



4-H Goat Project

Name:

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Goats, Goats and Meat Goats oh my!

1. Match the following selection criteria descriptions for meat goats:

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| - | Muscle | A. Length and depth of the goat. |
| - | Volume | B. Ability to grow at the pace best for goats. |
| - | Style and Balance | C. The chest/forearm are best indicators of this. |
| - | Structural Correctness | D. Evaluation of skeletal system/bone structure |
| - | Growth Potential | E. How all parts of the goat blend together. |

2. Fat thickness is measured where? _

3. Meat goats should be long bodied from the top of the _ to the _.

4. What are four wholesale cuts of goat?

5. Identify the following (Cuts of Chevon):



- A. Shoulder Chop
- B. Arm Chop
- C. Rib Roast



- A. Loin Roast
- B. Shower Chop
- C. Fore Shank

6. Match the following retail cuts with its wholesale part:

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| - | Rolled Shoulder | A. Leg |
| - | Rolled Leg | B. Loin |
| - | Rib Roast | C. Rack |
| - | Blade Chop | D. Shoulder |
| - | Chop | E. Fore Shank/Breast |

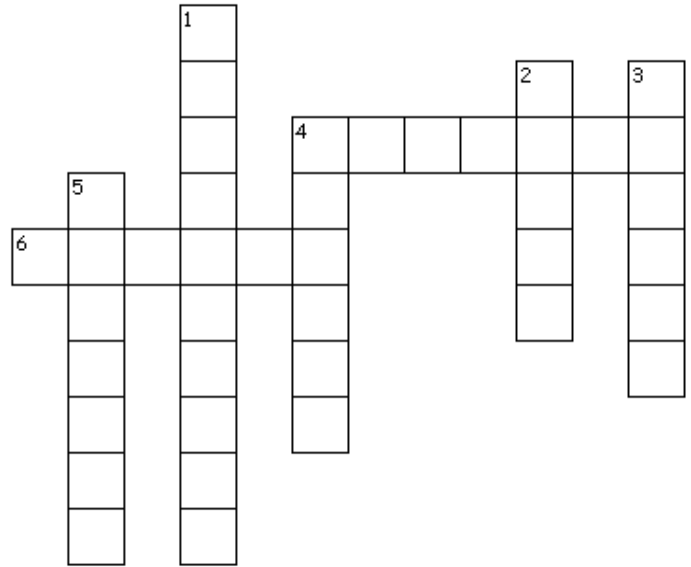
7. What two ethnic/religious groups represent the largest segment of the meat goat market?

- _____ and _____

8. A 70 pound meat goat should be expected to have a carcass weight of _____ lbs. and a back fat measurement of _____ inches.

9. Complete the following:

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| Across |
| 4. Goat carcass that weighs 15-30 lbs used in Hispanic populations |
| 6. A wide-framed goat most likely has more of this |
| Down |
| 1. This correctness is an evaluation of the skeletal system/bone structure |
| 2. An estimate of the amount of saleable product from the carcass |
| 3. Refers to the length and depth of the goat |
| 4. Goat meat |
| 5. Palatability or taste |



10. When selecting a meat goat, you should use what criteria?

11. Explain a market for your meat goats; include the appropriate specifications desired by that market.
