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AWIS WOOL MARKET REVIEW

Week Ending 9 July 2021 (Week 01)

The AWEX EMI finished at 1420ϕ , 3ϕ lower (-0.2%) in Australian currency and 11ϕ lower (-1.0%) in US currency at sales in Sydney, Melbourne and Fremantle in the first sale of the new season.

51,260 bales were on offer nationally, compared with 42,847 bales last sale and 30,821 bales in Week 01 last year. 12.6% of the offering was passed in after 3.6% of the potential offering was withdrawn prior to sale. 44,819 bales were sold, which was 53.2% greater than in 2019/20

AWEX reports that the value of the wool sold was \$75.7 million (\$1,689 per bale).

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	Day-to-Day and Sale-to-Sale Changes in AWEX Regional Indicators (Week 01)								
Centre	La	st Sale	Day-to	Day-to-Day Changes (Week 01)			Closing	Sale-to-Sa	le Changes
	Week	Indicator	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Change	Indicator	US ¢	Euro ¢
Eastern	53	1423	-14	+4	+7	-3 (-0.2%)	1420	-11	-2
Northern	53	1522	-15	+3	No Sale	-12 (-0.8%)	1510	-18	-8
Southern	53	1361	-13	+4	+11	+2 (+0.1%)	1363	-6	+1
Western	53	1440	-5	+7	No Sale	+2 (+0.1%)	1442	-7	+1

The market eased on Tuesday before moving back up slightly on Wednesday and then closing the week on a positive note on Thursday when Melbourne was the only seller. The closing EMI was 27.2% higher than in the first sale of the previous season.

Price movements across the micron ranges differed from what was seen through most of the 2020/21 season when falls were experienced at the fine end this week. They were greatest at 16.5 microns, but progressively eased as Fibre Diameter increased and turned to price gains from 18.5 microns and greater.

Crossbreds eased across all micron ranges.

The US Exchange Rate finished 0.58¢ (-0.8%) lower to close at 74.60¢ on Thursday.

In the usual pattern, buyers for China were dominant, with support from buyers for Europe and India.

Looking ahead, Week 02's sale will be the last before the three week mid-year break in sales. 51,300 bales are currently expected to be offered, 45.6% more than in the same week last year; and taking the expected two week difference from last year to +55.2%.

In other countries, sales in South Africa are in recess until August.

Differences in AWEX MPGs	18.5 and 22.0	18.0 and 22.0	17.5 and 22.0	17.0 and 22.0	16.5 and 22.0
North	No 22.0μ MPG				
South	692¢	875¢	1090¢	1290¢	1541¢

Market Indicators		Changes From					
Week 01		Four Sales Ago	Start of	Week 01	Season Average to		
		Week 50	the Season	Last Year	Week 01 Last Year		
Eastern Market Indicator	1420	+27 (+1.9%)	0 (0.0%)	+304 (+27.2%)	+304 (+27.2%)		
Western Market Indicator	1442	No Sale	0 (0.0%)	+257 (+21.7%)	+257 (+21.7%)		

		Sa	ale-to-Sale	Changes in	Average A	WEX Meri	no Micron	Price Guide	es (MPGs)			
Micron	16.5	17.0	17.5	18.0	18.5	19.0	19.5	20.0	21.0	22.0	23.0	24.0
Since Last Sa	le											
Change ¢	-57	-32	-19	-32	+30	+3	+1	+17	+36			
Change %	-2.0%	-1.2%	-0.8%	-1.5%	+1.6%	+0.2%	+0.1%	+1.2%	+2.8%			
Since Start of	the Seasor	1										
Change ¢	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Change %	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%		
Since Week (01 Last Yea	ır										
Change ¢	+1059	+938	+838	+712	+611	+470	+353	+223	+136			
Change %	+62.4%	+58.9%	+56.1%	+50.5%	+45.6%	+36.6%	+28.4%	+18.2%	+11.4%			

Sale	Sale-to-Sale Changes in Other Average AWEX Price Guides							
Micron	25.0	26.0	28.0	30.0	32.0	MC		
Since Last Sale								
Change ¢			-27	-6	-24	+2		
Change %			-5.5%	-1.5%	-8.9%	+0.2%		
Since Start of	the Seas	on						
Change ¢			0	0	0	0		
Change %			0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%		
Since Week 01 Last Year								
Change ¢			-96	-71	-23	+155		
Change %			-17.0%	-15.2%	-8.6%	+19.1%		

MC Average Merino Cardings Price Guide

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The following tables show the details of this week's sale offering; the expected offerings over the next three sales; the changes in Exchange Rates since the previous sale; and highlights from the May ABS export data.

