

Detailed saleyard report - sheep and lamb

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Horsham

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Yarding Change	6550 -1975	Lambs Change	3250 -2250	Sheep Change	3300 275	comparison date	11/04/2018
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Lamb numbers were back to 3,039 head at Horsham this week. Quality was mixed and ranged from plain to good, with heavy lambs in limited numbers. Most of the usual buying group attended and operated selectively in a generally firm market with lambs selling a few dollars either side of firm. Trade weights sold from firm to \$4/head easier, heavy lambs improved a few dollars in places. The heavy lambs reached \$178, with heavier trade weights selling from \$127 to \$144/head and averaging 565c/kg cwt. Trade weight Merino lambs sold from \$118 to \$125/head. Restocker interest was limited, with lambs selling from \$128 to \$131 and lighter drafts selling from \$15 to \$48.50/head. Strong returns for mutton over past weeks saw similar sheep numbers at 3,084 head yarded this week. All weights and grades were on offer with several pens of quality heavy Merino and crossbred ewes yarded. Merino ewes made to \$155/head. Not all the regular buying group operated on the sheep as they sold from around firm to \$5/head easier and more in places.

Light weight 2 score lambs sold from \$80 to \$92/head. Light trade 2 and 3 score lambs sold from \$97 to \$124/head and averaged 595c/kg cwt. Trade weight lambs sold from \$127 to \$144/head and made from 540c to 570c to average 565c/kg cwt. Heavy 3 and 4 score lambs sold from \$150 to \$172/head to average 560c/kg cwt. Extra heavy export lambs sold to \$178/head. Merino hoggets sold to \$112/head.

Light weight 1 and 2 score sheep sold from \$37 to \$88/head. Medium weight 2 and 3 score sheep sold from \$75 to \$129/head and sold from 365c to 490c with the Merino mutton averaging 460c/kg cwt. Heavy Merino ewes sold from \$115 to \$155, heavy Merino wethers sold from \$117 to \$125 with the medium weights selling from \$92 to \$110/head, the heavy Merino sheep averaged 470c/kg cwt. Heavy 3 to 4 score crossbred sheep sold from \$109 to \$145/head. Rams ranged from \$12 to \$75/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															
12.1-16	0		2	71.00	-96.00	75.40	N/Q	440	-	563	510	N/Q	5.00	-	6.00
16.1-18	1		2	103.00	-115.00	109.50	N/Q	577	-	600	589	N/Q	5.00	-	7.00
	0	MR	2	77.00	-83.00	81.00	N/Q	406	-	441	429	N/Q	8.00	-	8.00
18.1-20	0		2	105.00	-105.00	105.00	N/Q	511	-	511	511	N/Q	8.00	-	8.00
22.1-24	0		2	134.00	-134.00	134.00	N/Q	548	-	548	548	N/Q	8.00	-	8.00
	0	1X	3	132.00	-138.00	134.60	N/Q	544	-	550	546	N/Q	6.00	-	7.00
				71.00	138.00			406		600			5.00		8.00
Lamb															
0-12	0	RS	1	35.00	-35.00	35.00	N/Q	330	-	330	330	N/Q	2.00	-	2.00
	1	RM	1	39.00	-39.00	39.00	N/Q	488	-	488	488	N/Q	0.00	-	0.00
	2	RM	2	58.00	-59.00	58.70	N/Q	580	-	590	587	N/Q	0.00	-	0.00
	0	RS	2	15.00	-57.00	51.80	N/Q	175	-	442	408	N/Q	1.00	-	4.00
	0	DP	2	35.00	-35.00	35.00	N/Q	292	-	292	292	N/Q	0.00	-	0.00
	0	1X	2	62.00	-62.00	62.00	N/Q	483	-	483	483	N/Q	4.00	-	4.00
12.1-16	2		2	80.00	-92.00	86.60	9	507	-	580	528	27	4.00	-	5.00
	0	RS	2	58.50	-58.50	58.50	N/Q	435	-	435	435	N/Q	2.00	-	2.00
	0	FD	2	58.00	-58.00	58.00	N/Q	415	-	415	415	N/Q	4.00	-	4.00
16.1-18	0	MR	2	68.00	-80.00	69.90	N/Q	400	-	400	400	N/Q	0.00	-	8.00
	2		2	99.00	-117.50	108.90	-3	553	-	625	598	-28	2.00	-	6.00
	1	1X	2	106.00	-106.00	106.00	N/Q	594	-	594	594	N/Q	5.00	-	5.00
18.1-20	0	1X	2	110.00	-110.00	110.00	N/Q	540	-	540	540	N/Q	2.00	-	2.00
	4		2	112.00	-124.00	121.60	2	579	-	605	590	-4	2.00	-	8.00
	0	MR	2	109.00	-109.00	109.00	N/Q	547	-	547	547	N/Q	5.00	-	5.00
	1		3	116.00	-120.00	119.80	-6	584	-	590	590	-20	2.00	-	5.00
	0	DP	3	109.00	-109.00	109.00	N/Q	545	-	545	545	N/Q	0.00	-	0.00

