

## Detailed saleyard report - sheep and lamb

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### Hamilton

report date 22 Jan 2015

<b>Yarding Change</b>	15989 -3390	<b>Lambs Change</b>	0 0	<b>Sheep Change</b>	15989 -3390	<b>comparison date</b>	15/01/2015
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Sheep numbers continue to flow at Hamilton, with 15,989 head penned. It was a mixed yarding, with Merino wethers accounting for 25% of the total and the balance being made of up ewes ranging from very good quality heavy weights down to a number of lighter conditioned pens. All buyers were present but one processor was not operating which seemed to have an adverse effect on the sale, with mutton selling at slightly lower prices. There was no restocker activity today to mention.

Light sheep 1 and 2 score sold from \$37 to \$68, around \$2 to \$3/head cheaper. The medium trade 2 and 3 score mutton made between \$56 and \$86 to be around \$3 to \$4/head cheaper, as prices ranged from 310c to 340c/kg cwt.

Heavy crossbred 3 and 4 score ewes sold from \$77 to \$94 to also be \$3 to \$4 cheaper, as the extra heavy export mutton ranged from \$95 to \$118 to be generally remain firm week-on-week, although at times some sales were \$3 to \$4/head cheaper. The heavier sheep ranged in price between 350c to 380c/kg cwt. Best of the prime Merino wethers made from \$96 to \$115/head, with the estimated price from 360c to 400c/kg cwt. The best Merino ram sales were from \$52 to \$55/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	0	RS	1	30.00	-30.00	30.00	N/Q	233	-	233	233	N/Q	2.00	- 2.00
12.1-16	0		2	65.00	-65.00	65.00	N/Q	420	-	420	420	N/Q	2.00	- 2.00
				<b>30.00</b>	<b>65.00</b>			<b>233</b>		<b>420</b>			<b>2.00</b>	<b>2.00</b>
<b>Hogget</b>														
0-22	0		3	75.00	-75.00	75.00	13	365	-	365	365	49	2.00	- 2.00
	0		4	72.00	-72.00	72.00	N/Q	350	-	350	350	N/Q	2.00	- 2.00
22.1+	0		3	85.00	-105.00	90.80	-14	358	-	413	372	-24	2.00	- 6.00
	1		4	98.00	-116.00	111.70	N/Q	365	-	412	377	N/Q	2.00	- 5.00
				<b>72.00</b>	<b>116.00</b>			<b>350</b>		<b>413</b>			<b>2.00</b>	<b>6.00</b>
<b>Young Ewe</b>														
0-14	0	MR	1	21.00	-21.00	21.00	N/Q	182	-	182	182	N/Q	1.00	- 1.00
14.1-18	1	MR	2	69.00	-69.00	69.00	N/Q	350	-	350	350	N/Q	6.00	- 6.00
18.1-24	1	MR	3	68.00	-68.00	68.00	N/Q	305	-	305	305	N/Q	7.00	- 7.00
				<b>21.00</b>	<b>69.00</b>			<b>182</b>		<b>350</b>			<b>1.00</b>	<b>7.00</b>
<b>Ewe</b>														
0-14	9	MR	1	15.00	-45.00	29.40	-12	127	-	308	217	-70	1.00	- 7.00
	5	1X	1	15.00	-46.00	35.30	-10	120	-	307	245	-63	2.00	- 3.00
	1	MR	2	34.00	-37.00	34.70	-12	229	-	246	242	-68	2.00	- 5.00
14.1-18	2	MR	1	40.00	-65.00	52.90	-3	253	-	360	317	-16	2.00	- 3.00
	5	1X	1	44.00	-68.00	56.10	-2	263	-	367	320	-26	2.00	- 9.00
	5	MR	2	51.00	-74.00	63.40	-4	306	-	341	320	-48	2.00	- 15.00
	4	1X	2	44.00	-75.00	64.00	-4	273	-	372	328	-64	2.00	- 20.00
18.1-24	3	1X	1	65.00	-75.00	68.00	-9	305	-	348	336	-5	2.00	- 6.00
	0	DP	2	72.00	-72.00	72.00	N/C	350	-	350	350	N/C	2.00	- 2.00
	4	1X	2	63.00	-76.00	69.40	-9	310	-	374	337	-3	2.00	- 6.00
	2	MR	2	56.00	-75.00	69.90	-7	258	-	355	334	-14	2.00	- 7.00
	2	MR	3	77.00	-94.00	82.10	4	327	-	357	342	11	5.00	- 15.00
	9	1X	3	65.00	-94.00	82.10	-8	304	-	379	351	-19	2.00	- 8.00
	0	DP	4	81.00	-81.00	81.00	N/Q	344	-	344	344	N/Q	2.00	- 2.00
	1	1X	4	81.00	-90.00	82.50	-9	350	-	358	352	-28	2.00	- 4.00

