

Detailed saleyard report - sheep and lamb

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Ballarat

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Yarding Change	27645 1559	Lambs Change	21525 1065	Sheep Change	6120 494	comparison date	26/05/2015
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A similar sized yarding of 21,525 lambs sold to the regular buying group at slightly improved levels. Quality over the trade weight and heavy lambs was again good. Competition was keen, with most lambs selling from firm to \$5/head up on last week for the better quality trade and heavy weight lambs, with domestic orders still pushing into the higher weight categories. Extra heavy export lambs reached a market top of \$205/head. Restockers and feeders were very active competing with local processors for their replacements and paid mostly from \$100 to \$119/head.

Light weight 1 and 2 score lambs sold from \$76 to \$105/head. Light trade 2 and 3 score lambs sold from \$102 to \$128/head. Trade weight 3 and 4 score lambs sold from \$120 to \$138, with the heavier drafts selling from \$131 to \$155/head, and they ranged from 550c to 630c to average around 590c/kg cwt. Heavy 3 and 4 score lambs sold from \$148 to \$188/head and averaged around 590c/kg cwt. Extra heavy export lambs sold from \$188 to \$205/head. Merino lambs sold from \$125 to \$135, with the lighter drafts selling from \$99 to \$105/head.

The increased sheep offering of 6,120 saw all weight and grades on offer. Sheep also sold to strong competition to be from \$2 to \$5/head up on last week and more in places. Restockers paid from \$75 to \$129 for some big runs of Merino wethers and also paid to \$113/head for joined crossbred ewes. Light weight 1 and 2 score sheep sold from \$45 to \$86/head. Medium weight 2 and 3 score sheep sold from \$65 to \$115/head and ranged from 330c to 420c, with the Merino sheep averaging around 395c/kg cwt. Heavy 3 to 5 score sheep sold from \$87 to \$130, with heavy Merino wethers selling from \$100 to \$136, and the medium weights selling from \$92 to \$127/head, and averaging 420c to 430c/kg cwt. Rams sold from \$42 to \$89/head.

Category Weight	% Yard	Sale Prefix	Fat Score	\$/Head				Estimated Carcase Weight c/kg				Skin (\$)			
				Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High		
Lamb															
0-12	3	RM	1	24.00	-55.00	36.90	N/C	250	-	567	473	N/Q	0.00	-	5.00
	0	1X	1	55.00	-66.00	58.20	4	442	-	533	470	-21	1.00	-	2.00
	0	MR	1	57.00	-57.00	57.00	N/Q	473	-	473	473	N/Q	5.00	-	5.00
	0	RS	1	22.00	-65.00	53.70	-4	250	-	525	485	-49	2.00	-	2.00
	0	RS	2	42.50	-42.50	42.50	N/Q	338	-	338	338	N/Q	2.00	-	2.00
	1	MR	2	45.00	-68.00	49.80	N/Q	391	-	567	421	N/Q	0.00	-	2.00
	1	RM	2	39.00	-39.00	39.00	N/Q	390	-	390	390	N/Q	0.00	-	0.00
12.1-16	0		1	86.60	-86.60	86.60	N/Q	590	-	590	590	N/Q	4.00	-	4.00
	0	1X	1	62.00	-84.00	74.40	1	440	-	571	519	12	2.00	-	4.00
	1		2	76.00	-103.00	92.60	5	529	-	631	585	38	2.00	-	4.00
	1	1X	2	60.00	-101.00	85.40	4	414	-	633	549	12	0.00	-	6.00
	1	MR	2	55.20	-111.00	88.60	18	425	-	663	583	N/Q	0.00	-	6.00
	1	RS	2	85.00	-112.00	97.40	17	563	-	675	614	56	0.00	-	4.00
	0	FD	2	103.20	-103.20	103.20	N/Q	626	-	626	626	N/Q	3.00	-	3.00
	0	MR	3	100.50	-100.50	100.50	N/Q	597	-	597	597	N/Q	5.00	-	5.00
	0		3	105.00	-105.00	105.00	N/Q	631	-	631	631	N/Q	4.00	-	4.00
16.1-18	0	1X	2	83.00	-104.00	95.20	N/C	491	-	600	558	8	1.00	-	2.00
	1		2	108.00	-115.00	112.00	13	611	-	641	629	55	2.00	-	4.00
	1	FD	2	113.00	-119.00	117.40	5	600	-	639	627	16	4.00	-	5.00
	1	RS	2	100.00	-119.00	110.80	7	577	-	653	619	27	0.00	-	5.00
	1	RS	3	109.00	-119.00	114.80	-1	600	-	650	635	-5	0.00	-	4.00
	0	1X	3	95.00	-110.00	96.30	-16	514	-	589	548	-48	0.00	-	5.00
	1	MR	3	99.00	-105.00	104.20	14	554	-	582	579	61	2.00	-	6.00
	2	FD	3	109.00	-119.00	115.50	-1	589	-	644	623	N/C	2.00	-	5.00
	2		3	103.00	-123.00	110.60	4	582	-	661	611	18	2.00	-	6.00
18.1-20	0		2	120.00	-120.00	120.00	N/Q	611	-	611	611	N/Q	4.00	-	4.00

