



South Eastern Livestock Exchange

## SELX Market Report Prime Sheep & Lamb – 6<sup>th</sup> June 2018

**Total Yarding:** 15,960

Lamb numbers declined and the quality was mixed. There was a limited supply of well finished trade and heavy lambs and the bulk of the lambs were lacking cover weight and finish. There was a good run of Merino lambs again most were lighter weights.

Light 2 score processing lambs were firm and sold from \$80 to \$119/head. Restocking lambs sold from \$35 to \$115/head. Medium and heavy trade weights \$2 to \$3 cheaper on average but the better end held firm and sold from \$117 to \$148/head. Heavy lambs were \$7 to \$8 cheaper with quality a majority factor and sold between \$142 and \$164/head. Extra heavy lambs reached \$182/head. Carcase prices averaged 570c to 620c/kg cwt. Light Merino trades sold to \$120/head. Hoggets reached \$168/head.

Mutton numbers remained similar for a mixed quality offering with Merinos well supplied along with a few pens of heavy crossbred ewes. Prices were \$2 to \$3 cheaper on the lighter weights and sold from \$69 to \$114/head. The better covered heavy weights were firm reaching \$170/head. Merino wethers sold to \$155.20/head.

**Market Report:** MLA's National Livestock Reporting Service – [CLICK HERE](#) for full MLA report.

Category	Qty	T/A	\$ / Hd
Lambs Merino	1469	Top	\$137.00
		Aver	\$57.10
Lambs XB	3996	Top	\$182.00
		Aver	\$21.31
Hoggets XB	107	Top	\$168.20
		Aver	\$133.05
Wethers Merino	2700	Top	\$155.20
		Aver	\$98.36
Ewes XB	877	Top	\$170.00
		Aver	\$126.66
Ewes Merino	4582	Top	\$142.00
		Aver	\$85.55

### Upcoming Sales at SELX:

- **Prime Sheep & Lambs** – Every Wednesday, 11:00am
- **Prime Cattle** – Every Thursday, 8:00am
- **Goat Sale** – Monday 18<sup>th</sup> June, 12:00pm
- **Store Cattle** – Friday 29<sup>th</sup> June, 10:00am



## Around the Laneways

