

Detailed saleyard report - sheep and lamb

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Yarding Change	7388 201	Lambs Change	5356 -175	Sheep Change	2032 376	comparison date	24/06/2015

Agents yarded a similar number of lambs and there was a slight rise in sheep supply. Quality overall was plainer for the lambs although there were some very good pens of medium trade and heavy lambs in the market and there was an improvement in the condition of the sheep. The regular buying group attended as competition remained consistent with light weight lambs \$1 to \$2/head cheaper and the medium trade 2 and 3 scores and heavy trade 3 and 4 scores sold at firm to unchanged prices. There was more local restocker activity for light Merino lambs and young Merino sheep as the light 1 and 2 score Merino lambs sold from \$30 to \$42 and some young Merino 2 score wethers sold from \$61 to \$64/head.

Light trade weight 2 score lambs sold from \$79 to \$116/head. Medium trade 2 and 3 scores sold from \$122 to \$145/head, ranging from 620c to 650c/kg cwt. Heavy trade 3 and 4 scores sold from \$148 to \$160 and the heavier 4 score export lambs made between \$175 and \$200/head, averaging around 605c/kg cwt.

Sheep prices were firm to unchanged also as light 1 and 2 score sheep made \$49 to \$78 as the medium to heavy weight 3 score mutton sold from \$77 to \$100/head. Heavy 4 score sheep ranged from \$100 to \$126 and the best Merino wethers sold from \$102 to \$114/head. The better quality mutton sold between 380c and 400c/kg cwt. Hoggets, 3 and 4 score, sold from \$80 to \$130 and better rams sold from \$68 to \$80/head.

Category Weight	% Yard	Sale Prefix	Fat Score		\$/He	ead			E		d Carcase nt c/kg	2	Skin	(\$)
				Low	High	Avg	Change	Low		High	Avg	Change	Low	High
Lamb														
0-12	5	RM	1	30.00	- 35.00	33.90	N/Q	300	-	367	326	N/Q	2.00	- 3.00
	1		1	25.00	- 73.00	44.10	-17	230	-	583	397	-121	2.00	- 3.00
	1	MR	1	45.00	- 45.00	45.00	N/Q	358	-	358	358	N/Q	2.00	- 2.00
	0	RS	1	31.00	- 31.00	31.00	N/Q	363	-	363	363	N/Q	2.00	- 2.00
	1	MR	2	37.00	- 37.00	37.00	N/Q	275	-	275	275	N/Q	4.00	- 4.00
	0		2	55.00	- 69.00	61.10	N/Q	482	-	558	515	N/Q	2.00	- 2.00
12.1-16	1	1X	1	69.00	- 69.00	69.00	N/Q	508	-	508	508	N/Q	3.00	- 3.00
	2	RM	1	42.00	- 42.00	42.00	N/Q	308	-	308	308	N/Q	2.00	- 2.00
	1	MR	2	88.00	- 88.00	88.00	N/Q	567	-	567	567	N/Q	3.00	- 3.00
	9		2	79.00	-110.00	95.50	-2	550	-	663	612	-8	2.00	- 5.00
16.1-18	5		2	102.00	-118.00	112.50	N/C	577	-	633	615	-12	4.00	- 6.00
	4	1X	2	116.00	-116.00	116.00	8	622	-	659	639	39	4.00	- 4.00
	6		3	106.00	-122.00	115.00	-2	572	-	656	622	-11	1.00	- 6.00
	1		4	108.00	-108.00	108.00	N/Q	589	-	589	589	N/Q	2.00	- 2.00
18.1-20	2		2	126.00	-130.00	128.60	N/C	620	-	637	625	-23	5.00	- 5.00
	1	1X	2	130.00	-130.00	130.00	N/Q	630	-	630	630	N/Q	4.00	- 4.00
	0	MR	2	73.00	- 73.00	73.00	N/Q	374	-	374	374	N/Q	2.00	- 2.00
	0	1X	3	121.00	-124.00	122.20	N/Q	590	-	590	590	N/Q	3.00	- 6.00
	6		3	119.00	-134.00	128.00	-1	600	-	647	626	-16	2.00	- 7.00
20.1-22	9		3	132.00	-145.00	139.30	-3	600	-	648	623	-18	2.00	- 8.00
	1	1X	3	129.00	-129.00	129.00	-15	586	-	586	586	-67	6.00	- 6.00
	2		4	143.00	-144.00	143.70	-7	623	-	648	631	-20	7.00	- 7.00
22.1-24	3		3	148.00	-157.00	152.40	4	596	-	626	610	-8	4.00	- 8.00
	5		4	143.00	-156.00	150.80	1	604	-	642	621	20	2.00	- 8.00
24.1-26	1		4	160.00	-160.00	160.00	-1	600	-	608	605	-1	8.00	- 10.00
26.1-30	0		1	180.00	-180.00	180.00	N/Q	607	-	607	607	N/Q	10.00	- 10.00
	0		3	178.00	-178.00	178.00	N/Q	604	-	604	604	N/Q	9.00	- 9.00
	0		4	175.00	-175.00	175.00	N/Q	619	-	619	619	N/Q	8.00	- 8.00

