

## WOOL MARKET REPORT – 12 March 2020

On the 23<sup>rd</sup> wool auction of the 2019/2020 sale season, the merino wool market indicator decreased by 0,7% to close on 17789c per kg clean wool.

The average clean wool market indicators for good quality long fleece wool (MF4/MF5) with a tenstile strength of 35 (NKT) were as follows:

Fibrediameter (μ)	CWP*	PM**	Fibrediameter (μ)	CWP*	PM**	
18 μ	19115	(-5,1%)	21 μ	18032	(-2,2%)	*Clean wool price
19 μ	18450	(-5,1%)	22 μ	18012	(-1,1%)	**Price movement
20 μ	18225	(-3,3%)				

The key buyers from the previous sale were: Lempriere S A (2,948 bales), Standard Wool (1,928 bales), G Modiano (1,655 bales). Of the 9,348 bales offered 8,537 bales were declared sold (91%).

Highest prices achieved on the auction were as follows:

TOP 10 HOF PRODUCERS							
	Area	Descr.	AWEX Type	Mic	Clean	NKT	Price
1. S & S Farming Trust	Stutterheim	BH	MWF5E.68	18.1μ	68.1%	50	13200c
2. S & S Farming Trust	Stutterheim	AMY	MF4E.81	18.5μ	68.7%	35	13160c
3. SJ Van Heerden	Cradock	AM	MF4E.89	21.4μ	70.6%	49	12930c
4. SD Hobson CC	Graaff-Reinet	CL	MWF4E.60	16.5μ	65.1%	54	12920c
5. SD Hobson CC	Graaff-Reinet	DL	MLF4E.40	15.9μ	62.7%		12900c
6. SD Hobson CC	Graaff-Reinet	BM	MF4E.78	18.1μ	64.9%	41	12840c
7. S & S Farming Trust	Stutterheim	AM	MF5E.97	20.5μ	65.2%	26	12790c
8. S & S Farming Trust	Stutterheim	AFY	MF4E.89	19.0μ	65.8%	36	12600c
9. S & S Farming Trust	Stutterheim	AM	MF4E.111	20.6μ	64.6%	31	12590c
10. GL Knoetze	Klipplaat	BL	MWF4S.80	17.5μ	61.5%	44	12500c

The next auction will take place on the 19<sup>th</sup> of March 2020.

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