

WOOL MARKET REPORT – 12 March 2025

On the 23rd wool auction of the 2024/2025 sale season, the average clean wool market indicators for good quality long fleece wool (MF4/MF5) with a tenstle strength of 35 (NKT) were as follows:

Fibrediameter (μ)	17μ	18μ	18,5μ	19μ	19,5μ	20μ	20,5μ	21μ	22μ
Non-RWS	202.00 +1.0%	190.00 +1.1%	183.00 +1.7%	180.00 +1.7%	176.00 +1.7%	174.00 +1.8%	172.00 +1.2%	171.00 +1.8%	166.00 +1.2%
RWS Certified	216.00 +1.9%	204.00 +2.0%	197.00 +2.6%	194.00 +3.2%	192.00 +3.2%	189.00 +5.0%	186.00 +4.5%	183.00 +3.4%	175.00 +2.9%
% Difference	+6.9%	+7.4%	+7.7%	+7.8%	+9.1%	+8.6%	+8.1%	+7.0%	+5.4%
AVERAGE MARKET INDICATOR RWS 186.35 +3.6%									

The key buyers on the sale were: Modiano SA (2 247 bales), BKB Pinnacle Fibres (1 268 bales) and Standard Wool (1 111 bales) Of the 4 477 bales BKB offered, 4 327 bales were declared sold (96%).

Highest prices achieved on the BKB auction were as follows:

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	Name	Scheme	Area	Descr.	AWEX Type	Mic	Clean	NKT	Greasy Price
1.	PENHOEK FARMING AND TRANSPORT	RWS	STERKSTROOM	BH	MWF4E.68	16.5μ	72.9	45	184.10
2.	PENHOEK FARMING AND TRANSPORT	RWS	STERKSTROOM	AH	MWF4E.83	16.9μ	74.11	43	180.20
3.	BERTIE SWANEPOEL TRUST	RWS	SMITHFIELD	AFY	MF4E.95	17.1μ	74.21	44	180.10
4.	BERTIE SWANEPOEL TRUST	RWS	SMITHFIELD	AAFY	MF4E.92	17.7μ	74.75	39	176.10
5.	BERTIE SWANEPOEL TRUST	RWS	SMITHFIELD	ANKS	MP5S.91	17.5μ	75.64	37	171.00
6.	WHITE WOOLS (EDMS) BPK	RWS	MOLTENO	BMY	MF4E.70	17.8μ	74.56	53	170.00
7.	JG DU TOIT	RWS	KOUE-BOKKEVELD	CH	MWF4S.69	15.9μ	64.26	37	169.00
8.	BERTIE SWANEPOEL TRUST	RWS	SMITHFIELD	BFY	MF4E.77	16.6μ	72.53	32	163.00
9.	WINTERBERG WENTZEL BROERS (PTY)	RWS	ADELAIDE	HBKS	MWF5M.84	16.1μ	68.47	29	160.60
10.	WINTERBERG WENTZEL BROERS (PTY)	RWS	ADELAIDE	AFH	MWF4E.86	16.8μ	71.98	32	157.40

The next sale is scheduled for **19 March 2025**.

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