

WOOL MARKET REPORT – 10 May 2023

On the 31st wool auction of the 2022/2023 sale season, 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)	17μ	18μ	18,5μ	19μ	19,5μ	20μ	20,5μ	21μ	22μ
Non-RWS	25600c -2.7%	22200c -1.3%	21200c -1.8%	20000c -2.0%	19100c -1.5%	18500c -1.0%	18000c -1.6%	17600c -2.2%	16400c -1.2%
RWS Certified	26600c -2.2%	23300c -2.1%	21800c -2.2%	20600c -0.4%	19700c -1.0%	18900c -1.0%	18500c -1.6%	18200c -1.6%	16900c -1.7%
% Difference	3.9%	5.0%	2.8%	3.0%	3.1%	2.2%	2.8%	3.4%	3.0%

The key buyers from the sale were: G Modiano (2 698 bales), Standard Wool (1 879 bales) and BKB Pinnacle Fibres (1 287 bales). Of the 9 152 bales offered 9 009 bales were declared sold (93%).

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	SCEITIMINI FARMING (PTY) LTD		HARRISMITH	AFF	MF4E.84	16.1μ	72.5	37	23800c
2	SCEITIMINI FARMING (PTY) LTD		HARRISMITH	AFFY	MF4E.73	15.5μ	66.0	39	23000c
3	FAIRWORLD MERINOS	RWS	CRADOCK	BFFY	MF4S.78	16.7μ	71.2	32	20900c
4	SCEITIMINI FARMING (PTY) LTD		HARRISMITH	BH	MWF4S.69	15.8μ	74.3	55	20700c
5	SCEITIMINI FARMING (PTY) LTD		HARRISMITH	AF	MF4S.85	16.9μ	69.7	41	20700c
6	AJ RAUBENHEIMER	RWS	GOLDEN VALLEY	BFFY	MF4S.74	16.7μ	67.5	47	20500c
7	SCEITIMINI FARMING (PTY) LTD		HARRISMITH	BFFY	MF5E.67	15.1μ	64.5	32	20300c
8	SCEITIMINI FARMING (PTY) LTD		HARRISMITH	AAFF	MF4E.89	17.2μ	73.8	37	20100c
9	SMALL AND SONS AGRI.	RWS	BARKLY-OOS	NKSH	MP5S.84	16.9μ	77.9	35	20000c
10	SCEITIMINI FARMING (PTY) LTD		HARRISMITH	CL	MWF5E.59	15.5μ	74.3	52	20000c

The next sale is scheduled for the **17 May 2023**.

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