

Detailed saleyard report - sheep and lamb

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Horsham

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| Yarding Change | 5113 1704 | Lambs Change | 2443 482 | Sheep Change | 2670 1222 | comparison date | 16/07/2014 |
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Both lamb and sheep numbers increased slightly in an average quality yarding offered to most of the usual buying group. The lambs were generally plain to average quality, with most selling firm, while the few pens of heavier lambs were a little easier on quality. Merino lambs sold mostly from \$86 to \$115/head. Restockers were quiet but did pay from \$71.50 to \$82 for lambs and paid to \$80/head for shorn Merino wethers.

Light weight 1 and 2 score lambs sold from \$55 to \$91/head. Light trade 2 and 3 score lambs sold from \$94 to \$124/head. Trade weight 3 and 4 score lambs sold from \$117 to \$146/head and ranged from 500c to 590c to average around 560c/kg cwt. Heavy 3 and 4 score lambs sold from \$152 to \$158/head and averaged 565c/kg cwt.

The sheep penning included all weights and grades with several runs of longer wool Merino ewes offered. The light and medium sheep sold mostly firm, with the heavier crossbred and Merino sheep selling a few dollars easier. Light weight 1 and 2 score sheep sold from \$45 to \$72/head. Medium weight 2 and 3 score sheep sold from \$70 to \$97.50/head and ranged from 300c to 410c to average around 370c/kg cwt. Heavy 3 to 5 score sheep sold from \$78 to \$100, with heavy Merino wethers making to \$89 and the medium weights selling from \$75 to \$89/head. Rams of all weights sold from \$23 to \$53/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 | 1 | | 3 | 122.00 | -122.00 | 122.00 | N/Q | 585 | - | 585 | 585 | N/Q | 5.00 | - 5.00 |
| | | | | 122.00 | 122.00 | | | 585 | | 585 | | | 5.00 | 5.00 |
| Lamb | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 0-12 | 1 | RM | 1 | 50.00 | - 50.00 | 50.00 | N/Q | 500 | - | 500 | 500 | N/Q | 5.00 | - 5.00 |
| | 1 | 1X | 1 | 56.00 | - 56.00 | 56.00 | N/Q | 450 | - | 450 | 450 | N/Q | 2.00 | - 2.00 |
| | 0 | MR | 2 | 46.00 | - 67.00 | 57.00 | N/Q | 375 | - | 550 | 467 | N/Q | 1.00 | - 1.00 |
