



Goat Answer Sheet

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Answers to the Quiz Bowl Questions

1. Name three of the six breeds of dairy goats recognized by the American Dairy Goat Association.

ANS: Nubians, LaManchas, Alpines, Oberhaslis, Toggenburgs, and Saanens

2. Name the breed that has a convex nose and long floppy ears. **ANS: Nubian**

3. Name the breed of goat that has such tiny ears it appears they do not have ears. **ANS: LaManchas**

4. Name the breed of goat that is light brown in color with white lower legs and ears and two white stripes down the face. **ANS: Toggenburg**

5. Name the breed of goat that is known for its white color. **ANS: Saanens**

6. In the world – do more people drink cow's or goat's milk? **ANS: Goat milk**

7. Name the breed of goat that is bay colored with a black dorsal stripe. The head is usually very dark brown to black. **ANS: Oberhaslis**

8. What is the term for the bay color of the Oberhaslis goats. **ANS: Chamoise**

9. Term for a mature female goat. **ANS: Doe**

10. Term for a mature male goat. **ANS: Buck**

11. Term for a castrated male goat. **ANS: wether**

12. Goats are considered to be what type of breeders.

ANS: Seasonal

13. How long is a goat's gestation period

ANS: Five months

14. Term for a young female goat. **ANS: Doeling**

15. Term for a young male goat. **ANS: Buckling**

16. Term for a baby goat. **ANS: kid**

17. At what age can a young female goat be bred for the first time. **ANS: 7 – 10 months of age**

18. When deciding whether or not to breed a young goat name two things you should consider.

ANS: Weight of the goat, body condition, size for the breed

19. Name two methods of breeding goats

ANS: Natural service or artificial insemination

20. By what age are most bucklings fertile and able to breed. **ANS: 5 months**

21. What is the body temperature of a healthy goat.

ANS: 103.6 degrees F

22. Name three products made from goat milk.

ANS: Cheese, butter, ice cream, yogurt, candy and soap

23. What color is cheese made from goat's milk? **ANS: White**

24. What is the French word for goat that is often used for all goat cheeses? **ANS: Chevre**

25. Name one of the three fatty acids that give goat products their distinctive flavor?

ANS: Capric, Caprylic and Caproic

26. Name the four compartments of a goat's stomach.

ANS: Rumen, reticulum, Omasum, Abomasum

27. What is the term for when a goat has three kids?

ANS: Triplets

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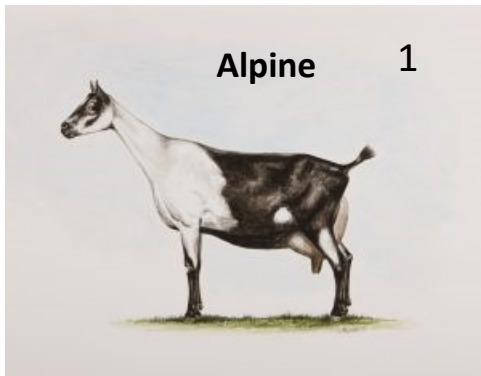
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Can you name the dairy breeds?

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1. Goats were one of the first animals to be tamed by humans and were being herded 9,000 years ago. True!
2. Goat meat is the most consumed meat per capita worldwide. True!
3. Goats can be taught their name and to come when called. True!



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Can you name the meat breeds?

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1. Goat meat is leaner than poultry and other red meats. True!
2. Goat meat is called either cabrito or chevon. True!



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Can you name the fiber breeds?

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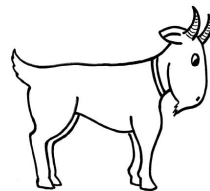


Cashmere



Angora

1. Angora goats originated in the district of Angora in Asia Minor. **True** or False
2. The Angora goat is a browsing animal. **True** or False
3. Angora goat ears stand straight up. True or **False**
4. Any goat can grow cashmere . **True** or False
5. Cashmere fiber is crimped. **True** or False
6. Garments made of cashmere are heavy. True or **False**

