

## Detailed saleyard report - sheep and lamb

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### Griffith

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<b>Yarding Change</b>	9700 -726	<b>Lambs Change</b>	7300 -1488	<b>Sheep Change</b>	2400 762	<b>comparison date</b>	16/01/2015
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Numbers declined this sale, with lambs the most affected. Lamb quality was fair, with good numbers of finished lambs on offer along with the few plainer types. Heavy and extra heavy weight lambs made up the majority of the yarding. The usual buyers were present and competing in a cheaper market.

Light lambs were \$1 easier, with prices ranging from \$92 to \$103/head. Trade weight lambs were \$3 to \$6 easier, with prices ranging from \$105 to \$125/head. Heavy and extra heavy lambs were well supplied but slipped \$5/head. Heavy lambs received from \$129 to \$147 and extra heavy weight lambs sold from \$145 to \$197/head. Carcase prices averaged from 539c to 570c/kg cwt.

Mutton numbers were made up of mostly mixed quality Merinos. Prices lifted \$7/head. Merino ewes sold from \$86 to \$126 and crossbred ewes ranged in price from \$74 to \$115/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	
<b>Lamb</b>														
0-12	1	RM	1	34.00	-34.00	34.00	N/Q	533	-	533	533	N/Q	2.00	- 2.00
12.1-16	0	RM	2	68.00	-68.00	68.00	N/Q	500	-	500	500	N/Q	3.00	- 3.00
	0	MR	2	70.00	-70.00	70.00	N/Q	447	-	447	447	N/Q	3.00	- 3.00
	1	MR	3	90.00	-94.00	92.60	N/Q	538	-	569	558	N/Q	3.00	- 4.00
16.1-18	0	DP	3	90.00	-90.00	90.00	N/Q	524	-	524	524	N/Q	1.00	- 1.00
	1		3	92.00	-103.00	101.50	-1	524	-	550	546	-41	3.00	- 4.00
18.1-20	1		3	105.00	-105.00	105.00	-3	532	-	537	534	-10	3.00	- 4.00
	1	MR	3	104.00	-106.00	105.20	-3	532	-	537	534	-14	3.00	- 4.00
	0	RS	3	113.00	-113.00	113.00	N/Q	550	-	550	550	N/Q	3.00	- 3.00
20.1-22	0	RS	3	115.00	-115.00	115.00	N/Q	538	-	538	538	N/Q	2.00	- 2.00
	2	MR	3	123.00	-126.00	124.50	1	536	-	555	546	-5	4.00	- 5.00
	1	DP	3	115.00	-122.00	119.80	4	518	-	550	540	19	1.00	- 1.00
	2		3	115.00	-124.00	118.40	-3	500	-	541	522	-19	3.00	- 5.00
	4		4	124.00	-125.00	124.90	-6	546	-	559	548	-29	2.00	- 5.00
	1	DP	4	123.00	-123.00	123.00	-3	555	-	555	555	-14	1.00	- 1.00
22.1-24	2	DP	4	128.00	-138.00	130.60	N/C	552	-	571	557	7	1.00	- 1.00
	0	MR	4	138.00	-138.00	138.00	N/Q	554	-	554	554	N/Q	5.00	- 5.00
	18		4	129.00	-147.00	137.90	-5	539	-	596	564	-24	1.00	- 5.00
24.1-26	12		4	145.00	-158.00	149.40	-5	550	-	592	575	-14	3.00	- 5.00
	1	DP	4	135.00	-140.00	139.20	-8	535	-	548	537	-32	1.00	- 1.00
26.1-30	6		4	155.00	-173.00	162.50	N/C	555	-	567	558	-11	5.00	- 5.00
30.1+	4		4	171.00	-197.00	187.30	10	531	-	558	539	-3	3.00	- 5.00
				<b>34.00</b>	<b>197.00</b>			<b>447</b>		<b>596</b>			<b>1.00</b>	<b>5.00</b>
<b>Hogget</b>														
0-22	0		3	84.00	-84.00	84.00	N/Q	364	-	364	364	N/Q	4.00	- 4.00
22.1+	1		3	88.00	-125.00	108.00	-7	350	-	465	406	15	4.00	- 4.00
	0	DP	3	105.00	-105.00	105.00	N/Q	433	-	433	433	N/Q	1.00	- 1.00
				<b>84.00</b>	<b>125.00</b>			<b>350</b>		<b>465</b>			<b>1.00</b>	<b>4.00</b>
<b>Ewe</b>														
0-14	1	MR	2	32.00	-43.00	36.10	-14	280	-	355	320	-27	4.00	- 6.00
	1	1X	2	26.00	-48.00	39.60	N/Q	240	-	321	290	N/Q	2.00	- 3.00

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				Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High		
14.1-18	1	1X	2	64.00	-64.00	64.00	3	375	-	375	375	19	4.00	-	4.00
	2	MR	2	62.00	-70.00	65.10	-2	371	-	400	391	-13	4.00	-	7.00
	1	MR	3	76.00	-76.00	76.00	-4	394	-	394	394	-6	9.00	-	9.00
18.1-24	8	MR	3	86.00	-113.00	96.70	7	346	-	413	382	4	5.00	-	14.00
	0	DP	3	76.00	-76.00	76.00	N/Q	326	-	326	326	N/Q	1.00	-	1.00
	1	1X	3	74.00	-84.00	81.40	N/Q	338	-	381	362	N/Q	3.00	-	4.00
24.1+	1	1X	3	98.00	-115.00	110.90	8	324	-	372	358	-17	5.00	-	5.00
	0	DP	3	98.00	-98.00	98.00	N/Q	323	-	323	323	N/Q	1.00	-	1.00
	1	MR	3	115.00	-126.00	121.80	12	400	-	404	402	10	14.00	-	14.00
				<b>26.00</b>	<b>126.00</b>			<b>240</b>		<b>413</b>			<b>1.00</b>		<b>14.00</b>
<b>Wether</b>															
	0	MR	3	130.00	-130.00	130.00	N/Q	341	-	341	341	N/Q	14.00	-	14.00
				<b>130.00</b>	<b>130.00</b>			<b>341</b>		<b>341</b>			<b>14.00</b>		<b>14.00</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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