



WOOL MARKET REPORT – 31 May 2023

On the 34th 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
Non-RWS	24700c -1.2%	21200c +1.0%	20300c +2.0%	19300c +2.1%	18500c +1.7%	17900c +1.7%	17300c +1.2%	16800c +1.8%	15600c +0.7%
RWS Certified	25500c -1.9%	22300c -0.9%	20800c -0.9%	19700c +1.0%	19000c +2.1%	18100c +0.6%	17800c +1.7%	17400c +0.6%	16300c +0.7%
% Difference	3.2%	5.2%	5.5%	2.1%	2.7%	1.1%	2.9%	3.6%	4.5%
AVERAGE MARKET INDICATOR RWS 182.36 +1.2%									

The key buyers from the sale were: G Modiano SA (2 495 bales), Standard Wool SA (1 532 bales) and Tianyu SA (875 bales). Of the 7 921 bales offered 7 282 bales were declared sold (92%).

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 EE GREEFF BDY BK	RWS	SOMERSET-OOS	BL	MWF4E.73	16.8μ	77.0	37	20610c
2 SPEKBOOMBERG BDY (PTY) LTD	RWS	CRADOCK	CFY	MF4E.72	17.6μ	77.9	48	19400c
3 STRAUSS LAMMERFABRIEK (PTY) LTD	RWS	PHILIPPOLIS	CL	MWF4E.52	16.8μ	77.0	50	19020c
4 HAELKRAAL TRUST	RWS	RIVIERSONDEREND	CL	MWF4E.58	16.6μ	70.8	44	19000c
5 SJ VAN DER WALT	RWS	ADELAIDE	BMH	MWF4S.65	15.8μ	71.9	40	19000c
6 SPEKBOOMBERG BDY(PTY) LTD	RWS	CRADOCK	BFY	MF4E.76	18.0μ	79.1	37	18700c
7 SPEKBOOMBERG BDY (PTY) LTD	RWS	CRADOCK	AFY	MF4E.78	18.3μ	79.3	40	18370c
8 BIESJESVLEI BDY BK	RWS	SMITHFIELD	CL	MWF4E.54	17.5μ	77.2		18020c
9 HAELKRAAL TRUST	RWS	RIVIERSONDEREND	BMV	MF4E.75	17.1μ	72.4	51	17790c
10 SPEKBOOMBERG BDY (PTY) LTD	RWS	CRADOCK	BMV2	MF5E.75	17.8μ	77.1	45	17310c

The next sale is scheduled for the **7 June 2023**.

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