MEAT & LIVESTOCK AUSTRALIA MARKET INFORMATION

Statistics Database Glossary of Abbreviations

Livestock Indicators

ESTLI	Eastern States Trade Lamb Indicator (¢/kg cwt)
EYCI	Eastern Young Cattle Indicator (¢/kg cwt)
NTLI	National Trade Lamb Indicator (¢/kg cwt)
OTH	Over-the-hooks
QCMI	Queensland Cattle Market Index
WYCI	Western Young Cattle Indicator (¢/kg cwt)

Livestock Indicator descriptors

Saleyard Cattle Indicators	Reference weight is in liveweight (lwt), A-E refers to muscle score and 1-5 refer to fat score (based on the AUS-MEAT language)
OTH Cattle Indicators	Reference weight is the Hot Standard Carcase Weight, A-D refers to muscle score
Saleyard Lamb Indicators	Reference weight is carcase weight (cwt)
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Muscle Score description

A	Very Heavy
B	Heavy
C	Medium
D	Moderate
E	Light

Weights

cwt	Carcase weight
cwe	Carcase weight equivalent
kg	Kilograms
lb	Pounds
lwt	Liveweight
rwt	Retail weight
swt	Shipped weight

Sources/References

ABARES	Australian Bureau of Agricultural and Resource Economics and Sciences
ABS	Australian Bureau of Statistics
ALFA	Australian Lot Feeders' Association
ALIC	Agriculture and Livestock Industries Corporation – Japan
BMI	Business Monitor International
BOM	Australian Bureau of Meteorology
CIE	Centre for International Economics
CME	Chicago Mercantile Exchange
DAWR	Department of Agriculture and Water Resources – Australia
FAO	Food and Agriculture Organisation (United Nations)
GTA	Global Trade Atlas (Including GTIS)
IMF	International Monetary Fund
MAFF	Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry (Japan)
MLA	Meat & Livestock Australia
MOA	Ministry of Agriculture of the People's Republic of China
MOF	Ministry of Finance, Japan
NLRS	National Livestock Reporting Service (Meat & Livestock Australia)
OECD	Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development
OIE	Office International Des Epizooties (world animal health organisation)
RBA	Reserve Bank of Australia
USDA	United States Department of Agriculture
WTO	World Trade Organization

Trade Abbreviations

AANZFTA	Australia-New Zealand Free Trade Agreement
AUSFTA	Australia-United States Free Trade Agreement
ChAFTA	China-Australia Free Trade Agreement
CME	Chicago Mercantile Exchange
DFAT	Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade
EIF	Enter Into Force
EPA	Economic Partnership Agreement
ESCAS	Exporter Supply Chain Assurance System
FTA	Free Trade Agreement
GCC	Gulf Co-operation Council
GFC	Global Financial Crisis (mid-2008)
HKJM	Hanwoo Korean Market
HQB	High Quality Beef
IA-CEPA	Indonesia-Australia Comprehensive Economic Partnership Agreement
JAEPA	Japan-Australia Economic Partnership
KAFTA	Korea Australia Free Trade Agreement
KORUS	Korea–US Free Trade Agreement
KOTIS	Korean Trade Information Service – the Korea International Trade Association
MAFTA	Malaysia-Australia Free Trade Agreement
RCEP	Regional Comprehensive Economic Partnership
SAFTA	Singapore-Australia Free Trade Agreement
TAFTA	Thailand-Australia Free Trade Agreement
TPP	Trans Pacific Partnership
TRQ	Tariff rate quota

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Major trading partner/competitor currencies

US$	United States Dollar
A$	Australian Dollar
Yen	Japanese Yen
IDR	Indonesian Rupiah
KRW	South Korean Won
Yuan	Chinese Renminbi
Euro	European Union
NZ$	New Zealand Dollar
Pound Sterling	United Kingdom
CA$	Canadian Dollar
Real	Brazil
Peso	Uruguay
Peso	Argentina
Dirham	UAE
Riyal	Saudi Arabia
Dollar	Taiwan
Rand	South Africa
Rubble	Russia
Rupee	India

Other

BSE	Bovine spongiform encephalopathy
CL	Chemical Lean
CY	Calendar Year
FMD	Foot and mouth disease
FY	Financial Year
JFY	Japanese fiscal year (April to March)
LHS (in chart labels)	Left hand side
MSA	Meat Standards Australia
NQ	No Quote
RHS (in chart labels)	Right hand side
YTD	Year to Date

Shipping

CIF	Cost insurance and freight (export price at destination)
FAS	Free alongside ship (export price before departure)
FOB	Free on board ship (export price loaded on ship before departure)

Countries/Regions

ASEAN	Association of South East Asian Nations. This includes Indonesia, Malaysia, Philippines, Singapore, Thailand, Brunei, Cambodia, Laos, Myanmar and Vietnam.
CIS	Commonwealth of Independent States. This Includes Armenia, Azerbaijan, Belarus, Georgia, Kyrgyzstan, Kazakhstan, Moldovia, Tajikistan, Turkmenistan, Uzbekistan, Russia and Ukraine.
CLM	Cambodia Laos Myanmar
EU	European Union. This Includes Martinique, Guadeloupe, Slovenia, Slovakia, Romania, Poland, Malta, Lithuania, Latvia, Hungary, Greece, Gibraltar, French Southern Terrs, Estonia, Czech Republic, Cyprus, Bulgaria, Austria, Belgium Luxembourg, British Indian Ocean Territories, Canary Islands, Denmark, Germany, Finland, France, Italy, Netherlands, Northern Ireland, Portugal, Southern Ireland, Spain, Sweden, United Kingdom and Vatican City State.
GCC	Bahrain, Kuwait, Oman, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, United Arab Emirates.
KSA	Kingdom of Saudi Arabia
MENA	Middle East and North Africa
Middle East	This Includes Bahrain, Afghanistan, Egypt, Iran, Iraq, Israel, Jordan, Kuwait, Lebanon, Oman, Pakistan, Palestinian auto zone, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, Syrian Arab Republic, Turkey, UAE and Yemen.
North Africa	This includes Algeria, Benin, Guinea Bissau, Burkina Faso, Chad, Cape Verde Islands, Djibouti, Eritrea, Ethiopia, Gambia, Guinea, Cote D'Ivoire, Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, Liberia, Mali, Morocco, Mauritania, Nigeria, Niger, Western Sahara, Senegal, Sierra Leone, Somalia, Sudan, Togo and Tunisia.
NZ	New Zealand
PNG	Papua New Guinea
SEA	South East Asia. This includes Indonesia, Malaysia, Philippines, Singapore and Thailand.
UAE	United Arab Emirates
UK	United Kingdom
US	United States

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