

Detailed saleyard report - sheep and lamb

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Horsham

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Yarding Change	8896 -98	Lambs Change	7119 837	Sheep Change	1777 -935	comparison date	21/03/2018
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Lamb numbers were up to 7,119 head at Horsham this week, following the Easter break. Quality was average to good, with most of the regular buying group in attendance and operating in a firm to easier market. Lighter lambs eased \$3 to \$8, trade weight lambs were to \$5/head with the better quality trade weights selling close to firm at times. The heavy and extra heavy lambs sold from around firm to \$10/head easier on the sale of two weeks ago. Heavy lambs sold to \$200, with heavier trade weights selling from \$144 to \$160/head to average around 615c/kg cwt. Merino lambs ranged from \$89 to \$110/head, with the few unshorn lambs making to \$127/head. Restocker interest was keen and they paid from \$115 to \$136.50 for lambs and paid to \$102/head for young Merino wethers. Sheep numbers were back at 1,777 head. All weights and grades were on offer, with some extra buying competition operating. Sheep sold to keen competition to be from around firm to \$5/head up on last week.

Light weight 2 score lambs sold from \$66 to \$112/head. Light trade 2 and 3 score lambs sold from \$106 to \$133/head and averaged around 620c/kg cwt. Trade weight 3 and 4 score lambs sold from \$131 to \$147, with the heavier weights selling from \$144 to \$160/head and averaging around 615c to 620c/kg cwt.

Heavy 3 and 4 score lambs sold from \$159 to \$186/head at around 610c/kg cwt. The extra heavy lambs sold from \$186 to \$200/head. Merino hoggets sold from \$117 to \$118.50/head.

Light weight 1 and 2 score sheep sold from \$70 to \$76 with the very light 1 scores selling from \$12 to \$61/head. Medium weight 2 and 3 score sheep sold from \$77 to \$145/head and ranged from 395c to 505c, with the Merino mutton averaging around 485c/kg cwt. Heavy Merino ewes sold from \$114 to \$142, heavy Merino wethers sold from \$118 to \$142 with the medium weights selling from \$115 to \$124/head, the heavy Merino mutton averaged around 485c/kg cwt. Heavy 3 to 5 score crossbred sheep sold from \$110 to \$145/head and averaged around 420c/kg cwt. Rams sold from \$35 to \$94/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	
Young Lamb														
0-12	1		1	35.00	-35.00	35.00	N/Q	388	-	388	388	N/Q	4.00	- 4.00
	0	MR	1	29.00	-29.00	29.00	N/Q	313	-	313	313	N/Q	4.00	- 4.00
	0	1X	2	72.00	-72.00	72.00	N/Q	558	-	558	558	N/Q	5.00	- 5.00
16.1-18	0		2	115.00	-115.00	115.00	N/Q	594	-	594	594	N/Q	8.00	- 8.00
18.1-20	0		3	122.00	-127.00	123.80	N/Q	595	-	600	598	N/Q	8.00	- 8.00
20.1-22	1		3	126.00	-126.00	126.00	N/Q	527	-	557	541	N/Q	9.00	- 10.00
				29.00	127.00			313		600			4.00	10.00
Lamb														
0-12	1	MR	1	41.00	-41.00	41.00	N/Q	513	-	513	513	N/Q	0.00	- 0.00
	1	RM	1	29.00	-71.00	60.50	N/Q	338	-	592	528	N/Q	0.00	- 2.00
	0	1X	2	44.00	-66.00	51.10	N/Q	367	-	517	413	N/Q	0.00	- 4.00
	1		2	60.00	-64.00	61.00	N/Q	467	-	517	481	N/Q	2.00	- 4.00
12.1-16	3		2	66.00	-112.00	89.80	-10	477	-	685	577	-52	2.00	- 5.00
	1	1X	2	70.00	-103.00	85.20	N/C	443	-	619	530	N/Q	4.00	- 8.00
	3	MR	2	62.00	-108.00	79.90	3	415	-	613	478	-22	0.00	- 10.00
16.1-18	2	MR	2	89.00	-110.00	99.00	N/Q	477	-	567	525	N/Q	0.00	- 12.00
	0	1X	2	112.00	-113.00	112.70	N/Q	594	-	618	601	N/Q	6.00	- 7.00
	2		2	106.00	-121.00	114.80	-3	606	-	665	643	-3	4.00	- 6.00
	0	DP	2	88.00	-88.00	88.00	N/Q	518	-	518	518	N/Q	0.00	- 0.00
	1	RS	2	115.00	-120.00	117.00	N/Q	633	-	653	643	N/Q	5.00	- 6.00
	0	1X	3	115.00	-115.00	115.00	N/Q	647	-	647	647	N/Q	5.00	- 5.00
	1		3	113.00	-116.00	115.20	-4	600	-	653	628	-18	2.00	- 5.00
18.1-20	1		2	116.00	-128.00	118.80	-3	590	-	632	599	-19	4.00	- 8.00
	0	1X	2	116.00	-127.00	123.30	N/Q	574	-	654	627	N/Q	6.00	- 7.00