| 12.1-16 | 2 | MR | 2 | 52.00 | - 79.00 | 71.90 | 1 | 364 | - | 557 | 493 | 23 | 1.00 | - 1.00 |
| | 3 | 1X | 2 | 55.00 | - 88.50 | 74.10 | -2 | 379 | - | 541 | 481 | -17 | 1.00 | - 2.00 |
| | 1 | | 2 | 82.00 | - 82.00 | 82.00 | N/Q | 500 | - | 500 | 500 | N/Q | 2.00 | - 2.00 |
| | 0 | FD | 2 | 82.00 | - 82.00 | 82.00 | N/Q | 533 | - | 533 | 533 | N/Q | 2.00 | - 2.00 |
| | 1 | RS | 2 | 71.50 | - 71.50 | 71.50 | N/Q | 511 | - | 511 | 511 | N/Q | 0.00 | - 0.00 |
| | 1 | DP | 2 | 78.00 | - 78.00 | 78.00 | N/Q | 513 | - | 513 | 513 | N/Q | 1.00 | - 1.00 |
| | 0 | | 3 | 91.00 | - 91.00 | 91.00 | N/Q | 556 | - | 556 | 556 | N/Q | 2.00 | - 2.00 |
| | 0 | 1X | 3 | 82.00 | - 82.00 | 82.00 | N/Q | 506 | - | 506 | 506 | N/Q | 1.00 | - 1.00 |
| 16.1-18 | 1 | | 2 | 95.00 | - 98.00 | 95.60 | -2 | 535 | - | 553 | 539 | -16 | 4.00 | - 4.00 |
| | 1 | MR | 2 | 89.00 | - 89.00 | 89.00 | -1 | 518 | - | 518 | 518 | 18 | 1.00 | - 1.00 |
| | 2 | MR | 3 | 97.00 | - 97.00 | 97.00 | 8 | 565 | - | 565 | 565 | N/Q | 1.00 | - 1.00 |
| | 1 | 1X | 3 | 90.00 | - 94.00 | 91.30 | N/Q | 524 | - | 535 | 527 | N/Q | 1.00 | - 3.00 |
| | 2 | | 3 | 94.00 | - 108.00 | 99.10 | -8 | 541 | - | 572 | 554 | -38 | 2.00 | - 5.00 |
| | 1 | DP | 3 | 88.00 | - 88.00 | 88.00 | N/Q | 483 | - | 483 | 483 | N/Q | 1.00 | - 1.00 |
| 18.1-20 | 0 | MR | 2 | 86.00 | - 86.00 | 86.00 | N/Q | 405 | - | 405 | 405 | N/Q | 5.00 | - 5.00 |
| | 10 | | 3 | 103.00 | - 124.00 | 114.80 | 2 | 520 | - | 629 | 571 | 9 | 1.00 | - 5.00 |
| | 0 | 1X | 3 | 102.00 | - 102.00 | 102.00 | N/Q | 490 | - | 490 | 490 | N/Q | 4.00 | - 4.00 |
| 20.1-22 | 3 | | 3 | 117.00 | - 130.00 | 125.80 | 1 | 538 | - | 568 | 551 | -10 | 4.00 | - 5.00 |
| | 0 | DP | 3 | 116.00 | - 116.00 | 116.00 | N/Q | 548 | - | 548 | 548 | N/Q | 1.00 | - 1.00 |
| | 2 | MR | 3 | 109.00 | - 115.00 | 111.00 | N/Q | 514 | - | 514 | 514 | N/Q | 1.00 | - 2.00 |
| 22.1-24 | 1 | MR | 3 | 115.00 | - 115.00 | 115.00 | N/Q | 491 | - | 491 | 491 | N/Q | 2.00 | - 2.00 |
| | 0 | DP | 3 | 77.00 | - 77.00 | 77.00 | N/Q | 330 | - | 330 | 330 | N/Q | 1.00 | - 1.00 |
| | 5 | | 3 | 127.00 | - 146.00 | 135.90 | -5 | 530 | - | 588 | 562 | -18 | 5.00 | - 5.00 |

