

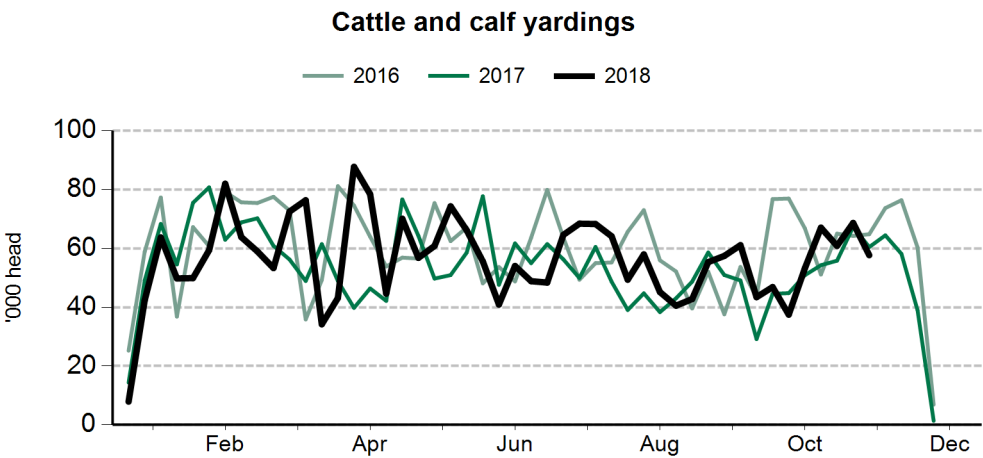
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Cattle movements

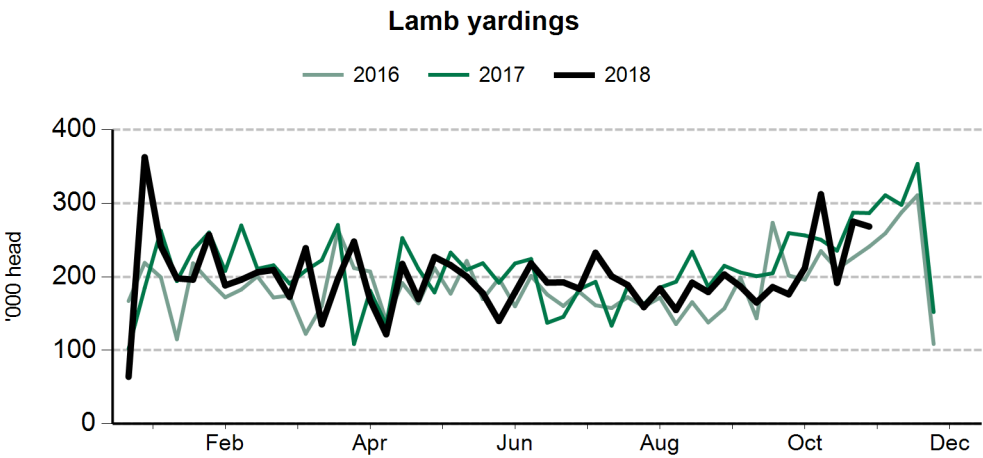
Cattle saleyard throughput		23 Nov 2018	16 Nov 2018	24 Nov 2017
Queensland	Cattle	18,087	20,858	17,581
NSW	Cattle	18,214	25,488	25,194
Victoria	Cattle	12,881	14,399	10,694
SA	Cattle	4,034	3,726	2,087
WA	Cattle	4,412	4,073	4,782
Tasmania	Cattle	55	105	110

Cattle slaughter		23 Nov 2018	16 Nov 2018	24 Nov 2017
Queensland	Cattle	68,533	68,549	64,984
	Calves	193	118	138
NSW	Cattle	34,657	34,937	31,829
	Calves	2,347	1,002	1,462
Victoria	Cattle	24,024	26,503	22,522
	Calves	614	997	1,058
SA	Cattle	6,009	4,777	7,335
	Calves	nq	nq	14
Tasmania	Cattle	4,833	5,042	4,535
	Calves	68	370	141

