

# CAPE WOOLS SA

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## Final Wool Sales Report and Price Summary

Auction Date:

09/08/1998

Catalogue:

MK02

Analysis of Offerings		
Class	Bales	% Sold
Merino Fleeces	7 077	90.3
Merino Bellies	1 061	95.1
Merino Lambs	1 192	94.3
Merino Locks	1 086	94.0
Other	1 752	92.5
<b>Total</b>	<b>12 168</b>	<b>91.8</b>

Composition of Fleece Wool Offerings	
Description	%
Long Wool	61.7
Medium Wool	33.1
Short Wool and Locks	5.3
Fine Wool (<20µ)	3.5
Medium Wool(20-22µ)	39.1
Strong Wool(22-24µ)	48.7
Overstrong (24.1-27µ)	8.8

Offerings per Port			
Port	Bales Offered	Bales Sold	%
Cape Town	3 446	3 383	98.2
Durban	692	613	88.6
Port Elizabeth	8 030	7 171	88.7
<b>Total</b>	<b>12 168</b>	<b>11 167</b>	<b>91.6</b>

Main Buyers			
Buyers	Bales	Buyers	Bales
Stucken	2 744	ADF	995
G Modiano	2 380	Beier Fin	823
United Wool	1 457	Fibres Int	266
STD Wool	1 330	CPC	73
Cape Tops	1 099		

### 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	3 319	0.0
	18.8-19.2µ	2 943	0.0
	19.3-19.7µ	2 659	0.0
	19.8-20.2µ	2 320	-3.0
	20.3-20.7µ	2 002	-10.6
	20.8-21.2µ	1 886	-9.5
	21.3-21.7µ	1 833	-10.5
	21.8-22.2µ	1 793	-10.4
	22.3-22.7µ	1 772	-8.9
	22.8-23.2µ	1 744	-9.8
	23.3-23.7µ	1 723	-8.4
	23.8-24.2µ	1 699	-8.6
	24.3-24.7µ	1 643	-9.9
	24.7-25.2µ	1 633	-8.0
25.3-25.7µ	1 597	-8.9	
>25.7µ	1 600	-6.3	
Long Lambs (19µ)		2 933	0.0
Long Lambs (20µ)		2 345	-1.7
Medium Lambs (19µ)		2 179	-2.9
Medium Lambs (20µ)		1 794	-6.9
Long Bellies (20µ)		1 905	0.0
Long Bellies (21µ)		1 799	0.0
Medium Bellies (20µ)		1 508	0.0
Medium Bellies (21µ)		1 677	-5.0
Long Locks (Good Color)		970	-23.2

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	2 622	0.0
	18.8-19.2µ	2 867	0.0
	19.3-19.7µ	2 624	0.0
	19.8-20.2µ	2 178	0.0
	20.3-20.7µ	2 016	0.0
	20.8-21.2µ	1 834	-7.1
	21.3-21.7µ	1 764	-7.2
	21.8-22.2µ	1 748	-7.1
	22.3-22.7µ	1 725	-9.4
	22.8-23.2µ	1 713	-10.2
	23.3-23.7µ	1 662	-7.4
	23.8-24.2µ	1 604	0.0
	24.3-24.7µ	1 584	-9.1
	24.7-25.2µ	1 514	0.0
25.3-25.7µ	0	0.0	
>25.7µ	0	0.0	
Long Lambs (19µ)		2 687	0.0
Long Lambs (20µ)		2 141	0.0
Medium Lambs (19µ)		2 076	0.0
Medium Lambs (20µ)		1 733	-7.9
Long Bellies (20µ)		1 815	0.0
Long Bellies (21µ)		1 718	-12.2
Medium Bellies (20µ)		1 784	0.0
Medium Bellies (21µ)		1 655	-2.4
Long Stained Locks		961	0.0

Receipts (kg) to 04/09/1998	
Season to Date	7 720 333.7
Previous Season to date	8 171 646.2
% Difference	-5.5
Next Auction	16/09/1998
Offering (Bales)	± 10 000

Other Indicators			
<b>Overall Market Indicator</b>		<b>1741</b>	<b>-7.1</b>
AWEX EMI		495	-6.6
R/US Dollar		6.2700	-0.3
R/A Dollar		3.1888	3.0