

The first sale of the 2020 summer season took place in Port Elizabeth today, 11 February 2020, with 62 850 kg on offer.

Although the offering of the first sale is always mixed and varied in length, the buyers actively competed for the small quantity of mohair on offer.

The good competition for mohair combined with a weaker South African currency resulted in a 4% increase in the average market indicator in comparison to the last winter sale of 2019 to close on R227,73 p/kg.

A Highest price of R532.10 p/kg was paid for a bale of average style 22 micron kid mohair.

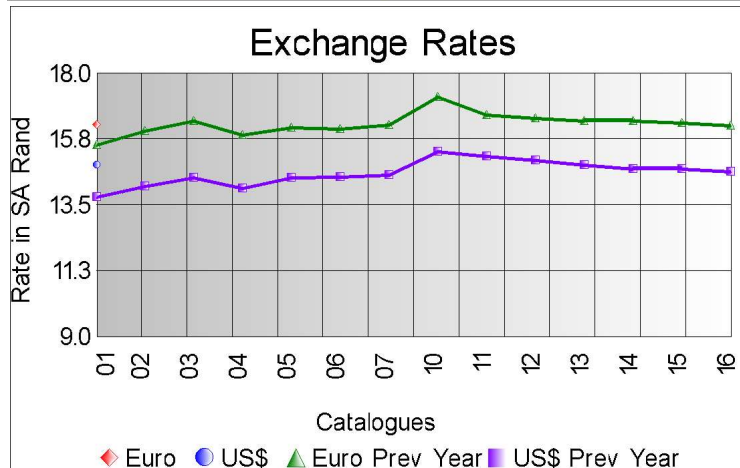
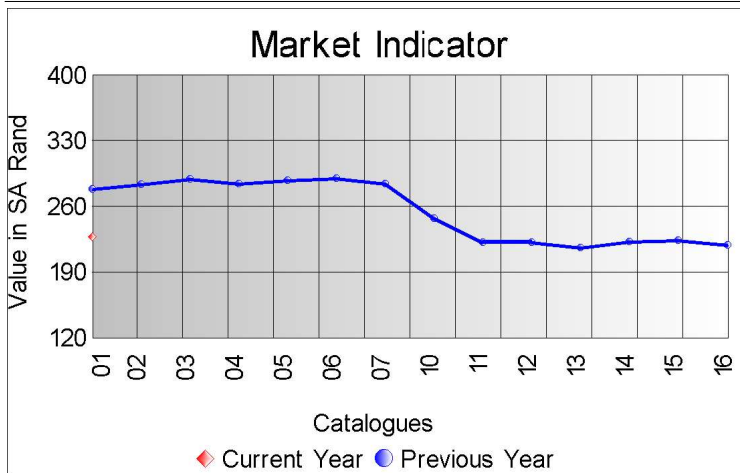
Compared to the previous sale, the prices were as follows:

Kids (summer)	Up 2%
Young Goats (summer)	Up 3%
Fine Adults	Up 6%
Strong Adults	Up 2%
Average	Up 4%

The second sale of the 2020 summer season will take place on 5 March 2020.

Description	Mass			Market Indicator		
	Offered	Sold	% Sold	Current	Previous	Last Year
<b>Kids</b>						
Summer	6,103.2	5,982.6	98.02	426.12		460.09
Winter	209.0	209.0	100.00		417.76	
<b>Young Goats</b>						
Summer	9,548.8	9,446.8	98.93	269.40		353.26
Winter					261.55	
<b>Adults</b>						
Fine	28,321.3	25,153.3	88.81	219.59	207.16	278.56
Strong	7,299.6	6,713.6	91.97		193.06	267.38
<b>Total</b>	<b>62,849.7</b>	<b>58,623.1</b>	<b>93.28</b>	<b>227.73</b>	<b>218.97</b>	<b>278.98</b>

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



Description	Sold				Offered	
	Bales	Nett Mass	Value	Avg. Price	Bales	Nett Mass
<b>Kids</b>						
Long (A/B) Summer	7	887.8	445,027.50	501.27	7	887.8
Long (A/B) Winter	1	115.0	48,369.00	420.60	1	115.0
Medium (C) Summer	22	2,707.5	1,342,025.77	495.67	23	2,828.1
Medium (C) Winter	1	94.0	45,120.00	480.00	1	94.0
Short (D) Summer	15	1,916.3	912,330.03	476.09	15	1,916.3
Short (D) Winter						
Washing (E) Summer	4	471.0	105,130.00	223.21	4	471.0
Washing (E) Winter						
Seady/Stain and Locks	4	565.1	93,963.71	166.28	4	565.1
Summer Total	48	5,982.6	2,804,513.30	468.78	49	6,103.2
Winter Total	2	209.0	93,489.00	497.05	2	209.0

<b>Young Goats</b>						
Long (A/B) Summer	28	3,523.6	1,210,371.60	343.50	28	3,523.6
Long (A/B) Winter						
Medium (C) Summer	35	4,452.7	1,500,576.42	337.00	36	4,554.7
Medium (C) Winter						
Short (D) Summer	11	1,470.5	482,193.20	327.91	11	1,470.5
Short (D) Winter						
Washing (E) Summer						
Washing (E) Winter						
Seady/Stain and Locks	10	1,259.4	212,563.18	168.78	10	1,259.4
Summer Total	74	9,446.8	3,193,141.22	338.01	75	9,548.8
Winter Total						

<b>Adults</b>						
Long (A/B) Fine	60	8,274.8	2,013,920.99	243.38	69	9,658.8
Long (A/B) Strong	15	2,077.1	420,473.15	202.43	15	2,077.1
Medium (C) Fine	106	14,240.4	3,406,545.38	239.22	118	15,880.4
Medium (C) Strong	25	3,216.5	652,323.60	202.81	29	3,802.5
Short (D) Fine	16	2,215.1	487,006.05	219.86	17	2,359.1
Short (D) Strong	9	1,292.0	242,896.00	188.00	9	1,292.0
Washing (E) Fine	3	423.0	66,364.10	156.89	3	423.0
Washing (E) Strong	1	128.0	18,560.00	145.00	1	128.0
Seady/Stain and Locks	71	9,293.3	1,043,692.50	112.31	73	9,543.3
Fine Total	185	25,153.3	5,973,836.52	237.50	207	28,321.3
Strong Total	50	6,713.6	1,334,252.75	198.74	54	7,299.6

<b>Clean Market Indicator</b>			
Kids	508.31	Strong Adults	0.00
Young Goats	324.97	Average	0.00
Fine Adults	259.04		

<b>Buyers Analysis</b>			
	Bales		Bales
Suedwolle Group	13	Mosenthals Wool & Mohair	75
Samil (Pty) LTD	146	New England Wool SA	6
Stucken & Co (Pty) LTD	220	Tianyu SA (Pty) Ltd	