

Detailed saleyard report - sheep and lamb

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Yarding Change	32849 0	Lambs Change	25714 0	Sheep Change	7135 0	comparison date	02/01/2012
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After a three week break, lamb numbers lifted for the first sale for the year. Not all the usual buyers were present or active although the majority did make purchases. Quite a large crowd followed the market with restocking lamb prices remaining solid. There was an excellent run of shorn lambs with many heavy and extra heavy weights offered. The young lamb supply and quality was well down. A fair percentage of light and trade lambs sold to a mixed price trend. Prices ranged from \$4 to \$8/head cheaper, with the unshorn lambs most affected.

The light shorn shorn lambs made \$40 to \$95/head, as light trade weights made from \$88 to \$108.60/head. Medium and heavy trade weights sold from \$105 to \$129.60/head while heavy 4 scores ranged from \$128.80 to \$155/head.

The light unshorn lambs sold from \$46.60 to \$94/head, as light trade weights ranged from \$84.20 to \$113/head. Medium and heavy trade weights sold from \$105 to \$128/head with the few heavy 4 scores making \$129.60 to \$144/head. The majority of trade and heavy lambs returned 470c to 520c/kg cwt.

Sheep supply lifted with a good selection across most categories. Demand remained firm for the light mutton but eased for heavy weights. Most of the regular buyers attended and restocking interest was also keen on a number of lines. The extra light and light ewes sold from \$36 to \$78.60/head, as medium and heavy weights ranged from \$88 to \$110/head. The better wethers sold from \$83 to \$116/head. Mutton to processors ranged generally from 280c to 330c/kg cwt.

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	4	RS	1	46.60	-76.20	67.70	N/Q	382	-	547	510	N/Q	5.00	-12.00
12.1-16	0	FD	1	80.00	-80.00	80.00	N/Q	523	-	523	523	N/Q	12.00	-12.00
	0	1X	1	70.00	-70.00	70.00	N/Q	480	-	480	480	N/Q	10.00	-10.00
	0	FD	2	91.60	-91.60	91.60	N/Q	549	-	549	549	N/Q	12.00	-12.00
	1		2	91.00	-94.00	93.40	N/Q	481	-	529	512	N/Q	12.00	-14.00
	0	1X	2	94.00	-94.00	94.00	N/Q	500	-	500	500	N/Q	14.00	-14.00
	2	RS	2	82.60	-91.60	87.70	N/Q	477	-	589	507	N/Q	12.00	-14.00
16.1-18	1	RS	2	84.20	-97.60	93.40	N/Q	425	-	492	471	N/Q	12.00	-14.00
	0	1X	2	98.00	-98.00	98.00	N/Q	480	-	480	480	N/Q	14.00	-14.00
	0		2	95.00	-95.00	95.00	N/Q	488	-	488	488	N/Q	12.00	-12.00
	1	RS	3	96.00	-98.00	97.60	N/Q	467	-	494	472	N/Q	12.00	-14.00
	1	1X	3	95.00	-103.00	99.50	N/Q	488	-	489	489	N/Q	12.00	-15.00
	0		3	103.00	-113.00	107.10	N/Q	509	-	577	537	N/Q	12.00	-14.00
18.1-20	1		3	105.00	-117.20	111.20	N/Q	470	-	511	490	N/Q	14.00	-15.00
	1	1X	3	107.00	-108.00	107.90	N/Q	465	-	479	467	N/Q	15.00	-16.00
20.1-22	1		3	113.00	-123.00	116.90	N/Q	471	-	514	485	N/Q	14.00	-16.00
	1		4	121.00	-128.00	124.40	N/Q	473	-	509	490	N/Q	16.00	-18.00
	0	1X	4	123.00	-123.00	123.00	N/Q	486	-	486	486	N/Q	16.00	-16.00
22.1-24	0		4	129.60	-130.00	129.80	N/Q	485	-	487	486	N/Q	18.00	-18.00
26.1-30	0	1X	4	138.00	-138.00	138.00	N/Q	400	-	400	400	N/Q	18.00	-18.00
30.1+	0	1X	4	144.00	-144.00	144.00	N/Q	394	-	394	394	N/Q	18.00	-18.00
				46.60	144.00	103.34		382		589	486		5.00	18.00
Lamb														
0-12	0	RS	1	40.00	-52.60	44.80	N/Q	320	-	406	360	N/Q	3.00	-8.00
	0	RM	1	55.00	-55.00	55.00	N/Q	375	-	375	375	N/Q	10.00	-10.00
12.1-16	0	MR	1	63.00	-64.00	63.50	N/Q	150	-	431	297	N/Q	8.00	-42.00
	0	MR	2	88.00	-88.00	88.00	N/Q	521	-	521	521	N/Q	15.00	-15.00