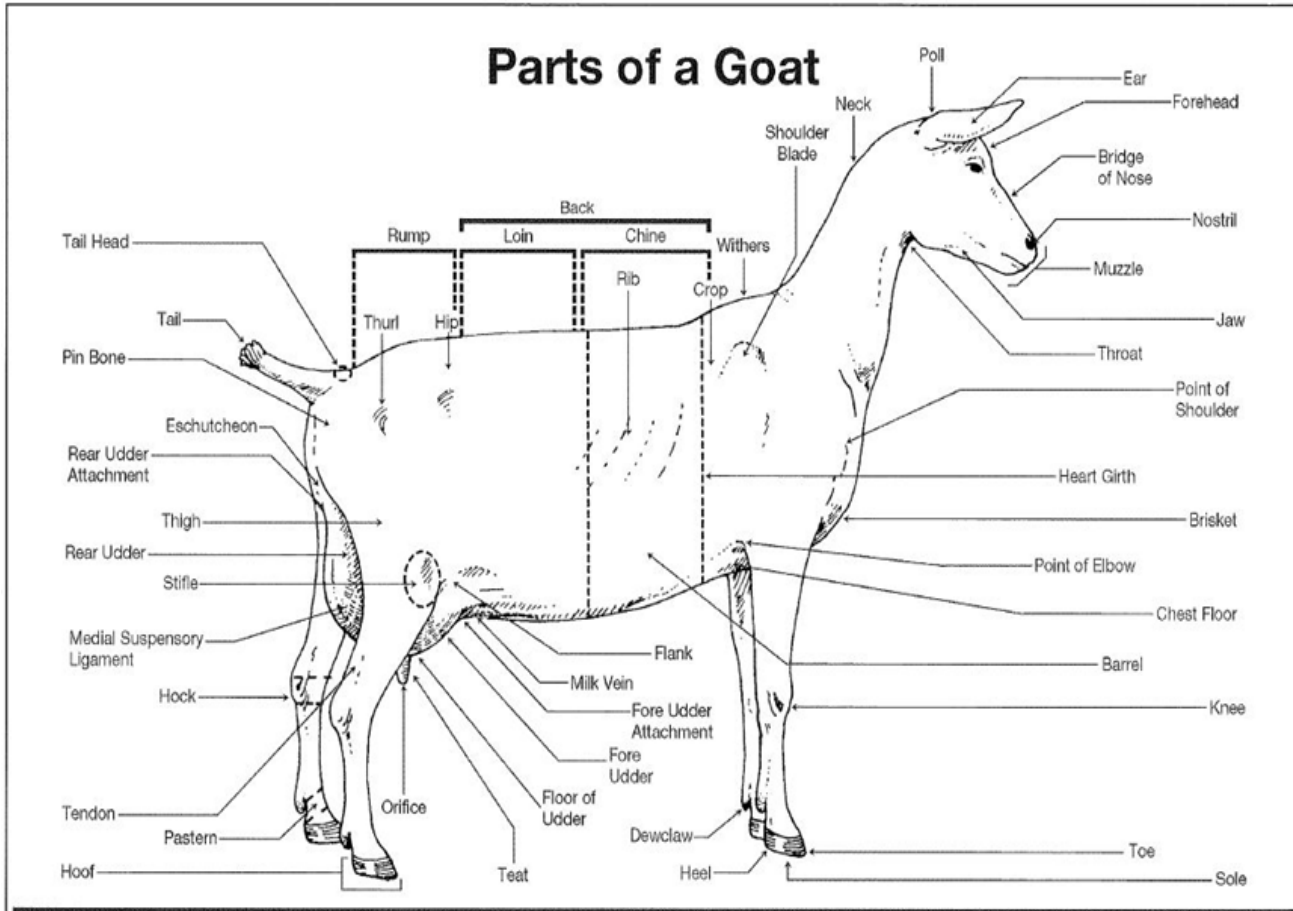


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1. Rump, Loin, Chine, Withers
2. Toe, Sole, Heel
3. Muzzle, Nostril, Forehead, Poll, Bridge of nose, Jaw, Throat, Neck
4. Floor of the Udder, Teat, Rear Udder, Media Suspensory Ligament, Orifice, Fore Udder, Fore Udder Attachment, Rear Udder Attachment

You may find other answers! Please include them.

