

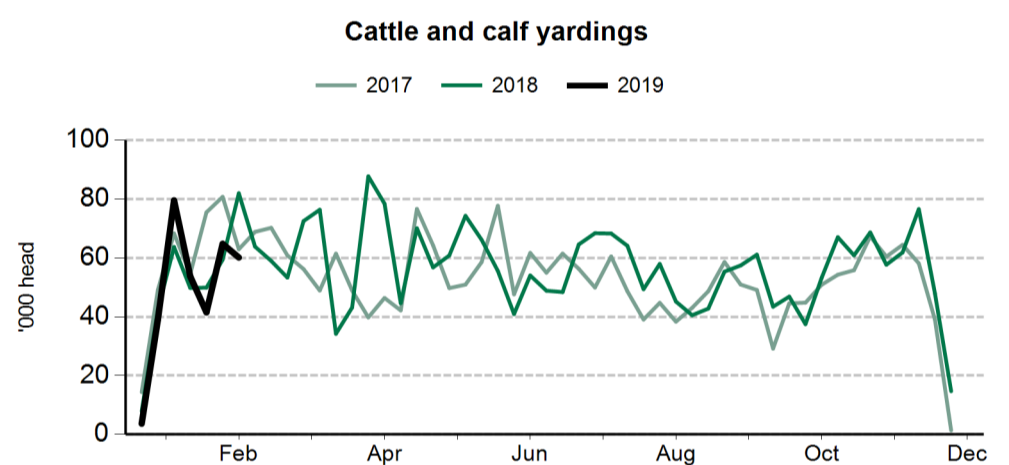
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Cattle movements

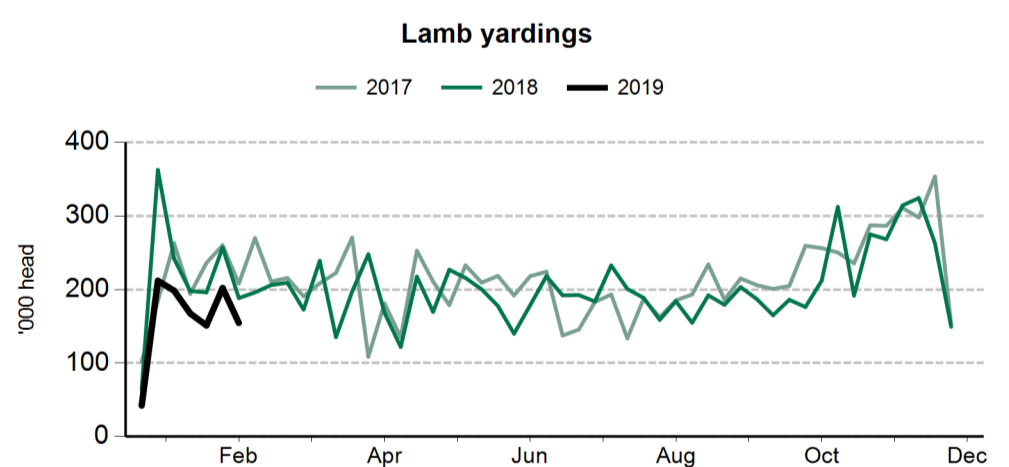
Cattle saleyard throughput		15 Feb 2019	8 Feb 2019	16 Feb 2018
Queensland	Cattle	18,209	18,680	32,559
NSW	Cattle	28,208	28,754	31,637
Victoria	Cattle	8,769	10,815	10,799
SA	Cattle	2,449	3,357	3,349
WA	Cattle	2,458	3,095	3,591
Tasmania	Cattle	40	80	30

Cattle slaughter		15 Feb 2019	8 Feb 2019	16 Feb 2018
Queensland	Cattle	72,593	73,345	65,621
	Calves	139	176	184
NSW	Cattle	36,168	35,209	33,932
	Calves	2,009	1,658	955
Victoria	Cattle	27,461	25,918	24,583
	Calves	1,640	1,618	821
SA	Cattle	5,286	4,556	4,478
	Calves	6	nq	19
Tasmania	Cattle	5,070	5,021	4,755
	Calves	177	78	206

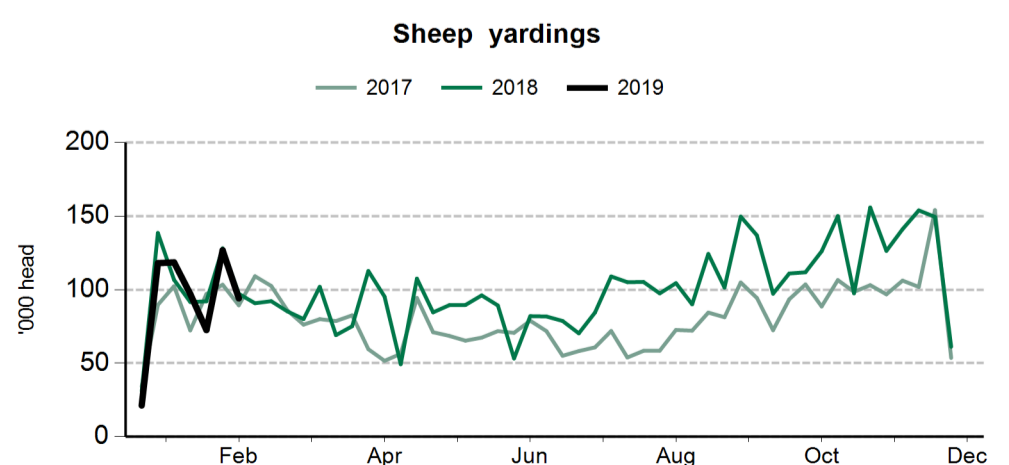


Smallstock movements

Sheep and lamb saleyard throughput		15 Feb 2019	8 Feb 2019	16 Feb 2018
NSW	Lambs	92,997	111,501	113,041
	Sheep	49,975	64,372	48,582
Victoria	Lambs	29,145	52,517	42,757
	Sheep	20,163	35,760	26,694
SA	Lambs	11,060	19,661	15,763
	Sheep	5,110	6,510	6,073
WA	Lambs	20,517	17,249	16,000
	Sheep	18,305	19,000	15,292
Tasmania	Lambs	910	1,100	800
	Sheep	560	1,150	600

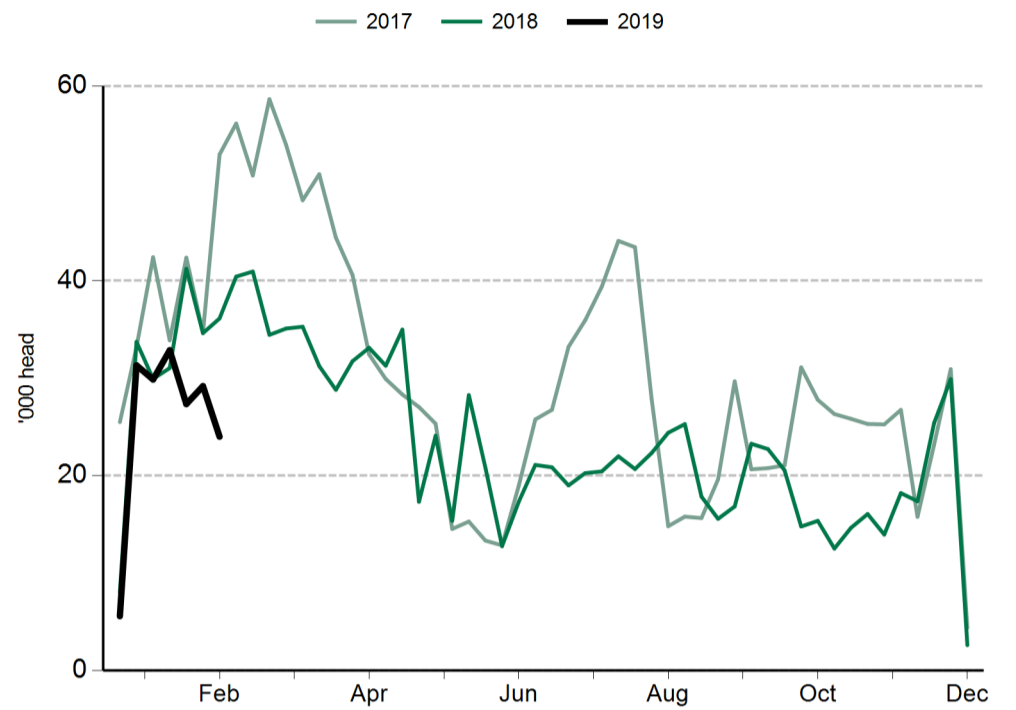


Sheep and lamb slaughter		15 Feb 2019	8 Feb 2019	16 Feb 2018
Victoria	Lambs	208,973	190,296	201,146
	Sheep	75,222	77,617	55,510
NSW	Lambs	105,663	89,169	104,477
	Sheep	62,251	76,915	57,816
SA	Lambs	55,126	55,192	54,112
	Sheep	20,508	16,892	15,882
Queensland	Lambs	201	785	127
	Sheep	3,611	2,477	2,392
Tasmania	Lambs	5,061	5,847	7,129
	Sheep	5,320	3,396	3,793

