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Final Wool Sales Report and Price Summary

Auction Date:

13/10/1999

Catalogue:

MM07

Analysis of Offerings		
Class	Bales	% Sold
Merino Fleeces	4 395	95.9
Merino Bellies	603	98.3
Merino Lambs	625	92.8
Merino Locks	767	98.3
Other	2 532	98.5
Total	8 922	96.8

Composition of Fleece Wool Offerings	
Description	%
Long Wool	63.0
Medium Wool	32.8
Short Wool and Locks	4.2
Fine Wool (<20µ)	8.1
Medium Wool(20-22µ)	46.2
Strong Wool(22-24µ)	41.6
Overstrong (24.1-27µ)	4.2

Offerings per Port			
Port	Bales Offered	Bales Sold	%
Cape Town	2 675	2 666	99.7
Durban	743	741	99.7
Port Elizabeth	5 504	5 230	95.0
Total	8 922	8 637	96.8

Main Buyers			
Buyers	Bales	Buyers	Bales
Stucken	2 581	Beier Fin	545
Cape Tops	1 730	ADF	504
United Wool	1 470	Fibres Int	88
G Modiano	845	CPC	40
STD Wool	834		

Average Prices and Price Movements

Good Qualities			
Description		This Week (c/kg clean)	% Change from previous Auction
Long Merino Fleeces (65-95mm) Good Topmaker's and Spinners Styles	<18.7µ	4 943	0.0
	18.8-19.2µ	3 798	0.0
	19.3-19.7µ	3 217	-2.7
	19.8-20.2µ	2 572	-0.7
	20.3-20.7µ	2 212	2.3
	20.8-21.2µ	1 944	-0.4
	21.3-21.7µ	1 796	1.6
	21.8-22.2µ	1 714	2.7
	22.3-22.7µ	1 640	2.2
	22.8-23.2µ	1 557	1.3
	23.3-23.7µ	1 537	1.3
	23.8-24.2µ	1 542	2.2
	24.3-24.7µ	1 501	0.7
	24.7-25.2µ	1 519	0.0
25.3-25.7µ	1 482	0.0	
>25.7µ	0	0.0	

Average to Inferior Qualities			
Description		This Week (c/kg clean)	% Change from previous Auction
Long Merino Fleeces (65-95mm) Average to Inferior Styles	<18.7µ	13 056	0.0
	18.8-19.2µ	0	0.0
	19.3-19.7µ	3 236	0.0
	19.8-20.2µ	2 486	0.0
	20.3-20.7µ	2 062	0.0
	20.8-21.2µ	1 824	4.4
	21.3-21.7µ	1 733	2.2
	21.8-22.2µ	1 602	2.9
	22.3-22.7µ	1 578	2.7
	22.8-23.2µ	1 521	0.7
	23.3-23.7µ	1 489	0.0
	23.8-24.2µ	1 496	0.0
	24.3-24.7µ	1 492	0.0
	24.7-25.2µ	0	0.0
25.3-25.7µ	0	0.0	
>25.7µ	1 487	0.0	

Long Lambs (19µ)	3 627	0.0
Long Lambs (20µ)	2 579	0.0
Medium Lambs (19µ)	3 048	0.0
Medium Lambs (20µ)	2 106	0.0
Long Bellies (20µ)	2 006	0.0
Long Bellies (21µ)	1 694	0.0
Medium Bellies (20µ)	2 100	0.0
Medium Bellies (21µ)	1 543	0.0
Long Locks (Good Color)	1 241	-0.3

Long Lambs (19µ)	3 219	0.0
Long Lambs (20µ)	2 281	0.0
Medium Lambs (19µ)	2 723	0.0
Medium Lambs (20µ)	1 862	0.0
Long Bellies (20µ)	1 843	0.0
Long Bellies (21µ)	1 634	0.0
Medium Bellies (20µ)	1 609	-11.1
Medium Bellies (21µ)	1 571	1.8
Long Stained Locks	878	0.0

Receipts (kg) to 08/10/1999	
Season to Date	14 580 368.3
Previous Season to date	16 836 905.5
% Difference	-13.4
Next Auction	20/10/1999
Offering (Bales)	± 10 000

Other Indicators			
Overall Market Indicator		1750	2.3
AWEX EMI		551	0.9
R/US Dollar		6.065	1.3
R/A Dollar		3.9809	0.6