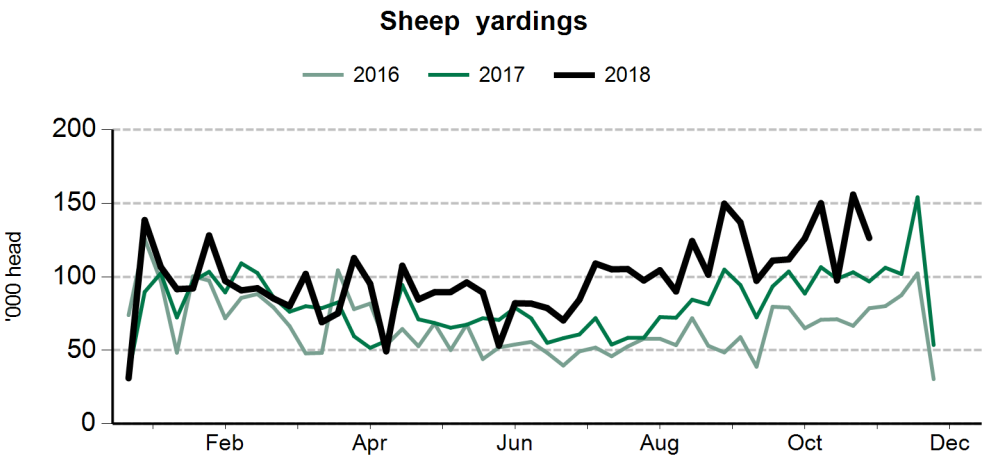


Smallstock movements

Sheep and lamb saleyard throughput		23 Nov 2018	16 Nov 2018	24 Nov 2017
NSW	Lambs	102,433	128,920	106,650
	Sheep	62,196	95,587	40,800
Victoria	Lambs	118,269	101,305	123,659
	Sheep	38,690	38,383	30,445
SA	Lambs	32,276	30,585	40,259
	Sheep	5,074	4,269	5,362
WA	Lambs	14,925	13,934	15,214
	Sheep	19,783	16,839	19,464
Tasmania	Lambs	410	250	850
	Sheep	650	800	800



Sheep and lamb slaughter		23 Nov 2018	16 Nov 2018	24 Nov 2017
Victoria	Lambs	212,228	204,496	205,615
	Sheep	76,104	78,328	46,991
NSW	Lambs	102,511	97,612	104,436
	Sheep	61,526	63,613	50,130
SA	Lambs	59,869	60,730	79,139
	Sheep	22,115	19,874	23,934
Queensland	Lambs	310	121	125
	Sheep	3,838	4,944	2,167
Tasmania	Lambs	7,102	9,177	9,852
	Sheep	2,501	1,939	1,925