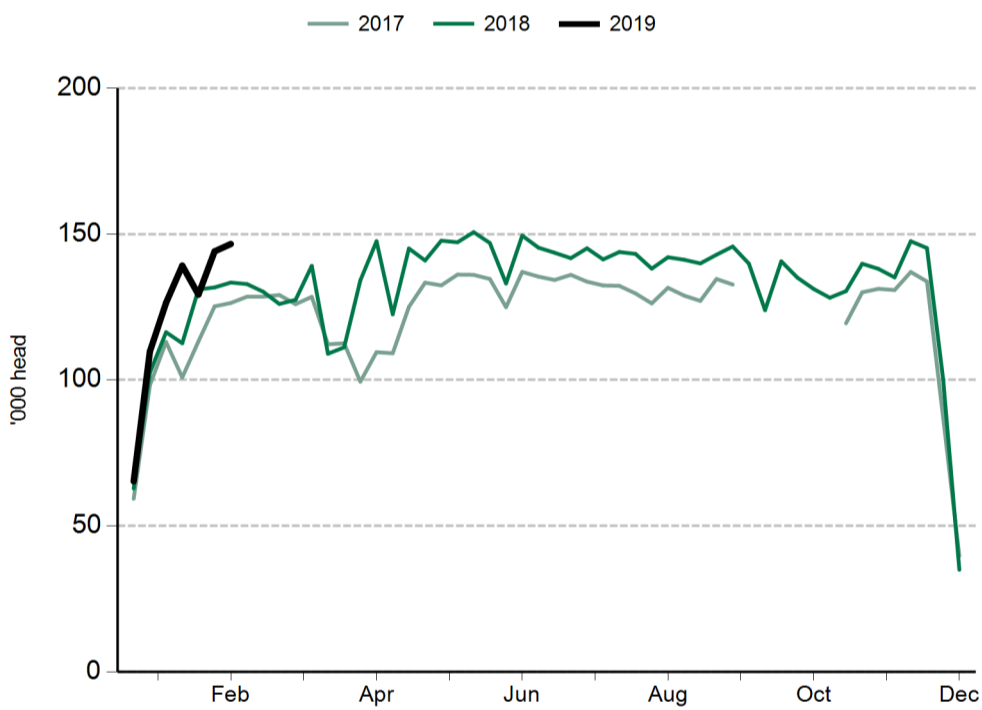


Goat slaughter		15 Feb 2019	8 Feb 2019	16 Feb 2018
Queensland	Goats	10,360	10,165	9,267
NSW	Goats	716	1,236	1,250
Victoria	Goats	6,312	9,737	18,099
SA	Goats	6,601	8,040	7,496
Tasmania	Goats	nq	nq	24

