



Sheep in Scotland

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General information

Important livestock

Allowed to walk independent (/ no fences)

Only for shaving or getting a lamb not on pasture

50 Mio. Sheep (/ 1 more sheep than people)

More for meat, less for wool (Scotland very celebrate for wool production)

Breeding in highland

Deforestation for pasture



Breeds

Cheviots (white/ faced sheep)



Shetland sheep (small



Litons/Scottish blackface (mainly, black face with white markings)



1792

Year of Sheep

Squires let evict evacuate for pasture of sheep

Farmers evacuate 6000 sheep because of protest (=Ross/ Shire)



Sources

Pictures:

<https://alchetron.com/Swaledale/sheep>

<http://www.nccheviot.co.uk/about/the/breed/>

<https://livestockconservancy.org/index.php/heritage/internal/shetland>

Information: (Books)

Schottland Stefanloose

Schottland Andres Neumeier

Schottland: Western Highlands