



## Final Wool Sales Report and Price Summary

Auction Date:

24/01/2001

Catalogue:

MN18

| Analysis of Offerings |               |             |
|-----------------------|---------------|-------------|
| Class                 | Bales         | % Sold      |
| Merino Fleeces        | 4 940         | 99.2        |
| Merino Bellies        | 765           | 99.7        |
| Merino Lambs          | 681           | 96.3        |
| Merino Locks          | 897           | 99.1        |
| Other                 | 3 504         | 95.5        |
| <b>Total</b>          | <b>10 787</b> | <b>97.9</b> |

| Offerings per Port |               |               |             |
|--------------------|---------------|---------------|-------------|
| Port               | Bales Offered | Bales Sold    | %           |
| Cape Town          | 0             | 0             | 0.0         |
| Durban             | 5395          | 5 243         | 97.2        |
| Port Elizabeth     | 5392          | 5 313         | 98.5        |
| <b>Total</b>       | <b>10787</b>  | <b>10 556</b> | <b>97.9</b> |

| Composition of Fleece Wool Offerings |      |
|--------------------------------------|------|
| Description                          | %    |
| Long Wool                            | 47.1 |
| Medium Wool                          | 48.7 |
| Short Wool and Locks                 | 4.2  |
| Fine Wool (<20µ)                     | 13.5 |
| Medium Wool(20-22µ)                  | 51.5 |
| Strong Wool(22-24µ)                  | 32.4 |
| Overstrong (24.1-27µ)                | 2.6  |

| Main Buyers |       |            |       |
|-------------|-------|------------|-------|
| Buyers      | Bales | Buyers     | Bales |
| Cape Tops   | 3 343 | G Modiano  | 397   |
| Stucken     | 2 692 | STD Wool   | 353   |
| United Wool | 1 920 | Fibres Int | 314   |
| Beier Fin   | 765   | CPC        | 0     |
| ADF         | 762   |            |       |

## 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                 | 8 281                          | 10.3 |
|   | 18.8-19.2µ             | 6 078                          | 5.0  |
|   | 19.3-19.7µ             | 4 837                          | 5.7  |
|   | 19.8-20.2µ             | 3 921                          | 5.0  |
|   | 20.3-20.7µ             | 3 225                          | 3.1  |
|   | 20.8-21.2µ             | 2 979                          | 2.2  |
|   | 21.3-21.7µ             | 2 827                          | 3.0  |
|   | 21.8-22.2µ             | 2 745                          | 3.4  |
|   | 22.3-22.7µ             | 2 659                          | 3.3  |
|   | 22.8-23.2µ             | 2 603                          | 4.0  |
|   | 23.3-23.7µ             | 2 521                          | 3.2  |
|   | 23.8-24.2µ             | 2 532                          | 4.0  |
|   | 24.3-24.7µ             | 2 513                          | 3.5  |
|   | 24.7-25.2µ             | 2 427                          | 0.0  |
| 25.3-25.7µ  | 2 367                  | 0.0                            |      |
| >25.7µ  | 2 288                  | 0.0                            |      |
| Long Lambs (19µ)  | 6 025                  | 0.0                            |      |
| Long Lambs (20µ)  | 3 604                  | 0.0                            |      |
| Medium Lambs (19µ)  | 4 552                  | 2.8                            |      |
| Medium Lambs (20µ)  | 3 165                  | 0.0                            |      |
| Long Bellies (20µ)  | 2 803                  | 0.0                            |      |
| Long Bellies (21µ)  | 0                      | 0.0                            |      |
| Medium Bellies (20µ)  | 2 935                  | 0.0                            |      |
| Medium Bellies (21µ)  | 2 580                  | 0.0                            |      |
| Long Locks (Good Color)   | 1 679                  | -2.9                           |      |

| 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                 | 6 917                          | 0.0 |
|  | 18.8-19.2µ             | 5 735                          | 0.0 |
|  | 19.3-19.7µ             | 5 007                          | 0.0 |
|  | 19.8-20.2µ             | 3 859                          | 0.0 |
|  | 20.3-20.7µ             | 3 038                          | 0.9 |
|  | 20.8-21.2µ             | 2 810                          | 1.8 |
|  | 21.3-21.7µ             | 2 775                          | 5.3 |
|  | 21.8-22.2µ             | 2 697                          | 6.0 |
|  | 22.3-22.7µ             | 2 612                          | 6.6 |
|  | 22.8-23.2µ             | 2 520                          | 4.6 |
|  | 23.3-23.7µ             | 2 316                          | 0.0 |
|  | 23.8-24.2µ             | 2 303                          | 0.0 |
|  | 24.3-24.7µ             | 2 513                          | 0.0 |
|  | 24.7-25.2µ             | 0                              | 0.0 |
| 25.3-25.7µ   | 0                      | 0.0                            |     |
| >25.7µ   | 0                      | 0.0                            |     |
| Long Lambs (19µ)   | 6 119                  | 0.0                            |     |
| Long Lambs (20µ)   | 0                      | 0.0                            |     |
| Medium Lambs (19µ)                                       | 4 613                  | 0.0                            |     |
| Medium Lambs (20µ)                                       | 2 878                  | 0.0                            |     |
| Long Bellies (20µ)                                       | 3 119                  | 0.0                            |     |
| Long Bellies (21µ)                                       | 2 571                  | 0.0                            |     |
| Medium Bellies (20µ)                                     | 3 038                  | 4.2                            |     |
| Medium Bellies (21µ)                                     | 2 432                  | -0.2                           |     |
| Long Stained Locks                                       | 1 484                  | 0.0                            |     |

| Receipts (kg) to 22/01/2001 |              |
|-----------------------------|--------------|
| Season to Date              | 28 103 047.0 |
| Previous Season to date     | 30 198 533.8 |
| % Difference                | -6.9         |
| Next Auction                | 31/01/2001   |
| Offering (Bales)            | ±10 000      |

| Other Indicators         |        |      |
|--------------------------|--------|------|
| Overall Market Indicator | 2526   | 4.4  |
| AWEX EMI                 | 771    | 1.9  |
| R/US Dollar              | 7.8425 | -0.9 |
| R/A Dollar               | 4.3253 | -0.4 |