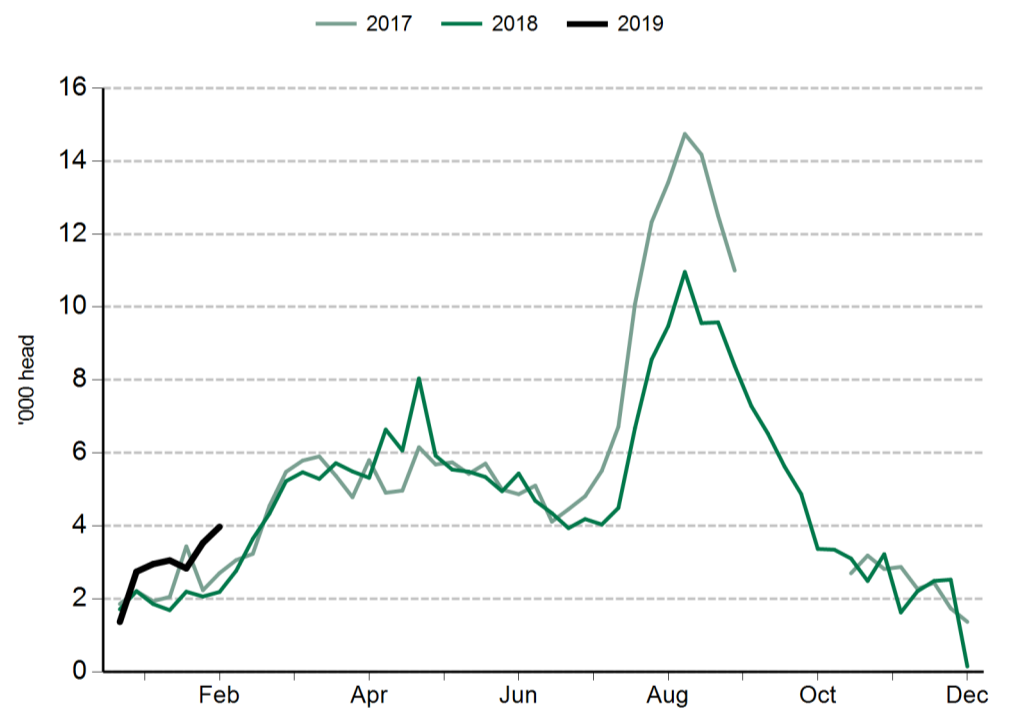
Goat slaughter



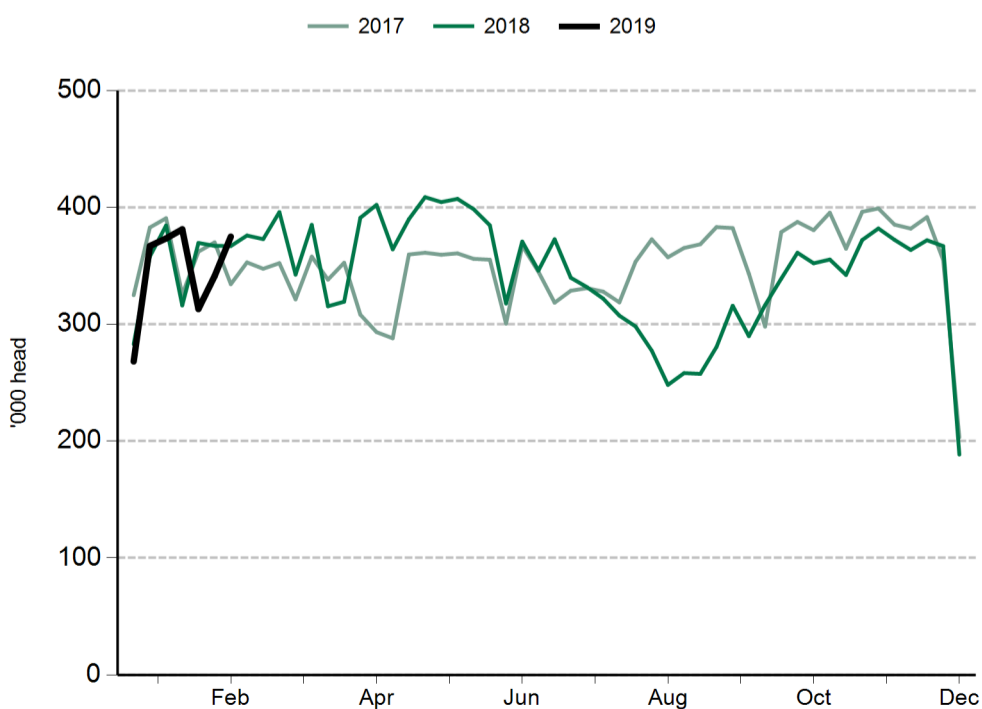
Cattle slaughter



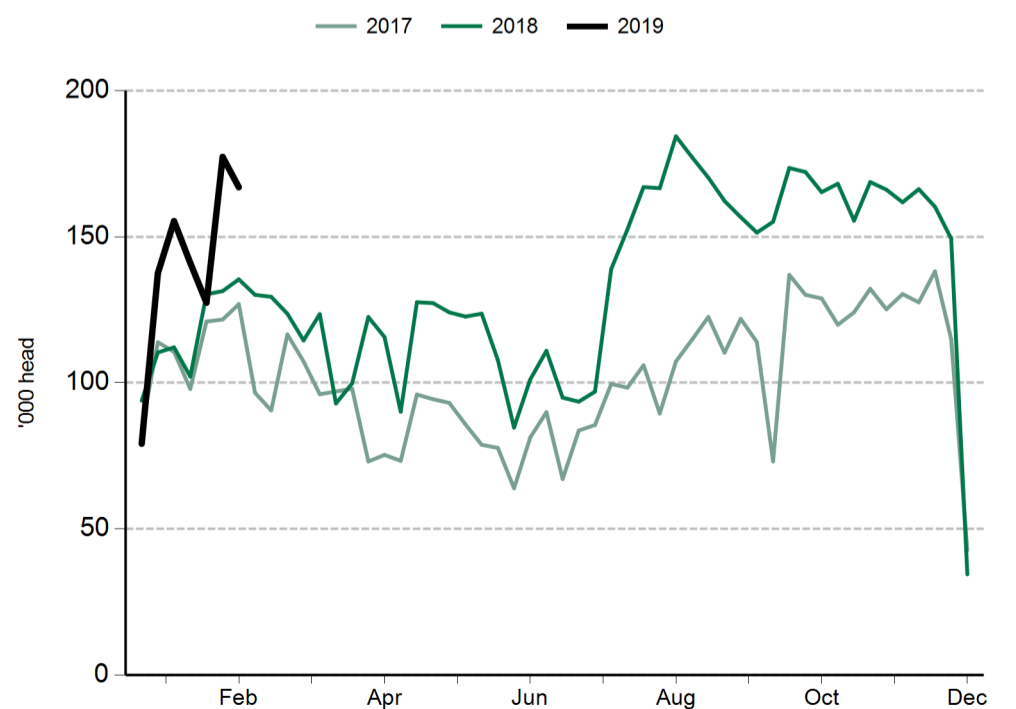
Calf slaughter



Lamb slaughter



Sheep slaughter



Cattle prices

National saleyard indicators	Live weight	Muscle/Fat	Unit	19 Feb 2019	12 Feb 2019	20 Feb 2018
Restocker Steer	200-280kg	C2	¢/kg lwt	261	270	312
Feeder Steer	330-400kg	C2	¢/kg lwt	255	266	281
Vealer Steer	280-330kg	C2	¢/kg lwt	269	274	298
			¢/kg cwt	521	528	576
Trade Steer	330-400kg	C3	¢/kg lwt	257	268	277
			¢/kg cwt	482	501	518
Medium Steer	400-500kg	C3	¢/kg lwt	249	255	260
			¢/kg cwt	473	479	484
Heavy Steer	500-600kg	C4	¢/kg lwt	270	268	255
			¢/kg cwt	490	488	471
Medium Cow	400-520kg	D3	¢/kg lwt	183	185	195
			¢/kg cwt	383	383	402
Eastern Young Cattle Indicator (EYCI)			¢/kg cwt	451.25	465.25	520

Eastern states OTH indicators	Carcass weight	Muscle	Unit	22 Feb 2019	15 Feb 2019	23 Feb 2018
Trade steer	240-260kg	A-C	¢/kg cwt	492	493	455
Medium steer	260-280kg	A-C	¢/kg cwt	499	499	465
Heavy steer	300-400kg	A-C	¢/kg cwt	508	508	474
Medium cow	260-280kg	A-E	¢/kg cwt	380	381	379
MSA trade steer	240-260kg	A-C	¢/kg cwt	524	525	484

Feeder cattle indicators - paddock sales	Unit	15 Feb 2019	8 Feb 2019	16 Feb 2018
Domestic	Unit			
Steers 280-350kg	¢/kg lwt	270	273	293
Heifers 280-350kg	¢/kg lwt	252	253	278
Export	Unit			
Shortfed 100-120 DOF	¢/kg lwt	293	292	288
Mediumfed 120-220 DOF	¢/kg lwt	315	320	300
Longfed 220+ DOF	¢/kg lwt	297	nq	310

State saleyard indicators				Queensland			NSW			Victoria			SA			Tasmania		
Category	Live weight	Muscle/Fat	Unit	19 Feb 2019	12 Feb 2019	20 Feb 2018	19 Feb 2019	12 Feb 2019	20 Feb 2018	19 Feb 2019	12 Feb 2019	20 Feb 2018	19 Feb 2019	12 Feb 2019	20 Feb 2018	19 Feb 2019	12 Feb 2019	20 Feb 2018
Restocker Steer	200-280kg	C2	¢/kg lwt	263	277	317	255	254	297	nq	nq	nq	nq	180	nq	nq	nq	nq
Feeder Steer	330-400kg	C2	¢/kg lwt	263	272	283	250	262	280	254	256	266	254	241	nq	nq	nq	nq
Vealer Steer	280-330kg	C2	¢/kg lwt	286	nq	263	262	270	304	241	249	276	260	243	278	nq	nq	nq
			¢/kg cwt	520	nq	505	492	516	580	452	461	516	530	505	534	nq	nq	nq
Trade Steer	330-400kg	C3	¢/kg lwt	251	278	288	262	268	288	277	265	277	227	244	254	nq	nq	nq
			¢/kg cwt	456	505	524	487	503	533	517	498	512	476	467	502	nq	nq	nq
Medium Steer	400-500kg	C3	¢/kg lwt	252	260	264	242	252	255	259	270	265	261	254	242	266	nq	nq
			¢/kg cwt	484	473	484	464	474	479	490	506	494	476	461	469	502	nq	nq
Heavy Steer	500-600kg	C4	¢/kg lwt	277	283	253	251	252	259	269	251	254	nq	nq	nq	nq	nq	nq
			¢/kg cwt	495	507	466	469	470	483	498	468	470	nq	nq	nq	nq	nq	nq
Medium Cow	400-520kg	D3	¢/kg lwt	202	197	197	174	180	188	169	172	185	188	147	nq	171	171	nq
			¢/kg cwt	414	404	403	370	377	398	350	353	378	391	320	nq	356	356	nq