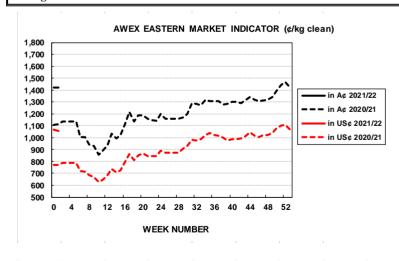
Details of	Details of this Week's Offering and the Comparison with the Previous Sale's Offering								
Centre	Last Sale		This Sale						
	Offering	Offering	Passed-In	Withdrawn Before Sale	Re- Offered	Bales Sold			
North	10,652	16,212	14.1%	3.3%	5.1%	13,923			
South	20,904	23,627	10.4%	3.3%	5.6%	21,175			
West	11,291	11,421	14.9%	4.5%	6.2%	9,721			
Australia	42,847	51,260	12.6%	3.6%	5.6%	44,819			

Progressive Changes from Last Year							
All B	1 st Time Bales						
Bales	%	%					
+6,284	+63.3%	+61.6%					
+9,836	+71.3%	+82.7%					
+4,319	+60.8%	+72.5%					
+20,439	+66.3%	+73.2%					

	Next Sale Offerings and Year-on-Year Differences							
Centre	Week 02	Week 03	Week 04	Differences				
North	18,149	No Sale	No Sale	+61.0%				
South	23,295	No Sale	No Sale	+18.4%				
West	9,883	No Sale	No Sale	+129.5%				
New Zealand								
Australia	51,327			51,327				
Differences	+45.6%			+45.6%				

Exchange Rates	Last		Day-to-Day Changes			Sale-to-Sale	Closing	Season Mi	n & Max	
(Reserve Bank)	Sale	Fri	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thur	Change	Value	Min	Max
United States	75.18	-0.52	+0.47	+0.65	-0.74	-0.44	-0.58 (-0.8%)	74.60	74.60	74.60
Euro	63.20	-0.15	+0.33	+0.39	-0.34	-0.24	-0.01 (0.0%)	63.19	63.19	63.19

Country	% Share of Austra	lia's Wool Exports by Weig	ght of Wool Shipped	Year-on-Year % Change			
	May	May July to May		July to	July to May		
	2021	2020/21	2019/20	By Weight	By Weight By Value		
China	82.9%	86.5%	79.6%	+25.3%	+4.6%		
Czech Republic	5.4%	4.0%	3.4%	+33.0%	-22.1%		
India	5.9%	3.7%	5.5%	-21.4%	-42.0%		
Italy	2.3%	2.0%	4.3%	-47.5%	-56.1%		
Korea	1.4%	1.6%	1.9%	-5.6%	-21.3%		
Thailand	0.5%	0.4%	0.9%	-46.0%	-47.9%		
Germany	0.2%	0.3%	0.0%	-2.8%	-24.2%		
Egypt	0.2%	0.3%	1.0%	-70.3%	-79.3%		
Change all Countries				+15.3%	-7.3%		



AVERA	AVERAGE EMI			SEASON AVERAGES				
This Year	1420		Region	This Year	Diff			
Last Year	1199		North	1510	+245			
2019/20	1448		South	1363	+206			
2018/19	1939		West	1442	+206			
2017/18	1739							
			COMPARED WITH WKS 1/2					

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Region This Year Diff						
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1442	+206					
	This Year 1510 1363					

Region This Week

North

South

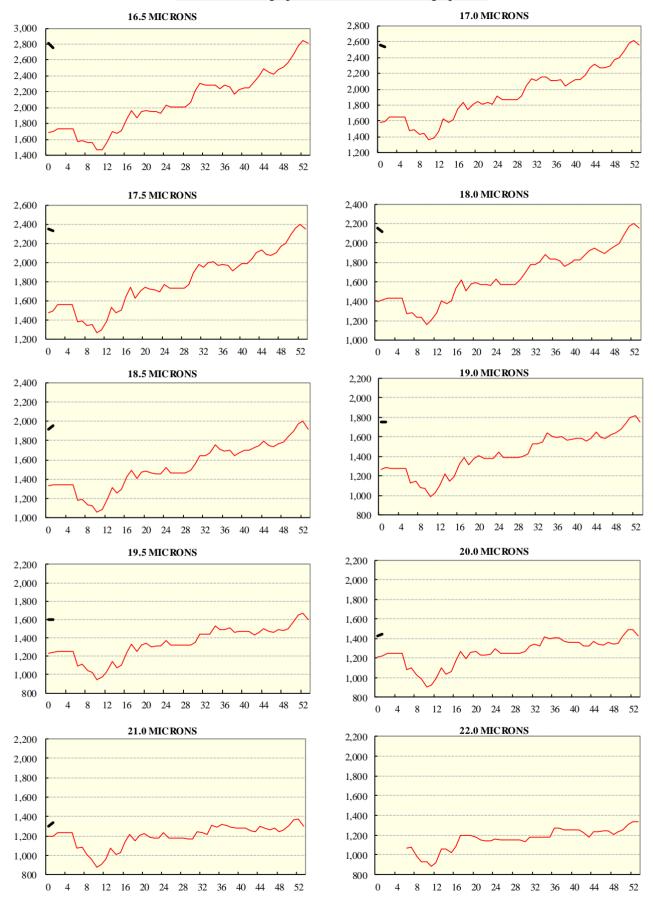
THIS YEAR'S EMI			
1420			
1420			
1420			
1420			

REGION		
This Sale:		
North	16,212	
South	23,627	
West	11,421	
Progressive Totals:		Diff
North	16,212	+63.3%
South	23,627	+71.3%
West	11.421	+60.8%

BALES OFFERED			
This Year	51,260		
Last Year	30,821		
Difference	+20,439		
% Diff	+66.3%		
FIRST OFFERED BALES			
Difference	+73.2%		
% of Offering	94.4%		

AVERAGE AWEX MICRON PRICE GUIDES

2021/22 (black graph line) and 2020/21 (red graph line)



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