



**OSRS GENETICS,
CENTRAL PROGENY TESTS (CPT) AND NEXT GENERATION FLOCK (NGF)**

For a second time, 2012 (previously 2008) OSRS was invited to send a ram to the CPT progeny trial. 289 rams have been evaluated over a twelve year period.

Records of the top 25 are produced in the annual booklet.

Both One Stop Ram Shop rams (3091/03 and 2097/11) were in the top 20 for growth and meat value indices combined. They have also been placed for growth index (twice), progeny meat value (once), weaning weight (twice), dag score eBV (once) and top twenty for meat and growth (twice).

These trials are scientifically perfect. They are an indicator of merit (or not) of the trialled sires. That OSRS terminal sires have performed in the top twelve percent of 153 tested terminals is creditable and **proves selection policies at OSRS result in greater financial rewards.**

2016, OSRS 2033/14 and 2507/14 were in the Next Generation Flock (NGF) terminal ram trial at Maraetotora, Hawke's Bay gave excellent results too.

2018, OSRS 2067/16 and 2250/16 have been entered.