

The fourth sale of the 2016 summer season took place in Port Elizabeth today with a fairly large offering of 198 631 kg, with 98% of the offering being sold.

Although the offering consisted of some good quality mohair, trading conditions were made difficult by an unstable currency, with the most pressure being put on the adult sector.

Taking into account the stronger SA currency, the overall results were still positive, with the market indicator shedding 5% to close on R240.15 per kg, which is still 27% higher than a year ago.

A highest price of R370.00 per kg was paid for a bale of super style 25 micron kid mohair.

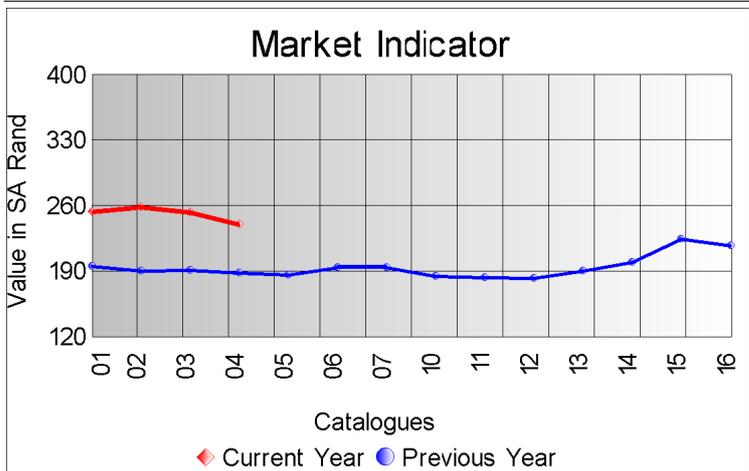
Kids (summer)	Down 4%
Young goats (summer)	Down 1%
Fine Adults	Down 2%
Strong Adults	Down 5%
Average	Down 5%

The fifth auction of the summer season will take place on 10 May 2016.

Description	Mass			Market Indicator		
	Offered	Sold	% Sold	Current	Previous	Last Year
Kids						
Summer	23,057.0	20,765.3	90.06	310.64	325.15	343.25
Winter					321.57	
Young Goats						
Summer	49,419.2	48,907.9	98.97	286.20	289.18	247.48
Winter					278.28	
Adults						
Fine	54,175.6	53,807.6	99.32	257.46	262.33	190.93
Strong	48,780.3	48,780.3	100.00	235.97	248.27	168.80
Total	198,631.6	195,460.6	98.40	240.15	253.28	188.28

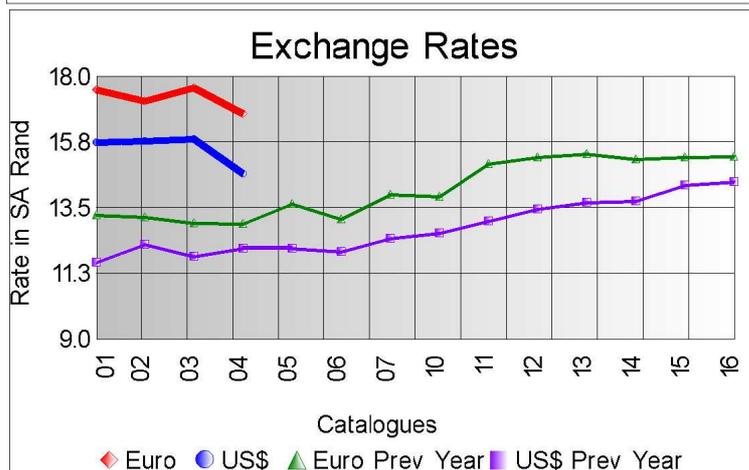
The grand total includes Seady/Stain & Locks not represented in this report

Description	Sold				Offered	
	Bales	Nett Mass	Value	Avg. Price	Bales	Nett Mass
Kids						
Long (A/B) Summer	32	3,928.4	1,255,317.80	319.55	39	4,681.2
Long (A/B) Winter						
Medium (C) Summer	68	8,344.4	2,573,122.31	308.37	78	9,609.1
Medium (C) Winter						
Short (D) Summer	63	7,839.1	2,309,161.83	294.57	66	8,113.3
Short (D) Winter						
Washing (E) Summer	5	653.4	104,796.76	160.39	5	653.4
Washing (E) Winter						
Seady/Stain and Locks	20	2,456.2	412,307.25	167.86	20	2,456.2
Summer Total	168	20,765.3	6,242,398.70	300.62	188	23,057.0
Winter Total						



Description	Sold				Offered	
	Bales	Nett Mass	Value	Avg. Price	Bales	Nett Mass
Young Goats						
Long (A/B) Summer	179	22,670.7	6,551,554.00	288.99	181	22,899.7
Long (A/B) Winter						
Medium (C) Summer	161	20,427.4	5,897,473.10	288.70	163	20,709.7
Medium (C) Winter						
Short (D) Summer	46	5,671.8	1,588,670.51	280.10	46	5,671.8
Short (D) Winter						
Washing (E) Summer	1	138.0	24,840.00	180.00	1	138.0
Washing (E) Winter						
Seady/Stain and Locks	41	5,590.7	1,104,262.75	197.52	41	5,590.7
Summer Total	387	48,907.9	14,062,537.61	287.53	391	49,419.2
Winter Total						

Description	Sold				Offered	
	Bales	Nett Mass	Value	Avg. Price	Bales	Nett Mass
Adults						
Long (A/B) Fine	83	11,022.1	2,931,883.09	266.00	83	11,022.1
Long (A/B) Strong	151	20,857.9	4,961,559.30	237.87	151	20,857.9
Medium (C) Fine	259	34,886.8	8,960,169.48	256.84	259	34,886.8
Medium (C) Strong	186	25,367.6	5,995,634.95	236.35	186	25,367.6
Short (D) Fine	59	7,784.7	1,946,594.58	250.05	59	7,784.7
Short (D) Strong	16	2,271.8	521,619.70	229.61	16	2,271.8
Washing (E) Fine	1	114.0	15,390.00	135.00	4	482.0
Washing (E) Strong	2	283.0	56,600.00	200.00	2	283.0
Seady/Stain and Locks	113	15,152.6	2,484,493.88	163.96	113	15,152.6
Fine Total	402	53,807.6	13,854,037.15	257.47	405	54,175.6
Strong Total	355	48,780.3	11,535,413.95	236.48	355	48,780.3



Buyers Analysis	Bales
SAFIL SA	137
Samil (Pty) LTD	578
Stucken & Co (Pty) LTD	577
Mosenthals Wool & Mohair SA (Pty) LTD	212
New England Wool SA	47
Le Lean Fibres CC	
Standard Wool (SA) CC	