

## Detailed saleyard report - sheep and lamb

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### Griffith

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<b>Yarding Change</b>	12871 1872	<b>Lambs Change</b>	9492 751	<b>Sheep Change</b>	3379 1121	<b>comparison date</b>	25/07/2014
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Numbers lifted this sale, with both lamb and mutton showing the increase. Lamb quality continues to be mixed, with an increased numbers of drier long wool lambs offered. Heavy and extra heavy lambs made up the majority of the yarding and there was 2,100 new season lambs penned. The usual buyers were present and competing in a market that showed a cheaper trend.

Trade weight new season lambs sold from \$110 to \$138/head. Old light lambs slipped \$20, selling from \$72 to \$80/head. Trade weights were \$18 to \$20 easier, with prices ranging from \$85 to \$118/head. Heavy and extra heavy lambs eased \$10 to \$15/head. Heavy lambs sold from \$118 to \$134 and extra heavy weights received from \$133 to \$168/head. Carcase prices averaged from 430c to 518c/kg cwt.

Mutton numbers were again made up of mostly mixed quality Merinos. Prices slipped with Merino ewes selling from \$77 to \$104/head. Crossbred ewes received from \$73 to \$83/head. Merino wethers ranged from \$82 to \$103/head.

Category	% Yard	Sale Prefix	Fat Score	\$/Head				Estimated Carcase Weight c/kg				Skin (\$)			
				Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High		
<b>Young Lamb</b>															
12.1-16	1		2	64.00	-64.00	64.00	N/Q	421	-	421	421	N/Q	5.00	-	5.00
	1	RS	2	93.00	-93.00	93.00	N/Q	550	-	550	550	N/Q	5.00	-	5.00
18.1-20	1		3	110.00	-110.00	110.00	N/Q	515	-	520	519	N/Q	6.00	-	7.00
20.1-22	5		3	120.00	-128.00	124.90	-3	514	-	557	541	-26	6.00	-	7.00
	2		4	130.00	-135.00	132.60	N/Q	559	-	582	571	N/Q	7.00	-	7.00
22.1-24	0	DP	3	126.00	-126.00	126.00	N/Q	521	-	521	521	N/Q	1.00	-	1.00
	2		4	130.00	-138.00	134.60	N/Q	535	-	561	549	N/Q	7.00	-	7.00
				<b>64.00</b>	<b>138.00</b>			<b>421</b>		<b>582</b>			<b>1.00</b>		<b>7.00</b>
<b>Lamb</b>															
12.1-16	2	MR	2	45.00	-54.00	49.30	-11	293	-	313	298	-89	4.00	-	5.00
	1	MR	3	63.00	-65.00	64.00	-18	369	-	381	375	-103	4.00	-	4.00
16.1-18	2	MR	3	64.00	-79.00	72.80	-24	341	-	441	389	-132	4.00	-	6.00
	1		3	72.00	-80.00	75.40	-21	372	-	417	406	-118	4.00	-	5.00
18.1-20	1		3	85.00	-97.00	89.70	-25	415	-	455	428	-140	2.00	-	6.00
	2	MR	3	82.00	-86.00	83.80	-29	400	-	416	410	-136	5.00	-	6.00
	0	DP	3	62.00	-62.00	62.00	N/Q	321	-	321	321	N/Q	1.00	-	1.00
20.1-22	0	DP	3	96.00	-96.00	96.00	-5	432	-	432	432	-23	1.00	-	1.00
	3	MR	3	94.00	-110.00	101.60	-21	423	-	477	441	-98	5.00	-	5.00
	11		3	96.00	-116.00	108.80	-18	433	-	505	479	-75	2.00	-	6.00
	1		4	110.00	-116.00	114.30	N/Q	477	-	500	493	N/Q	5.00	-	6.00
	0	MR	4	106.00	-106.00	106.00	N/Q	455	-	455	455	N/Q	6.00	-	6.00
22.1-24	1		3	117.00	-119.00	117.80	-16	493	-	511	499	-70	4.00	-	6.00
	1	DP	3	111.00	-113.00	112.00	N/Q	458	-	467	463	N/Q	1.00	-	1.00
	8		4	118.00	-134.00	127.30	-10	504	-	539	526	-37	2.00	-	6.00
	2	MR	4	114.00	-120.00	117.90	N/Q	467	-	496	482	N/Q	5.00	-	6.00
	1	DP	4	114.00	-114.00	114.00	N/C	491	-	491	491	8	1.00	-	1.00
24.1-26	0	DP	3	119.00	-119.00	119.00	N/Q	454	-	454	454	N/Q	1.00	-	1.00
	3	DP	4	110.00	-129.00	124.80	2	436	-	492	483	-4	1.00	-	1.00
	6		4	133.00	-143.00	136.90	-15	506	-	531	518	-50	5.00	-	6.00
26.1-30	8		4	143.00	-162.00	150.80	-15	500	-	536	518	-58	6.00	-	6.00