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				Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High		
	3	RS	2	125.00	-130.00	128.60	N/Q	615	-	653	640	N/Q	4.00	-	7.00
	1	DP	2	121.00	-121.00	121.00	N/Q	637	-	637	637	N/Q	0.00	-	0.00
	2	RS	3	130.50	-132.00	131.30	N/Q	628	-	641	635	N/Q	5.00	-	7.00
	0	1X	3	122.00	-131.00	124.30	N/Q	600	-	615	608	N/Q	0.00	-	8.00
	2		3	119.00	-133.00	127.60	-1	610	-	647	621	-14	2.00	-	8.00
20.1-22	1		2	131.00	-135.00	132.40	N/Q	586	-	605	592	N/Q	8.00	-	8.00
	1	RS	3	136.50	-136.50	136.50	N/Q	621	-	621	621	N/Q	6.00	-	6.00
	5		3	133.00	-147.00	140.90	2	605	-	643	619	-4	5.00	-	9.00
	2	DP	3	125.00	-132.00	128.60	N/Q	581	-	600	595	N/Q	0.00	-	0.00
22.1-24	8		3	144.00	-157.00	150.10	-4	585	-	630	610	-4	4.00	-	10.00
	0	1X	3	148.00	-148.00	148.00	N/Q	579	-	579	579	N/Q	9.00	-	9.00
	1		4	160.00	-160.00	160.00	-1	646	-	646	646	7	5.00	-	5.00
24.1-26	3		3	159.00	-169.00	160.90	-3	600	-	631	612	3	5.00	-	10.00
	0	1X	3	151.00	-151.00	151.00	N/Q	572	-	572	572	N/Q	8.00	-	8.00
	0	1X	4	162.00	-162.00	162.00	N/Q	604	-	604	604	N/Q	5.00	-	5.00
	12		4	159.00	-174.00	166.80	2	596	-	639	622	-3	5.00	-	12.00
	1	DP	4	139.00	-154.00	152.40	N/Q	556	-	616	610	N/Q	0.00	-	0.00
26.1-30	8		4	169.00	-186.00	177.30	2	586	-	622	603	-8	5.00	-	12.00
	0	1X	4	168.00	-168.00	168.00	N/Q	604	-	604	604	N/Q	5.00	-	5.00
30.1+	0	1X	4	194.00	-194.00	194.00	N/Q	558	-	558	558	N/Q	10.00	-	10.00
	6		4	186.00	-200.00	191.70	N/Q	541	-	590	558	N/Q	12.00	-	12.00
				29.00	200.00			338		685			0.00		12.00
Hogget															
0-22	1	MR	1	40.00	-40.00	40.00	N/Q	286	-	286	286	N/Q	0.00	-	0.00
	0	1X	2	76.00	-76.00	76.00	N/Q	394	-	394	394	N/Q	5.00	-	5.00
	1	MR	2	64.00	-67.00	66.30	-18	361	-	427	377	-84	0.00	-	2.00
	0	RM	3	102.00	-102.00	102.00	N/Q	539	-	539	539	N/Q	5.00	-	5.00
	2	MR	3	118.50	-118.50	118.50	N/Q	469	-	469	469	N/Q	20.00	-	20.00
22.1+	0	MR	3	117.00	-117.00	117.00	N/Q	438	-	438	438	N/Q	12.00	-	12.00
				40.00	118.50			286		539			0.00		20.00
Ewe															
0-14	0	1X	1	31.00	-58.00	37.80	N/Q	214	-	414	263	N/Q	0.00	-	2.00
	0	MR	1	12.00	-12.00	12.00	N/Q	100	-	100	100	N/Q	0.00	-	0.00
	0	MR	2	60.00	-61.00	60.50	N/Q	371	-	379	375	N/Q	8.00	-	8.00
14.1-18	1	MR	2	70.00	-76.00	74.90	-16	377	-	378	377	-97	2.00	-	12.00
	0	1X	2	71.00	-71.00	71.00	N/Q	372	-	372	372	N/Q	4.00	-	4.00
18.1-24	1	1X	2	77.00	-111.00	93.10	-4	395	-	455	426	-21	2.00	-	5.00
	1	MR	2	86.00	-100.00	98.90	-7	442	-	505	501	4	2.00	-	4.00
	3	MR	3	110.00	-145.00	124.80	5	450	-	500	479	11	2.00	-	25.00
	1	1X	3	116.00	-116.00	116.00	N/Q	467	-	467	467	N/Q	4.00	-	4.00
	0	MR	4	112.00	-112.00	112.00	N/Q	467	-	467	467	N/Q	0.00	-	0.00
24.1+	1	MR	3	141.00	-142.00	141.80	16	485	-	488	487	26	15.00	-	20.00
	2	1X	3	110.00	-123.00	119.60	N/C	393	-	460	434	1	0.00	-	6.00
	4	1X	4	129.00	-145.00	137.40	-1	368	-	416	386	18	0.00	-	8.00
	2	MR	4	114.00	-136.00	130.80	1	448	-	496	485	22	0.00	-	8.00
	0	DP	4	108.00	-108.00	108.00	N/Q	432	-	432	432	N/Q	0.00	-	0.00
				12.00	145.00			100		505			0.00		25.00
Wether															
14.1-18	0	MR	2	90.00	-93.00	92.00	N/Q	417	-	439	432	N/Q	14.00	-	15.00
18.1-24	1	MR	2	115.00	-115.00	115.00	N/Q	485	-	485	485	N/Q	18.00	-	18.00

