

Mouth Formation



Parrot Mouth or Under Shot- is when the lower jaw is short than the upper jaw. This defect makes the mouth appear like a parrot's beak.

Monkey Mouth or Over Shot- is when the lower jaw is longer than the upper jaw. The teeth are improperly positioned in the upper mouth pad.

Normal Mouth- is when the lower and upper jaw bones are properly aligned with the same amount of length.

Aging Sheep

Sheep can be aged according to the number of incisors they obtain. A young lamb will have eight temporary incisors. After one year of age the center two teeth are replaced by larger and more permanent incisors. Sheep will get two more permanent incisors each year until the age of four when they have all their permanent teeth. After four years of age the teeth may become broken, narrow, and fall out.

Lamb's Teeth



Yearling's Teeth



2- Year Old's Teeth



3-Year Old's Teeth



4 Year Old's Teeth



Older than 4 Year's