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				Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High		
24.1+	1	MR	4	73.00	-88.00	76.80	-11	338	-	357	342	-30	2.00	-	4.00
	2	1X	3	93.00	-118.00	96.40	1	352	-	380	366	4	2.00	-	7.00
	9	1X	4	92.00	-118.00	107.10	-1	346	-	411	368	-7	2.00	-	8.00
	1	MR	4	107.00	-107.00	107.00	-1	380	-	380	380	-13	12.00	-	12.00
				<b>15.00</b>	<b>118.00</b>			<b>120</b>		<b>411</b>			<b>1.00</b>		<b>20.00</b>
<b>Young Wether</b>															
14.1-18	1	MR	1	51.00	-51.00	51.00	N/Q	281	-	281	281	N/Q	6.00	-	6.00
	1	MR	2	55.00	-55.00	55.00	N/Q	306	-	306	306	N/Q	6.00	-	6.00
18.1-24	2	MR	3	90.00	-90.00	90.00	N/Q	370	-	370	370	N/Q	5.00	-	5.00
				<b>51.00</b>	<b>90.00</b>			<b>281</b>		<b>370</b>			<b>5.00</b>		<b>6.00</b>
<b>Wether</b>															
0-14	2	MR	1	22.00	-45.00	36.80	-7	175	-	300	260	-33	2.00	-	3.00
	1	MR	2	45.00	-45.00	45.00	N/Q	300	-	300	300	N/Q	3.00	-	3.00
14.1-18	2	MR	1	47.00	-65.00	51.30	-10	300	-	333	315	-32	2.00	-	5.00
	3	MR	2	40.00	-70.00	59.90	-5	253	-	350	329	-27	2.00	-	10.00
18.1-24	2	MR	2	66.00	-77.00	72.00	-7	305	-	360	334	-5	5.00	-	8.00
	0	1X	3	88.00	-88.00	88.00	10	371	-	371	371	59	10.00	-	10.00
24.1+	9	MR	3	74.00	-96.00	89.20	3	346	-	400	368	29	2.00	-	15.00
	0	MR	4	82.00	-96.00	88.90	2	346	-	383	364	10	6.00	-	8.00
	4	MR	4	85.00	-115.00	103.50	1	308	-	389	371	14	2.00	-	15.00
	0	1X	4	102.00	-102.00	102.00	N/C	376	-	376	376	N/Q	8.00	-	8.00
				<b>22.00</b>	<b>115.00</b>			<b>175</b>		<b>400</b>			<b>2.00</b>		<b>15.00</b>
<b>Ram</b>															
0-26	0		1	18.00	-18.00	18.00	N/Q	60	-	60	60	N/Q	3.00	-	3.00
	0		3	25.00	-25.00	25.00	N/Q	92	-	92	92	N/Q	1.00	-	1.00
	0	MR	3	48.00	-55.00	51.50	N/Q	160	-	204	182	N/Q	8.00	-	8.00
26.1+	0	MR	1	52.00	-52.00	52.00	N/Q	140	-	140	140	N/Q	3.00	-	3.00
	0		2	30.00	-36.00	33.70	N/C	76	-	117	99	5	1.00	-	12.00
	1	MR	2	35.00	-52.00	43.10	-6	94	-	150	133	-18	2.00	-	3.00
	0	MR	3	26.00	-54.00	35.40	N/Q	77	-	120	91	N/Q	2.00	-	12.00
1		3	26.00	-42.00	34.20	-12	61	-	114	88	-58	1.00	-	3.00	
				<b>18.00</b>	<b>55.00</b>			<b>60</b>		<b>204</b>			<b>1.00</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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