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16.1-18	1	RS	2	91.00	-91.00	91.00	N/Q	567	-	567	567	N/Q	6.00	-	6.00
	1	FD	2	79.60	-95.00	87.90	N/Q	480	-	563	536	N/Q	8.00	-	12.00
	0	RM	2	68.60	-68.60	68.60	N/Q	433	-	433	433	N/Q	8.00	-	8.00
	0		2	84.00	-84.00	84.00	N/Q	480	-	480	480	N/Q	12.00	-	12.00
	1		2	95.00	-100.00	98.20	N/Q	444	-	506	495	N/Q	12.00	-	15.00
	0	FD	2	105.00	-105.00	105.00	N/Q	547	-	547	547	N/Q	12.00	-	12.00
	0	RS	2	93.60	-94.00	93.80	N/Q	471	-	495	481	N/Q	12.00	-	14.00
	0	MR	2	88.00	-88.00	88.00	N/Q	422	-	422	422	N/Q	12.00	-	12.00
	0	1X	2	102.00	-102.00	102.00	N/Q	518	-	518	518	N/Q	14.00	-	14.00
	0	1X	3	102.00	-102.00	102.00	N/Q	489	-	489	489	N/Q	14.00	-	14.00
18.1-20	0		3	108.00	-108.60	108.40	N/Q	520	-	537	525	N/Q	14.00	-	15.00
	0	MR	2	114.00	-114.00	114.00	N/Q	480	-	480	480	N/Q	18.00	-	18.00
	2		3	105.00	-120.60	113.60	N/Q	450	-	533	503	N/Q	14.00	-	16.00
	2	1X	3	110.00	-118.00	113.40	N/Q	480	-	525	506	N/Q	12.00	-	15.00
20.1-22	1	1X	3	115.00	-127.50	121.40	N/Q	481	-	528	500	N/Q	14.00	-	16.00
	4		3	116.00	-129.00	123.70	N/Q	476	-	544	509	N/Q	12.00	-	18.00
22.1-24	1	MR	3	124.00	-124.00	124.00	N/Q	495	-	495	495	N/Q	20.00	-	20.00
	2		4	118.60	-129.60	126.70	N/Q	476	-	518	507	N/Q	14.00	-	18.00
	0	1X	4	126.00	-126.00	126.00	N/Q	518	-	518	518	N/Q	12.00	-	12.00
	0	1X	3	129.00	-129.00	129.00	N/Q	509	-	509	509	N/Q	12.00	-	12.00
24.1-26	2	1X	4	128.80	-135.60	131.90	N/Q	490	-	516	501	N/Q	12.00	-	17.00
	6		4	128.80	-139.60	133.70	N/Q	486	-	523	502	N/Q	14.00	-	18.00
	4		4	133.00	-139.00	136.60	N/Q	454	-	493	477	N/Q	12.00	-	18.00
26.1-30	0	1X	4	135.50	-135.50	135.50	N/Q	470	-	470	470	N/Q	18.00	-	18.00
	1	1X	4	143.00	-145.00	144.60	N/Q	423	-	446	431	N/Q	18.00	-	20.00
30.1+	10		4	134.00	-149.20	143.60	N/Q	410	-	475	451	N/Q	14.00	-	20.00
	0		4	155.00	-155.00	155.00	N/Q	434	-	434	434	N/Q	16.00	-	16.00
	0	1X	4	153.00	-153.00	153.00	N/Q	422	-	422	422	N/Q	18.00	-	18.00
				40.00	155.00	109.56		150		567	477		3.00		42.00
Hogget															
0-22	1	MR	2	76.00	-88.00	82.50	N/Q	365	-	428	394	N/Q	14.00	-	15.00
	0	1X	2	88.00	-88.00	88.00	N/Q	524	-	524	524	N/Q	12.00	-	12.00
22.1+	0		3	106.00	-106.00	106.00	N/Q	427	-	427	427	N/Q	12.00	-	12.00
	0	1X	3	98.00	-98.00	98.00	N/Q	383	-	383	383	N/Q	10.00	-	10.00
	0	MR	3	120.00	-120.00	120.00	N/Q	444	-	444	444	N/Q	18.00	-	18.00
	0	MR	4	105.00	-105.00	105.00	N/Q	330	-	330	330	N/Q	16.00	-	16.00
	0	1X	4	104.00	-110.00	108.00	N/Q	336	-	400	379	N/Q	10.00	-	14.00
	0		4	107.00	-115.00	113.50	N/Q	314	-	341	333	N/Q	5.00	-	12.00
	0		5	108.00	-108.00	108.00	N/Q	306	-	306	306	N/Q	10.00	-	10.00
				76.00	120.00	103.22		306		524	391		5.00		18.00
Ewe															
0-14	0		1	36.00	-36.00	36.00	N/Q	275	-	275	275	N/Q	3.00	-	3.00
	2	MR	1	12.00	-59.00	49.30	N/Q	120	-	385	305	N/Q	0.00	-	10.00
14.1-18	0	MR	1	59.00	-59.00	59.00	N/Q	352	-	352	352	N/Q	8.00	-	8.00
	0	RS	2	76.20	-76.20	76.20	N/Q	401	-	401	401	N/Q	8.00	-	8.00
	2	MR	2	60.00	-78.60	70.30	N/Q	282	-	365	328	N/Q	6.00	-	14.00
	0	RM	2	75.00	-75.00	75.00	N/Q	382	-	382	382	N/Q	10.00	-	10.00
	0		2	62.00	-62.00	62.00	N/Q	311	-	311	311	N/Q	6.00	-	6.00
	0	1X	2	65.00	-76.00	71.10	N/Q	335	-	378	361	N/Q	8.00	-	12.00
	0	1X	2	75.60	-85.60	81.50	N/Q	328	-	385	350	N/Q	6.00	-	10.00

