

Detailed saleyard report - sheep and lamb

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Forbes

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Yarding Change	22800 2400	Lambs Change	17900 2600	Sheep Change	4900 -200	comparison date	06/01/2015
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Numbers remained fairly similar this sale, though quality was improved slightly from the previous sale. There were an increased number of well finished lambs on offer, along with the few plainer types. Heavy and extra heavy lambs made up the majority of the offering. The usual buyers were present and competing in a dearer market.

Light lambs held firm selling from \$90 to \$104/head. Trade weights were \$3 to \$4 dearer, with prices ranging from \$103 to \$125/head. Heavy and extra heavy lambs were \$5 to \$7/head dearer. Heavy lambs sold from \$125 to \$155/head. Extra heavy weight lambs sold from \$144 to \$188/head. Carcase prices averaged from 532c to 588c/kg cwt.

Mutton numbers were made up of mostly mixed quality Merinos. Prices lifted \$6 Merino ewes sold from \$76 to \$114/head. Crossbred ewes ranged from \$74 to \$116/head. Dorper ewes sold from \$83 to \$108/head. Merino wethers ranged from \$88 to \$118/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	1	RM	2	59.00	-59.00	59.00	N/Q	475	-	475	475	N/Q	2.00	- 2.00
12.1-16	1	RM	2	61.00	-61.00	61.00	-19	421	-	421	421	-60	2.00	- 2.00
	0	RS	2	97.00	-97.00	97.00	5	588	-	588	588	15	3.00	- 3.00
	1	RS	3	91.00	-100.00	94.10	N/Q	563	-	606	578	N/Q	1.00	- 3.00
	1	MR	3	70.00	-86.00	74.90	N/Q	419	-	525	453	N/Q	2.00	- 3.00
16.1-18	1	RS	2	76.00	-105.00	88.10	-22	441	-	588	504	-126	1.00	- 2.00
	1	RS	3	105.00	-105.00	105.00	-9	572	-	572	572	-44	2.00	- 2.00
	1	MR	3	91.00	-103.00	98.50	-2	511	-	561	540	-5	2.00	- 4.00
	2		3	90.00	-102.00	97.00	N/C	518	-	588	544	-2	1.00	- 3.00
	0	DP	3	82.00	-96.00	92.70	-2	450	-	547	531	8	1.00	- 1.00
18.1-20	1	DP	3	101.00	-101.00	101.00	N/Q	500	-	500	500	N/Q	1.00	- 1.00
	1		3	103.00	-109.00	106.80	-1	520	-	558	531	-5	2.00	- 4.00
	0	MR	3	107.00	-107.00	107.00	N/Q	547	-	547	547	N/Q	3.00	- 3.00
	0	RS	3	108.00	-108.00	108.00	N/Q	553	-	553	553	N/Q	3.00	- 3.00
20.1-22	0	RS	3	118.00	-118.00	118.00	N/Q	548	-	548	548	N/Q	3.00	- 3.00
	0	MR	3	107.00	-118.00	115.60	3	495	-	523	517	13	3.00	- 3.00
	4		3	110.00	-125.00	119.00	2	509	-	555	532	5	2.00	- 4.00
	0	DP	3	108.00	-114.00	108.60	N/Q	486	-	514	489	N/Q	1.00	- 1.00
	0	DP	4	120.00	-120.00	120.00	N/Q	541	-	541	541	N/Q	1.00	- 1.00
	2		4	119.00	-139.00	130.80	10	527	-	618	581	45	1.00	- 4.00
22.1-24	0	MR	3	100.00	-100.00	100.00	N/Q	404	-	404	404	N/Q	3.00	- 3.00
	15		4	125.00	-155.00	140.90	6	530	-	638	588	30	2.00	- 4.00
	1	DP	4	120.00	-132.00	127.60	5	517	-	561	548	29	1.00	- 1.00
	1	RS	4	150.00	-150.00	150.00	N/Q	608	-	608	608	N/Q	4.00	- 4.00
24.1-26	0	DP	4	134.00	-134.00	134.00	N/Q	532	-	532	532	N/Q	1.00	- 1.00
	7		4	144.00	-158.00	150.50	7	546	-	608	579	24	2.00	- 4.00
26.1-30	12		4	153.00	-177.00	166.60	10	539	-	607	566	34	3.00	- 4.00
	0	RS	4	182.00	-182.00	182.00	N/Q	659	-	659	659	N/Q	4.00	- 4.00
30.1+	6		4	175.00	-188.00	180.90	7	527	-	566	549	40	3.00	- 4.00
				59.00	188.00			404		659			1.00	4.00