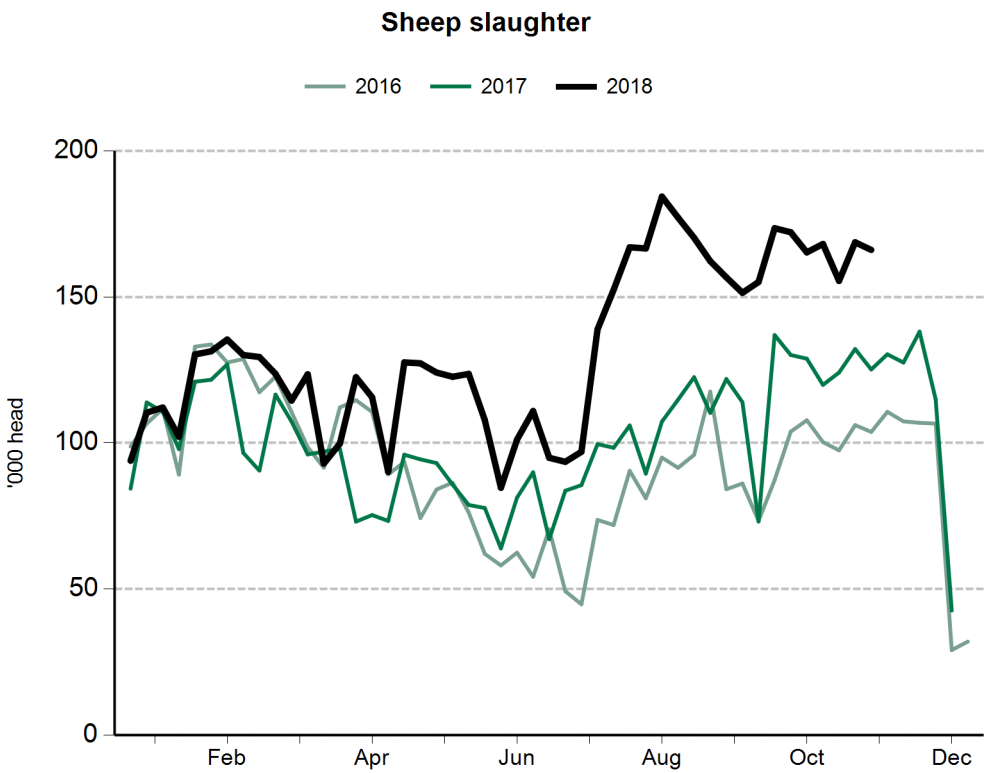
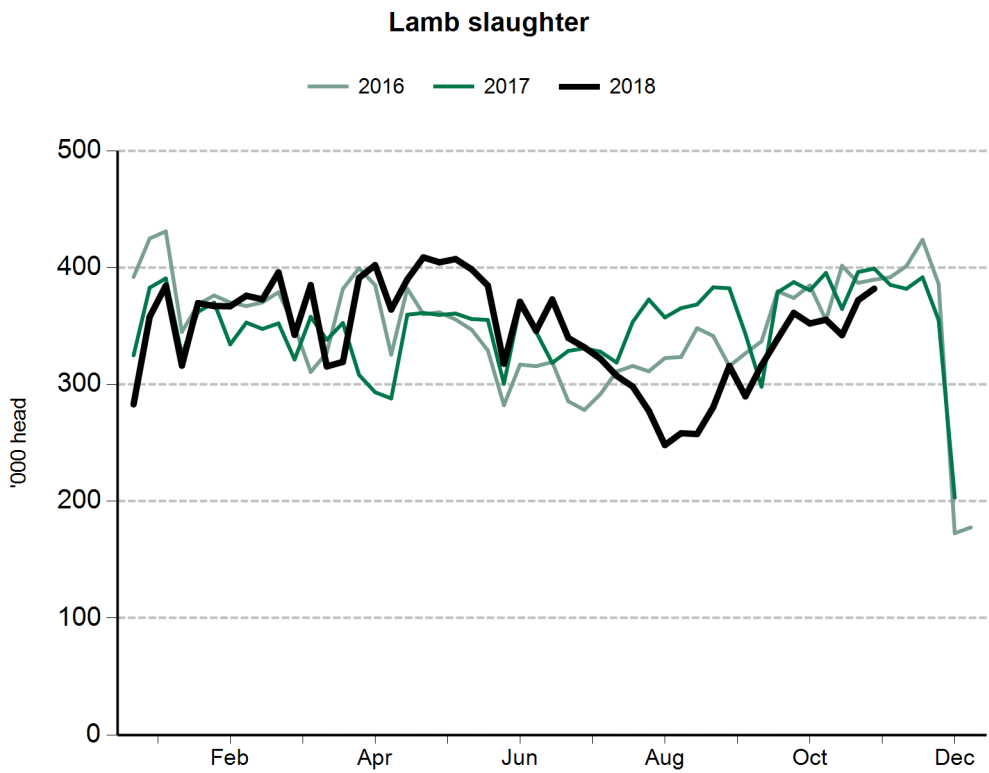
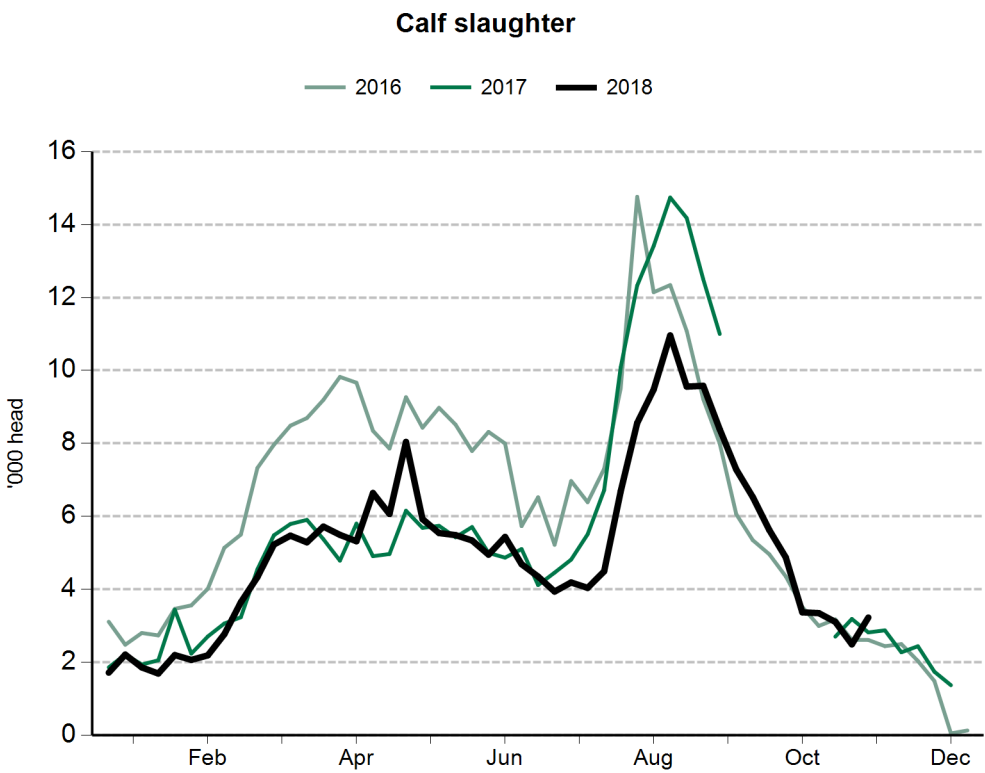