Category Weight	% Yard	Sale Prefix	le Prefix Fat Score	\$/Head					E	Estimate Weigł	Skin (\$)			
				Low	High	Avg	Change	Low		High	Avg	Change	Low	High
30.1+	0		5	200.00	-200.00	200.00	N/Q	559	-	559	559	N/Q	10.00	- 10.00
				25.00	200.00			230		663			1.00	10.00
Hogget														
0-22	1		1	54.00	- 70.00	61.40	N/Q	408	-	457	431	N/Q	5.00	- 6.00
	1	MR	1	54.00	- 54.00	54.00	N/Q	306	-	306	306	N/Q	2.00	- 2.00
	1	MR	2	63.00	- 63.00	63.00	-17	321	-	321	321	-114	2.00	- 2.00
	0		2	84.00	-112.00	106.40	N/Q	432	-	524	496	N/Q	2.00	- 6.00
	0		3	80.00	- 80.00	80.00	N/Q	411	-	411	411	N/Q	2.00	- 2.00
22.1+	0		2	115.00	-115.00	115.00	N/Q	444	-	444	444	N/Q	4.00	- 4.00
	1		3	114.00	-124.00	117.70	-2	437	-	462	445	-68	2.00	- 4.00
	0		4	115.00	-130.00	127.50	N/Q	440	-	481	474	N/Q	5.00	- 5.00
				54.00	130.00			306		524			2.00	6.00
Ewe														
0-14	3	MR	1	36.00	- 55.00	47.00	3	279	-	364	334	42	1.00	- 4.00
14.1-18	0	MR	1	55.00	- 55.00	55.00	N/Q	353	-	353	353	N/Q	2.00	- 2.00
	0	1X	1	54.00	- 60.00	58.80	N/Q	340	-	363	358	N/Q	2.00	- 3.00
	1	1X	2	60.00	- 67.00	64.30	4	356	-	382	377	27	1.00	- 4.00
	3	MR	2	65.00	- 78.00	73.20	1	373	-	400	394	38	2.00	- 12.00
	0	1X	3	75.00	- 75.00	75.00	N/Q	383	-	383	383	N/Q	6.00	- 6.00
	1	MR	4	70.00	- 77.00	75.00	N/Q	382	-	400	395	N/Q	5.00	- 5.00
18.1-24	1	1X	2	72.00	- 94.00	86.80	N/Q	363	-	379	373	N/Q	2.00	- 8.00
	1	MR	3	77.00	- 96.00	91.20	N/Q	383	-	395	388	N/Q	4.00	- 12.00
	2	1X	3	80.00	-100.00	91.60	1	385	-	400	395	21	2.00	- 4.00
24.1+	1	1X	3	105.00	-110.00	105.50	-4	382	-	386	384	-7	2.00	- 5.00
	4	1X	4	100.00	-126.00	118.80	1	379	-	403	386	1	1.00	- 5.00
	2	MR	4	100.00	-100.00	100.00	-14	388	-	388	388	10	3.00	- 3.00
				36.00	126.00			279		403			1.00	12.00
Wether														
0-14	1	MR	1	49.00	- 49.00	49.00	N/C	362	-	362	362	26	2.00	- 2.00
14.1-18	0	MR	1		- 66.00	66.00	N/Q	388	-	388	388	N/Q		- 4.00
	1	RM	1	64.00	- 64.00	64.00	N/Q	413	-	413	413	N/Q	2.00	- 2.00
	2	RM	2	61.00	- 61.00	61.00	N/Q	387	-	387	387	N/Q	3.00	- 3.00
18.1-24	2	MR	2	95.00	- 95.00	95.00	N/Q	388	-	388	388	N/Q	2.00	- 2.00
24.1+	2	MR	3	102.00	-114.00	112.30	N/Q	392	-	400	399	N/Q	2.00	- 4.00
	0	1X	4	109.00	-125.00	121.90	N/Q	348	-	390	384	N/Q	1.00	- 4.00
	0	1X	5	125.00	-125.00	125.00	N/Q	356	-	356	356	N/Q	4.00	- 4.00
					125.00		-	348		413		-	1.00	4.00
Ram														
0-26	0	MR	1	63.00	- 63.00	63.00	N/Q	220	-	220	220	N/Q	8.00	- 8.00
	0	1X	2		- 74.00	73.00	N/Q	280	-	288	284	N/Q		- 2.00
26.1+	0	1X	1		- 61.00	61.00	N/Q	219	-	219	219	N/Q		- 2.00
	0		2		- 68.00	68.00	N/Q	236	-	236	236	N/Q		- 2.00
	1	1X	2		- 85.00	74.50	N/C	167	_	296	233	N/Q		- 4.00
	0	MR	2		- 84.00	75.90	N/Q	213	_	253	239	N/Q		- 8.00
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	0	1X	3	80.00	- 84.00	81.40	N/Q	244	-	256	248	N/Q	2.00	- 2.00

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:

Category Weight	% Yard Sale Prefix	Fat Score	at Score \$/Head					Estimated Weigh		9	Skin	(\$)	
			Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	-

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