

Media Report - Sheep and Lamb

Market information provided by MLA's National Livestock Reporting Service

Cowra

report date 19/01/2022

Yarding	3950	Lambs	3130	Sheep	820	comparison date	12/01/2022
Change	NQ	Change	NQ	Change	NQ		

Numbers lifted slightly this sale and quality was mixed with both finished and plainer lambs penned. Not all the usual buyers were present and competing in a fairly similar market.

Trade weight lambs 20-24kg sold from \$178 to \$218/head. Heavy lambs received from \$218 to \$257/head. Carcase prices averaged from 839c to 880c/kg cwt.

Mutton numbers were limited and quality was mixed. Merino ewes sold from \$95 to \$128/head. Crossbred ewes received from \$115 to \$145 with one exceptional pen reaching \$218.60/head.

Market Reporter; Krystelle Ridley.

[Click here to view the new and improved Prime Sheep Market Reports](#)

Category	Fat Score	\$/Head				Estimated Carcase c/kg		Skin (\$)	
		Low	High	Avg	Change	Avg	Change	Low	High
Lamb									
0-12	1 - 3	47.00	68.00	59.20	N/Q	630	N/Q	1.00	1.00
12.1-16	2 - 4	118.00	173.00	157.90	N/Q	1,044	N/Q	0.00	4.00
16.1-18	2 - 4	170.00	184.00	176.40	N/Q	1,003	N/Q	2.00	4.00
18.1-20	2 - 4	178.00	178.00	178.00	N/Q	875	N/Q	3.00	3.00
20.1-22	2 - 4	178.00	196.00	184.20	N/Q	839	N/Q	3.00	4.00
22.1-24	2 - 4	193.00	218.00	206.20	N/Q	872	N/Q	3.00	4.00
24.1-26	3 - 5	218.00	228.00	221.00	N/Q	865	N/Q	3.00	4.00
26.1-30	3 - 5	257.00	257.00	257.00	N/Q	904	N/Q	4.00	4.00
Hogget									
0-22	2 - 4	130.00	170.00	144.50	N/Q	739	N/Q	3.00	8.00
22.1+	3 - 5	175.00	175.00	175.00	N/Q	717	N/Q	3.00	3.00
Ewe									
0-14	1 - 3	70.00	70.00	70.00	N/Q	479	N/Q	3.00	3.00
14.1-18	1 - 3	90.00	135.00	110.00	N/Q	635	N/Q	3.00	14.00
18.1-24	2 - 4	113.00	145.00	124.50	N/Q	570	N/Q	3.00	10.00
Wether									
14.1-18	1 - 3	103.00	126.00	123.20	N/Q	609	N/Q	8.00	16.00

Abbreviations

RS: Restocker MR: Merino RM: Restocker Merino 1X: 1st Cross FD: Feeder RD: Restocker Dorper PR: Processor

Disclaimer:

© MLA 2022. No part of this publication may be reproduced in any form or by any means without prior written permission of MLA. MLA makes no representations and to the extent permitted by law excludes all warranties in relation to the information contained in this publication. MLA is not liable to you or to any third party for any losses, costs or expenses, including any direct, indirect, incidental, consequential, special or exemplary damages or lost profit, resulting from any use or misuse of the information contained in this publication. Information contained in this publication has been obtained from a variety of third party sources which have not been verified by MLA.