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20.1-22	1		2	127.00	-127.00	127.00	N/Q	567	-	567	567	N/Q	8.00	-	8.00
	2		3	125.00	-131.00	128.10	-4	557	-	586	568	-16	2.00	-	8.00
	3	RS	3	128.00	-131.00	128.90	-1	546	-	586	558	-32	2.00	-	8.00
22.1-24	0	MR	2	118.00	-118.00	118.00	N/Q	491	-	491	491	N/Q	5.00	-	5.00
	5		3	135.00	-144.00	139.90	N/C	542	-	561	557	-7	8.00	-	10.00
	0	MR	3	125.00	-125.00	125.00	N/Q	478	-	478	478	N/Q	15.00	-	15.00
24.1-26	0	DP	3	127.00	-134.00	131.00	N/Q	529	-	558	546	N/Q	0.00	-	0.00
	0	MR	3	125.00	-125.00	125.00	N/Q	480	-	480	480	N/Q	5.00	-	5.00
	2		3	150.00	-159.00	156.00	5	560	-	573	569	8	10.00	-	10.00
	2		4	145.00	-148.00	145.80	-2	537	-	572	546	-11	5.00	-	8.00
26.1-30	6		4	154.00	-172.00	166.80	7	541	-	553	552	6	8.00	-	12.00
30.1+	1		4	178.00	-178.00	178.00	N/Q	525	-	525	525	N/Q	10.00	-	10.00
				15.00	178.00			175		625			0.00		15.00
Hogget															
22.1+	0	1X	3	110.00	-110.00	110.00	N/C	438	-	438	438	N/Q	5.00	-	5.00
	0	MR	3	112.00	-112.00	112.00	N/Q	408	-	408	408	N/Q	10.00	-	10.00
				110.00	112.00			408		438			5.00		10.00
Ewe															
0-14	1	RM	1	12.00	-41.00	32.20	N/Q	83	-	279	234	N/Q	0.00	-	2.00
	0	1X	1	15.00	-15.00	15.00	N/Q	115	-	115	115	N/Q	0.00	-	0.00
14.1-18	1	1X	2	38.00	-66.00	58.70	N/Q	225	-	367	330	N/Q	0.00	-	2.00
	4	MR	2	37.00	-88.00	67.00	-14	231	-	461	382	-72	0.00	-	5.00
18.1-24	3	MR	2	88.00	-109.00	91.80	-10	422	-	459	451	-25	2.00	-	12.00
	0	1X	2	75.00	-78.00	76.60	N/Q	365	-	380	373	N/Q	2.00	-	2.00
	9	MR	3	94.00	-129.00	108.80	-8	433	-	486	464	-16	0.00	-	25.00
24.1+	0	1X	3	100.00	-100.00	100.00	N/Q	396	-	396	396	N/Q	5.00	-	5.00
	2	1X	3	109.00	-116.00	114.90	-4	389	-	430	418	-10	0.00	-	5.00
	2	MR	3	118.00	-155.00	133.70	-5	464	-	481	472	-22	2.00	-	30.00
	6	MR	4	115.00	-146.50	134.30	-20	457	-	489	473	-24	0.00	-	10.00
	4	1X	4	122.00	-145.00	133.00	-8	374	-	432	392	-7	0.00	-	6.00
0	DP	4	120.00	-120.00	120.00	N/Q	429	-	429	429	N/Q	0.00	-	0.00	
				12.00	155.00			83		489			0.00		30.00
Wether															
0-14	0	RM	1	25.50	-25.50	25.50	N/Q	182	-	182	182	N/Q	0.00	-	0.00
	1	MR	1	30.00	-50.50	44.40	N/Q	250	-	354	323	N/Q	5.00	-	8.00
	1	RM	2	45.00	-45.00	45.00	N/Q	293	-	293	293	N/Q	4.00	-	4.00
14.1-18	2	RM	2	77.00	-77.00	77.00	N/Q	424	-	424	424	N/Q	5.00	-	5.00
	1	MR	2	59.00	-59.00	59.00	-6	360	-	360	360	-34	5.00	-	5.00
18.1-24	3	MR	2	92.00	-105.00	97.90	N/Q	468	-	475	473	N/Q	2.00	-	5.00
	0	1X	2	56.50	-56.50	56.50	N/Q	283	-	283	283	N/Q	0.00	-	0.00
	1	MR	3	88.00	-110.00	105.90	-16	420	-	477	464	-27	2.00	-	5.00
24.1+	0	MR	3	117.00	-117.00	117.00	N/Q	450	-	450	450	N/Q	0.00	-	0.00
	0	MR	4	125.00	-125.00	125.00	N/Q	444	-	465	461	N/Q	4.00	-	5.00
	0	1X	4	138.00	-138.00	138.00	N/Q	340	-	340	340	N/Q	2.00	-	2.00
				25.50	138.00			182		477			0.00		8.00
Ram															
0-26	0	MR	1	12.00	-18.00	13.20	N/Q	64	-	67	66	N/Q	0.00	-	2.00
	0	1X	2	22.00	-22.00	22.00	N/Q	110	-	110	110	N/Q	0.00	-	0.00
	0	DP	2	18.00	-18.00	18.00	N/Q	82	-	82	82	N/Q	0.00	-	0.00
	0	MR	2	28.00	-32.00	30.70	N/Q	89	-	115	106	N/Q	2.00	-	5.00