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				Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High		
	1	1X	3	110.00	-120.00	118.60	1	553	-	611	603	8	4.00	-	5.00
	2	FD	3	118.00	-119.00	118.90	N/C	590	-	616	610	36	2.00	-	6.00
	0	MR	3	125.00	-125.00	125.00	29	595	-	595	595	N/Q	6.00	-	6.00
	3		3	112.50	-128.00	120.70	1	566	-	620	594	-13	2.00	-	6.00
	0	RS	3	119.00	-119.00	119.00	N/Q	605	-	605	605	N/Q	4.00	-	4.00
20.1-22	7		3	120.00	-139.00	130.40	N/C	552	-	633	590	8	0.00	-	7.00
	0	MR	3	135.00	-135.00	135.00	25	600	-	600	600	N/Q	6.00	-	6.00
	0	1X	3	120.00	-128.00	123.70	N/Q	543	-	559	550	N/Q	5.00	-	6.00
	0		4	130.00	-138.00	136.90	4	582	-	605	602	-1	2.00	-	5.00
22.1-24	6		3	131.00	-155.00	142.90	2	550	-	627	590	8	2.00	-	7.00
	3		4	134.00	-155.00	145.70	1	558	-	630	591	3	2.00	-	8.00
24.1-26	3		3	148.00	-165.00	158.70	4	568	-	632	599	24	5.00	-	8.00
	0	1X	3	156.00	-156.00	156.00	N/Q	600	-	600	600	N/Q	6.00	-	6.00
	5		4	148.00	-164.00	156.80	2	576	-	616	591	10	2.00	-	8.00
26.1-30	1		3	168.00	-188.00	176.80	N/Q	593	-	593	593	N/Q	8.00	-	10.00
	8		4	162.00	-186.00	172.40	4	563	-	604	585	12	5.00	-	9.00
30.1+	4		4	188.00	-205.00	197.80	6	556	-	588	571	24	6.00	-	10.00
				22.00	205.00			250		675			0.00		10.00
Hogget															
0-22	0	MR	1	44.00	-71.00	60.80	4	327	-	414	390	33	2.00	-	8.00
	3	MR	2	38.00	-95.20	61.90	-28	309	-	528	404	-32	0.00	-	10.00
	0	RM	2	45.00	-75.00	56.40	N/Q	346	-	500	404	N/Q	0.00	-	2.00
	0	MR	3	78.00	-108.00	90.10	N/Q	406	-	495	442	N/Q	4.00	-	5.00
22.1+	0	MR	3	108.00	-118.00	108.40	N/Q	407	-	450	448	N/Q	0.00	-	8.00
	0	1X	3	98.00	-118.00	103.40	N/Q	372	-	435	389	N/Q	5.00	-	5.00
	0	1X	4	113.50	-125.00	120.80	3	337	-	429	400	30	2.00	-	5.00
	0	MR	4	128.60	-128.60	128.60	N/Q	458	-	458	458	N/Q	5.00	-	5.00
				38.00	128.60			309		528			0.00		10.00
Ewe															
0-14	1	MR	1	22.00	-55.20	46.20	6	167	-	386	334	44	0.00	-	6.00
	0	MR	2	46.00	-53.00	50.80	N/Q	314	-	346	336	N/Q	2.00	-	8.00
14.1-18	0	MR	1	55.00	-66.50	64.30	N/Q	333	-	378	369	N/Q	5.00	-	6.00
	0	1X	1	64.00	-69.00	68.00	9	350	-	372	368	9	1.00	-	2.00
	0	1X	2	62.00	-75.00	69.80	N/Q	333	-	406	377	N/Q	2.00	-	2.00
	2	MR	2	45.00	-86.00	74.60	12	267	-	425	396	49	2.00	-	13.00
18.1-24	1	MR	2	81.00	-94.00	86.30	-4	391	-	420	401	19	5.00	-	12.00
	1	1X	2	65.00	-85.00	77.50	-1	325	-	406	359	13	0.00	-	4.00
	2	MR	3	75.00	-104.00	94.00	11	365	-	408	390	14	0.00	-	12.00
	0	DP	3	75.00	-75.00	75.00	N/Q	341	-	341	341	N/Q	0.00	-	0.00
	0	1X	3	83.00	-90.00	86.90	2	338	-	363	354	-2	2.00	-	3.00
	1	MR	4	90.00	-115.00	96.90	7	370	-	419	387	30	0.00	-	15.00
24.1+	0	1X	2	96.00	-96.00	96.00	N/Q	364	-	364	364	N/Q	5.00	-	5.00
	0	MR	3	110.00	-110.00	110.00	N/Q	389	-	389	389	N/Q	5.00	-	5.00
	1	1X	3	87.00	-117.00	104.10	6	307	-	380	352	17	2.00	-	8.00
	1	1X	4	94.00	-122.00	115.50	3	313	-	379	351	16	0.00	-	8.00
	0	RS	4	113.00	-113.00	113.00	N/Q	353	-	353	353	N/Q	7.00	-	7.00
	0	1X	5	118.60	-126.00	122.10	12	327	-	346	336	32	4.00	-	5.00
				22.00	126.00			167		425			0.00		15.00
Wether															
0-14	0	RM	1	42.00	-42.00	42.00	N/Q	285	-	285	285	N/Q	5.00	-	5.00

