

Detailed saleyard report - sheep and lamb

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Yarding Change	7250 -200	Lambs Change	5400 650	Sheep Change	1850 -850	comparison date	24/11/2017
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Numbers remained fairly steady this sale and quality continues to be very mixed. There were some lines of well finished heavy and extra heavy weight lambs penned, along with the plainer lighter types. Not all the usual buyers were present and competing in a fairly steady market.

Light lambs averaged \$117/head. Trade weights held steady with prices ranging from \$128 to \$156/head. Heavy and extra heavy weight lambs were firm to \$4/head dearer. Heavy lambs sold from \$150 to \$159 and extra heavy weights received from \$170 to \$220/head. Carcase prices averaged from 620c to 643c/kg cwt.

Mutton numbers were made up of mostly Merinos and quality was very mixed. Prices showed a dearer trend with Merino ewes selling from \$122 to \$164/head. Crossbred ewes ranged from \$125 to \$160 and Dorper ewes sold from \$110 to \$145/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	1	DP	3	110.00	-110.00	110.00	N/Q	681	-	681	681	N/Q	1.00	- 1.00
16.1-18	0	DP	3	115.00	-115.00	115.00	N/Q	633	-	633	633	N/Q	1.00	- 1.00
	0		3	122.00	-122.00	122.00	N/Q	633	-	633	633	N/Q	8.00	- 8.00
20.1-22	1		3	142.00	-142.00	142.00	N/Q	638	-	638	638	N/Q	8.00	- 8.00
	2	DP	3	125.00	-132.00	128.90	2	591	-	596	593	-1	1.00	- 1.00
	1		4	156.00	-156.00	156.00	N/Q	673	-	673	673	N/Q	8.00	- 8.00
22.1-24	1	DP	3	138.00	-138.00	138.00	N/Q	596	-	596	596	N/Q	1.00	- 1.00
	0	DP	4	150.00	-150.00	150.00	N/Q	621	-	621	621	N/Q	1.00	- 1.00
	1		4	159.00	-159.00	159.00	5	652	-	652	652	6	9.00	- 9.00
26.1-30	0		4	175.00	-193.00	181.00	N/Q	593	-	613	600	N/Q	9.00	- 9.00
				110.00	193.00			591		681			1.00	9.00
Lamb														
0-12	2	RM	2	70.00	- 70.00	70.00	9	550	-	550	550	-163	4.00	- 4.00
12.1-16	3	RM	2	90.00	- 97.00	91.50	N/Q	614	-	636	619	N/Q	4.00	- 8.00
	1	DP	2	84.00	-100.00	90.10	N/Q	553	-	619	578	N/Q	1.00	- 1.00
	3		2	88.00	-100.00	93.60	5	573	-	643	621	62	3.00	- 5.00
	2		3	114.00	-118.00	117.20	N/Q	675	-	713	705	N/Q	4.00	- 6.00
	1	DP	3	96.00	-100.00	98.20	N/Q	594	-	619	608	N/Q	1.00	- 1.00
16.1-18	3	DP	3	113.00	-115.00	114.60	N/Q	622	-	671	653	N/Q	1.00	- 1.00
	0		3	117.00	-117.00	117.00	N/Q	653	-	653	653	N/Q	6.00	- 6.00
18.1-20	0	MR	3	122.00	-122.00	122.00	N/Q	626	-	626	626	N/Q	3.00	- 3.00
20.1-22	2		3	128.00	-138.00	134.10	-5	591	-	643	621	21	3.00	- 8.00
	4	DP	3	125.00	-134.00	128.00	N/Q	591	-	605	595	N/Q	1.00	- 1.00
	1		4	149.00	-152.00	149.40	3	650	-	677	653	26	3.00	- 6.00
22.1-24	0	DP	3	139.00	-139.00	139.00	N/Q	600	-	600	600	N/Q	1.00	- 1.00
	1	FD	3	150.00	-150.00	150.00	N/Q	622	-	622	622	N/Q	7.00	- 7.00
	1	DP	4	138.00	-138.00	138.00	N/Q	596	-	596	596	N/Q	1.00	- 1.00
	5		4	150.00	-164.00	157.20	-3	617	-	671	643	9	3.00	- 8.00
24.1-26	7		4	152.00	-170.00	165.90	N/Q	592	-	640	622	N/Q	3.00	- 9.00
	0	DP	4	150.00	-150.00	150.00	N/Q	596	-	596	596	N/Q	1.00	- 1.00
26.1-30	2	DP	4	171.00	-171.00	171.00	N/Q	586	-	586	586	N/Q	1.00	- 1.00
	14		4	170.00	-193.00	182.80	N/C	596	-	652	621	-12	3.00	- 9.00

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				Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	
30.1+	4		4	195.00	-220.00	204.90	13	597	-	645	624	15	5.00	- 7.00
				70.00	220.00			550		713			1.00	9.00
Hogget														
0-22	1	DP	3	94.00	-94.00	94.00	N/Q	465	-	465	465	N/Q	1.00	- 1.00
	2	MR	3	116.00	-130.00	120.30	N/Q	510	-	546	516	N/Q	9.00	- 10.00
22.1+	2	MR	3	124.00	-150.00	141.50	N/Q	500	-	519	512	N/Q	9.00	- 10.00
	2		3	130.00	-180.00	168.50	38	465	-	593	552	21	2.00	- 9.00
				94.00	180.00			465		593			1.00	10.00
Ewe														
14.1-18	1	MR	2	69.00	-92.00	79.40	1	407	-	482	441	-19	8.00	- 10.00
18.1-24	0	DP	3	118.00	-118.00	118.00	N/Q	488	-	488	488	N/Q	1.00	- 1.00
	1	MR	3	122.00	-124.00	123.30	6	458	-	496	473	-21	10.00	- 14.00
24.1+	3	MR	3	130.00	-164.00	145.50	4	457	-	529	510	9	10.00	- 16.00
	2	DP	3	110.00	-145.00	129.90	N/Q	419	-	450	429	N/Q	1.00	- 1.00
	2	1X	3	125.00	-160.00	145.10	-3	458	-	510	488	-12	6.00	- 8.00
				69.00	164.00			407		529			1.00	16.00
Wether														
18.1-24	1	MR	3	112.00	-125.00	117.50	N/Q	468	-	518	508	N/Q	3.00	- 14.00
				112.00	125.00			468		518			3.00	14.00

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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