Category Weight	% Yard	Sale Prefix	Fat Score	\$/Head				Estimated Carcase Weight c/kg				Skin (\$)		
				Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	
30.1+	2		4	160.00	-168.00	164.40	N/Q	477	-	513	496	N/Q	6.00	- 6.00
				<b>45.00</b>	<b>168.00</b>			<b>293</b>		<b>539</b>			<b>1.00</b>	<b>6.00</b>
<b>Hogget</b>														
0-22	0		2	54.00	-54.00	54.00	N/Q	306	-	306	306	N/Q	2.00	- 2.00
	0	MR	2	58.00	-58.00	58.00	N/Q	318	-	318	318	N/Q	4.00	- 4.00
	1	MR	3	75.00	-86.00	81.10	15	318	-	364	345	30	5.00	- 6.00
	0		3	74.00	-74.00	74.00	N/Q	324	-	324	324	N/Q	6.00	- 6.00
22.1+	1		3	82.00	-96.00	91.60	-17	330	-	375	359	-34	6.00	- 6.00
	0	DP	3	82.00	-82.00	82.00	N/Q	324	-	324	324	N/Q	1.00	- 1.00
	1	MR	3	84.00	-93.00	91.60	-8	339	-	363	359	-19	6.00	- 6.00
				<b>54.00</b>	<b>96.00</b>			<b>306</b>		<b>375</b>			<b>1.00</b>	<b>6.00</b>
<b>Ewe</b>														
0-14	0	MR	2	40.00	-40.00	40.00	N/Q	340	-	340	340	N/Q	6.00	- 6.00
14.1-18	2	MR	2	52.00	-69.00	60.80	2	259	-	381	334	-9	8.00	- 10.00
	0	1X	2	65.00	-65.00	65.00	N/Q	353	-	353	353	N/Q	5.00	- 5.00
	2	MR	3	64.00	-74.00	70.60	-2	329	-	367	350	-26	8.00	- 10.00
	1	1X	3	65.00	-67.00	65.60	N/Q	344	-	356	348	N/Q	3.00	- 3.00
18.1-24	1	1X	3	73.00	-81.00	76.10	-16	300	-	358	312	-47	5.00	- 6.00
	9	MR	3	77.00	-100.00	86.60	N/C	327	-	375	352	-8	7.00	- 14.00
	1	DP	3	72.00	-75.00	72.80	N/Q	308	-	309	309	N/Q	1.00	- 1.00
24.1+	0	DP	3	70.00	-70.00	70.00	-33	230	-	230	230	-120	1.00	- 1.00
	1	MR	3	104.00	-104.00	104.00	2	369	-	369	369	-2	8.00	- 8.00
	1	1X	3	83.00	-83.00	83.00	-25	312	-	312	312	-53	2.00	- 2.00
				<b>40.00</b>	<b>104.00</b>			<b>230</b>		<b>381</b>			<b>1.00</b>	<b>14.00</b>
<b>Wether</b>														
18.1-24	0	MR	3	82.00	-82.00	82.00	-10	324	-	324	324	-66	14.00	- 14.00
24.1+	1	MR	3	103.00	-103.00	103.00	-3	356	-	356	356	-20	14.00	- 14.00
				<b>82.00</b>	<b>103.00</b>			<b>324</b>		<b>356</b>			<b>14.00</b>	<b>14.00</b>
<b>Ram</b>														
26.1+	0	MR	2	50.00	-50.00	50.00	N/Q	95	-	95	95	N/Q	12.00	- 12.00
				<b>50.00</b>	<b>50.00</b>			<b>95</b>		<b>95</b>			<b>12.00</b>	<b>12.00</b>

#### 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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