

Detailed Saleyard Report - Sheep and Lamb

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Wagga

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Yarding	41000	Lamb	30000	Sheep	11000	comparison date	30/01/2020
Change	-3000	Change	-3000	Change	0		

Numbers reduced marginally. Quality was very good with most trade and heavy lambs grain finished. There was a reduced offering of store lambs under 18kg cwt with quite a tail to the offering. Generally, prices for trade types sold to dearer trends over all weight categories. Heavy young lambs over 26kg cwt were in greater supply and demand strengthened by \$10/head. Lighter weight young lambs were well supported by restockers, lot feeders and processors.

Trade lambs throughout experienced dearer price trends due in part to strong supermarket competition. The best of the heavy trade lambs, 22-24kg were \$9/head dearer to average 858c/kg cwt. Light weight lambs to the processors made from \$96 to \$147/head. Light weight lambs back to the paddock made from \$90 to \$146, while lambs with weight to feed on sold up to \$243/head. Despite not all processors operating, prices lifted \$8 to \$18/head.

Heavy and extra heavy lambs sold to stronger competition, with all buyers trying to complete a specific American order which closes next week. The bulk of the lambs sold from \$220 to \$318/head.

It was a mixed quality yarding of mutton. Competition from buyers was extreme at times with all processors wanting sheep prior to the rain event predicted this weekend. Heavy crossbred ewes sold up to \$261/head to average 644c/kg cwt. Heavy Merino ewes made from \$150 to \$223/head averaging 685c/kg cwt. Heavy wethers sold at \$182 to \$210/head. Trade and light sheep made from \$96 to \$200/head, with trade mutton averaging 631c/kg cwt.

Category	% 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													
	0	PR	1	96.00	96.00	96.00	9	873	873	873	96	0.00	0.00
	1	RS	1	90.00	128.00	113.20	5	1,000	1,050	1,031	120	0.00	2.00
	0	RS	2	129.00	129.00	129.00	14	1,155	1,155	1,155	213	2.00	2.00
12.1-16													
	0	MR	2	130.00	130.00	130.00	N/Q	962	962	962	N/Q	5.00	5.00
	0	RS	2	144.00	144.00	144.00	10	1,000	1,000	1,000	57	4.00	4.00
	1	RS	3	156.00	156.00	156.00	N/Q	975	975	975	N/Q	0.00	0.00
16.1-18													
	0	RS	3	169.00	169.00	169.00	N/Q	971	971	971	N/Q	4.00	4.00
18.1-20													
	0	PR	2	167.00	167.00	167.00	N/Q	815	815	815	N/Q	4.00	4.00
	0	PR	3	167.00	170.00	168.90	3	830	858	841	31	4.00	4.00
	0	MR	3	164.00	164.00	164.00	N/Q	770	770	770	N/Q	10.00	10.00
	0	RS	3	168.00	168.00	168.00	-5	820	820	820	-27	4.00	4.00
20.1-22													
	1	FD	3	192.00	192.00	192.00	17	855	855	855	40	4.00	4.00
	0	PR	3	185.00	190.00	188.30	7	823	845	838	24	4.00	4.00
	0	MR	3	183.00	183.00	183.00	N/Q	824	824	824	N/Q	10.00	10.00
22.1-24													
	0	PR	3	201.00	203.00	202.00	1	857	865	861	36	4.00	4.00
				90.00	203.00			770	1,155			0.00	10.00
Lamb													
0-12													
	1	RM	1	52.00	72.00	62.80	N/Q	578	600	590	N/Q	0.00	0.00
	1	RS	1	93.00	97.00	95.00	3	800	1,011	906	10	1.00	2.00
	0	RS	2	115.00	115.00	115.00	-3	942	942	942	-34	2.00	2.00