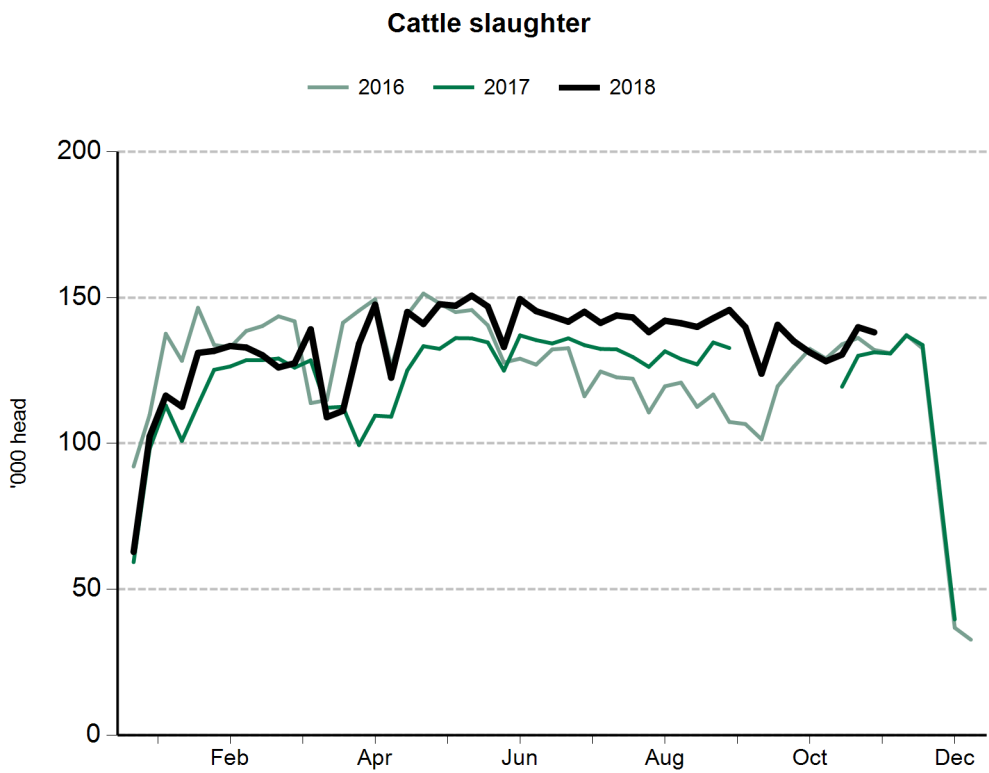
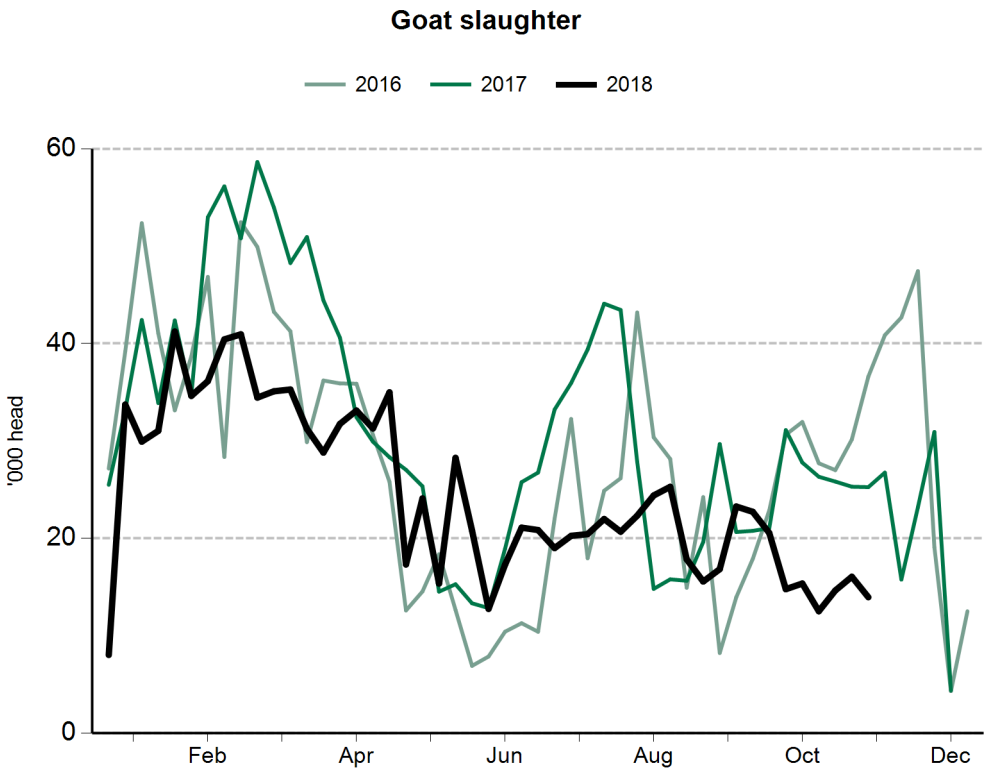


