



South Eastern Livestock Exchange

**SELX Market Report  
Prime Sheep & Lamb – 26 May 2021**

**Total Yarding: 7,604**

There was a decrease in lamb numbers but the quality was good. Heavy and extra heavy lambs made up the bulk and trade lambs to 24kg were in limited numbers. Store lambs were also limited in numbers. All the usual buyers operated but there were fewer restocking and feeder orders present. The market sold to a cheaper trend of \$2 to \$4/head.

Restocking lambs sold from \$82 to \$177/head. Trade lambs to 24kg were firm to \$2 cheaper and sold from \$165 to \$196/head averaging 780c/kg cwt. The 24 to 26kg lambs sold from \$186 to \$205 averaging 750c/kg cwt and lambs 26 to 30kg made from \$197 to \$225 with extra heavy lambs topping at \$255/head. The best priced Merino hoggets made a top of \$229 and crossbreds reached \$240/head.

Mutton numbers were steady and the quality was mixed. Prices were \$5 to \$9/head cheaper with the exception of the heavy crossbred ewes which remained firm. Medium weight ewes were making from \$122 to \$164/head. Heavy crossbred ewes sold from \$193 to \$243 and Merinos reached \$207/head.

**Market Report:** MLA's National Livestock Reporting Service.

Category	Qty		\$ / Hd
Suckers XB	121	Top	\$165.20
		Aver	\$143.94
Lambs Merino	722	Top	\$164.00
		Aver	\$116.82
Lambs XB	3520	Top	\$255.80
		Aver	\$188.47
Hoggets XB	163	Top	\$240.00
		Aver	\$214.64
Wethers Merino	58	Top	\$229.60
		Aver	\$207.18
Ewes XB	429	Top	\$243.00
		Aver	\$205.69
Ewes Merino	874	Top	\$207.00
		Aver	\$167.88

**Upcoming sales at SELX:**

- Prime Sheep & Lambs - Every Wednesday, 11am
- Prime Cattle - Every Thursday, 8am
- Special Weaner & Store Sale - Friday 28 May, 10am

**Around the Laneways**

