Detailed saleyard report - sheep and lamb

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Wagga

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Yarding	25000	**Lambs**	20000	**Sheep**	5000	**comparison date**	23/11/2017
Change	-15000	**Change**	-10000	**Change**	-5000		

Numbers declined significantly due to the massive rain event predicted for this region. Trade lambs were in short supply, while heavy lambs were in greater numbers this sale. Young shorn trade lambs attracted the best competition and were keenly sought by all buyers. Not all major trade buyers operated fully. Store lambs were well supplied, however most were unshorn and prices fluctuated throughout the sale.

New season lambs to the trade were limited over all weight categories. The bulk of the offering sold to dearer trends making from $120 to $174/head to average 626c/kg cwt. Heavy young lambs were in reasonable supply and sold from $168 to $188/head. Extra heavy lambs in full wool sold from $182 to $213/head to average 634c/kg cwt. There was a mixed selection of store lambs in all weights and grades. Light weight store lambs sold from $40 to $104, while the heavier lambs returning to the paddock sold from $107 to $128/head. Shorn new season trade lambs were keenly sought and buyers paid a premium for the better shapes to average 645c/kg cwt, while the heavy portion sold at $174 to $230/head.

It was a mixed quality offering of mutton with all weights and grades represented. Most buyers were operating over all categories. Heavy mutton made from $124 to $167, while the heavy wether portion topped at $150/head. Trade sheep were keenly sought and made from $96 to $140/head and averaged 466c/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	1	RM	1	40.00	- 84.00	71.50	N/Q	422	- 790	686	N/Q	2.00	- 5.00
	3	RS	1	79.00	-107.20	99.70	14	684	- 852	810	N/Q	4.00	- 5.00
	1	RS	2	104.00	-104.00	104.00	2	825	- 825	825	20	5.00	- 5.00
12.1-16	0	RS	1	106.20	-106.20	106.20	11	779	- 779	779	N/Q	5.00	- 5.00
	6	RS	2	107.00	-114.20	112.00	2	743	- 840	801	26	5.00	- 10.00
	3		2	112.00	-117.00	114.40	4	721	- 831	792	48	5.00	- 8.00
16.1-18	0		2	118.00	-118.00	118.00	-1	600	- 600	600	-41	10.00	- 10.00
	2	RS	2	121.60	-124.20	122.80	1	620	- 634	626	-32	10.00	- 10.00
18.1-20	1	RS	2	127.00	-127.00	127.00	N/Q	616	- 616	616	N/Q	10.00	- 10.00
	1		3	118.00	-132.00	126.30	N/C	530	- 610	576	-2	8.00	- 12.00
20.1-22	5		3	140.00	-152.00	146.80	3	582	- 641	614	3	11.00	- 12.00
22.1-24	2		3	156.00	-174.00	159.00	4	600	- 675	626	26	12.00	- 12.00
	1		4	162.00	-162.00	162.00	N/C	625	- 625	625	4	12.00	- 12.00
24.1-26	4		4	168.00	-184.00	175.50	8	609	- 658	634	19	12.00	- 13.00
26.1-30	6		4	182.00	-213.00	194.20	7	620	- 667	641	18	12.00	- 13.00
				40.00	**213.00**			**422**	**852**			**2.00**	**13.00**
Lamb													
0-12	1	RS	2	99.60	- 99.60	99.60	N/Q	788	- 788	788	N/Q	5.00	- 5.00
12.1-16	0		1	86.00	- 86.00	86.00	N/Q	646	- 646	646	N/Q	2.00	- 2.00
	0		2	116.00	-116.00	116.00	14	771	- 771	771	56	8.00	- 8.00
	0	1X	2	115.60	-115.60	115.60	N/Q	698	- 698	698	N/Q	4.00	- 4.00
	4	RS	2	107.00	-120.00	116.00	11	706	- 823	750	35	5.00	- 7.00
16.1-18	0	RS	3	118.60	-118.60	118.60	N/Q	614	- 614	614	N/Q	8.00	- 8.00
18.1-20	2	RS	2	126.00	-140.00	133.20	N/Q	653	- 675	664	N/Q	2.00	- 5.00
	2	RS	3	124.00	-125.00	124.70	-1	560	- 583	567	-58	8.00	- 12.00
	0	1X	3	136.00	-136.00	136.00	8	620	- 620	620	20	12.00	- 12.00
	2		3	124.00	-133.00	128.30	-95	560	- 636	603	-507	4.00	- 12.00
20.1-22	4		3	138.00	-155.00	144.40	3	574	- 682	626	-16	4.00	- 13.00