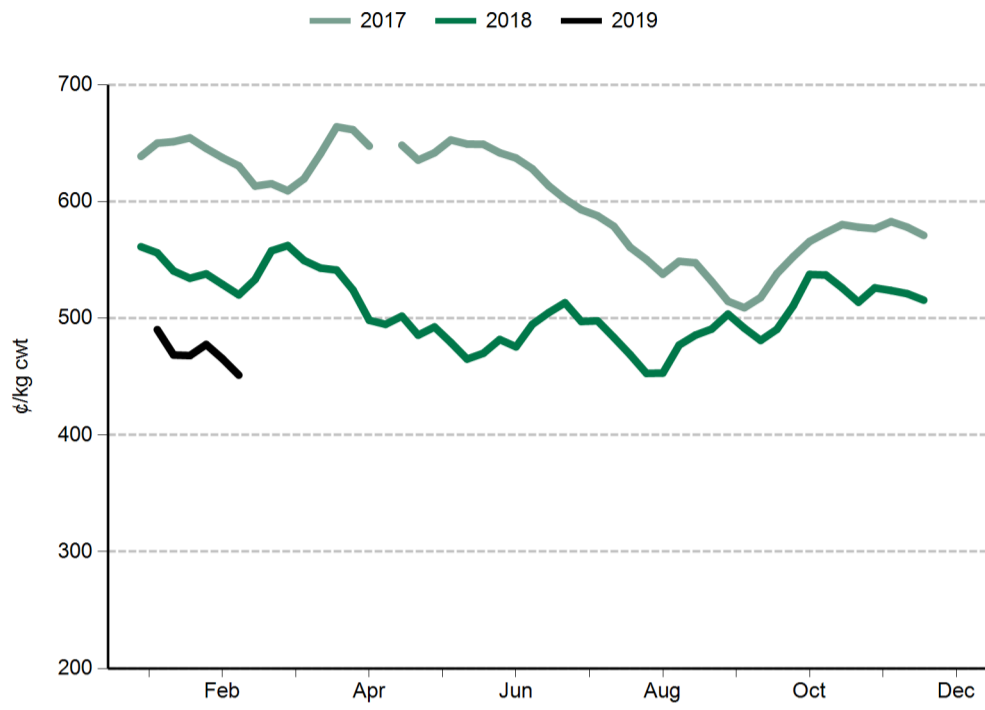
State over-the-hooks indicators				Queensland			NSW			Victoria			SA			Tasmania		
Category	Carcass weight	Muscle	Unit	22 Feb 2019	15 Feb 2019	23 Feb 2018	22 Feb 2019	15 Feb 2019	23 Feb 2018	22 Feb 2019	15 Feb 2019	23 Feb 2018	22 Feb 2019	15 Feb 2019	23 Feb 2018	22 Feb 2019	15 Feb 2019	23 Feb 2018
Trade steer	240-260kg	A-C	¢/kg cwt	512	516	464	499	499	463	510	510	494	nq	nq	nq	447	447	400
Medium steer	260-280kg	A-C	¢/kg cwt	509	512	463	495	495	456	494	490	477	nq	nq	nq	nq	nq	nq
Heavy steer	300-400kg	A-C	¢/kg cwt	520	523	473	505	505	466	500	497	483	nq	nq	nq	nq	nq	nq
Medium cow	260-280kg	A-E	¢/kg cwt	417	420	388	384	386	380	361	358	380	361	361	373	377	377	375
MSA trade steer	240-260kg	A-C	¢/kg cwt	522	525	486	526	526	483	nq	nq	nq	nq	nq	nq	nq	nq	nq

WA saleyard indicators	Unit	19 Feb 2019	12 Feb 2019	20 Feb 2018
WYCI	¢/kg cwt	493	498	574
Medium Steer	¢/kg lwt	252	254	263
Medium Cow	¢/kg lwt	184	187	228

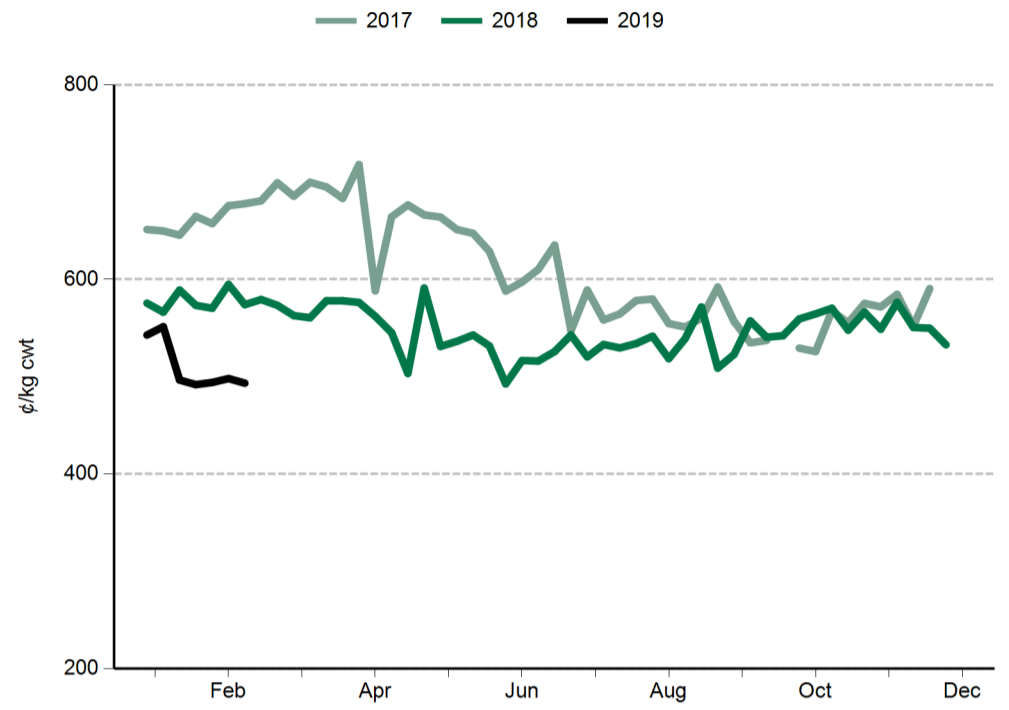
WA over-the-hooks indicators	Unit	22 Feb 2019	15 Feb 2019	23 Feb 2018
Grassfed yearling	¢/kg cwt	520	520	500
Grainfed yearling	¢/kg cwt	560	560	510
MSA yearling	¢/kg cwt	580	580	540

Live Export Price Quotes			Unit	15 Feb 2019	8 Feb 2019	16 Feb 2018
Light Steer	260 - 360 kg	Townsville	¢/kg lwt	290	290	290
	260 - 360 kg	Darwin	¢/kg lwt	340	325	320
Light Heifer	260 - 360 kg	Townsville	¢/kg lwt	260	260	260
	260 - 360 kg	Darwin	¢/kg lwt	320	300	300

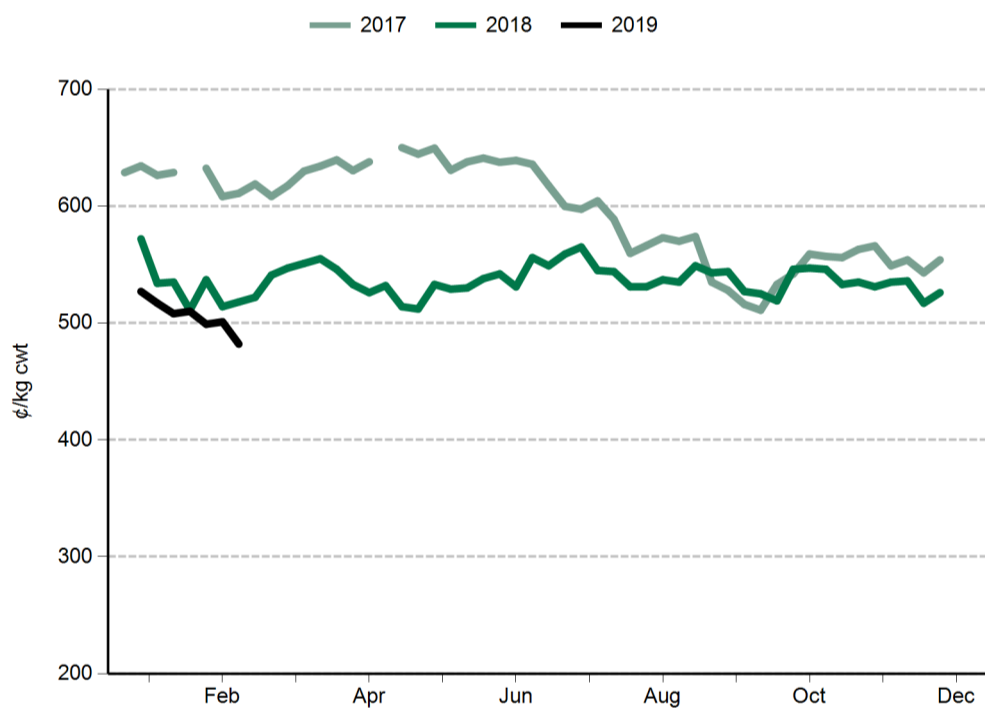
Eastern Young Cattle Indicator (EYCI)