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				Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High		
	0		2	82.00	-82.00	82.00	N/Q	360	-	360	360	N/Q	10.00	-	10.00
	3	MR	2	73.00	-90.00	85.40	N/Q	315	-	381	348	N/Q	10.00	-	20.00
	0	RS	2	75.20	-86.60	81.00	N/Q	369	-	393	379	N/Q	7.00	-	8.00
	2	MR	3	87.00	-108.80	95.40	N/Q	313	-	363	345	N/Q	12.00	-	25.00
	0	1X	3	88.00	-92.00	91.00	N/Q	346	-	348	347	N/Q	12.00	-	12.00
	0	RM	3	103.00	-103.00	103.00	N/Q	370	-	370	370	N/Q	18.00	-	18.00
	0		3	75.00	-84.00	79.70	N/Q	335	-	352	344	N/Q	8.00	-	10.00
24.1+	0		3	89.00	-89.00	89.00	N/Q	336	-	336	336	N/Q	5.00	-	5.00
	0	1X	3	89.00	-96.00	94.20	N/Q	259	-	344	322	N/Q	6.00	-	10.00
	1	MR	3	102.00	-110.00	107.80	N/Q	340	-	344	341	N/Q	16.00	-	25.00
	0	RS	3	96.20	-96.20	96.20	N/Q	345	-	345	345	N/Q	10.00	-	10.00
	0	MR	4	100.60	-108.00	103.90	N/Q	317	-	333	324	N/Q	15.00	-	18.00
	2	1X	4	94.00	-108.80	103.90	N/Q	254	-	336	296	N/Q	3.00	-	12.00
	0		4	95.00	-98.00	96.60	N/Q	318	-	332	326	N/Q	5.00	-	6.00
	0	1X	5	96.00	-96.00	96.00	N/Q	251	-	251	251	N/Q	8.00	-	8.00
	0	RS	5	100.60	-100.60	100.60	N/Q	228	-	228	228	N/Q	5.00	-	5.00
				12.00	110.00	83.44		120		401	333		0.00		25.00
Young Wether															
	0		4	100.00	-100.00	100.00	N/Q	321	-	321	321	N/Q	10.00	-	10.00
	0	MR	4	105.00	-105.00	105.00	N/Q	333	-	333	333	N/Q	15.00	-	15.00
				100.00	105.00	102.50		321		333	327		10.00		15.00
Wether															
14.1-18	0	MR	2	66.00	-66.00	66.00	N/Q	338	-	338	338	N/Q	12.00	-	12.00
18.1-24	0	MR	2	84.00	-90.00	85.50	N/Q	350	-	357	352	N/Q	14.00	-	15.00
	1	MR	3	83.00	-106.00	99.60	N/Q	330	-	391	366	N/Q	13.00	-	18.00
24.1+	0	1X	3	95.00	-95.00	95.00	N/Q	254	-	254	254	N/Q	6.00	-	6.00
	0	1X	4	106.00	-106.00	106.00	N/Q	294	-	294	294	N/Q	12.00	-	12.00
	0	1X	5	102.20	-116.00	106.10	N/Q	229	-	281	244	N/Q	6.00	-	12.00
				66.00	116.00	93.03		229		391	308		6.00		18.00
Ram															
26.1+	0	RS	2	80.00	-80.00	80.00	N/Q	185	-	185	185	N/Q	6.00	-	6.00
	0		2	56.00	-70.00	66.50	N/Q	139	-	176	167	N/Q	5.00	-	6.00
	0	1X	3	74.00	-76.00	75.00	N/Q	142	-	168	155	N/Q	8.00	-	10.00
	0	MR	3	68.00	-77.00	71.70	N/Q	140	-	153	146	N/Q	15.00	-	16.00
	0	RS	3	122.00	-131.60	123.90	N/Q	266	-	311	302	N/Q	10.00	-	12.00
	0		3	62.00	-76.00	73.80	N/Q	135	-	187	171	N/Q	5.00	-	12.00
				56.00	131.60	81.82		135		311	188		5.00		16.00

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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