

WOOL MARKET REPORT – 15 March 2023

On the 24th wool auction of the 2022/2023 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	Market indicator
Non-RWS	26800c -2.2%	22600c -3.5%	21100c -3.3%	19800c -3.5%	18800c -3.7%	17900c -3.3%	17400c -4.6%	17000c -4.7%	14900c -8.7%	16650c -3.1%
RWS Certified	28000c -5.0%	23800c -4.2%	22300c -3.1%	20700c -3.8%	19100c -4.2%	18200c -4.9%	17700c -5.6%	17400c -5.1%	15700c -3.8%	17798c -3.8%
% Difference	4.5%	5.3%	6.2%	5.1%	1.6%	1.7%	2.3%	3.0%	5.4%	

The key buyers from the sale were: Standard Wool SA (1,660 bales), G Modiano (1,634 bales) Tianyu SA (1,069 bales). Of the 7,367 bales offered 6,757 bales were declared sold (91%).

Highest prices achieved on the BKB auction were as follows:

BKB TOP 10 NATIONAL

Name	Scheme	Area	Descr.	AWEX Type	Mic	Clean	NKT	Greasy Price
1 GD DU TOIT	RWS	BARKLY-OOS	AFFH	MWF5E.92	16.6μ	72.1	29	20600c
2 WICAR BDY BK	RWS	VREDE	AAH	MWF4S.93	16.7μ	69.7	35	20000c
3 SH LOUW	RWS	TROMPSBURG	CL	MWF4N.67	16.8μ	73.0	37	20000c
4 Q ROGERS		STUTTERHEIM	BBH	MWF4E.87	17.4μ	72.9	51	19600c
5 GJ SMIT	RWS	VREDE	BFY	MF4E.77	17.3μ	73.7	35	19500c
6 WICAR BDY BK	RWS	VREDE	BMV	MF4E.89	16.7μ	71.3	31	19500c
7 UPSAL BDY BK	RWS	CRADOCK	AFH	MWF4S.110	17.4μ	73.2	41	19310c
8 WICAR BDY BK	RWS	VREDE	CH	MWF4S.65	16.3μ	68.7	37	19200c
9 SH LOUW	RWS	TROMPSBURG	AH	MWF4E.81	17.8μ	74.9	35	19200c
10 SH LOUW	RWS	TROMPSBURG	BH	MWF4S.70	17.5μ	73.3	44	19200c

The next sale is scheduled for the **22 March 2023**.

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