

Detailed saleyard report - sheep and lamb

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Yarding Change	17793 9090	Lambs Change	6793 3090	Sheep Change	11000 6000	comparison date	28/01/2015
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Numbers lifted solidly today, with hot dry conditions impacting water and feed. Ewe mutton numbers were high along with solid numbers of cross-bred and merino lambs. Quality was plain, with very few pens of prime lambs and moderate numbers of heavy ewes. Light conditioned and light weight lambs were plentiful, with large supplies of very light weight Merino lambs available. All buyers were present but some lamb buyers did not operate due to quality and numbers. Live export orders were limited. Prices for the few pens of prime lambs lifted but the majority of trade weight lambs remained firm. Light and store lambs enjoyed strong processor and restocker competition with prices dearer. Ewe categories eased in price partially due to quality with most back \$4/head.

Very light store lambs, mostly Merino drafts, made \$20 to \$77/head, dearer by more than \$4/head. Light lamb to processors, feeders and restockers made \$65 to \$91.50/head, also up in price. Trade lambs sold between \$87 and \$120/head, with the majority averaging close to 490c/kg and the few prime pens averaging 510c/kg. Heavy lambs made \$120 to \$130, firm on last week.

Ewe weight and condition slipped and prices were mostly back \$4 to \$5/head. Light weight ewes made \$35 to \$55, with 2 score mutton to processors making \$50 to \$71, back \$4/head and averaging 280c/kg. Better 3 and 4 score ewes, including heavy weight drafts, made \$55 to \$94, to be \$2/head easier. Restockers were active on light conditioned and longer woolled drafts, and prices held firm. The ewe hogget portion also finished firm. Wether prices eased on quality and selective live export demand. Export weight wethers made \$70 to \$94, back \$5, with store wethers also \$5 easier and selling between \$45 and \$82/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															
0-12	0	FD	1	67.00	-67.00	67.00	N/Q	542	-	542	542	N/Q	2.00	-	2.00
	1	RS	1	42.00	-68.00	54.60	N/Q	391	-	550	482	N/Q	1.00	-	2.00
12.1-16	1	FD	1	72.00	-74.50	74.10	N/Q	518	-	560	525	N/Q	2.00	-	2.00
	0	FD	2	83.00	-83.00	83.00	N/Q	540	-	540	540	N/Q	2.00	-	2.00
	0		2	84.00	-84.00	84.00	N/Q	506	-	506	506	N/Q	3.00	-	3.00
				42.00	84.00			391		560			1.00		3.00
Lamb															
0-12	6	RS	1	35.00	-77.00	59.10	4	450	-	740	588	50	1.00	-	1.00
	0	FD	1	62.00	-63.50	62.90	4	508	-	521	516	11	1.00	-	1.00
	5	RM	1	18.00	-67.50	46.00	8	238	-	629	482	9	1.00	-	2.00
12.1-16	0	RM	1	65.00	-65.00	65.00	N/Q	485	-	485	485	N/Q	2.00	-	2.00
	1	FD	1	60.00	-87.00	75.10	4	454	-	573	537	18	1.00	-	1.00
	1	RS	1	67.50	-88.00	78.20	23	468	-	621	579	N/Q	1.00	-	2.00
	1		1	75.00	-88.00	86.20	2	529	-	580	574	17	1.00	-	1.00
	3		2	63.50	-88.00	84.00	-2	417	-	577	536	-15	1.00	-	2.00
	0	MR	2	75.00	-75.00	75.00	N/Q	529	-	529	529	N/Q	1.00	-	1.00
	1	RS	2	45.00	-78.00	75.30	7	287	-	513	501	1	1.00	-	2.00
	2	FD	2	63.50	-91.50	81.70	7	463	-	625	547	37	1.00	-	2.00
	0	RM	2	78.00	-78.00	78.00	16	507	-	507	507	45	2.00	-	2.00
	0	DP	2	76.00	-76.00	76.00	N/Q	500	-	500	500	N/Q	1.00	-	1.00
16.1-18	1	FD	2	76.00	-88.50	86.00	-3	411	-	512	494	-24	1.00	-	2.00
	2		2	85.00	-91.50	89.30	1	474	-	532	510	14	1.00	-	2.00
18.1-20	2		2	87.00	-98.50	93.10	-3	460	-	513	480	-7	1.00	-	2.00
	1	FD	2	91.50	-95.50	94.10	6	450	-	497	480	25	1.00	-	2.00
	0		3	90.00	-98.00	96.90	N/Q	445	-	485	479	N/Q	1.00	-	1.00
20.1-22	1		3	103.00	-120.00	111.50	5	486	-	536	510	15	1.00	-	2.00