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				Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High		
0-22	0		3	86.00	-86.00	86.00	N/Q	382	-	382	382	N/Q	2.00	-	2.00
	0	MR	3	86.00	-86.00	86.00	N/Q	382	-	382	382	N/Q	2.00	-	2.00
22.1+	1	MR	3	90.00	-104.00	95.40	N/C	383	-	421	400	21	2.00	-	3.00
	0		3	96.00	-96.00	96.00	N/Q	388	-	388	388	N/Q	3.00	-	3.00
	0	DP	3	100.00	-100.00	100.00	N/C	381	-	381	381	N/Q	1.00	-	1.00
	0		4	120.00	-120.00	120.00	N/Q	387	-	387	387	N/Q	4.00	-	4.00
				86.00	120.00			381		421			1.00		4.00
Ewe															
0-14	0	MR	2	52.00	-54.00	53.60	3	329	-	336	333	11	5.00	-	8.00
	0	1X	2	50.00	-50.00	50.00	N/Q	336	-	336	336	N/Q	3.00	-	3.00
14.1-18	0	1X	2	64.00	-65.00	64.80	N/C	375	-	407	400	N/Q	4.00	-	4.00
	0	DP	2	64.00	-64.00	64.00	N/Q	394	-	394	394	N/Q	1.00	-	1.00
	2	MR	2	62.00	-78.00	66.80	6	363	-	429	390	21	4.00	-	8.00
	0	MR	3	74.00	-78.00	75.20	2	383	-	424	391	6	4.00	-	8.00
18.1-24	9	MR	3	76.00	-114.00	93.50	9	336	-	425	385	32	4.00	-	12.00
	0	1X	3	74.00	-94.00	86.40	-2	342	-	390	364	-16	2.00	-	5.00
	0	RM	3	110.00	-110.00	110.00	N/Q	461	-	461	461	N/Q	4.00	-	4.00
	1	DP	3	83.00	-96.00	90.70	13	342	-	396	374	29	1.00	-	1.00
24.1+	0	1X	2	100.00	-100.00	100.00	N/Q	363	-	363	363	N/Q	2.00	-	2.00
	2	1X	3	91.00	-116.00	110.50	7	348	-	419	385	7	3.00	-	5.00
	1	DP	3	89.00	-108.00	97.60	8	314	-	385	350	12	1.00	-	1.00
	0	MR	3	112.00	-114.00	112.50	6	416	-	424	422	36	6.00	-	10.00
				50.00	116.00			314		461			1.00		12.00
Wether															
18.1-24	1	MR	3	88.00	-104.00	101.30	24	357	-	404	395	44	4.00	-	12.00
24.1+	0	MR	3	117.00	-118.00	117.20	N/Q	393	-	404	402	N/Q	8.00	-	12.00
	0	1X	3	111.00	-111.00	111.00	N/Q	331	-	331	331	N/Q	5.00	-	5.00
				88.00	118.00			331		404			4.00		12.00
Ram															
26.1+	0	1X	2	43.00	-43.00	43.00	N/Q	93	-	93	93	N/Q	4.00	-	4.00
	0	MR	2	65.00	-75.00	69.00	1	123	-	151	136	-5	10.00	-	12.00
				43.00	75.00			93		151			4.00		12.00

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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