



SELX Market Report

Prime Lamb & Sheep – 22 November 2023

Total Yarding: 16,674

Lamb numbers eased and included around 7000 new season lambs. The quality was back with plenty of store and light trade lambs. Prime trades were limited and there was a very short supply of heavy new season lambs. Old lambs were more trade weights to heavy lambs. There also were plenty of hoggets. The market sold to stronger trends with demand from a larger buying group.

New season store lambs were \$7 to \$8 stronger selling from \$38 to \$86/head. Trade lambs were \$12 to \$13 stronger with heavy trades selling from \$102 to \$113 and the 24 to 26kg lambs \$110 to \$122/head averaging 450c to 470c/kg. Heavy lambs reached \$138/head or around 500c/kg cwt.

Old light trades were \$6 dearer selling from \$26 to \$54/head. Medium and heavy trades were \$7 better and reached \$86/head and heavy weights sold from \$94 to \$138/head and the best hoggets reached \$83/head.

Mutton numbers were also back but prices lifted around \$8 to \$11/head across a large cross section. Heavy Merino ewes sold from \$34 to \$56 and crossbred ewes reached \$73/head. Merino wethers reached \$58/head to return to the paddock.

Market Report: MLA's National Livestock Reporting Service.

Upcoming Sales at SELX

Prime Lamb & Sheep – Every Wednesday, 10am.

Prime Cattle – Every Thursday, 8am.

Special Store & Weaner Cattle – Friday 24th November, 10am – 600 head.

Butt Livestock XB Circuit Sale – Friday 24th November – 19,500 head.

Special 1st X Ewe – Monday 27th November, 10am – 15,500 head.

Special Store Lamb – Friday 1st December, 10am – 12,000 head.

Category	Qty	T/A	\$ / H
Suckers XB	6039	Top	\$138.00
		Ave	\$80.67
Lambs Merino	981	Top	\$94.00
		Ave	\$60.78
Lambs XB	1269	Top	\$138.00
		Ave	\$66.15
Hoggets Merino	606	Top	\$67.00
		Ave	\$42.71
Hoggets XB	603	Top	\$83.00
		Ave	\$58.64
Wethers Merino	1824	Top	\$58.00
		Ave	\$44.43
Ewes Merino	2920	Top	\$56.00
		Ave	\$37.86
Ewes XB	907	Top	\$73.00
		Ave	\$40.64

Around the Yards

