



2. Alpacas maintained a central place in the Incan civilization of the Andes Mountains in Peru.

#### 3. Alpacas were first imported to the United States in 1984.

# 4. The life span of an alpaca is about 20 years.

# 5. Adult alpacas are about 36" tall at the withers (shoulders)

#### 6. Adult alpacas weigh between 100 and 200 pounds.

# 7. Alpacas are gentle and easy to handle by young and old alike.



