

Detailed saleyard report - sheep and lamb

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Yarding	44000	Lambs	36000	Sheep	8000	comparison date	18/08/2014
Change	12000	Change	10000	Change	2000		

There was a lift in consignments after last week's rain reduced penning. There were 36,000 lambs and 8,000 sheep drawn. The quality of the lambs offered was fair to good with trade weights making up the bulk of the offering. There was a reduced number of heavy and extra heavy lambs penned. Only around 3,000 young lambs were drawn for as producers opt to put extra weight on in the face of the good seasonal conditions leading into spring. All the usual buyers were in attendance.

Trends through the lamb market varied. For the most part the light trade lambs were firm to slightly cheaper with some variation due to quality. The medium and heavy trade weights saw the best remain firm, with the secondary quality lots selling to a cheaper trend. Heavy and extra heavy lambs were up to \$5/head cheaper, however there were price increases in the extra heavyweights due to an increase in weight.

The high demand for grown sheep from last week was not repeated with both demand and competition somewhat subdued. Cheaper trends were the result with some ewe prices easing significantly.

Category	% Yard	Sale Prefix	Fat Score	\$/Head				Estimated Carcase Weight c/kg				Skin (\$)			
				Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High		
Young Lamb															
12.1-16	0	DP	2	63.00	-63.00	63.00	N/Q	413	-	413	413	N/Q	1.00	-	1.00
	1		2	88.00	-88.00	88.00	N/Q	614	-	614	614	N/Q	2.00	-	2.00
	0	RS	2	71.50	-71.50	71.50	-4	556	-	556	556	42	2.00	-	2.00
16.1-18	1		2	86.20	-90.00	88.30	N/Q	478	-	499	483	N/Q	4.00	-	4.00
	1	DP	3	79.60	-84.00	80.90	-7	462	-	474	466	-40	1.00	-	1.00
	0		3	95.00	-95.00	95.00	5	500	-	500	500	15	5.00	-	5.00
18.1-20	0		3	103.50	-108.00	105.90	1	493	-	537	517	9	5.00	-	6.00
	1	DP	3	83.00	-94.00	87.90	-9	432	-	490	454	-19	1.00	-	1.00
	0	RS	3	100.00	-100.00	100.00	N/Q	519	-	519	519	N/Q	4.00	-	4.00
20.1-22	1	DP	3	106.00	-108.00	106.40	4	498	-	512	509	21	1.00	-	1.00
	1		3	110.00	-117.00	113.70	-4	491	-	532	510	-10	5.00	-	6.00
22.1-24	1		3	119.00	-123.60	120.60	1	485	-	513	495	-12	6.00	-	6.00
				63.00	123.60			413		614			1.00		6.00
Lamb															
12.1-16	1		2	55.00	-77.00	75.00	11	393	-	456	450	49	0.00	-	4.00
	0	1X	2	40.00	-50.00	45.90	-15	271	-	331	307	-69	2.00	-	2.00
	1	MR	2	48.00	-68.00	58.60	2	307	-	413	376	32	2.00	-	4.00
16.1-18	2	MR	2	58.00	-81.60	70.00	2	321	-	442	387	27	2.00	-	5.00
	0	1X	2	64.00	-72.00	67.50	-5	376	-	418	395	5	2.00	-	3.00
	1		2	70.00	-86.00	76.70	2	388	-	494	417	-13	2.00	-	4.00
	0	DP	2	73.40	-82.00	77.50	-7	402	-	477	438	-56	1.00	-	1.00
	1		3	80.00	-87.60	86.10	5	433	-	459	454	9	2.00	-	5.00
	1	DP	3	60.00	-89.00	77.40	-5	328	-	494	425	-27	0.00	-	1.00
	0	1X	3	85.00	-85.00	85.00	1	450	-	450	450	-2	4.00	-	4.00
	1	MR	3	70.00	-82.00	74.70	-1	378	-	446	395	-13	2.00	-	5.00
18.1-20	0	1X	2	76.00	-76.00	76.00	N/Q	389	-	389	389	N/Q	4.00	-	4.00
	0		2	76.40	-76.40	76.40	N/Q	357	-	357	357	N/Q	5.00	-	5.00
	0	RS	2	88.00	-88.00	88.00	N/Q	437	-	437	437	N/Q	5.00	-	5.00
	1	1X	3	83.00	-98.00	84.90	N/C	410	-	470	419	N/C	0.00	-	5.00
	2	MR	3	67.00	-94.00	81.20	-1	333	-	445	401	2	2.00	-	5.00

