Wool Weekly



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WOOL MARKET MOVEMENTS	AWEX WEEKLY WOOL PRICES						3441.1	
High clearance rates across all sectors in all centres as the EMI	Regional		Wkly	l	Wkly		Wkly	
rose 23 cents to 1,151 c/kg clean. Gains in the Merino fleece and Merino skirtings sectors, especially on Tuesday, underpinned the	Indicator	North	Chg	South	Chg	West	Chg	
higher EMI. The national offering was 38,447 bales topped up	c/kg clean	1190	+23	1125	+23	1294	+27	
with a further 1,758 bales from New Zealand. The national pass in				PRICE G				
rate fell 3.2% to 5.7%. Next week's sales currently have 45,915	16.5	1842n	+10	1832	+37	-	-	
bales rostered across the three centres.	17	1747	+40	1736	+51	-	-	
Sydney's Merino fleece sector opened strongly on Tuesday and	17.5	1655	+37	1648	+30	-	-	
continued in that vein. All MPGs rose (10 to 41 cents) as well-	18	1560	+38	1563	+38	1559n	+29	
prepared lots with high strength (>40 N/ktex) were keenly sought on both sale days and buyers hunted fine (<18.0 µm), stylish (MF3	18.5	1498	+54	1487	+41	1493	+36	
& MF4) lots with low (20%) CVH on Wednesday. Well prepared	19	1426	+35	1425	+37	1426	+32	
Merino skirtings jumped up to 50 cents on Tuesday despite	19.5	1378	+37	1381	+36	1387	+34	
penalties for faulty lots (50 to 100 cents). These discounts	20	1329n	+27	1336	+25	1366	+41	
continued on Wednesday although prices for other lots were	21	-	-	1324	+26	1335n	+36	
relatively stable. Crossbreds were firm on Tuesday and	22	-	-	-	-	-	-	
unchanged on Wednesday. Oddments maintained their ground although VM levels did affect the value of locks. The Northern	23	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Regional Indicator jumped 23 cents to 1,190 c/kg clean, the	24	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Northern Merino Carding Indicator slipped 3 cents to 692 c/kg	25	-	-	-	-	-	-	
clean. The Sydney pass in rate was 4.4% with 113 bales	26	-	-	571	-9	-	-	
withdrawn.	28	350n	0	355	-5	-	-	
$\bullet~$ Finer (<18.0 $\mu m)$ Merino fleece lots with low CVH attracted keen	30	-	-	333	0	-	-	
competition in Melbourne as the sector trended upwards	32 MC	-	- -3	310	0	-	1	
towards days end. Wednesday continued in the same vein, after a somewhat slow start. Well measured, fine (<18.0 μm), stylish		692n		693	+9	698n	+4	
(MF4), Non Mulesed lots lifted up to 20 cents. All types and descriptions of Merino skirtings lifted on Tuesday, although the	AWEX EMI 2020/21 & 2021/22 Seasons vs Current Currently: 1151 c/kg clean							
sector lost some steam towards week's end. Well-prepared crossbred lots were unchanged with minor price movements in some MPGs. Oddments lifted with good demand across the offering on Tuesday, with the sector slipping a little on	EMI 21/22 EMI 22/23 EMI 23/24 1700 1600 1500 1400							
Wednesday. The Southern Regional Indicator lifted 23 cents to 1,125 c/kg clean and the Southern Merino Carding Indicator rose 9 cents to 693 c/kg clean. The Melbourne pass in rate was 6.7% with 2,121 bales withdrawn.	1300 1200 1100 1000							
 Fremantle's Merino fleece sector lifted in line with the eastern centres with all MPGs rising between 29 and 41 cents this week. Finer (<18.5 μm) Merino skirtings with low (<3%) VM gained up to 15 cents on Tuesday and a further 5 to 10 cents on Wednesday. 		Oct -	Dec -	Jan - Feb -	Mar - Apr -	May -	900	
Oddments maintained last weeks level, although locks did gain UPCOMING AUCTION VOLUMES								
some ground. The Western Regional Indicator gained 27 cents to	21/11/2023 28/11/2023 5/12/2023						2023	
1,294 c/kg clean with the Western Merino Carding Indicator up 4	Northern	S2	1	S2	2	S2	23	
cents to 698 c/kg clean. The Fremantle pass in rate was 4.1% with 419 bales withdrawn.	Sydney	11,239		10,693		n/a		
THIS WEEK'S SALES STATISTICS	Southern	M21 M22		M23				
Centre Bales Bales Pass in Originally Offered Sold Rate	Melbourne	26,7	15	23,4	23,445 n/a		a	
Northern 10,500 10,717 10,248 4.4%	Western	F2	1	F2	2	F2	23	
Southern 23,305 22,077 20,597 6.7%	_							
Western 7,500 5,653 5,422 4.1%	Fremantle	7,961		7,225		n/a		
TOTAL 41,305 38,447 36,267 5.7%	Total	45,915		41,363		n/	n/a	

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Average Nth-Sth MPG's as reported on 15 Nov 2023

