

## Detailed Saleyard Report - Sheep and Lamb

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Yarding	8329	Lamb	5329	Sheep	3000	comparison date	23/02/2021
Change	-4141	Change	-771	Change	-3370		

With a penning of 8,329 numbers were down by 4,000 on the last sale in an improved quality yarding. Prices for lambs were from \$5 to \$10 dearer, ram lambs gained \$20 on a better selection. Hoggets were up \$10 as were the ewe mutton with wethers up \$15/head. Heavy lambs peaked at \$194, hoggets made to \$187, heavy ewes sold up to \$177 and heavy wethers topping \$220/head.

In the lamb section, the very light weight lambs 0 to 12kg sold to graziers from mainly \$60 to \$81 for mixed sex types and up to \$97 for the wethers a gain of \$10/head. The 13 to 15kg lambs rose by \$10 and sold from \$84 to \$128 for mixed sexes and wethers made up to \$135/head. The 16 to 17kg range lambs sold from \$124 to \$140 with live export strong, a common price of 780c/kg prevailed for these and also the lighter types. The 18 to 21kg remained firm to make from \$130 to \$148, hindered by 1 prominent feedlotter absent today. The prime 22 to 24kg lambs sold from \$150 to \$177 up \$5, at near 750c/kg cwt. Heavier sold from \$180 to \$194 at near 700c/kg and also up \$5/head.

Hoggets gained \$10 on a better selection, with sales from mainly from \$136 to \$187/head at rates near 610c/kg cwt. The heavy older wethers to processors gained \$15 and the best sold from \$156 to \$220/head. In the ewe mutton market, the medium weight boners 19 to 24kg sold from \$100 to \$158/head, tops with a large jacket. The prime 25 to 30kg sold from \$145 to \$177 up \$10 at rates near 610c/kg, heavier ewes sold from \$160 to \$177/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
Lamb														
0-12														
	2	FD	2		66.00	- 81.00	73.20	N/Q	608	- 811	726	N/Q	0.00	- 2.00
	0	PR	2		67.00	- 67.00	67.00	N/Q	542	- 542	542	N/Q	2.00	- 2.00
	0	PR	3		77.00	- 77.00	77.00	N/Q	642	- 642	642	N/Q	0.00	- 0.00
	2	MR	2		60.00	- 97.00	83.40	N/Q	582	- 818	749	N/Q	0.00	- 2.00
12.1-16														
	0	DP	3		100.00	- 100.00	100.00	N/Q	714	- 714	714	N/Q	0.00	- 0.00
	5	FD	2		80.00	- 135.00	114.30	N/Q	615	- 844	763	N/Q	0.00	- 2.00
	3	PR	2		85.00	- 128.00	107.40	N/Q	638	- 800	727	N/Q	0.00	- 2.00
	1	PR	3		107.00	- 123.00	118.60	N/Q	688	- 769	747	N/Q	0.00	- 0.00
	2	LE	2		116.00	- 133.00	125.10	N/Q	753	- 831	795	N/Q	0.00	- 3.00
	7	MR	2		84.00	- 129.00	113.70	N/Q	623	- 893	803	N/Q	0.00	- 4.00
16.1-18														
	0	DP	3		125.00	- 131.00	128.30	N/Q	728	- 735	731	N/Q	0.00	- 0.00
	5	PR	2		125.00	- 138.00	132.60	N/Q	711	- 812	779	N/Q	0.00	- 2.00
	4	PR	3		124.00	- 140.00	131.40	N/Q	722	- 794	761	N/Q	0.00	- 2.00
	2	LE	2		131.00	- 138.00	133.10	N/Q	759	- 812	780	N/Q	0.00	- 2.00
	5	MR	2		137.00	- 137.00	137.00	N/Q	806	- 806	806	N/Q	0.00	- 0.00
18.1-20														
	2	DP	3		133.00	- 140.00	133.60	N/Q	689	- 700	690	N/Q	0.00	- 2.00
	2	PR	2		130.00	- 145.00	141.40	N/Q	640	- 725	706	N/Q	0.00	- 2.00
	6	PR	3		135.00	- 140.00	138.20	N/Q	680	- 711	690	N/Q	0.00	- 2.00
20.1-22														
	1	DP	3		150.00	- 157.00	155.10	N/Q	682	- 714	705	N/Q	0.00	- 0.00
	2	PR	2		140.00	- 159.00	157.50	N/Q	648	- 705	699	N/Q	4.00	- 4.00
	5	PR	3		143.00	- 168.00	160.70	N/Q	671	- 764	737	N/Q	0.00	- 2.00
22.1-24														
	0	DP	3		170.00	- 170.00	170.00	N/Q	739	- 739	739	N/Q	0.00	- 0.00
	6	PR	3		160.00	- 186.00	177.00	N/Q	650	- 775	754	N/Q	0.00	- 4.00

