

Detailed Saleyard Report - Sheep and Lamb

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Northern	Tasmania	a Saleyards		MEAT & LIVESTO		mear a Lives to report date	02/02/2021	
Yarding	6246	Lamb	3213	Sheep	3033	comparison date	19/01/2021	
Change	725	Change	779	Change	-54			

There was a larger yarding of 3,213 lambs at Powranna on Tuesday with more shorn pens included but still most in the wool and still in good to very good condition. Most lambs met a fully firm market pushed by regular exporters and wholesalers plus very strong restocker competition mainly in the 18 to 22 kg range. There was a similar number of 3,033 mutton and although extra heavy sheep met a similar market, medium and heavy sheep were \$10 to \$15/head dearer.

Restockers bought light lambs from \$128 to \$150, light trade sold from \$148 to \$173 and trade weights made from \$156 to \$181/head. Processors paid from \$160 to \$180 for light trade whilst the trade weights sold \$160 to \$192, the heavy weights made from \$180 to \$218 and extra heavy pens sold from \$217 to \$230/head for extra heavy pens.

Extra heavy ewes over 30kg made from \$148 to \$164, heavy ewes and wethers sold from \$154 to \$171 and medium weights with big skins sold from \$124 to \$170/head. Restockers paid from \$136 to \$166/head for ewes still suitable as breeders.

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 Lam 0-12	nb												
	0	RS	1 NUNESTO	110.00 -	110.00	110.00	11	917	- 917	917	21	0.00	- 0.00
12.1-16													
	1	PR	2	143.00 -	143.00	143.00	8	1,021	- 1,021	1,022	57	0.00	- 0.00
	4	RS	2	128.00 -	150.00	141.80	-11	960	- 1,046	998	-24	0.00	- 0.00
16.1-18													
	4	RS	3	148.00 -	173.00	158.30	4	856	- 961	905	10	0.00	- 0.00
18.1-20													
	2	PR	3	160.00 -	167.00	164.50	N/Q	800	- 879	841	N/Q	0.00	- 1.00
	8	RS	3	150.00 -	168.00	159.80	3	789	- 879	832	14	0.00	- 1.00
20.1-22													
	4	PR	3	160.00 -	180.00	169.20	N/C	759	- 848	784	-4	0.00	- 2.00
	2	RS	3 NESTO	156.00 -	181.00	170.20	10	743	- 823	800	42	0.00	- 0.00
22.1-24													
	5	PR	3	170.00 -	186.00	178.50	N/C	739	- 800	762	8	0.00	- 2.00
	1	PR	4	190.00 -	192.00	191.00	N/Q	792	- 800	796	N/Q	0.00	- 0.00
24.1-26													
	7	PR	4	180.00 -	206.00	191.90	-5	712	- 824	760	-16	0.00	- 2.00
26.1-30													
	3	PR	4	200.00 -	218.00	205.70	N/C	714		727	-5	0.00	- 0.00
30.1+													
	2	PR	4	217.00 -	230.00	226.20	13	700	- 742	724	56	0.00	- 2.00
				110.00	230.00			700	1,046			0.00	2.00
Ewe													
14.1-18													
	1	PR	2	110.00 -	114.00	111.10	-7	647	- 671	654	-12	0.00	- 0.00
18.1-24													
	18	PR	3	124.00 -	170.00	141.10	16	590	- 726	638	103	0.00	- 20.00
	6	RS	3	136.00 -	166.00	155.00	N/Q	568	- 635	612	N/Q	10.00	- 20.00
24.1-30													
	8	PR	4	154.00 -	169.00	163.90	18	479		598	51	0.00	- 20.00

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				Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High
30.1+													
	4	PR	4	148.00 -	164.00	155.40	1	375	- 513	436	-51	0.00	- 0.00
				110.00	170.00			375	726			0.00	20.00
Wether													
14.1-18													
	0	PR	2	100.00 -	100.00	100.00	N/Q	625	- 625	625	N/Q	0.00	- 0.00
18.1-24													
	1	PR	3	138.00 -	138.00	138.00	8	657	- 657	657	132	0.00	- 0.00
24.1-30													
	3	PR	MEAT & LIVE	171.00 -	171.00	171.00	N/Q	581	- 581	581	N/Q	20.00	- 20.00
				100.00	171.00			581	657			0.00	20.00

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

* N/A indicates the unavailability of support animal assessments at the time of publishing

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