



**Weekly
Market
Report**

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Auction Date		10-Jun-98		Cat: MJ33		Week: 33		
Micron Category	Weighted Clean Price (c/kg)						Sales	
	Long Fleeces (60 - 95mm)		Medium Fleeces (40 - 60mm)		Short Fleeces (<40mm)			
	This Week	% Change from Prev. Auction	This Week	% Change from Prev. Auction	This Week	% Change from Prev. Auction		
18.6-19.5	2 351	-6.6	1 861	NQ	-	-	180	90.0
19.6-20.5	2 131	-6.0	1 706	-5.3	-	-	517	84.5
20.6-21.5	1 915	-4.1	1 686	-3.3	-	-	1 411	89.1
21.6-22.5	1 772	-4.7	1 619	-3.9	-	-	2 232	87.9
22.6-23.5	1 716	-3.9	1 573	-4.8	-	-	1 539	94.3
23.6-24.5	1 684	-2.6	1 512	-2.3	-	-	614	88.4
24.6-25.5	1 633	-0.9	1 522	0.8	-	-	114	81.6
>25.5	1 564	-4.1	1 410	-9.5	-	-	24	79.2
Merino Bellies					1 357	-10.7	1 104	86.3
Merino Lambs					1 800	-8.5	1 469	79.4
Merino Locks					853	-3.8	1 184	92.3
Other White Wools					1 196	NQ	1 439	77.8
Ciskei/Transkei					786	1.2	687	75.0
Lesotho					1 199	NQ	319	99.1
Coarse & Coloured					785	3.6	1 671	79.7
Total							14 504	85.6

Main Buyers	Bales
Cape Tops	2 133
Beier Wool	1 948
Stucken	1 908
Standard Wool	1 527
United Wool	1 437
Fibres Int	1 195

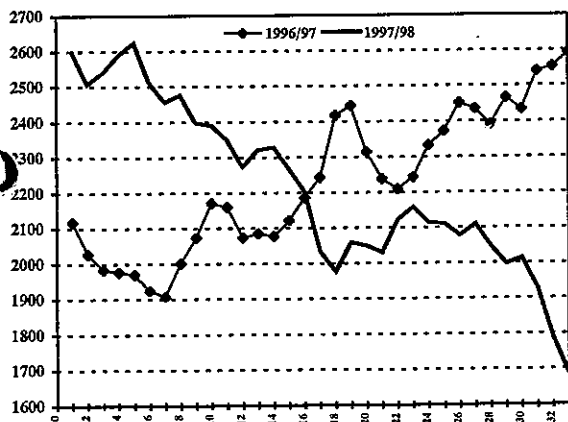
Overall Merino Market Indicator

This Auction	Previous Auction	% Change from Prev. Auction	Highest This Season	Lowest This Season	Average Last Season
1 686	1 789	-5.8	2 624	1 686	2 228

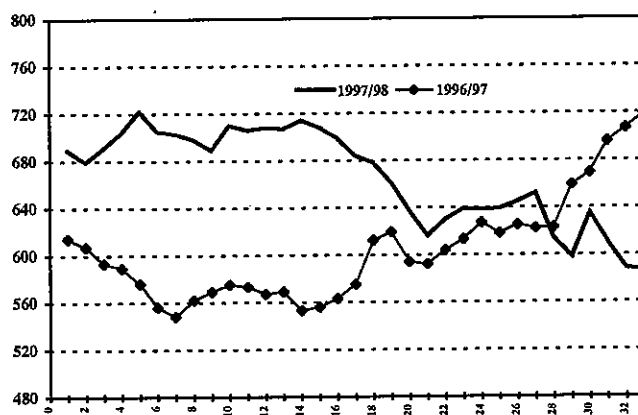
Australian Market

EMI This Week	EMI Last Auction
587	588

SA Indicator South Africa



EMI Australia



Exchange Rates (R1=)	This Week	Last Auction	% Change
US\$	0.1928	0.1957	-1.5
AS	0.3305	0.3180	3.9
Sterling	0.1178	0.1199	-1.7
DM	0.3445	0.3477	-0.9
FF	1.1551	1.1658	-0.9
ITL	339.44	342.57	-0.9
WTI	98.27	99.20	-0.9

Receipts (Kg) to 29/05/1998

Season to date	49 720 363.4
Previous Season to date	53 318 626.7
% Difference	-6.7