



RLX Market Report

SELX Prime Sheep and Lamb Sale – Wednesday 14th August 2024

Total Yarding: 6363 (-1487) | Sheep Yarding: 3200 (-650) | Lamb Yarding: 3163 (-837)

Lamb numbers eased and the quality was again plain with a vert wintery yarding. There were plenty of 1 and 2 score light lambs on offer and only a limited number of prime trade and heavy weights. There were a couple of pens of very heavy new season lambs and several big lines of shorn Merino hoggets. The market sold to stronger trends on the lighter weights and lifted \$5 to \$10 while the few prime trade and heavy weights were firm to \$4 stronger.

The new season lambs sold from \$220 to \$235/head. The light 2 score lambs to 18kg sold from \$76 to \$140/head. The trade weight lambs to 24kg ranged from \$128 to \$196/head with most averaging between 760c and 810c/kg. Heavy weights sold to \$219/head. Merino trades ranged from \$154 to \$166/head or 660c to 720c/kg. The light 1 score hoggets sold from \$24 to \$56/head.

Mutton numbers eased and the quality was very mixed. Prices were stronger on the light weights and firm to \$4 cheaper on the heavy mutton. Light ewes sold from \$30 to \$66 and heavy crossbred ewes \$96 to \$141/head. Merinos reached \$146/head and the better end averaged from 350c to 380c/kg.

Cat.	Qty	T/A	\$/ph
Lambs	3,092	Top	\$210
		Ave	\$114
Ewes	1,635	Top	\$146
		Ave	\$71
Wethers	503	Top	\$141
		Ave	\$75

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