

Detailed saleyard report - sheep and lamb

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Tamworth

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Yarding Change	4850 1470	Lambs Change	3100 750	Sheep Change	1750 720	comparison date	23/08/2010
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There was an increase in numbers, both sheep and lambs after last weeks rain affected offering. The quality of the lambs was fair to good with most grades represented. There was a fair selection of fresh young lambs available, while the quality of the older lambs varied.

The lamb market varied as demand for young lambs increased, the trend was slightly dearer, up \$1 to \$2/head for young lambs. As supplies of young lamb increases demand for old lamb weakens. This was the case with the old lambs selling to a cheaper trend through all categories, but particularly on the secondary quality lots. Restockers were active on any young first cross ewes penned.

The sheep market also sold to a dearer trend with demand from processors stronger as the flow of sheep direct from the paddock is interrupted due to wet weather. Restockers were active on sound Merino ewes carrying a full skin.

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														
18.1-20	3		3	120.00	-134.00	126.30	N/Q	578	-	610	587	N/Q	8.00	- 13.00
20.1-22	2		3	125.20	-140.20	135.60	1	549	-	596	579	20	8.00	- 13.00
22.1-24	1		3	145.60	-145.60	145.60	N/Q	594	-	594	594	N/Q	12.00	- 12.00
				120.00	145.60	135.83		549	610	587			8.00	13.00
Lamb														
12.1-16	1		2	75.60	- 78.00	77.00	N/Q	473	-	600	545	N/Q	0.00	- 0.00
	0	1X	2	86.40	- 86.40	86.40	N/Q	490	-	490	490	N/Q	8.00	- 8.00
	1	RS	2	79.20	- 84.60	81.30	N/Q	479	-	483	481	N/Q	2.00	- 8.00
16.1-18	4	RS	2	82.20	- 86.20	84.80	N/Q	412	-	464	447	N/Q	5.00	- 8.00
	1	1X	2	78.20	- 82.00	80.50	N/Q	434	-	460	444	N/Q	0.00	- 6.00
	0		2	85.00	- 85.00	85.00	N/Q	440	-	440	440	N/Q	8.00	- 8.00
	1	MR	2	74.00	- 88.60	79.80	N/Q	412	-	448	426	N/Q	6.00	- 8.00
	1	MR	3	85.20	- 85.20	85.20	N/Q	429	-	429	429	N/Q	8.00	- 8.00
	1	1X	3	85.00	- 85.00	85.00	-1	428	-	428	428	-51	8.00	- 8.00
	0		3	97.00	- 97.00	97.00	N/Q	511	-	511	511	N/Q	5.00	- 5.00
18.1-20	1	1X	2	92.40	- 92.40	92.40	N/C	434	-	434	434	-16	10.00	- 10.00
	1	1X	3	92.00	-115.00	98.60	N/Q	453	-	525	473	N/Q	6.00	- 10.00
	0	MR	3	98.00	- 98.00	98.00	N/Q	450	-	450	450	N/Q	8.00	- 8.00
	1	RS	3	91.20	- 91.20	91.20	N/Q	438	-	438	438	N/Q	8.00	- 8.00
	3		3	98.00	-108.00	103.80	-5	475	-	530	500	-4	0.00	- 9.00
20.1-22	6		3	109.20	-121.00	116.30	-13	472	-	533	501	-50	5.00	- 10.00
	0	MR	3	120.00	-120.00	120.00	N/Q	500	-	500	500	N/Q	10.00	- 10.00
	6	1X	3	102.00	-127.00	113.50	-3	418	-	535	496	-58	5.00	- 10.00
22.1-24	2	1X	3	117.20	-125.20	120.60	N/Q	465	-	533	481	N/Q	0.00	- 10.00
	13		3	117.00	-134.00	126.80	-8	455	-	525	508	-25	8.00	- 12.00
24.1-26	1		3	126.20	-132.00	130.70	N/Q	465	-	469	468	N/Q	10.00	- 10.00
	0	1X	3	124.20	-124.20	124.20	N/Q	507	-	507	507	N/Q	0.00	- 0.00
				74.00	134.00	99.00		412	600	473			0.00	12.00
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0-22	1	1X	3	72.00	- 95.00	85.20	N/Q	307	-	425	373	N/Q	0.00	- 8.00
22.1+	2	1X	3	96.00	-125.20	112.30	N/Q	371	-	449	418	N/Q	0.00	- 10.00

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				Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High		
	0		3	95.20	-95.20	95.20	N/Q	379	-	379	379	N/Q	8.00	-	8.00
				72.00	125.20	97.57		307		449	390		0.00		10.00
Young Ewe															
14.1-18	1	1X	3	120.20	-120.20	120.20	N/Q	623	-	623	623	N/Q	8.00	-	8.00
18.1-24	1	1X	3	89.20	-138.60	131.50	N/Q	406	-	556	534	N/Q	8.00	-	8.00
				89.20	138.60	125.85		406		623	579		8.00		8.00
Ewe															
0-14	3	MR	2	42.00	-62.00	53.20	N/Q	285	-	379	334	N/Q	2.00	-	12.00
14.1-18	3	MR	2	72.00	-84.00	77.00	10	362	-	434	402	72	8.00	-	12.00
	1	MR	3	76.00	-76.00	76.00	N/Q	378	-	378	378	N/Q	8.00	-	8.00
18.1-24	0	RM	2	98.20	-98.20	98.20	N/Q	443	-	443	443	N/Q	14.00	-	14.00
	1	1X	3	94.00	-97.60	96.50	N/Q	371	-	390	384	N/Q	5.00	-	8.00
	1	MR	3	72.20	-80.00	75.00	N/Q	280	-	395	340	N/Q	5.00	-	10.00
	2	RM	3	110.20	-120.20	115.90	N/Q	449	-	474	463	N/Q	16.00	-	16.00
24.1+	0	1X	3	94.00	-94.00	94.00	N/Q	356	-	356	356	N/Q	5.00	-	5.00
				42.00	120.20	85.73		280		474	387		2.00		16.00
Wether															
0-14	1	RM	2	60.20	-60.20	60.20	N/Q	394	-	394	394	N/Q	5.00	-	5.00
14.1-18	1	RM	2	66.00	-66.00	66.00	N/Q	363	-	363	363	N/Q	8.00	-	8.00
	3	MR	2	67.60	-82.00	73.70	N/Q	337	-	411	379	N/Q	0.00	-	15.00
18.1-24	1	MR	2	82.20	-82.20	82.20	N/Q	380	-	380	380	N/Q	10.00	-	10.00
	2	MR	3	78.00	-98.60	94.90	3	370	-	422	409	37	0.00	-	10.00
	0	1X	3	87.00	-87.00	87.00	N/Q	396	-	396	396	N/Q	0.00	-	0.00
24.1+	0	1X	3	93.20	-93.20	93.20	N/Q	353	-	353	353	N/Q	5.00	-	5.00
				60.20	98.60	79.60		337		422	382		0.00		15.00

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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