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Final Wool Sales Report and Price Summary

Auction Date:

14/10/1998

Catalogue:

MK07

Analysis of Offerings		
Class	Bales	% Sold
Merino Fleeces	5 813	89.0
Merino Bellies	893	98.3
Merino Lambs	910	87.7
Merino Locks	941	97.6
Other	2 791	90.0
Total	11 348	90.6

Composition of Fleece Wool Offerings	
Description	%
Long Wool	62.6
Medium Wool	33.8
Short Wool and Locks	3.6
Fine Wool (<20µ)	3.8
Medium Wool(20-22µ)	46.1
Strong Wool(22-24µ)	46.6
Overstrong (24.1-27µ)	3.6

Offerings per Port			
Port	Bales Offered	Bales Sold	%
Cape Town	2916	2 862	98.1
Durban	981	881	89.8
Port Elizabeth	7451	6 536	86.6
Total	11348	10 279	90.2

Main Buyers			
Buyers	Bales	Buyers	Bales
Stucken	2 444	G Modiano	845
Cape Tops	2 133	ADF	439
United Wool	2 043	Fibres Int	307
Beier Fin	1 153	CPC	0
STD Wool	915		

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	0	0.0
	18.8-19.2µ	2 369	0.0
	19.3-19.7µ	2 292	0.0
	19.8-20.2µ	1 881	-11.8
	20.3-20.7µ	1 743	-8.0
	20.8-21.2µ	1 644	-6.4
	21.3-21.7µ	1 605	-5.3
	21.8-22.2µ	1 567	-6.6
	22.3-22.7µ	1 556	-5.9
	22.8-23.2µ	1 541	-5.3
	23.3-23.7µ	1 528	-3.8
	23.8-24.2µ	1 507	-4.8
	24.3-24.7µ	1 494	-3.6
	24.7-25.2µ	1 504	0.0
	25.3-25.7µ	1 450	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	0	0.0
	18.8-19.2µ	2 363	0.0
	19.3-19.7µ	1 982	0.0
	19.8-20.2µ	1 815	0.0
	20.3-20.7µ	1 655	0.2
	20.8-21.2µ	1 527	-6.4
	21.3-21.7µ	1 518	-5.0
	21.8-22.2µ	1 518	-5.3
	22.3-22.7µ	1 482	-5.3
	22.8-23.2µ	1 493	-1.8
	23.3-23.7µ	1 516	1.8
	23.8-24.2µ	1 460	-4.4
	24.3-24.7µ	0	0.0
	24.7-25.2µ	1 491	0.0
	25.3-25.7µ	1 461	0.0
>25.7µ	1 414	0.0	

Long Lambs (19µ)	2 502	0.4
Long Lambs (20µ)	1 923	-3.5
Medium Lambs (19µ)	2 182	0.0
Medium Lambs (20µ)	1 579	0.0
Long Bellies (20µ)	1 793	0.0
Long Bellies (21µ)	1 613	-2.5
Medium Bellies (20µ)	1 627	0.0
Medium Bellies (21µ)	1 492	0.2
Long Locks (Good Color)	989	1.2

Long Lambs (19µ)	0	0.0
Long Lambs (20µ)	1 768	0.0
Medium Lambs (19µ)	2 114	0.0
Medium Lambs (20µ)	0	0.0
Long Bellies (20µ)	1 737	0.0
Long Bellies (21µ)	1 552	0.7
Medium Bellies (20µ)	1 595	0.0
Medium Bellies (21µ)	1 388	-9.5
Long Stained Locks	743	0.0

Receipts (kg) to 09/10/1998	
Season to Date	16 836 905.5
Previous Season to date	16 329 477.9
% Difference	3.1
Next Auction	21/10/1998
Offering (Bales)	± 9 000

Other Indicators			
Overall Market Indicator		1562	-4.5
AWEX EMI		446	-5.9
R/US Dollar		5.8150	-2.8
R/A Dollar		3.1289	-4.5