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					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High
12.1-16														
	0		FD	2	168.00	168.00	168.00	N/Q	1,120	1,120	1,120	N/Q	0.00	0.00
	0		MR	2	110.00	110.00	110.00	-16	785	785	785	-44	8.00	8.00
	0		RS	1	138.00	138.00	138.00	13	1,062	1,062	1,062	100	0.00	0.00
	1		RS	2	127.00	157.00	139.00	9	850	1,115	980	20	0.00	2.00
16.1-18														
	0		MR	3	147.00	147.00	147.00	2	750	750	750	11	12.00	12.00
	1		RS	2	155.00	176.00	161.10	N/Q	900	1,035	939	N/Q	0.00	2.00
18.1-20														
	0		FD	3	169.00	169.00	169.00	N/C	825	825	825	-8	4.00	4.00
	1		PR	3	164.00	172.00	167.40	2	810	850	832	11	0.00	2.00
	1		MR	3	153.00	168.00	162.40	-1	715	790	762	9	10.00	10.00
	1		RS	3	167.00	174.00	171.40	7	815	870	850	-2	0.00	4.00
20.1-22														
	0		1X	3	182.00	194.00	188.20	N/Q	809	864	837	N/Q	4.00	4.00
	0		DP	3	189.00	189.00	189.00	19	859	859	859	49	0.00	0.00
	0		FD	3	177.00	177.00	177.00	N/Q	843	843	843	N/Q	0.00	0.00
	5		PR	3	174.00	206.00	191.20	6	773	923	861	16	0.00	4.00
	1		MR	3	179.00	192.00	186.50	-5	800	827	811	-28	8.00	10.00
	0		RS	2	190.00	190.00	190.00	N/Q	845	845	846	N/Q	4.00	4.00
	0		RS	3	180.00	180.00	180.00	18	800	800	800	48	4.00	4.00
22.1-24														
	1		1X	3	198.00	216.00	213.20	3	808	883	872	-3	4.00	4.00
	1		FD	3	212.00	215.00	212.90	9	871	896	879	45	0.00	3.00
	9		PR	3	190.00	218.00	207.70	9	788	900	858	38	0.00	4.00
	0		PR	4	200.00	200.00	200.00	-8	817	817	817	-34	4.00	4.00
	1		MR	3	199.00	210.00	205.00	15	822	833	828	70	10.00	10.00
24.1-26														
	0		1X	4	210.00	210.00	210.00	-10	824	824	824	-5	4.00	4.00
	1		FD	4	220.00	222.00	221.20	N/Q	831	838	835	N/Q	4.00	4.00
	0		PR	3	214.00	214.00	214.00	N/Q	856	856	856	N/Q	0.00	0.00
	10		PR	4	209.00	233.00	219.20	2	800	916	846	6	0.00	4.00
	1		MR	3	202.00	219.00	210.50	N/Q	760	828	794	N/Q	12.00	12.00
26.1-30														
	0		FD	4	243.00	243.00	243.00	N/Q	854	854	854	N/Q	4.00	4.00
	0		PR	3	256.00	256.00	256.00	N/Q	869	869	869	N/Q	4.00	4.00
	11		PR	4	220.00	271.00	244.10	3	800	989	855	21	0.00	4.00
30.1+														
	1		1X	4	260.00	280.00	272.00	N/Q	812	865	835	N/Q	4.00	4.00
	11		PR	4	258.00	317.00	285.00	19	768	913	838	68	0.00	4.00
NQ														
	1		PR	4	63.18	251.00	138.70	N/Q	234	251	240	N/Q	0.00	4.00
	0		MR	4	94.72	94.72	94.70	N/Q	296	296	296	N/Q	12.00	12.00
					52.00	317.00			234	1,120			0.00	12.00
Hogget														
0-22														
	0		PR	2	163.00	163.00	163.00	N/Q	723	723	723	N/Q	4.00	4.00
	0		MR	2	144.00	144.00	144.00	N/Q	720	720	720	N/Q	0.00	0.00
	1		MR	3	144.00	168.00	157.80	N/Q	662	745	729	N/Q	0.00	5.00
	0		RM	2	129.00	129.00	129.00	N/Q	735	735	735	N/Q	4.00	4.00

