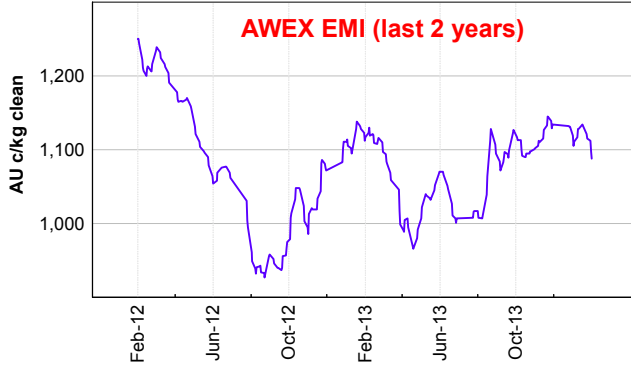
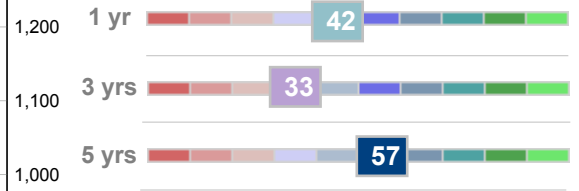


**AWEX E.M.I**  
**1088** ↓ **-27**  
(-2.4%)  
(Weekly change)



### AWEX-EMI Percentile rankings



Percentiles rank the current EMI for the given period. A percentile of 0 indicates the EMI is at the lowest point, A percentile of 50 indicates the EMI is the median price, A percentile of 80 means the EMI has been lower 79% in the period (or higher 19% of the time in the period).

The AWEX Eastern Market Indicator the largest weekly fall in five months and, coincidentally, now has the EMI at its lowest point in five months. The catalogue of 50,000 bales included a heavy weighting of superfine types out of Southern Region which hosted the only Launceston sale for the year on Tuesday. National prices were marked down fairly equally each day for the Merino catalogue and had most types 40 cents lower by the end of the week. Sydney suffered heavy losses approaching 80 cents in the superfine range after coming off a stylish sale a week earlier. Despite the sharp drop there were some positive signs with selected clips of Spinner & Superior style attracting good support, although the best results were recorded early in the week. As with previous soft markets, the lower spec types came under the most pressure. Tender and high-mid-break types were largely neglected and any premium for micron tended to evaporate. In many cases the bottom end of the fleece attracted bids close to Skirting type prices. Seller resistance to the lower levels was evident in all three centres, particularly on the last day when 30.1% of the national offering was passed-in; the highest amount since Oct 2008. Merino Skirtings were squeezed lower by the weak Fleece sector and dropped 30 to 50 cents. Crossbred Fleece and Merino Cardings eased 10 cents.

### North MPG's Percentile rankings (last 5 years)

17	1,346	-70	41
18	1,287	-63	50
19	1,241	-34	51
20	1,212	-26	58
21	1,207	-22	59
22	1,201	-24	65
23	1,219		81
28	682	-7	90
30	640	-9	94
32	560	u/c	86

### Offered this week..

	Bales offered	Gross turnover	Passed In %
North (S33)	10,932	\$13,181,550	14.1%
South (L33)	7,894	\$11,701,042	21.3%
South (M33)	19,869	\$23,769,662	25.2%
West (F33)	12,095	\$14,982,652	31.4%
<b>Total</b>	<b>50,790</b>	<b>\$63,634,907</b>	

### Clip Inspections

	Lots
Bale Description issue	224
Poor Skirting	206
Mixed Characteristics	101
Miscellaneous	30
Sheep Brands	10
Over/Under Wgt	8
<b>Total</b>	<b>579</b>

### Indicative prices (¢/kg clean)

	35nkt	5% pcs	5% lks
17.0	1,375	1,165	810
19.0	1,295	1,143	810
21.0	1,263	6,240	805
23.0	1,235		

### Fleece Discounts (¢/kg clean)

	Colour (H1)	Cott (C1)	Brands (R1)
17.0	-50		-70
19.0		-20	
21.0		-15	
23.0	-10	-16	-25

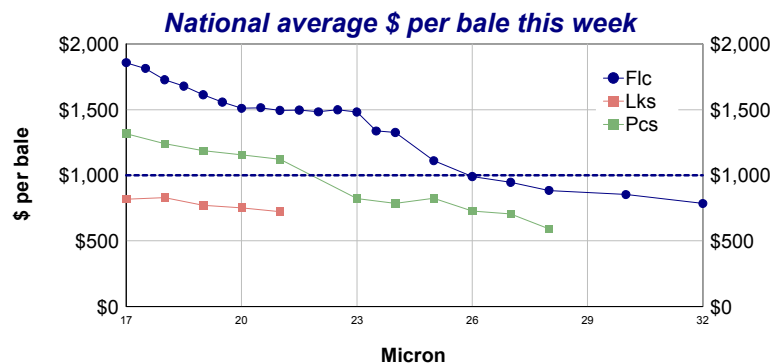
Note:

Clean price x yield / 100 = Greasy Price  
e.g. 900 x 75.1 / 100 = 676 c/kg greasy

Source: AWEX P&D....

### Buyers this week..

	Bales
<b>Superfine</b>	
TIANYU WOOL PTY LT	1,027
NEW ENGLAND WOOL	992
<b>Mer Fleece</b>	
CHINATEX (AUST)	2,128
PJ MORRIS WOOL	1,427
<b>Mer Pcs/BIs</b>	
TIANYU WOOL PTY LT	990
AUSTRALIAN MERINO	695
<b>XBD</b>	
CHINATEX (AUST)	972
TECHWOOL TRADING	897
<b>Oddments</b>	
TECHWOOL TRADING	825
VIC WOOL PROCESSC	710



### Sales coming up..(bales)

	Current estimate	Change on previous estimate	%
Week: 34	52,686	+1,904	4%
Week: 35	46,954	-946	-2%
Week: 36	50,550	-1,450	-3%
Week: 37	32,600		

Source: AWEX Five Week Forecast....