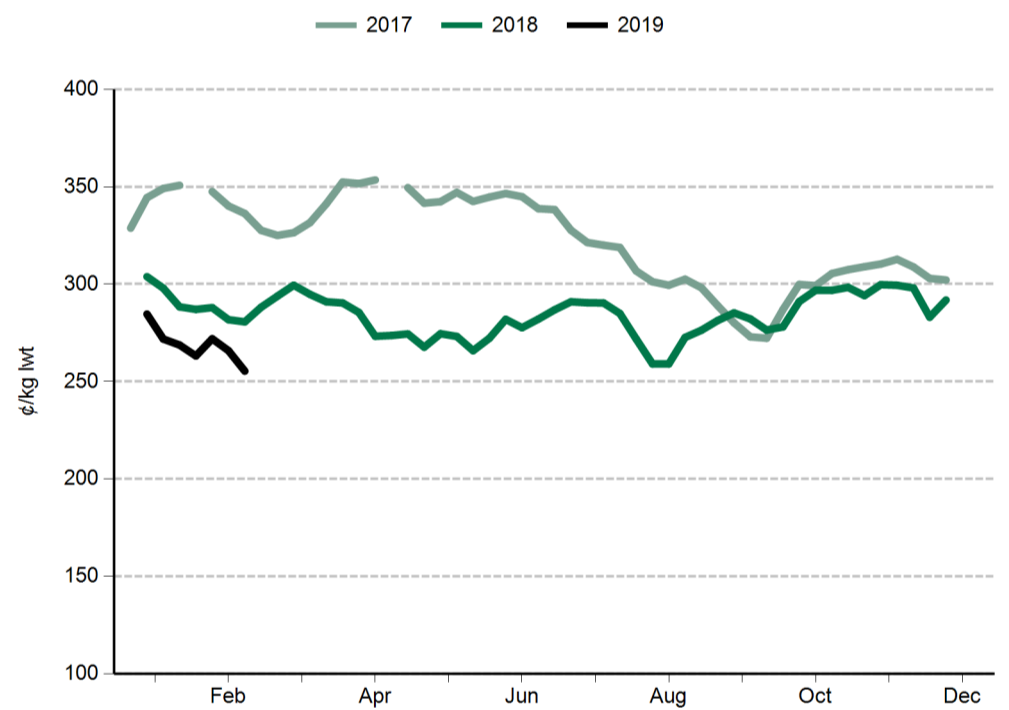
Western Young Cattle Indicator (WYCI)



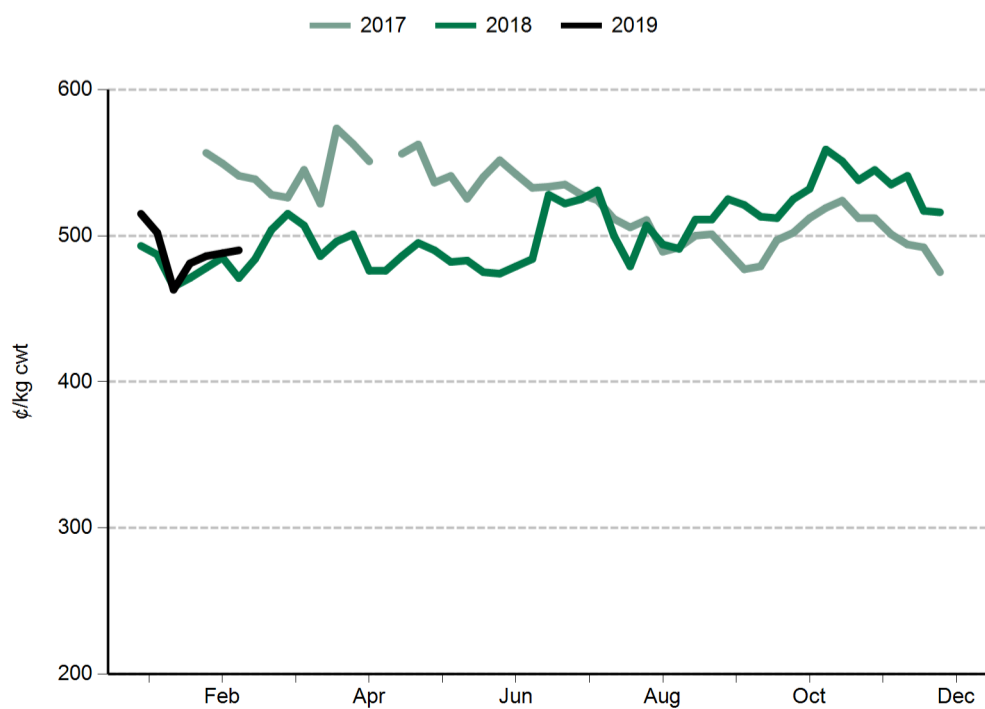
Trade steer



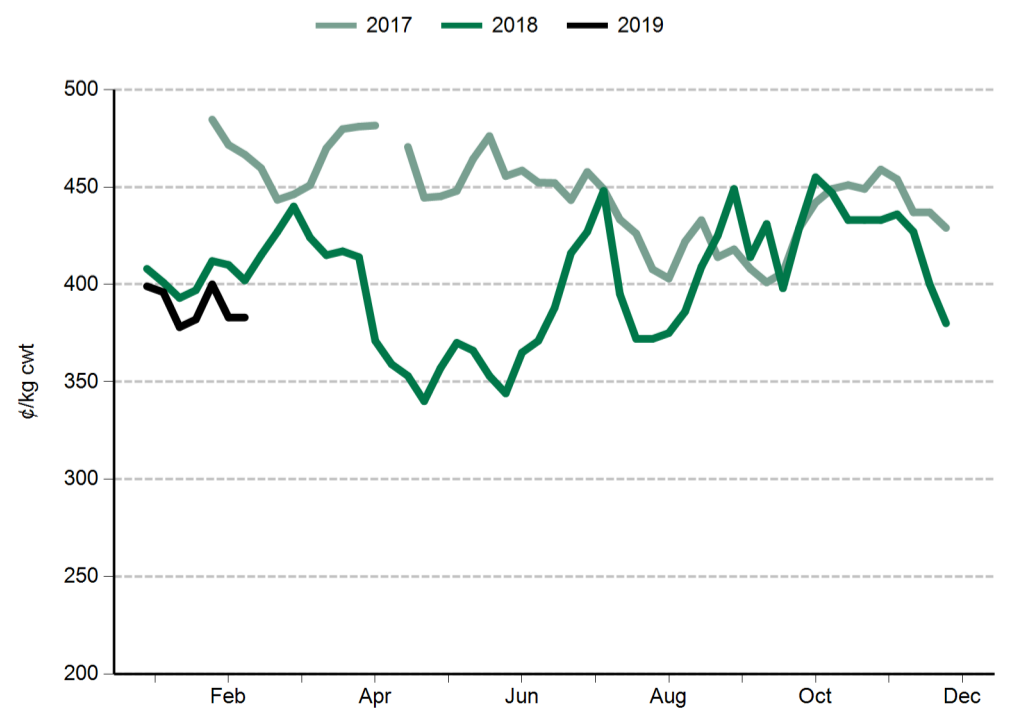
Feeder steer



Heavy steer



Medium cow



Sheep and lamb prices

Eastern States Trade Lamb Indicator (¢/kg cwt)	19 Feb 2019	12 Feb 2019	20 Feb 2018
ESTLI	666	621	614

National saleyard sheep and lamb indicators (¢/kg cwt)		19 Feb 2019	12 Feb 2019	20 Feb 2018
Merino lamb	16-22kg	624	585	568
Restocker/feeder lamb	0-18kg	641	598	615
Light lamb	12-18kg	641	602	595
Trade lamb	18-22kg	664	628	612
Heavy lamb	22+kg	673	626	621
Mutton	18-24kg	412	369	376

