

Detailed saleyard report - sheep and lamb

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Yarding Change	14200 1900	Lambs Change	12300 1900	Sheep Change	1900 0	comparison date	27/06/2014
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Numbers lifted slightly this sale with lambs showing the increase. Lamb quality was fair, with good numbers of well finished lambs penned along with the plainer pens. There were a large percentage of Merino lambs on offer along with good numbers of trade and heavy lambs. The usual buyers were present and competing in a cheaper market.

Light lambs eased \$3, selling from \$92 to \$114/head. Trade weights were \$5 easier, with prices ranging from \$112 to \$144/head. Trade weight Merinos sold from \$94 to \$125/head. Reduced competition for heavy and extra heavy lambs saw them slip \$8/head. Heavy lambs sold from \$138 to \$151 and extra heavy weights received from \$154 to \$190/head. Carcase prices averaged from 575c to 597c/kg cwt.

Mutton numbers remained steady and were made up of mostly Merinos. Quality was mixed and prices were also cheaper. Merino ewes sold from \$85 to \$120, while crossbreds reached \$130/head. Dorper ewes sold from \$88 to \$110/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	
Young Lamb														
18.1-20	0		3	132.00	-132.00	132.00	N/Q	630	-	630	630	N/Q	6.00	- 6.00
				132.00	132.00			630		630			6.00	6.00
Lamb														
0-12	0	MR	2	49.00	-49.00	49.00	N/Q	450	-	450	450	N/Q	4.00	- 4.00
12.1-16	2	MR	2	65.00	-78.00	74.10	-3	436	-	507	488	-24	3.00	- 4.00
	1		2	74.00	-84.00	75.60	N/Q	493	-	540	500	N/Q	3.00	- 5.00
	0	1X	3	88.00	-88.00	88.00	N/Q	525	-	525	525	N/Q	4.00	- 4.00
	1	MR	3	82.00	-89.00	87.10	-1	488	-	525	513	-12	4.00	- 5.00
	1		3	88.00	-93.00	90.30	-4	519	-	556	537	-27	2.00	- 6.00
16.1-18	3		3	92.00	-114.00	104.90	-3	512	-	606	564	-15	2.00	- 6.00
	13	MR	3	94.00	-111.00	100.90	-3	524	-	600	554	-12	3.00	- 6.00
	0	RS	3	88.00	-88.00	88.00	N/Q	512	-	512	512	N/Q	1.00	- 1.00
	0	DP	3	88.00	-88.00	88.00	N/Q	483	-	483	483	N/Q	1.00	- 1.00
18.1-20	2	DP	3	90.00	-105.00	91.80	N/Q	445	-	547	463	N/Q	1.00	- 1.00
	4	MR	3	108.00	-124.00	116.40	N/C	537	-	590	570	-9	5.00	- 6.00
	6		3	112.00	-126.00	120.10	-5	568	-	616	588	-15	3.00	- 6.00
20.1-22	4		3	113.00	-144.00	131.60	-4	509	-	632	590	-13	1.00	- 6.00
	3	MR	3	120.00	-125.00	122.10	-10	541	-	562	555	-45	5.00	- 6.00
	1	RS	3	129.00	-129.00	129.00	N/Q	591	-	591	591	N/Q	5.00	- 5.00
	3	DP	3	113.00	-119.00	116.20	-1	509	-	536	524	-6	1.00	- 1.00
	0	1X	3	134.00	-134.00	134.00	N/Q	586	-	586	586	N/Q	5.00	- 5.00
	2		4	135.00	-139.00	138.10	-8	600	-	614	606	-30	3.00	- 6.00
22.1-24	0		3	98.00	-98.00	98.00	N/Q	417	-	417	417	N/Q	2.00	- 2.00
	1	DP	3	126.00	-129.00	127.70	3	521	-	533	528	-11	1.00	- 1.00
	2	DP	4	121.00	-121.00	121.00	-10	500	-	500	500	-51	1.00	- 1.00
	6		4	138.00	-151.00	146.00	-8	578	-	626	597	-29	2.00	- 6.00
	1	RS	4	148.00	-148.00	148.00	N/Q	622	-	622	622	N/Q	5.00	- 5.00
	1	MR	4	135.00	-144.00	138.30	-6	561	-	575	566	-35	6.00	- 6.00
24.1-26	0	DP	3	134.00	-134.00	134.00	N/Q	532	-	532	532	N/Q	1.00	- 1.00
	8		4	154.00	-169.00	160.80	-3	589	-	636	603	-21	3.00	- 6.00
26.1-30	8		4	164.00	-180.00	170.20	-12	585	-	626	598	-34	5.00	- 6.00

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				Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High		
30.1+	1	DP	4	144.00	-150.00	145.70	-13	530	-	532	530	-43	1.00	-	1.00
	0		4	190.00	-190.00	190.00	N/Q	575	-	575	575	N/Q	6.00	-	6.00
				49.00	190.00			417		636			1.00		6.00
Hogget															
0-22	0		3	92.00	-92.00	92.00	N/Q	400	-	400	400	N/Q	4.00	-	4.00
	0	MR	3	87.00	-87.00	87.00	N/Q	391	-	391	391	N/Q	5.00	-	5.00
22.1+	2	MR	3	100.00	-106.00	104.80	-3	413	-	430	417	-6	5.00	-	6.00
	1		3	100.00	-124.00	115.50	-4	400	-	441	426	-6	2.00	-	5.00
	1	DP	3	84.00	-100.00	90.10	-16	346	-	391	361	-37	1.00	-	1.00
				84.00	124.00			346		441			1.00		6.00
Ewe															
0-14	0	MR	2	48.00	-56.00	52.50	N/Q	420	-	425	423	N/Q	5.00	-	6.00
14.1-18	0	MR	2	73.00	-73.00	73.00	N/Q	394	-	394	394	N/Q	6.00	-	6.00
18.1-24	1	DP	3	88.00	-92.00	88.90	9	378	-	379	379	35	1.00	-	1.00
	3	MR	3	85.00	-107.00	93.60	-11	355	-	408	370	-25	6.00	-	11.00
24.1+	2	MR	3	110.00	-120.00	112.00	-4	400	-	423	404	-18	6.00	-	11.00
	1	DP	3	103.00	-110.00	104.20	N/Q	363	-	392	387	N/Q	1.00	-	1.00
	1	1X	3	117.00	-130.00	124.00	12	344	-	396	367	-57	5.00	-	6.00
	0	1X	4	108.00	-108.00	108.00	N/Q	382	-	382	382	N/Q	1.00	-	1.00
				48.00	130.00			344		425			1.00		11.00
Wether															
18.1-24	0	MR	2	80.00	-80.00	80.00	N/Q	327	-	327	327	N/Q	8.00	-	8.00
				80.00	80.00			327		327			8.00		8.00
Ram															
26.1+	0	DP	2	40.00	-56.00	52.40	N/Q	98	-	141	131	N/Q	1.00	-	1.00
	0	MR	2	54.00	-56.00	55.40	N/Q	144	-	157	148	N/Q	10.00	-	10.00
				40.00	56.00			98		157			1.00		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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