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				Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High
	0	1X	3	131.00	-131.00	131.00	N/Q	576 -	576	576	N/Q	10.00	- 10.00
	1	FD	3	152.00	-152.00	152.00	N/Q	655 -	655	655	N/Q	8.00	- 8.00
	0	DP	3	132.00	-132.00	132.00	N/Q	624 -	624	624	N/Q	1.00	- 1.00
22.1-24	3		3	151.00	-168.60	158.90	2	588 -	716	645	16	4.00	- 12.00
24.1-26	2		4	172.00	-188.00	177.30	8	636 -	736	679	45	4.00	- 13.00
	0	1X	4	168.00	-168.00	168.00	N/Q	624 -	624	624	N/Q	12.00	- 12.00
	0	DP	4	170.00	-170.00	170.00	N/Q	676 -	676	676	N/Q	1.00	- 1.00
26.1-30	4		4	180.00	-204.20	188.50	3	629 -	680	660	12	5.00	- 12.00
30.1+	2		4	154.20	-230.00	216.50	N/Q	444 -	682	652	N/Q	5.00	- 12.00
				86.00	**230.00**			**444**	**823**			**1.00**	**13.00**
Hogget													
0-22	0	MR	2	99.20	- 99.20	99.20	-10	589 -	589	589	28	5.00	- 5.00
	0	1X	3	110.00	-110.00	110.00	N/Q	500 -	500	500	N/Q	5.00	- 5.00
	0	MR	3	110.00	-110.00	110.00	-21	528 -	528	528	-52	15.00	- 15.00
22.1+	0	MR	3	155.00	-155.00	155.00	N/Q	500 -	500	500	N/Q	35.00	- 35.00
	1		3	128.00	-132.00	130.80	-6	529 -	552	545	16	1.00	- 5.00
	0		4	165.20	-165.20	165.20	N/Q	479 -	479	479	N/Q	12.00	- 12.00
				99.20	**165.20**			**479**	**589**			**1.00**	**35.00**
Ewe													
18.1-24	0	MR	1	86.00	- 86.00	86.00	-9	400 -	400	400	-60	6.00	- 6.00
	1	MR	2	96.20	-120.00	110.70	-7	461 -	505	485	11	4.00	- 5.00
	0	DA	2	107.00	-107.00	107.00	N/Q	410 -	410	410	N/Q	21.00	- 21.00
	0	DP	2	113.00	-113.00	113.00	N/Q	509 -	509	509	N/Q	1.00	- 1.00
	0	1X	2	113.00	-114.00	113.50	-6	496 -	500	498	19	4.00	- 4.00
	1	1X	3	120.00	-124.20	122.20	N/Q	483 -	536	506	N/Q	1.00	- 4.00
	1	MR	3	120.00	-140.00	130.20	N/C	438 -	496	466	-18	8.00	- 35.00
24.1+	2	MR	3	140.00	-147.00	145.50	5	446 -	535	508	27	4.00	- 15.00
	2	1X	3	124.00	-150.00	134.00	2	372 -	512	450	N/C	1.00	- 10.00
	0	DP	3	132.00	-132.00	132.00	N/Q	524 -	524	524	N/Q	1.00	- 1.00
	2	1X	4	130.00	-167.20	153.40	N/C	361 -	554	429	5	2.00	- 10.00
				86.00	**167.20**			**361**	**554**			**1.00**	**35.00**
Wether													
18.1-24	0	MR	1	88.00	- 88.00	88.00	N/Q	430 -	430	430	N/Q	2.00	- 2.00
	1	MR	2	92.00	-117.00	105.20	-19	450 -	552	506	-11	1.00	- 4.00
	2	MR	3	112.00	-137.20	128.30	-1	470 -	563	542	30	2.00	- 20.00
24.1+	2	MR	3	126.20	-150.00	131.00	-27	411 -	497	480	2	2.00	- 35.00
				88.00	**150.00**			**411**	**563**			**1.00**	**35.00**
Ram													
26.1+	0	1X	2	109.00	-109.00	109.00	N/Q	214 -	214	214	N/Q	2.00	- 2.00
	0	MR	2	135.20	-135.20	135.20	N/Q	417 -	417	417	N/Q	10.00	- 10.00
	0	MR	5	90.00	- 90.00	90.00	N/Q	156 -	156	156	N/Q	20.00	- 20.00
	0		5	165.20	-165.20	165.20	N/Q	363 -	363	363	N/Q	2.00	- 2.00
				90.00	**165.20**			**156**	**417**			**2.00**	**20.00**
Ram Lamb													
18.1-24	0	FD	3	148.00	-148.00	148.00	N/Q	650 -	650	650	N/Q	5.00	- 5.00
	0		3	136.00	-136.00	136.00	N/Q	655 -	655	655	N/Q	5.00	- 5.00
24.1+	0		4	188.20	-188.20	188.20	N/Q	629 -	629	629	N/Q	12.00	- 12.00
				136.00	**188.20**			**629**	**655**			**5.00**	**12.00**

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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				Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High

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