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20.1-22	2	DP	3	77.00	-96.00	85.20	-6	400	-	487	442	-24	0.00	-	1.00
	3		3	75.00	-104.00	92.80	2	384	-	495	455	14	2.00	-	5.00
	0	MR	2	72.00	-80.00	74.00	N/Q	333	-	357	339	N/Q	2.00	-	5.00
	3	MR	3	78.00	-104.00	93.50	-1	348	-	464	419	2	2.00	-	5.00
	0	1X	3	88.00	-107.00	96.60	-1	405	-	474	443	9	2.00	-	5.00
	5		3	88.00	-117.00	102.50	2	377	-	509	460	10	2.00	-	6.00
22.1-24	1	DP	3	92.00	-104.00	98.70	1	433	-	476	454	-6	0.00	-	1.00
	0	RM	3	115.20	-115.20	115.20	N/Q	515	-	515	515	N/Q	2.00	-	2.00
	1	RM	3	107.60	-125.20	121.60	N/Q	442	-	513	499	N/Q	2.00	-	6.00
	0	DP	3	110.00	-112.00	110.90	N/C	464	-	493	477	4	1.00	-	1.00
	4		3	100.00	-122.50	113.80	N/C	408	-	511	476	12	2.00	-	5.00
	1	1X	3	100.00	-120.50	112.70	24	422	-	494	461	N/Q	2.00	-	5.00
24.1-26	1	MR	3	76.00	-108.00	100.50	-2	320	-	444	417	-10	4.00	-	6.00
	0		4	123.00	-123.00	123.00	N/Q	492	-	492	492	N/Q	5.00	-	5.00
	0		2	118.60	-118.60	118.60	N/Q	464	-	464	464	N/Q	5.00	-	5.00
	1	1X	3	90.00	-127.00	115.30	-2	340	-	469	442	-5	2.00	-	5.00
	1	MR	3	112.00	-119.20	113.50	-2	432	-	453	439	-3	5.00	-	6.00
	1		3	119.00	-135.00	126.60	10	469	-	500	482	33	4.00	-	6.00
26.1-30	2		4	120.00	-134.00	125.60	-5	460	-	492	473	-15	5.00	-	6.00
	1		4	122.00	-145.00	137.40	-4	433	-	496	476	-8	5.00	-	6.00
30.1+	1		4	151.00	-157.00	153.70	N/Q	431	-	453	445	N/Q	6.00	-	6.00
				40.00	157.00			271		515			0.00		6.00
Hogget															
0-22	1	MR	3	71.60	-88.00	75.40	-6	314	-	379	348	-6	2.00	-	5.00
	0	1X	3	76.00	-90.00	82.50	N/Q	352	-	419	374	N/Q	2.00	-	5.00
22.1+	1	1X	3	76.00	-99.60	87.50	-5	296	-	381	334	-42	2.00	-	5.00
	1	MR	3	78.00	-95.20	86.50	N/Q	313	-	357	338	N/Q	2.00	-	6.00
	0	1X	4	97.00	-102.00	99.60	N/Q	327	-	329	328	N/Q	4.00	-	5.00
				71.60	102.00			296		419			2.00		6.00
Ewe															
14.1-18	0	MR	2	48.00	-58.00	54.40	-4	269	-	311	296	-20	2.00	-	5.00
18.1-24	0	MR	2	68.00	-72.60	69.30	4	303	-	324	314	5	0.00	-	6.00
	0	DP	2	52.00	-52.00	52.00	N/Q	236	-	236	236	N/Q	0.00	-	0.00
	0	1X	3	80.00	-80.00	80.00	N/Q	355	-	355	355	N/Q	2.00	-	2.00
	0	DP	3	72.00	-76.00	74.80	-1	304	-	327	313	-14	0.00	-	5.00
24.1+	2	MR	3	55.00	-88.00	72.50	-10	233	-	368	318	-43	0.00	-	10.00
	0	MR	3	94.00	-94.00	94.00	-14	356	-	356	356	-54	5.00	-	5.00
	0	1X	3	98.00	-98.00	98.00	-4	358	-	358	358	-19	5.00	-	5.00
	0	1X	4	96.20	-96.20	96.20	-10	275	-	275	275	-72	0.00	-	0.00
	0	MR	4	85.00	-85.00	85.00	-14	332	-	332	332	-27	2.00	-	2.00
				48.00	98.00			233		368			0.00		10.00
Wether															
14.1-18	0	RM	2	44.00	-44.00	44.00	N/Q	263	-	263	263	N/Q	2.00	-	2.00
18.1-24	0	1X	2	72.00	-72.00	72.00	N/Q	353	-	353	353	N/Q	5.00	-	5.00
	1	MR	2	70.00	-76.00	70.70	1	325	-	355	342	-16	5.00	-	5.00
	2	MR	3	64.00	-85.00	73.80	-16	320	-	371	338	-45	0.00	-	5.00
24.1+	0	MR	3	84.00	-84.00	84.00	N/Q	328	-	328	328	N/Q	2.00	-	2.00
	0	1X	3	105.00	-105.00	105.00	N/Q	368	-	368	368	N/Q	2.00	-	2.00
				44.00	105.00			263		371			0.00		5.00
Ram															

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				Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High		
0-26	0	DP	2	66.00	-66.00	66.00	N/Q	382	-	382	382	N/Q	1.00	-	1.00
	0	1X	3	40.00	-40.00	40.00	N/Q	158	-	158	158	N/Q	2.00	-	2.00
	0	MR	3	60.00	-62.00	60.50	N/Q	229	-	238	231	N/Q	5.00	-	5.00
	0	DP	3	46.00	-46.00	46.00	N/Q	177	-	177	177	N/Q	0.00	-	0.00
26.1+	0	MR	3	62.00	-90.00	70.40	-19	189	-	286	207	-102	5.00	-	10.00
				40.00	90.00			158		382			0.00		10.00

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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