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				Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High		
	0	FD	3	87.00	-87.00	87.00	N/Q	405	-	405	405	N/Q	2.00	-	2.00
22.1-24	0		3	120.00	-120.00	120.00	N/Q	513	-	513	513	N/Q	2.00	-	2.00
24.1-26	0		3	120.00	-130.00	126.00	N/Q	458	-	512	491	N/Q	1.00	-	2.00
				18.00	130.00			238		740			1.00		2.00
Hogget															
0-22	2	RM	1	45.00	-57.50	50.90	N/C	314	-	415	371	-29	1.00	-	2.00
	0	MR	1	52.50	-52.50	52.50	N/Q	396	-	396	396	N/Q	1.00	-	1.00
	4	RM	2	45.00	-72.00	64.80	-4	293	-	447	390	36	1.00	-	5.00
	0	MR	2	48.00	-68.00	56.70	-4	265	-	340	317	-7	2.00	-	5.00
	0	FD	2	73.00	-73.00	73.00	N/Q	400	-	400	400	N/Q	1.00	-	1.00
	0	RS	2	48.00	-48.00	48.00	N/Q	294	-	294	294	N/Q	1.00	-	1.00
	1		2	52.00	-70.00	58.60	7	246	-	345	301	-56	1.00	-	1.00
	0		3	60.00	-60.00	60.00	N/Q	264	-	264	264	N/Q	2.00	-	2.00
	0	MR	3	66.00	-66.00	66.00	N/Q	305	-	305	305	N/Q	2.00	-	2.00
	0	RM	3	72.00	-75.00	73.20	N/Q	318	-	327	322	N/Q	2.00	-	3.00
22.1+	0	RM	3	68.00	-71.00	69.60	N/C	252	-	264	259	-41	5.00	-	5.00
	0	MR	3	35.00	-55.00	45.00	N/Q	144	-	230	187	N/Q	2.00	-	2.00
	0		3	60.00	-83.50	67.20	N/Q	236	-	302	258	N/Q	1.00	-	2.00
				35.00	83.50			144		447			1.00		5.00
Ewe															
0-14	3	RM	1	20.00	-45.00	42.10	N/Q	146	-	307	296	N/Q	1.00	-	2.00
	2	MR	1	35.00	-45.00	43.60	-6	243	-	314	302	-41	1.00	-	2.00
14.1-18	4	MR	1	40.00	-55.00	51.60	-4	244	-	327	296	-25	1.00	-	5.00
	2	RM	1	33.00	-50.50	42.40	-9	207	-	285	255	-48	1.00	-	3.00
	1	1X	1	32.00	-35.00	34.80	N/Q	194	-	200	200	N/Q	1.00	-	1.00
	1	RM	2	44.00	-54.50	49.50	N/Q	239	-	313	298	N/Q	1.00	-	2.00
	0		2	48.00	-48.00	48.00	N/Q	307	-	307	307	N/Q	2.00	-	2.00
	0	1X	2	39.00	-52.00	45.50	N/Q	206	-	278	242	N/Q	1.00	-	2.00
	4	MR	2	37.00	-58.00	47.80	-12	211	-	311	271	-45	1.00	-	6.00
18.1-24	0	MR	1	50.50	-54.00	52.90	-5	255	-	279	272	-26	1.00	-	2.00
	0	1X	1	40.00	-40.00	40.00	N/Q	195	-	195	195	N/Q	1.00	-	1.00
	2	RM	2	57.00	-93.00	75.30	17	263	-	338	303	41	1.00	-	12.00
	2	1X	2	42.00	-65.00	53.40	N/C	186	-	274	248	N/C	1.00	-	2.00
	0		2	66.00	-66.00	66.00	N/Q	278	-	278	278	N/Q	2.00	-	2.00
	11	MR	2	50.00	-71.00	60.90	-4	240	-	309	278	-26	1.00	-	6.00
	1	MR	3	55.00	-75.00	68.80	-2	226	-	300	287	-2	1.00	-	6.00
	1	1X	3	42.00	-62.50	52.10	-10	195	-	263	220	-37	1.00	-	2.00
24.1+	1	MR	2	87.00	-87.00	87.00	N/Q	320	-	320	320	N/Q	7.00	-	7.00
	1	1X	3	65.00	-75.00	70.40	-8	221	-	272	257	-16	1.00	-	4.00
	2	RM	3	82.50	-94.50	91.50	N/Q	290	-	317	307	N/Q	10.00	-	13.00
	1	MR	3	75.00	-78.00	75.70	-2	280	-	296	293	10	1.00	-	8.00
	0	1X	4	66.00	-75.00	69.30	N/Q	224	-	243	231	N/Q	1.00	-	2.00
				20.00	94.50			146		338			1.00		13.00
Young Wether															
0-14	1	RS	1	45.00	-57.50	50.30	-2	339	-	436	392	-32	1.00	-	2.00
	0	RS	2	53.00	-57.00	54.60	N/Q	364	-	400	379	N/Q	1.00	-	2.00
	0	FD	2	35.00	-35.00	35.00	N/Q	236	-	236	236	N/Q	2.00	-	2.00
14.1-18	0	FD	1	67.00	-67.00	67.00	N/C	433	-	433	433	-8	2.00	-	2.00
	1	FD	2	67.00	-83.00	80.90	-5	367	-	471	446	-26	1.00	-	3.00
	0	RS	2	54.00	-54.00	54.00	N/Q	340	-	340	340	N/Q	3.00	-	3.00