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22.1+														
	0	1X	2	120.00	120.00	120.00	N/Q	264	264	265	N/Q	1.00	1.00	
	0	PR	4	210.00	229.00	213.60	34	644	726	659	-25	4.00	4.00	
				120.00	229.00			264	745			0.00	5.00	
Ewe														
14.1-18														
	0	1X	2	118.00	118.00	118.00	N/Q	656	656	656	N/Q	0.00	0.00	
	1	MR	1	96.00	118.00	107.50	N/Q	633	644	641	N/Q	0.00	2.00	
	1	MR	2	105.00	136.00	114.10	-2	647	687	676	98	4.00	15.00	
	0	MR	3	126.00	126.00	126.00	N/Q	672	672	672	N/Q	5.00	5.00	
	1	RM	1	104.00	120.00	111.40	N/Q	612	667	637	N/Q	0.00	0.00	
18.1-24														
	0	1X	1	145.00	145.00	145.00	26	690	690	691	114	0.00	0.00	
	2	1X	2	126.00	157.00	146.90	4	575	705	651	59	0.00	2.00	
	0	1X	21	148.00	148.00	148.00	N/Q	730	730	730	N/Q	2.00	2.00	
	0	1X	3	160.00	160.00	160.00	N/Q	650	650	650	N/Q	4.00	4.00	
	0	DP	1	133.00	133.00	133.00	N/Q	665	665	665	N/Q	0.00	0.00	
	0	DP	2	161.00	161.00	161.00	35	671	671	671	90	0.00	0.00	
	0	MR	1	123.00	123.00	123.00	1	647	647	647	123	0.00	0.00	
	2	MR	2	122.00	152.00	134.50	N/C	550	675	631	32	0.00	20.00	
	2	MR	3	25.00	200.00	132.10	-20	167	729	531	-53	0.00	25.00	
24.1+														
	0	1X	2	155.00	155.00	155.00	N/Q	612	612	612	N/Q	2.00	2.00	
	0	1X	3	180.00	213.00	197.50	35	697	712	704	115	2.00	4.00	
	4	1X	4	200.00	267.00	245.20	26	576	674	641	58	0.00	4.00	
	0	DP	3	151.00	151.00	151.00	N/Q	604	604	604	N/Q	0.00	0.00	
	0	DP	4	208.00	208.00	208.00	-30	693	693	693	13	0.00	0.00	
	0	PR	4	232.00	261.00	255.30	73	643	651	644	70	4.00	4.00	
	3	MR	3	150.00	223.00	189.50	13	584	842	685	110	0.00	25.00	
	0	MR	4	200.00	210.00	205.40	4	576	711	638	63	8.00	20.00	
				25.00	267.00			167	842			0.00	25.00	
Wether														
14.1-18														
	0	MR	2	112.00	118.00	114.80	N/Q	656	700	679	N/Q	0.00	0.00	
	0	RM	2	112.00	112.00	112.00	N/Q	700	700	700	N/Q	0.00	0.00	
18.1-24														
	2	MR	2	129.00	169.00	144.10	N/Q	645	704	673	N/Q	0.00	8.00	
	1	MR	3	155.00	205.00	187.90	46	646	1,025	896	304	0.00	0.00	
24.1+														
	0	MR	3	196.00	210.00	202.30	20	673	700	688	114	0.00	8.00	
	1	MR	4	182.00	182.00	182.00	-32	728	728	728	96	0.00	0.00	
				112.00	210.00			645	1,025			0.00	8.00	
Ram														
26.1+														
	0	1X	2	120.00	232.00	177.20	11	311	460	377	49	2.00	2.00	
	0	MR	2	155.00	155.00	155.00	-32	388	388	388	32	0.00	0.00	
				120.00	232.00			311	460			0.00	2.00	

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

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