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				Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High		
14.1-18	0	MR	2	56.00	-56.00	56.00	N/Q	371	-	371	371	N/Q	4.00	-	4.00
	0	MR	1	76.00	-76.00	76.00	N/Q	418	-	418	418	N/Q	5.00	-	5.00
	0	RM	2	75.00	-75.00	75.00	N/Q	382	-	382	382	N/Q	10.00	-	10.00
18.1-24	3	MR	2	51.00	-85.00	72.00	-8	340	-	441	395	-5	0.00	-	12.00
	0	MR	2	93.00	-93.00	93.00	N/Q	405	-	405	405	N/Q	12.00	-	12.00
	0	RS	2	95.00	-95.00	95.00	N/Q	421	-	421	421	N/Q	15.00	-	15.00
	1	RM	2	83.00	-100.00	89.70	N/Q	386	-	410	402	N/Q	0.00	-	14.00
	0	1X	3	78.00	-78.00	78.00	N/Q	390	-	390	390	N/Q	0.00	-	0.00
24.1+	1	MR	3	92.00	-127.00	114.90	N/Q	365	-	455	436	N/Q	5.00	-	20.00
	2	RM	3	112.00	-123.00	114.10	19	404	-	457	421	32	15.00	-	20.00
	1	RM	3	119.00	-129.50	121.40	16	416	-	438	421	33	15.00	-	20.00
	1	MR	3	100.00	-136.00	125.20	N/Q	400	-	460	441	N/Q	0.00	-	20.00
	0	1X	3	92.00	-92.00	92.00	N/Q	348	-	348	348	N/Q	5.00	-	5.00
	0	1X	4	120.00	-120.00	120.00	N/Q	322	-	393	375	N/Q	4.00	-	10.00
	0	1X	5	112.00	-130.00	127.50	5	290	-	325	311	15	2.00	-	5.00
				42.00	136.00			285	460				0.00	20.00	
Ram															
0-26	0	MR	1	55.00	-75.00	65.00	N/Q	192	-	269	231	N/Q	5.00	-	5.00
	0	MR	2	70.00	-70.00	70.00	N/Q	262	-	262	262	N/Q	2.00	-	2.00
26.1+	0	MR	1	48.00	-65.00	60.80	N/Q	164	-	217	204	N/Q	2.00	-	2.00
	0	1X	1	68.00	-68.00	68.00	N/Q	220	-	220	220	N/Q	2.00	-	2.00
	0	MR	2	70.00	-83.00	79.30	N/Q	233	-	255	241	N/Q	0.00	-	8.00
	0	1X	2	47.00	-82.00	74.10	N/Q	150	-	229	209	N/Q	2.00	-	2.00
	0	MR	3	70.00	-89.00	82.80	11	203	-	286	259	N/Q	0.00	-	8.00
	0	1X	3	73.00	-85.00	80.30	6	166	-	267	202	11	0.00	-	5.00
	0	MR	3	70.00	-70.00	70.00	N/Q	192	-	192	192	N/Q	1.00	-	1.00
					47.00	89.00			150	286				0.00	8.00

Abbreviations

CATTLE FD: Feeder RS: Restocker GF: Grainfed DA: Dairy PC: Pastoral Cattle SHEEP & LAMB RS: Restocker MR: Merino RM: Restocker Merino 1X: 1st Cross FD:

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