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Sheep Welfare Scheme (SWS) SWS 2019 Uptake

The Sheep Welfare Scheme (SWS) is a financial support available to sheep farmers in the Republic of Ireland (ROI) under the Rural Development Programme (2014-2020).

The map on the right indicates the number of farmers participating in the scheme in each county for the year 2019. There are a total of 18,631 farmers participating in the Sheep Welfare Scheme scheme, receiving a payment of ≤ 10 on 1,726,084 breeding ewes.

(Source Department of Agriculture, Food and the Marine, April 2022)

For more information on the Sheep Welfare Scheme see www.gov.ie/en/ service/7a3fb8-sheep-welfarescheme-2020/

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