National OTH sheep and lamb indicators (¢/kg cwt)		22 Feb 2019	15 Feb 2019	23 Feb 2018
Medium trade lamb	18-20kg	661	653	617
Heavy trade lamb	20-22kg	661	653	617
Heavy lamb	22-24kg	671	664	619
Mutton	18-24kg	391	386	392

State saleyard sheep and lamb indicators (¢/kg cwt)		Victoria			NSW			SA			WA			Tasmania		
		19 Feb 2019	12 Feb 2019	20 Feb 2018	19 Feb 2019	12 Feb 2019	20 Feb 2018	19 Feb 2019	12 Feb 2019	20 Feb 2018	19 Feb 2019	12 Feb 2019	20 Feb 2018	19 Feb 2019	12 Feb 2019	20 Feb 2018
Merino lamb	16-22kg	652	567	587	620	557	596	630	648	529	609	667	635	nq	nq	nq
Restocker/feeder lamb	0-18kg	655	600	609	669	584	624	714	591	681	555	588	553	703	798	575
Light lamb	12-18kg	663	608	624	649	580	586	598	664	562	610	641	647	723	634	533
Trade lamb	18-22kg	685	630	629	667	608	609	624	667	582	648	667	612	648	626	571
Heavy lamb	22+kg	696	631	616	668	617	622	655	658	625	671	656	618	622	623	546
Mutton	18-24kg	415	362	374	421	366	373	365	364	375	381	417	400	423	358	361

Over-the-hooks sheep and lamb indicators (¢/kg cwt)		Victoria			NSW			SA			WA			Tasmania		
		22 Feb 2019	15 Feb 2019	23 Feb 2018	22 Feb 2019	15 Feb 2019	23 Feb 2018	22 Feb 2019	15 Feb 2019	23 Feb 2018	22 Feb 2019	15 Feb 2019	23 Feb 2018	22 Feb 2019	15 Feb 2019	23 Feb 2018
Medium trade lamb	18-20kg	658	646	624	677	657	613	657	653	610	653	655	623	nq	nq	nq
Heavy trade lamb	20-22kg	658	646	624	677	657	613	657	653	610	653	655	623	nq	nq	nq
Heavy lamb	22-24kg	690	680	625	677	657	613	665	665	615	653	655	623	nq	nq	nq
Mutton	18-24kg	398	383	390	400	405	394	388	378	363	380	380	420	nq	nq	nq

Live export price quotes (A\$/head)		19 Feb 2019	12 Feb 2019	20 Feb 2018
Live wether	Muchea	127	nq	nq

Glossary:

cwt – carcase weight

lwt – live weight

OTH – over-the-hooks. Refers to the marketing of cattle/sheep/lambs directly from the farm to an abattoir where a producer is paid for the value of the carcase based on a sliding grid.

CIF – Cost, insurance, freight. The quoted price for the goods including freight and insurance costs delivered to final destination.

C&F – Cost and freight. Refers to the quoted price for the goods, including freight to the delivery point, but not insurance.

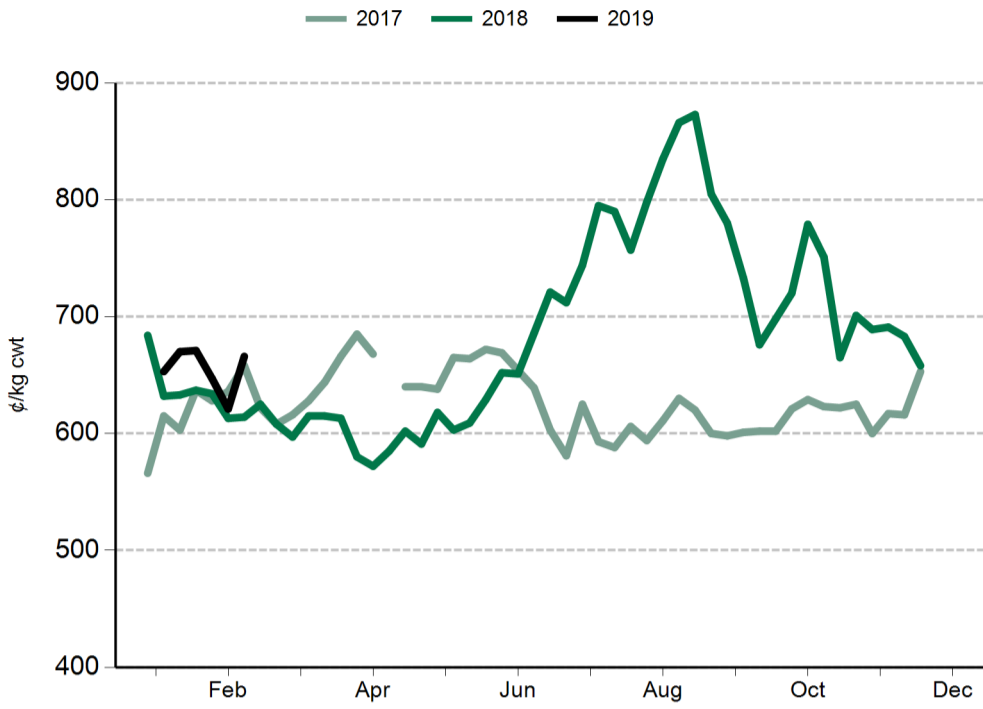
FAS – Free alongside ship. Refers to export price quotes where the seller is obliged to pay warehouse services, packing, inland freight and port charges, but not placement of goods onto the ship. The buyer is obliged to pay overseas freight, charges in foreign port, customs duties, quarantine and delivery to final destination. (See also 'FOB').

EYCI – Eastern Young Cattle Indicator. A seven day rolling average from 24 saleyards across NSW, Victoria and Queensland. It includes vealer and yearling heifers and steers, grade score C2 or C3, with live weight from 200kg.

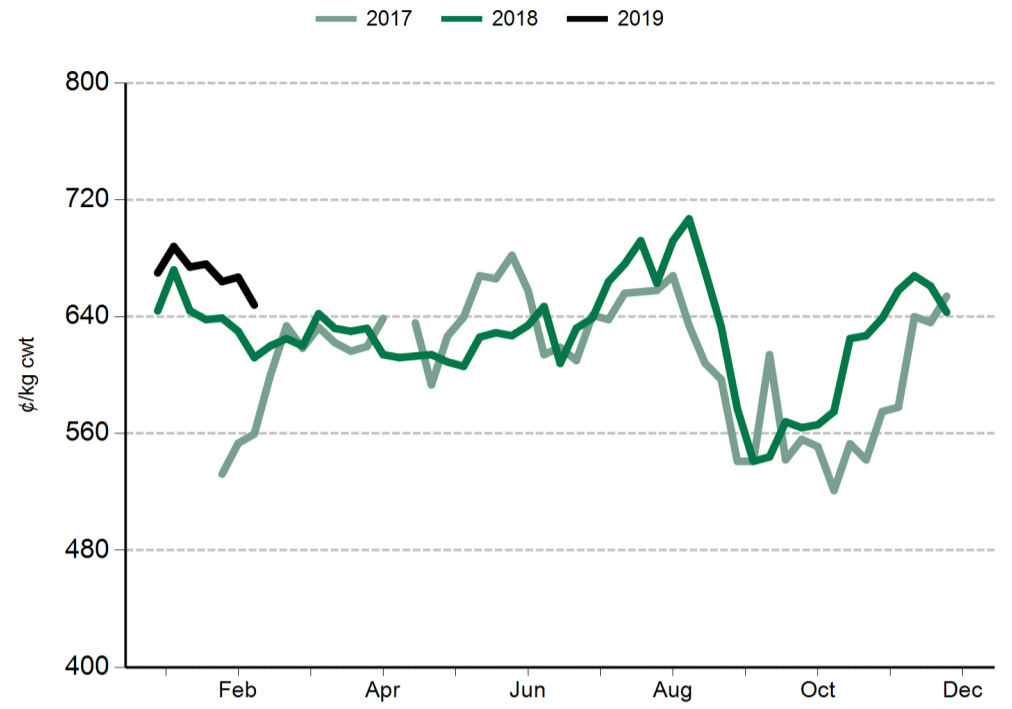
WYCI – Western Young Cattle Indicator. A benchmark of the value of young cattle in WA saleyards. It includes vealer and yearling heifers and steers, grade score C2 or C3, 180kg+ live weight.

