
- Top 25% on SIL selected for sale
- All rams micron tested with finer-woolled selection available



#### **Terminator** Tough, hill-bred terminal sire





- Composite Terminal sire originally bred using top sires from all major meat breeds, including a strong Texel influence. These were mated over a ewe flock run on tough hill country. Only the best performing of the surviving progeny were retained. We now have 600 of these tough, high performing blackfaced ewes running on our hill.
- Tough and vigorous with outstanding lamb survival
- Meaty, early maturing lambs with explosive growth rates from all that hybrid vigour
- Unbeatable for getting lambs away off mothers even in the toughest country
- Clients getting outstanding results with any base breed!

#### **New worm-resistant line**

#### **Kikitangeo South worm-resistant Romneys**

- Ewes purchased at Kikitangeo dispersal sale where we were the biggest buyer
- 40 years selection for parasite and FE resistance in a high worm-challenge environment
- Run unshepherded with the rest of our sheep in South Canterbury hill country.
- Most sale rams NEVER DRENCHED through a heavy worm-challenge year.
- Outcross bloodlines selected for depth, thickness, and easy-doing ability.

#### **Perendale x Romney (Romdale)**

- Extra vigour and toughness from top performance Perendale sires
- Constitution, conformation and bone from Romney stud ewes
- Suitable for tough country
- Clients love them!

#### 1/4 Perendale x 1/4 Texel x 1/2 Romney

- Bred by mating top Texel X Romneys over high performing Romdale ewes
- Texel influence for meatier, high yielding lambs that finish early.
- More lambs prime at the weaning draft

#### 1/2 Romney x 1/2 Texel 3/4 Romney x 1/4 Texel

- Extra thickness and meat from the Texel sire
- Frame, structure, survival and constitution from the Romney stud ewes
- Fast finishing, high yielding lambs

# d easy-doing ability.





#### K. Maternal

- High fertility, high performance composite
- Lamb 170% unshepherded on our tussock blocks
- Highly recommended for hogget mating

**K x Romney** (**K. Maternal** ram over stud Romney ewes)

- High performance and fertility from **K.** Maternal
- Conformation, survival, longevity from the Romney



Meadowslea Romney and Terminator - bred lambs, Rowlands' property, Darfield. This line sold off mothers at 20.3kg aged 100 days!





## RAM SALE

300 RAMS across 8 different breeds
Thursday 28th November
On-farm from 12:30 pm and
Online at <a href="https://www.meadowslea.co.nz">www.meadowslea.co.nz</a>
through the yourbid platform.

Videos of all rams with commentary and full catalogue posted online once available.

Online registration OPEN NOW at <a href="https://www.meadowslea.co.nz">www.meadowslea.co.nz</a>

**Southern Ram Sale: Thursday 13th Feb** 

**Autumn Ram Sale: Friday 14th March** 



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