

Detailed saleyard report - sheep and lamb

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Tamworth

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Yarding Change	5120 1120	Lambs Change	3350 150	Sheep Change	1770 970	comparison date	18/08/2014
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Quality increased and quality and finish was fair to good. There were only a few pens of new season lambs and condition was good overall. There was a good selection of old lambs, however there were not many heavy weights.

All the major buyers competed and the heavy end of the new season lambs sold dearer in a range of \$128 to \$135/head. Trade weight young lambs sold firm with most sales from \$105 to \$118/head.

Heavy old lambs gained \$5 and sold from \$118 to \$134/head. Trade weight old lambs were \$1 to \$4 cheaper, while heavy trade lambs sold from \$90 to \$118/head.

Mutton quality was mixed and most sales were \$2 to \$6/head dearer. Medium and heavy ewes sold from \$60 to \$80/head. There were only a couple of pens of wethers offered and they reached \$72/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														
12.1-16	0		2	57.00	-57.00	57.00	N/Q	386	-	386	386	N/Q	3.00	- 3.00
16.1-18	0		2	75.00	-75.00	75.00	N/Q	389	-	389	389	N/Q	5.00	- 5.00
18.1-20	1		3	105.00	-105.00	105.00	N/Q	505	-	505	505	N/Q	4.00	- 4.00
22.1-24	1		3	118.00	-118.00	118.00	N/Q	491	-	491	491	N/Q	5.00	- 5.00
	2		4	128.00	-135.00	131.20	12	517	-	538	526	38	4.00	- 6.00
24.1-26	1		4	134.00	-134.00	134.00	2	512	-	512	512	14	6.00	- 6.00
				57.00	135.00			386		538			3.00	6.00
Lamb														
16.1-18	4		2	72.00	-88.00	81.50	N/Q	394	-	467	443	N/Q	1.00	- 4.00
	0	MR	2	52.00	-52.00	52.00	N/Q	288	-	288	288	N/Q	3.00	- 3.00
	0	DP	2	50.00	-50.00	50.00	N/Q	288	-	288	288	N/Q	1.00	- 1.00
	0		3	89.00	-89.00	89.00	N/Q	472	-	472	472	N/Q	4.00	- 4.00
	0	DP	3	83.00	-83.00	83.00	N/Q	456	-	456	456	N/Q	1.00	- 1.00
18.1-20	0	DP	2	76.00	-76.00	76.00	N/Q	395	-	395	395	N/Q	1.00	- 1.00
	1	MR	2	84.00	-84.00	84.00	N/Q	432	-	432	432	N/Q	2.00	- 2.00
	1		2	40.00	-88.00	80.00	N/Q	184	-	442	399	N/Q	4.00	- 5.00
	3	MR	3	78.00	-88.00	82.30	-6	395	-	420	406	-24	3.00	- 4.00
	3		3	90.00	-108.00	101.70	-4	447	-	520	486	-24	4.00	- 6.00
20.1-22	1		2	101.00	-101.00	101.00	N/Q	441	-	441	441	N/Q	4.00	- 4.00
	6		3	100.00	-112.00	106.00	-1	436	-	491	471	-12	3.00	- 5.00
	1	DP	3	90.00	-102.00	95.30	-2	405	-	459	429	-16	1.00	- 1.00
22.1-24	0	DP	3	100.00	-100.00	100.00	N/Q	430	-	430	430	N/Q	1.00	- 1.00
	13		3	108.00	-125.00	114.50	-3	438	-	517	474	-14	3.00	- 6.00
	0	MR	3	100.00	-100.00	100.00	N/Q	413	-	413	413	N/Q	5.00	- 5.00
	2		4	112.00	-118.00	115.70	-4	470	-	504	486	-8	2.00	- 4.00
24.1-26	2		3	118.00	-126.00	123.00	N/Q	460	-	480	473	N/Q	3.00	- 6.00
	1	MR	3	106.00	-106.00	106.00	N/Q	412	-	412	412	N/Q	3.00	- 3.00
	2		4	121.00	-134.00	131.40	5	468	-	496	491	11	4.00	- 5.00
26.1-30	1		4	125.00	-125.00	125.00	N/Q	444	-	444	444	N/Q	5.00	- 5.00
				40.00	134.00			184		520			1.00	6.00

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				Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High		
0-22	1	DP	2	52.00	-67.00	59.50	N/Q	283	-	314	299	N/Q	1.00	-	1.00
	0	1X	2	44.00	-44.00	44.00	N/Q	205	-	205	205	N/Q	1.00	-	1.00
	0	DP	3	70.00	-70.00	70.00	N/Q	406	-	406	406	N/Q	1.00	-	1.00
22.1+	0	1X	2	70.00	-70.00	70.00	N/Q	264	-	264	264	N/Q	4.00	-	4.00
	0	MR	3	92.00	-92.00	92.00	N/Q	371	-	371	371	N/Q	3.00	-	3.00
	0	1X	3	80.00	-80.00	80.00	N/Q	312	-	312	312	N/Q	2.00	-	2.00
	0	1X	4	85.00	-85.00	85.00	N/Q	308	-	308	308	N/Q	5.00	-	5.00
				44.00	92.00			205		406			1.00		5.00
Ewe															
14.1-18	1	MR	3	42.00	-42.00	42.00	N/Q	228	-	228	228	N/Q	1.00	-	1.00
18.1-24	2	MR	2	64.00	-64.00	64.00	4	316	-	316	316	31	4.00	-	4.00
	3	MR	3	60.00	-77.00	72.90	6	264	-	317	302	23	1.00	-	8.00
	3	DP	3	55.00	-70.00	64.80	N/Q	284	-	305	295	N/Q	1.00	-	1.00
	2	1X	3	71.00	-80.00	72.10	2	288	-	326	292	21	2.00	-	5.00
24.1+	0	1X	3	72.00	-72.00	72.00	N/Q	295	-	295	295	N/Q	1.00	-	1.00
				42.00	80.00			228		326			1.00		8.00
Wether															
18.1-24	1		3	45.00	-72.00	65.80	N/Q	220	-	309	288	N/Q	1.00	-	1.00
				45.00	72.00			220		309			1.00		1.00

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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