| Category Weight | % Yard | Sale Prefix | Fat Score | \$/Head | | | | Estimated Carcase Weight c/kg | | | | Skin (\$) | | |
|-----------------|--------|-------------|-----------|--------------|---------------|--------|--------|-------------------------------|------|------------|--------|-----------|-------------|--------------|
| | | | | Low | High | Avg | Change | Low | High | Avg | Change | Low | High | |
| | 2 | | 4 | 135.00 | -142.00 | 136.50 | -5 | 565 | - | 571 | 566 | -31 | 5.00 | - 5.00 |
| 24.1-26 | 1 | | 4 | 152.00 | -152.00 | 152.00 | N/Q | 562 | - | 562 | 562 | N/Q | 6.00 | - 6.00 |
| 26.1-30 | 0 | | 3 | 158.00 | -158.00 | 158.00 | N/Q | 567 | - | 567 | 567 | N/Q | 5.00 | - 5.00 |
| | | | | 46.00 | 158.00 | | | 330 | | 629 | | | 0.00 | 6.00 |
| Hogget | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 0-22 | 0 | 1X | 2 | 61.00 | -61.00 | 61.00 | N/Q | 316 | - | 316 | 316 | N/Q | 1.00 | - 1.00 |
| | 0 | 1X | 3 | 78.50 | -78.50 | 78.50 | N/Q | 339 | - | 339 | 339 | N/Q | 4.00 | - 4.00 |
| 22.1+ | 1 | 1X | 3 | 96.00 | -102.00 | 99.40 | -6 | 388 | - | 392 | 391 | -5 | 2.00 | - 4.00 |
| | 0 | 1X | 4 | 88.00 | -88.00 | 88.00 | N/Q | 358 | - | 358 | 358 | N/Q | 2.00 | - 2.00 |
| | | | | 61.00 | 102.00 | | | 316 | | 392 | | | 1.00 | 4.00 |
| Ewe | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 0-14 | 1 | MR | 1 | 23.50 | -45.00 | 38.00 | N/Q | 196 | - | 307 | 271 | N/Q | 0.00 | - 2.00 |
| 14.1-18 | 5 | MR | 2 | 45.00 | -75.00 | 67.90 | N/C | 287 | - | 394 | 373 | -20 | 0.00 | - 8.00 |
| | 1 | MR | 3 | 72.00 | -72.00 | 72.00 | N/Q | 372 | - | 394 | 389 | N/Q | 1.00 | - 5.00 |
| 18.1-24 | 6 | MR | 2 | 70.00 | -97.50 | 91.30 | 16 | 342 | - | 417 | 402 | 7 | 1.00 | - 10.00 |
| | 3 | 1X | 2 | 75.00 | -88.00 | 79.70 | N/Q | 321 | - | 382 | 348 | N/Q | 4.00 | - 4.00 |
| | 11 | MR | 3 | 72.00 | -94.50 | 84.40 | -6 | 335 | - | 391 | 372 | -4 | 0.00 | - 8.00 |
| | 1 | RM | 3 | 80.00 | -80.00 | 80.00 | N/Q | 376 | - | 376 | 376 | N/Q | 1.00 | - 1.00 |
| | 1 | 1X | 3 | 73.00 | -78.00 | 76.30 | N/Q | 300 | - | 357 | 341 | N/Q | 3.00 | - 4.00 |
| 24.1+ | 2 | 1X | 3 | 80.00 | -89.00 | 86.60 | -13 | 285 | - | 340 | 327 | -54 | 3.00 | - 4.00 |
| | 1 | 1X | 4 | 78.00 | -92.00 | 83.20 | -26 | 256 | - | 300 | 272 | -81 | 0.00 | - 5.00 |
| | 7 | MR | 4 | 80.00 | -100.00 | 90.00 | -5 | 304 | - | 360 | 339 | -37 | 1.00 | - 8.00 |
| | 2 | 1X | 5 | 82.00 | -96.00 | 85.90 | N/Q | 223 | - | 307 | 238 | N/Q | 4.00 | - 5.00 |
| | | | | 23.50 | 100.00 | | | 196 | | 417 | | | 0.00 | 10.00 |
| Wether | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 14.1-18 | 3 | MR | 2 | 56.00 | -64.00 | 62.70 | N/Q | 324 | - | 371 | 360 | N/Q | 1.00 | - 4.00 |
| 18.1-24 | 5 | RM | 2 | 79.50 | -79.50 | 79.50 | N/Q | 393 | - | 393 | 393 | N/Q | 1.00 | - 1.00 |
| | 1 | MR | 3 | 75.00 | -89.00 | 81.70 | N/Q | 350 | - | 355 | 353 | N/Q | 4.00 | - 5.00 |
| | 1 | RM | 3 | 80.00 | -80.00 | 80.00 | N/Q | 390 | - | 390 | 390 | N/Q | 2.00 | - 2.00 |
| 24.1+ | 0 | MR | 4 | 89.00 | -89.00 | 89.00 | N/Q | 311 | - | 311 | 311 | N/Q | 5.00 | - 5.00 |
| | | | | 56.00 | 89.00 | | | 311 | | 393 | | | 1.00 | 5.00 |
| Ram | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 26.1+ | 0 | MR | 2 | 23.00 | -23.00 | 23.00 | N/Q | 70 | - | 70 | 70 | N/Q | 2.00 | - 2.00 |
| | 0 | RM | 3 | 67.00 | -67.00 | 67.00 | N/Q | 148 | - | 148 | 148 | N/Q | 5.00 | - 5.00 |
| | 1 | 1X | 3 | 30.50 | -53.00 | 46.20 | N/Q | 81 | - | 125 | 113 | N/Q | 2.00 | - 2.00 |
| | 0 | MR | 3 | 45.50 | -45.50 | 45.50 | N/Q | 123 | - | 123 | 123 | N/Q | 5.00 | - 5.00 |
| | | | | 23.00 | 67.00 | | | 70 | | 148 | | | 2.00 | 5.00 |

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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