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	0	MR	3	124.00	-124.00	124.00	N/Q	505	-	505	505	N/Q	18.00	- 18.00
24.1+	0	MR	3	118.00	-142.00	135.50	N/Q	458	-	472	466	N/Q	0.00	- 20.00
	0	MR	4	131.00	-131.00	131.00	N/Q	461	-	461	461	N/Q	2.00	- 2.00
	0	1X	4	145.00	-145.00	145.00	N/Q	400	-	400	400	N/Q	5.00	- 5.00
				90.00	145.00			400		505			0.00	20.00
Ram														
26.1+	0	1X	2	38.00	- 38.00	38.00	N/Q	103	-	103	103	N/Q	2.00	- 2.00
	0	MR	3	76.00	- 94.00	85.80	N/Q	190	-	269	233	N/Q	0.00	- 4.00
	0	DP	3	35.00	- 49.50	41.40	N/Q	97	-	118	106	N/Q	0.00	- 0.00
	0	1X	3	35.00	- 35.00	35.00	N/Q	83	-	83	83	N/Q	2.00	- 2.00
				35.00	94.00			83		269			0.00	4.00
Ram Lamb														
18.1-24	0	1X	2	80.00	- 80.00	80.00	N/Q	390	-	390	390	N/Q	2.00	- 2.00
24.1+	0	MR	3	108.00	-108.00	108.00	N/Q	416	-	416	416	N/Q	4.00	- 4.00
	0	1X	3	125.00	-125.00	125.00	N/Q	343	-	343	343	N/Q	5.00	- 5.00
				80.00	125.00			343		416			2.00	5.00

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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