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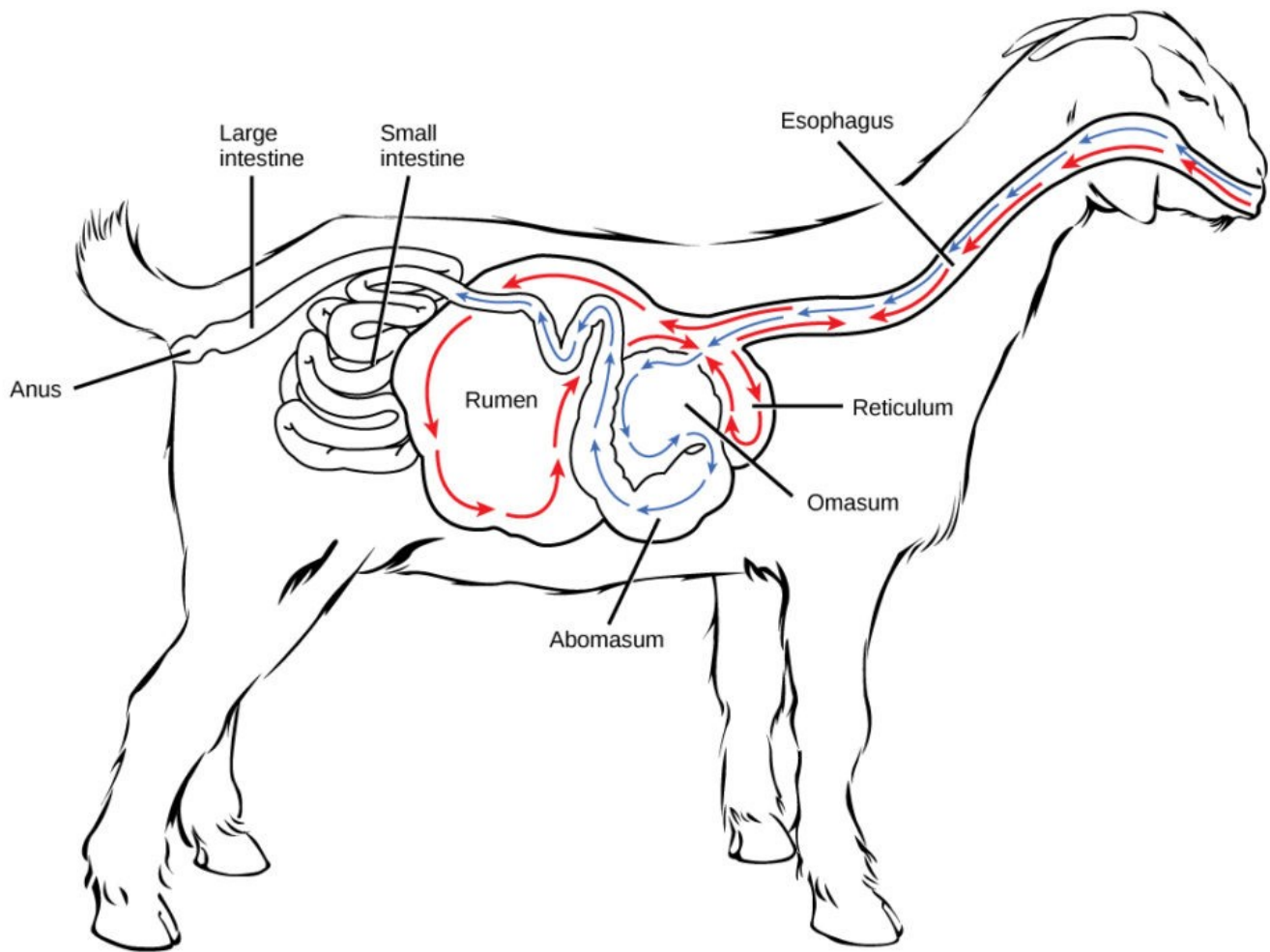


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The Goat Digestive System



Word Bank

Abomasum

Omasum

Small Intestine

Anus

Rumen

Esophagus

Large Intestine

Reticulum

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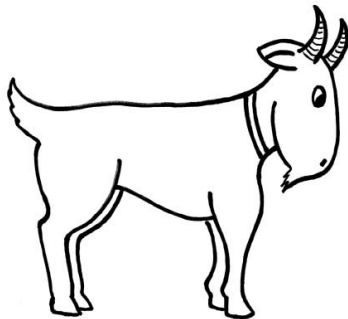


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1. What is the temperature for a healthy goat? 102.5 – 104
2. What is the normal Pulse rate? 70 – 80 beats per minute
3. What is the normal respiration rate? 15 to 30 per minute
4. What is the Estrus/Heat Cycle? 17 – 23 days
5. What is the Gestation of a goat? 143 – 155 days
6. At what age do most goats reach their full size? Most goats do not reach their full size until they are about three years of age



What do goats eat?

Goats are herbivores (plant-eaters) who spend most of the day grazing. Goats eat grass, herbs, tree leaves and other plant material. Goats swallow their food without chewing it much. Later, they regurgitate the food (then called a cud) and chew it thoroughly before swallowing it for the last time.

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