

Detailed saleyard report - sheep and lamb

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Tamworth

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Yarding Change	3380 -20	Lambs Change	2350 600	Sheep Change	1030 -620	comparison date	16/08/2010
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There was a reduced number available with not all sheep and lambs drawn for making it to the sale due to the wet weather. The quality of the lamb offering was good with a few pens of young lambs available. There were a number of pens of extra heavy old lambs on offer, while for the most part the lambs showed good finish.

The lower number contributed to a dearer market trend throughout. Young lambs sold firm to \$4/head dearer. There has been nothing to compare the extra heavy old lambs to for some time with the market topping lambs estimated at 33kg cwt. Heavy lambs sold to a dearer trend while the medium weight trade lambs improved the trend by \$3 to \$4/head.

The small offering of mixed quality sheep sold firm to slightly cheaper, with the exception of a couple of very good quality lots.

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														
20.1-22	2		3	132.00	-136.00	134.90	6	546	-	564	559	1	12.00	- 12.00
22.1-24	4		3	136.00	-142.00	139.40	4	539	-	557	547	17	12.00	- 12.00
				132.00	142.00	137.15		539		564	553		12.00	12.00
Lamb														
0-12	2	RS	2	79.20	-79.20	79.20	N/Q	618	-	618	618	N/Q	5.00	- 5.00
12.1-16	1		2	62.00	-62.00	62.00	N/Q	338	-	338	338	N/Q	8.00	- 8.00
16.1-18	2		2	82.00	-90.00	87.80	-6	435	-	472	459	-29	5.00	- 8.00
	0		3	100.00	-100.00	100.00	N/Q	500	-	500	500	N/Q	10.00	- 10.00
	0	1X	3	86.20	-86.20	86.20	N/Q	479	-	479	479	N/Q	0.00	- 0.00
18.1-20	1		2	90.00	-90.00	90.00	N/Q	468	-	468	468	N/Q	1.00	- 1.00
	1	1X	2	90.00	-95.00	92.30	N/Q	443	-	458	450	N/Q	8.00	- 8.00
	2	1X	3	102.00	-107.60	105.00	1	484	-	529	496	-12	0.00	- 10.00
	2		3	100.00	-114.60	108.40	1	460	-	523	504	-11	7.00	- 10.00
20.1-22	6		3	123.80	-133.20	129.30	7	542	-	560	551	25	10.00	- 10.00
	0	1X	3	116.20	-116.20	116.20	N/Q	553	-	553	553	N/Q	0.00	- 0.00
22.1-24	9		3	127.00	-142.00	134.60	3	483	-	553	533	1	8.00	- 12.00
24.1-26	1		3	141.00	-142.00	141.60	N/Q	496	-	520	511	N/Q	12.00	- 12.00
	0	1X	3	140.00	-140.00	140.00	N/Q	571	-	571	571	N/Q	0.00	- 0.00
26.1-30	1		3	150.00	-160.00	155.70	N/Q	483	-	500	491	N/Q	15.00	- 15.00
30.1+	1		3	180.00	-180.00	180.00	N/Q	500	-	500	500	N/Q	15.00	- 15.00
				62.00	180.00	113.02		338		618	501		0.00	15.00
Hogget														
0-22	2	1X	3	87.20	-100.20	94.30	8	432	-	500	482	3	0.00	- 5.00
22.1+	0	1X	4	122.20	-122.20	122.20	N/Q	461	-	461	461	N/Q	0.00	- 0.00
				87.20	122.20	108.25		432		500	471		0.00	5.00
Ewe														
14.1-18	0	1X	2	75.00	-75.00	75.00	N/Q	406	-	406	406	N/Q	2.00	- 2.00
	2	MR	2	62.00	-80.00	67.40	-4	313	-	389	329	-68	10.00	- 12.00
	0	RS	2	71.20	-71.20	71.20	N/Q	401	-	401	401	N/Q	5.00	- 5.00
18.1-24	1	MR	3	88.60	-102.00	98.40	N/Q	436	-	438	437	N/Q	8.00	- 10.00
	1	1X	3	74.20	-80.00	77.90	N/Q	355	-	390	377	N/Q	2.00	- 5.00
24.1+	0	1X	4	100.00	-100.00	100.00	N/Q	385	-	385	385	N/Q	0.00	- 0.00

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				Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	
				62.00	102.00	81.65		313	438	389		0.00	12.00	
Wether														
18.1-24	0	1X	3	95.00	- 95.00	95.00	N/Q	400	-	400	400	N/Q	5.00	- 5.00
	2	MR	3	89.40	- 96.00	92.40	-2	370	-	375	372	-18	8.00	- 8.00
24.1+	1	1X	4	125.00	-125.00	125.00	N/Q	364	-	364	364	N/Q	5.00	- 5.00
				89.40	125.00	104.13		364	400	379		5.00	8.00	
Ram														
26.1+	0	1X	3	87.60	- 87.60	87.60	N/Q	207	-	207	207	N/Q	5.00	- 5.00
				87.60	87.60	87.60		207	207	207		5.00	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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