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				Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High
24.1-26													
	1	PR	3	173.00	180.00	179.60	N/Q	692	720	718	N/Q	0.00	0.00
26.1-30													
	2	PR	3	179.00	194.00	188.10	N/Q	563	693	647	N/Q	0.00	10.00
				60.00	194.00			542	893			0.00	10.00
Hogget 0-22													
	0	PR	2	100.00	100.00	100.00	N/Q	500	500	500	N/Q	0.00	0.00
	0	PR	3	126.00	126.00	126.00	N/Q	573	573	573	N/Q	0.00	0.00
22.1+													
	0	DP	3	145.00	146.00	145.70	N/Q	604	635	625	N/Q	0.00	0.00
	1	PR	2	148.00	166.00	158.40	4	553	617	579	15	0.00	0.00
	1	PR	3	128.00	187.00	165.70	17	488	583	533	-76	0.00	15.00
	2	LE	2	136.00	159.00	145.80	14	567	604	603	59	0.00	15.00
	0	LE	3	145.00	168.00	149.90	5	503	571	559	-38	0.00	8.00
				100.00	187.00			488	635			0.00	15.00
Ewe 18.1-24													
	0	DP	2	100.00	100.00	100.00	N/Q	526	526	526	N/Q	0.00	0.00
	12	PR	2	112.00	158.00	125.60	26	487	687	539	85	0.00	15.00
	1	PR	3	142.00	148.00	143.60	17	592	617	599	56	0.00	0.00
24.1-30													
	0	DP	2	145.00	160.00	151.00	N/Q	580	593	585	N/Q	0.00	0.00
	1	PR	2	148.00	177.00	162.30	N/Q	550	646	610	N/Q	0.00	0.00
	3	PR	3	149.00	169.00	157.70	11	543	632	606	116	0.00	5.00
30.1+													
	2	PR	3	160.00	177.00	166.80	-7	455	536	492	-36	0.00	10.00
				100.00	177.00			455	687			0.00	15.00
Wether 24.1-30													
	0	PR	3	170.00	184.00	179.60	N/Q	533	563	554	N/Q	10.00	15.00
	1	LE	2	156.00	156.00	156.00	N/Q	624	624	624	N/Q	0.00	0.00
30.1+													
	0	PR	3	170.00	220.00	201.30	14	500	571	546	-10	0.00	20.00
				156.00	220.00			500	624			0.00	20.00
Ram 0-26													
	1	PR	2	40.00	150.00	82.10	N/Q	167	577	327	N/Q	0.00	0.00
26.1+													
	1	PR	2	30.00	112.00	75.10	N/Q	93	373	230	N/Q	0.00	5.00
				30.00	150.00			93	577			0.00	5.00
Ram Lamb 18.1-24													
	1	PR	3	119.00	140.00	135.50	N/Q	542	627	611	N/Q	0.00	0.00
24.1+													
	1	PR	3	155.00	170.00	167.90	N/Q	567	680	660	N/Q	0.00	0.00
				119.00	170.00			542	680			0.00	0.00

Abbreviations: RS: Restocker MR: Merino RM: Restocker Merino 1X: 1st Cross FD: Feeder RD: Restocker Dorper PR: Processor; DP: Dorper

\* N/A indicates the unavailability of support animal assessments at the time of publishing

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