

Dual Registration- this section pertains to domestic-origin adult sheep and lambs

The American Gotland Sheep Society will register domestic sheep who are registered with another Gotland registry provided ALL of the following conditions are met:

- The animal being registered meets the AGSS standards for registration or recording.
- The animal to be registered is not the first-generation progeny of artificial insemination using imported semen from rams not approved by AGSS.
- The owner provides a four-generation pedigree and proof of registration in another Gotland registry (these may be the same document).
- No animal shown on the four-generation pedigree is the product of genetics imported to the United States from New Zealand before 2019.
- Any NZ genetics appearing on the pedigree MUST be registered in the New Zealand Sheep Breeders Association Registry and must descend ONLY from genetics imported to NZ from registered 100% Gotland sheep of European origin (Sweden, UK, Denmark, etc.). No NZ Appendix flock genetics are allowed on the 4-generation pedigree. Additional pedigrees may be requested if there is a question about NZ parentage.
- Lambs with Sire and Dam registered in other domestic Gotland registries may be registered with AGSS provided that the above guidelines are followed. Pedigrees must be submitted for both Sire and Dam of any previously unregistered lamb.
- Registration age limits do not apply for adult animals that were originally registered with their previous registry before the age of 2 years old. The two (2) year age limit does apply to all lambs that have not previously been registered in another registry, and whose parents are not registered in AGSS.