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26.1+	0	MR	2	45.00	-45.00	45.00	N/Q	150	-	150	150	N/Q	0.00	-	0.00
	0	1X	2	35.00	-40.00	38.00	N/Q	109	-	112	111	N/Q	0.00	-	2.00
	1	MR	3	48.00	-75.00	69.50	N/Q	109	-	190	174	N/Q	4.00	-	10.00
	1	1X	3	40.00	-60.00	48.90	N/Q	106	-	214	143	N/Q	0.00	-	2.00
	0	DP	3	40.00	-50.00	45.60	N/Q	114	-	143	130	N/Q	0.00	-	0.00
				12.00	75.00			64		214			0.00		10.00
Ram Lamb															
0-14	0	MR	2	30.00	-30.00	30.00	N/Q	200	-	200	200	N/Q	2.00	-	2.00
14.1-18	0	MR	2	66.00	-66.00	66.00	N/Q	367	-	367	367	N/Q	0.00	-	0.00
18.1-24	0	MR	2	64.00	-64.00	64.00	N/Q	310	-	310	310	N/Q	2.00	-	2.00
	0	MR	3	82.00	-82.00	82.00	N/Q	364	-	364	364	N/Q	2.00	-	2.00
	0	DP	3	86.00	-86.00	86.00	N/Q	374	-	374	374	N/Q	0.00	-	0.00
24.1+	0	1X	3	88.50	-88.50	88.50	N/Q	346	-	346	346	N/Q	2.00	-	2.00
				30.00	88.50			200		374			0.00		2.00

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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