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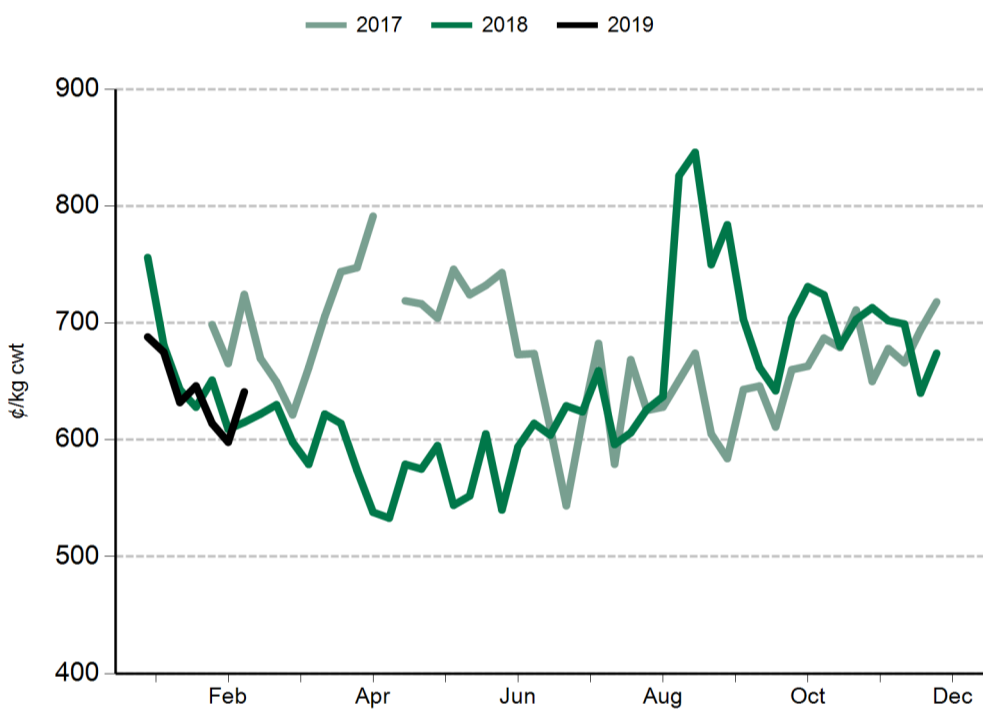
Eastern States Trade Lamb Indicator (ESTLI)



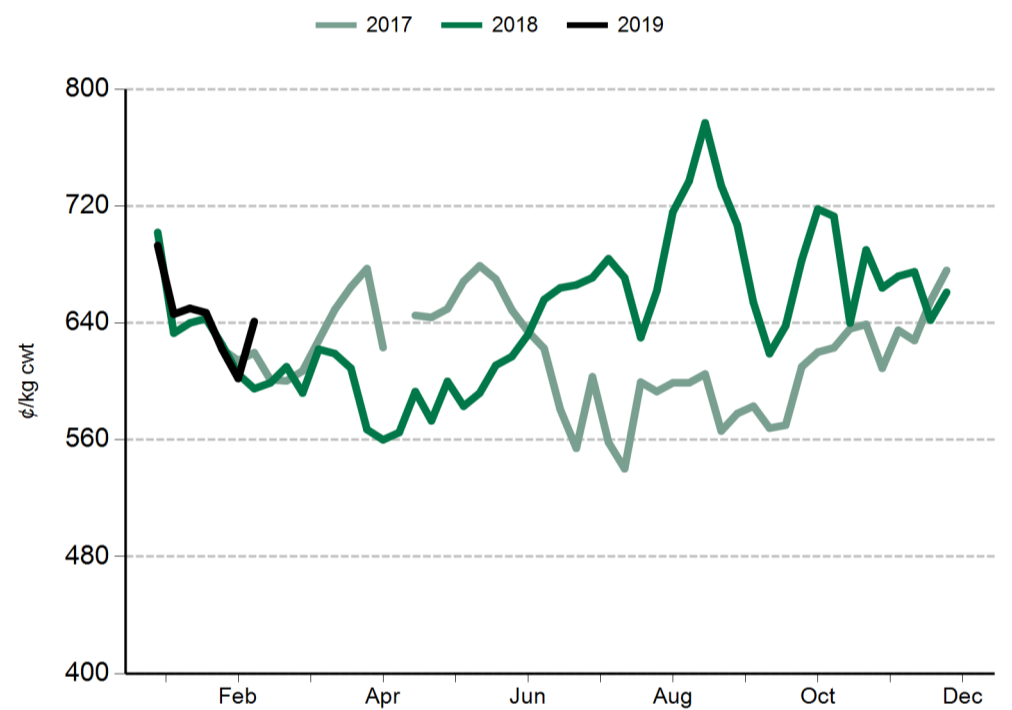
Western Trade Lamb Indicator (WTLI)



