

Muchea Sheep Report 25/11/2025

Yarding 9,550/ sheep 5,870 / lambs 3,680

There was an increase in supply from last week, mostly in older sheep numbers and around 800 more lambs. Trade and heavy lambs were in reasonable volumes while a large percentage of store lambs were showing signs of the drying season. Values on airfreight weights and better store lambs with a quicker turn over potential lifted \$8/10 while heavier lambs remained firm to slightly dearer. Mutton across the board recorded gains of \$10/15/head with competition from a full buying field filling orders.

There were several runs of Light framed and dry skinned store lambs selling from \$31 to \$70 while store lambs with more potential lifted \$10 ranging from \$80 to \$187 and airfreight weights from \$170 to \$204/head. Heavier lambs remained firm on last week with trade weights selling from \$183 to \$238 and heavy lambs from \$230 to \$272/head.

Lighter Merino wether hoggets sold from \$136 to \$180 while heavy weights made \$190 to \$230/head. Plain Merino ewe hoggets were making \$127 to \$170 while heavy weights sold to a top of \$221/head. The best of the Crossbred hoggets returned \$178 to \$256 and younger rams sold to a top of \$270/head.

Store mutton sold \$140 to \$196 while medium ewes returned \$170 to \$242 and heavy ewes sold to a top of \$255/head. Heavy wethers also gained \$8/10 selling from \$220 to \$260 while mature rams sold from \$81 to \$220/head.