



PROJECT TITLE	Central Anatolian Merino Sheep Breeding-1 Project carried out in Eskişehir province within National Sheep and Goat Breeding Project of Turkey
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PROJECT DEPARTMENT	Department of Livestock and Aquaculture Research
<p>In this project, 6.000 head of ewe and 300 head of ram of Central Anatolian Merino breed raised by the public in Eskişehir province will be used. With the project, it is aimed to improve the meat yield of the Central Anatolian Merino sheep in Eskişehir; For this purpose, the live weights of all lambs born within the scope of the project at birth, 60th and 90th days, 6th month live weights of lambs selected as studs, and weights before use in the first breeding will be determined. Afterwards, lambs with the best daily live weight gain performance and race characteristics between 0-90 and 60-90 days will be determined as stud candidates.</p>	
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