

Detailed saleyard report - sheep and lamb

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Yarding Change	4500 -1510	Lambs Change	3700 -1500	Sheep Change	800 -10	comparison date	14/09/2011
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Numbers slipped and quality remained mixed with high percentages of plainer lightweights offered. There were 1705 new season lambs yarded with large percentages lightweights and suitable for restocker purchases. Some handy trade and heavy older lambs were also yarded and with the fewer numbers penned both supermarkets failed to compete.

New season trade weights lost \$5 to \$8 to range from \$110 to \$133/head or an average price from 519c to 524c/kg cwt. Lightweight new season lambs to restockers ranged from \$90 to \$107/head. Lightweight older lambs to processors eased \$2 as the limited selection of the better finished trade weights remained firm to \$2 dearer to range from \$104 to \$126/head or an average price from 490c to 491c/kg cwt.

Heavy lambs were also limited in supply and these sold from \$134 to \$155/head and recorded an average price from 498c to 535c/kg cwt.

Sheep were scarce in the pens and values remained solid throughout most categories. Medium and heavy weights sold from \$77 to \$134/head with the ewes overall averaging 381c with many selling well over the 400c/kg range.

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	2	RS	1	88.50	-88.50	88.50	9	688	-	688	688	6	6.00	- 6.00	
12.1-16	7	RS	2	90.00	-104.00	96.60	-2	550	-	619	593	-14	10.00	- 13.00	
16.1-18	6	RS	2	105.00	-107.00	106.10	-1	517	-	564	535	-28	12.00	- 15.00	
	1		2	95.00	-97.00	96.60	N/Q	503	-	509	504	N/Q	11.00	- 14.00	
	1	1X	2	95.00	-95.00	95.00	N/Q	503	-	503	503	N/Q	12.00	- 12.00	
	2	RS	3	105.00	-105.00	105.00	-5	529	-	535	531	-27	14.00	- 15.00	
	10		3	110.00	-129.00	116.40	-11	508	-	565	519	-32	15.00	- 17.00	
20.1-22	7		3	125.00	-133.00	129.70	-5	514	-	551	524	-36	17.00	- 19.00	
22.1-24	1		4	135.00	-140.00	139.30	N/Q	500	-	504	504	N/Q	19.00	- 20.00	
				88.50	140.00	108.13		500		688	545		6.00	20.00	
Lamb															
0-12	3	MR	1	35.00	-66.00	51.50	12	320	-	550	437	-63	0.00	- 6.00	
	1		1	63.00	-63.00	63.00	N/Q	483	-	483	483	N/Q	5.00	- 5.00	
	2	RS	1	33.00	-40.00	37.30	-32	413	-	444	432	-101	0.00	- 0.00	
12.1-16	3	MR	2	73.50	-85.00	75.70	-11	473	-	500	490	10	4.00	- 10.00	
	2		2	75.00	-96.00	81.80	-8	447	-	531	481	-19	8.00	- 11.00	
16.1-18	4		2	86.00	-104.00	95.30	-5	455	-	531	487	-22	8.00	- 14.00	
	3		1X	2	80.00	-100.00	82.00	N/Q	406	-	489	413	N/Q	11.00	- 12.00
18.1-20	2		2	109.00	-109.00	109.00	3	492	-	492	492	14	13.00	- 13.00	
	0		MR	3	110.00	-110.00	110.00	N/Q	495	-	495	495	N/Q	16.00	- 16.00
	2		3	104.00	-117.50	110.80	-1	468	-	508	490	N/C	13.00	- 16.00	
20.1-22	11		3	118.00	-126.00	122.50	2	464	-	510	491	11	14.00	- 19.00	
	1		1X	3	110.00	-110.00	110.00	-4	452	-	468	456	-11	14.00	- 15.00
22.1-24	1		3	135.00	-135.00	135.00	N/Q	488	-	488	488	N/Q	18.00	- 18.00	
	3		4	134.00	-148.00	144.30	12	509	-	545	535	40	17.00	- 20.00	
	1		1X	4	130.00	-130.00	130.00	N/Q	485	-	485	485	N/Q	16.00	- 16.00
24.1-26	0		4	140.00	-140.00	140.00	N/Q	498	-	498	498	N/Q	18.00	- 18.00	
26.1-30	0		4	155.00	-155.00	155.00	N/Q	500	-	500	500	N/Q	20.00	- 20.00	
	0		1X	4	135.00	-135.00	135.00	N/Q	433	-	433	433	N/Q	18.00	- 18.00

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				Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	
				33.00	155.00	104.90		320	550	477		0.00	20.00	
Hogget														
0-22	1	1X	2	85.20	-95.00	88.00	N/Q	401	-	426	408	N/Q	11.00	- 14.00
22.1+	0		4	119.00	-120.00	119.60	N/C	421	-	448	438	N/Q	17.00	- 18.00
				85.20	120.00	103.80		401	448	423		11.00	18.00	
Ewe														
14.1-18	1	MR	1	68.00	-70.00	69.10	N/Q	294	-	364	327	N/Q	8.00	- 17.00
	0		1	64.00	-64.00	64.00	N/Q	338	-	338	338	N/Q	10.00	- 10.00
18.1-24	1		1	79.00	-79.00	79.00	N/Q	363	-	363	363	N/Q	10.00	- 10.00
	1		2	104.00	-104.00	104.00	N/Q	465	-	465	465	N/Q	11.00	- 11.00
	4	MR	2	77.00	-96.00	82.90	N/Q	342	-	376	356	N/Q	5.00	- 17.00
	3	MR	3	104.00	-126.50	115.90	N/Q	410	-	447	417	N/Q	8.00	- 35.00
24.1+	1	MR	3	127.00	-127.00	127.00	N/Q	412	-	412	412	N/Q	24.00	- 24.00
	4		3	112.00	-134.00	123.00	N/Q	400	-	437	418	N/Q	12.00	- 12.00
	0		4	125.00	-128.00	125.10	N/Q	383	-	387	384	N/Q	10.00	- 12.00
	1		5	115.00	-126.00	123.00	N/Q	326	-	343	331	N/Q	12.00	- 12.00
				64.00	134.00	101.30		294	465	381		5.00	35.00	
Wether														
0-14	1	MR	1	50.00	-50.00	50.00	N/Q	286	-	286	286	N/Q	10.00	- 10.00
14.1-18	1	MR	1	60.00	-60.00	60.00	N/Q	300	-	300	300	N/Q	12.00	- 12.00
				50.00	60.00	55.00		286	300	293		10.00	12.00	
Ram														
26.1+	1		2	84.00	-95.00	90.30	N/Q	228	-	300	281	N/Q	11.00	- 11.00
	0	RS	3	98.00	-98.00	98.00	N/Q	223	-	223	223	N/Q	9.00	- 9.00
				84.00	98.00	94.15		223	300	252		9.00	11.00	

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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