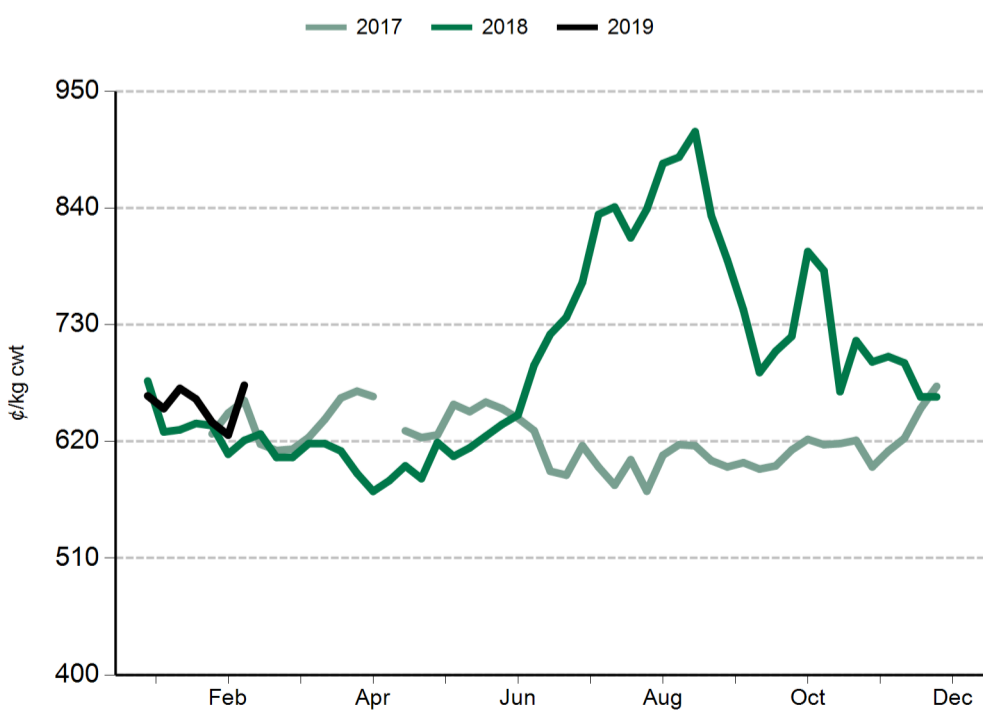
Restocker lamb



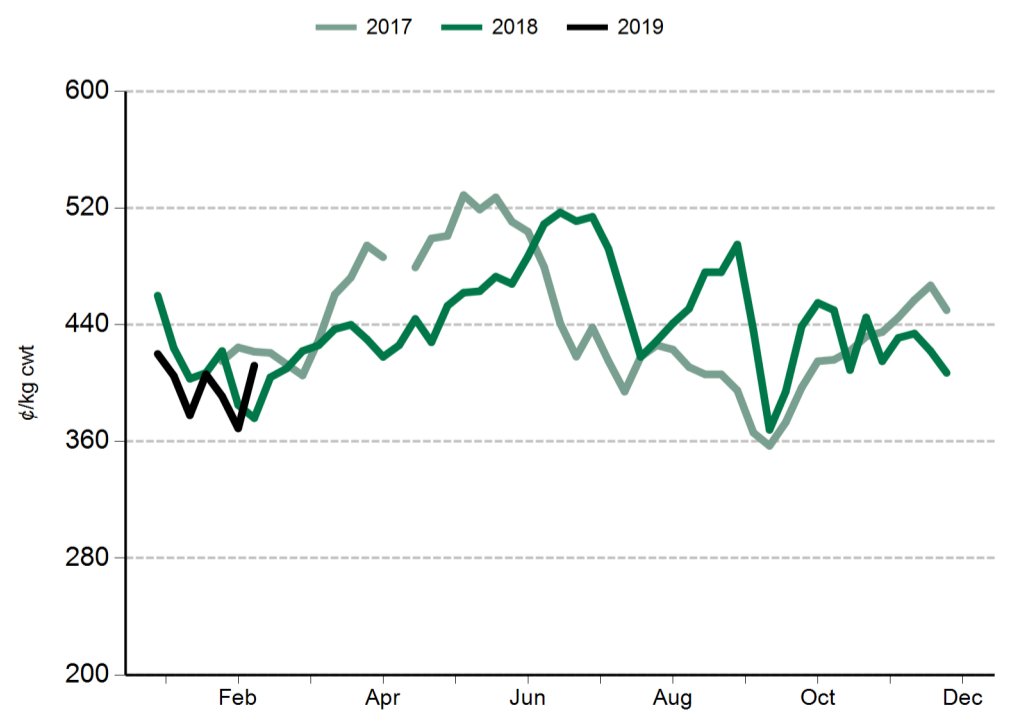
Light lamb



Heavy lamb



Mutton

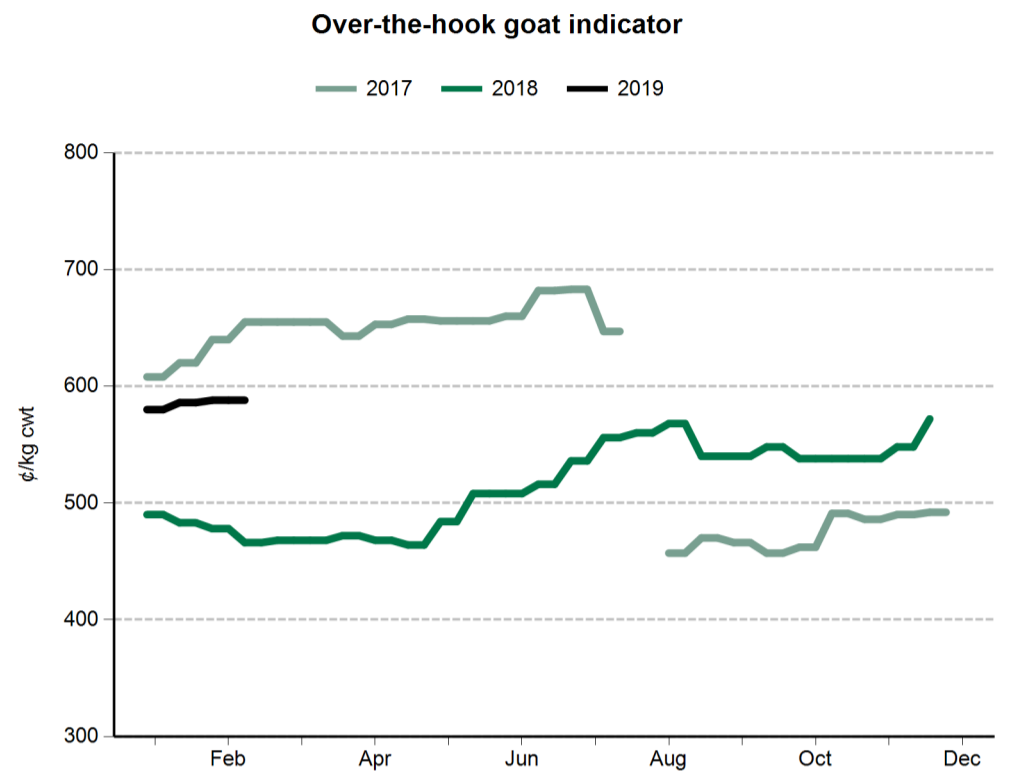


General statistics

Over-the-hooks goat indicators (A¢/kg cwt)		22 Feb 2019	8 Feb 2019	23 Feb 2018
8.1-10kg		588	588	461
10.1-12kg		588	588	461
12.1-16kg		588	588	466
16.1-20kg		588	588	466
20.1kg+		588	588	466

Skin indicators - Lambs		15 Feb 2019	8 Feb 2019	16 Feb 2018
2" +	16.1 - 20kg	500	500	700
	20.1 - 24kg	600	600	863
	24.1kg +	713	713	975
1" - 2"	16.1 - 20kg	325	325	600
	20.1 - 24kg	400	400	738
	24.1kg +	600	600	800
0.5" - 1"	16.1 - 20kg	125	125	300
	20.1 - 24kg	267	267	450
	24.1kg +	325	325	575
New Season	16.1 - 20kg	300	300	550
	20.1 - 24kg	475	475	775
	24.1kg +	650	650	1050

Skin indicators - Merino sheep (average 25 micron)		15 Feb 2019	8 Feb 2019	16 Feb 2018
1.5" - 2"	16.1 - 20kg	900	900	1300
	20.1 - 24kg	1063	1063	1300
	24.1kg +	1188	1188	1500



Grain prices - Darling Downs (A\$/tonne)		15 Feb 2019	8 Feb 2019	16 Feb 2018
Wheat		430	437	336
Barley		384	388	336
Sorghum		347	352	301

Grain prices - Riverina (A\$/tonne)		15 Feb 2019	8 Feb 2019	16 Feb 2018
Wheat		411	420	260
Barley		365	370	250

Source: Profarmer Australia

PLEASE NOTE

MLA no longer reports on fodder prices, tallow prices or the EMI on a weekly basis.

These can be accessed separately through these links:

- [Fodder prices \(Dairy Australia\)](#)
- [Tallow prices \(MLA monthly co-product report\)](#)
- [EMI \(AWEX\)](#)

US imported beef prices (CIF)		15 Feb 2019	8 Feb 2019	16 Feb 2018
Bull 95CL	US¢/lb	219.5	214.3	225.0
	A¢/kg	680.9	660.0	628.5
Cow 90CL	US¢/lb	209.5	203.0	215.5
	A¢/kg	649.9	625.2	602.0
CC/CF 85CL	US¢/lb	188.5	188.5	195.0
	A¢/kg	584.7	580.6	544.7
Shank 90CL	US¢/lb	206.5	202.0	214.0
	A¢/kg	640.5	622.1	597.8
Trim 85CL	US¢/lb	187.5	187.5	194.5
	A¢/kg	581.6	577.5	543.3
Trim 80CL	US¢/lb	176.5	174.5	168.0
	A¢/kg	547.5	537.4	469.3
Trim 75CL	US¢/lb	nq	nq	164.0
	A¢/kg	nq	nq	458.1
Trim 65CL	US¢/lb	nq	nq	nq
	A¢/kg	nq	nq	nq
Outside flats	US¢/lb	nq	nq	nq
	A¢/kg	nq	nq	nq
Knuckles	US¢/lb	240.0	227.5	242.5
	A¢/kg	744.5	700.7	677.4
Inside cap off	US¢/lb	277.5	277.5	277.5
	A¢/kg	860.8	854.7	775.2

Source: Steiner Consulting Group

