



**Weekly  
Market  
Report**

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Auction Date		11-Jun-97		Catalogue:		33		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	Bales Offered	% Sold	
<19.5	3 411	2.5	2 993	-0.6	-	-	235	97.0	
19.6-20.5	3 134	-0.2	2 517	-5.4	-	-	459	95.4	
20.6-21.5	3 066	2.2	2 343	-3.4	2 022	-	1 272	97.3	
21.6-22.5	2 644	-0.2	2 211	0.1	1 978	-	1 791	96.8	
22.6-23.5	2 221	3.0	2 013	0.0	1 877	-	1 363	99.2	
23.6-24.5	2 041	2.3	1 896	-1.1	-	-	694	98.6	
24.6-25.5	1 967	2.3	1 872	0.7	-	-	268	98.1	
>25.5	1 941	0.9	1 851	3.4	-	-	111	100.0	
<b>Merino Bellies</b>					2 065	1.1	1 316	97.7	
<b>Merino Lambs</b>					2 575	-2.7	1 107	97.7	
<b>Merino Locks</b>					1 448	-1.2	1 030	99.3	
<b>Other White Wools</b>					1 800	-4.4	1 224	97.6	
<b>Ciskei/Transkei</b>					1 110	-7.3	256	90.6	
<b>Lesotho</b>					2 127	-2.1	601	96.8	
<b>Coarse &amp; Coloured</b>					1 190	1.0	1 272	92.6	
<b>Total</b>							12 999	97.1	

Main Buyers	Bales
Stucken	3 639
Cape Tops	1 964
Beler Wool	1 604
A.D.F.	1 394
Standard Wool	1 314
Modiano	1 166

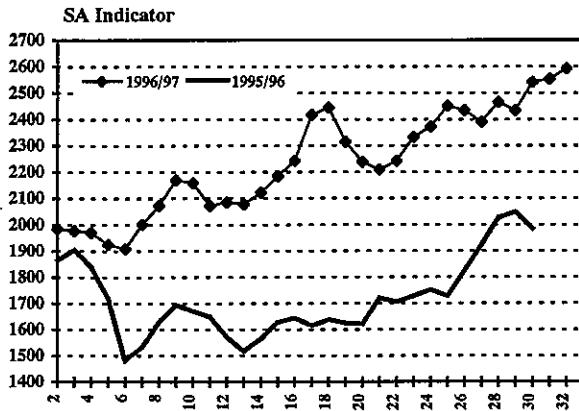
**Overall Merino Market Indicator**

This Week	Previous Auction	% Change from Prev. Auction	Highest This Season	Lowest This Season	Average Last Season
2 591	2 553	1.5	2 591	1 908	1 729

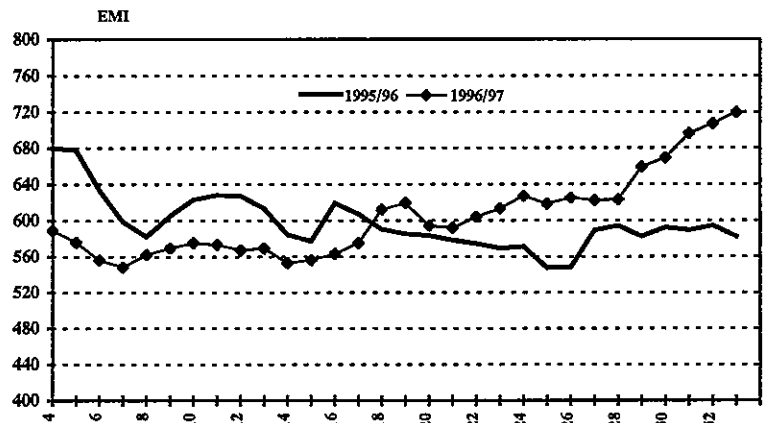
**Australian Market**

EMI This Week	EMI Last Auction
719	707

**South Africa**



**Australia**



Exchange Rates (R1=)	This Week	Last Auction	% Change
US\$	0.2224	0.2238	-0.6
A\$	0.2926	0.2943	-0.6
Sterling	0.1355	0.1370	-1.1
DM	0.3808	0.3875	-1.7
FF	1.2868	1.3066	-1.5
ITL	375.40	380.89	-1.4
WTI	108.16	109.97	-1.6

Receipts (Kg) to 30/05/97	
Season to date	53 289 157.2
Previous Season to date	57 777 610.0
% Difference	-7.8