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18.1-24	0	FD	2	70.00	-82.00	78.00	-2	304	-	421	371	-32	1.00	-	2.00
	0	MR	2	88.00	-88.00	88.00	N/Q	396	-	396	396	N/Q	1.00	-	1.00
	0	LE	2	86.00	-86.00	86.00	-5	386	-	386	386	-55	1.00	-	1.00
24.1+	0	FD	2	90.00	-92.00	91.00	N/Q	323	-	340	332	N/Q	5.00	-	8.00
	0		3	86.50	-86.50	86.50	N/Q	302	-	302	302	N/Q	2.00	-	2.00
	1	MR	3	87.00	-90.00	87.30	-3	293	-	307	306	-9	2.00	-	4.00
	0	LE	3	88.50	-88.50	88.50	-8	350	-	350	350	-8	1.00	-	1.00
	0	FD	3	85.00	-88.00	86.40	N/Q	296	-	340	309	N/Q	1.00	-	2.00
				35.00	92.00			236		471			1.00		8.00
Wether															
	0	MR	2	62.00	-62.00	62.00	N/Q	240	-	240	240	N/Q	2.00	-	2.00
				62.00	62.00			240		240			2.00		2.00
Ram															
	0	FD	2	25.00	-25.00	25.00	N/Q	85	-	85	85	N/Q	2.00	-	2.00
	0	FD	3	25.00	-25.00	25.00	N/Q	59	-	59	59	N/Q	5.00	-	5.00
0-26	0	MR	1	5.00	-5.00	5.00	N/Q	17	-	17	17	N/Q	1.00	-	1.00
	0	FD	1	10.00	-52.00	36.80	N/Q	50	-	392	264	N/Q	1.00	-	2.00
	1	FD	2	15.00	-84.50	49.60	3	78	-	418	242	28	1.00	-	2.00
	0	MR	2	5.00	-20.00	9.10	N/Q	8	-	82	30	N/Q	2.00	-	3.00
	0	1X	2	15.00	-15.00	15.00	N/Q	54	-	54	54	N/Q	1.00	-	1.00
26.1+	0	1X	2	10.00	-10.00	10.00	N/C	33	-	33	33	N/Q	1.00	-	1.00
	0	MR	2	5.00	-25.00	12.00	N/Q	11	-	77	34	N/Q	2.00	-	2.00
	0	FD	2	40.00	-40.00	40.00	N/Q	141	-	141	141	N/Q	2.00	-	2.00
	0	RS	3	53.00	-53.00	53.00	N/Q	152	-	152	152	N/Q	3.00	-	3.00
	0	FD	3	15.00	-71.00	43.00	N/Q	39	-	256	147	N/Q	2.00	-	4.00
				5.00	84.50			8		418			1.00		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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