



WOOL MARKET REPORT – 14 FEBRUARY 2018

On the 22nd wool auction of the 2017/2018 season, the merino wool market indicator decreased with -2,6% to close on 18496c per kg clean. This is approximately 16,88% higher than a year ago.

Average clean wool price indicators for good quality long fleece wool (MF4/MF5) with a tenstle strength of 35 (NKT) were as follows:

18 µ	22600 (-1,6%)	21 µ	16980 (-1,1%)
19 µ	20103 (-3,1%)	22 µ	16610 (-2,9%)
20 µ	18340 (-1,3%)	23 µ	15216 (-1,5%)

The main buyers on the sale were: G Modiano (3,077 bales), Standard Wool 2,236 bales), Tianyu S A Pty (Ltd) (1,745 bales). Of the 9,186 bales offered 4,478 bales were declared sold (99%).

Highest prices achieved on the BKB auction were as follows:

TOP 10 BKB PORT ELIZABETH

Name	Area	Descr.	AWEX Type	Mic	Clean	NKT	Price
1. JCR Van Heerden	Graaff-Reinet	BFY	MF4S.76	16.9µ	71.3%	43	19500c
2. JCR Van Heerden	Graaff-Reinet	BH	MWF4S.71	16.9µ	71.9%	44	19000c
3. CJ Venter	Danhof	BFY	MF4S.61	15.9µ	69.6%	43	19000c
4. Wilgefontein Merinos (Pty) Ltd	Edenburg	BBMH	MWF4S.73	16.9µ	71.2%	39	18500c
5. Wilgefontein Merinos (Pty) Ltd	Edenburg	BMH	MWF4S.69	17.0µ	71.3%	44	18100c
6. Wilbani Boerdery	Adelaide	BFY	MF4E.80	17.0µ	72.1%	34	17880c
7. DB Weyer-Henderson	Somerset East	BMY	MF4E.67	17.6µ	73.7%	44	17870c
8. Biesjesvlei Boerdery Bk	Smithfield	BBM	MF4E.69	17.7µ	73.5%	37	17610c
9. DB Weyer-Henderson	Somerset East	CFY	MF4E.61	16.7µ	72.0%	33	17400c
10. Makoae WGA	Maseru	CH	MWF5S.73	16.6µ	66.6%	30	17340c

The next auction for, catalogue P2317 will take place on 21 February 2018.

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