Prices & Markets

Statistics for the week ending

Tuesday, November 27, 2018

Goat slaughter		23 Nov 2018	16 Nov 2018	24 Nov 2017
Queensland	Goats	4,308	4,352	8,348
NSW	Goats	1,274	962	1,246
Victoria	Goats	5,433	5,664	7,691
SA	Goats	2,922	5,066	7,962
Tasmania	Goats	nq	nq	nq



Cattle prices

National saleyard indicators	Live weight	Muscle/Fat	Unit	27 Nov 2018	20 Nov 2018	28 Nov 2017
Restocker Steer	200-280kg	C2	¢/kg lwt	293	295	360
Feeder Steer	330-400kg	C2	¢/kg lwt	299	300	313
Vealer Steer	280-330kg	C2	¢/kg lwt	290	295	321
			¢/kg cwt	561	577	616
Trade Steer	330-400kg	C3	¢/kg lwt	280	285	295
			¢/kg cwt	535	531	549
Medium Steer	400-500kg	C3	¢/kg lwt	273	283	289
			¢/kg cwt	514	532	535
Heavy Steer	500-600kg	C4	¢/kg lwt	292	301	273
			¢/kg cwt	535	545	501
Medium Cow	400-520kg	D3	¢/kg lwt	210	209	220
			¢/kg cwt	436	433	454
Eastern Young Cattle Indicator (EYCI)			¢/kg cwt	523.75	526.00	582.75

Eastern states OTH indicators	Carcase weight	Muscle	Unit	30 Nov 2018	23 Nov 2018	1 Dec 2017
Trade steer	240-260kg	A-C	¢/kg cwt	503	503	470
Medium steer	260-280kg	A-C	¢/kg cwt	515	515	481
Heavy steer	300-400kg	A-C	¢/kg cwt	524	524	490
Medium cow	260-280kg	A-E	¢/kg cwt	393	395	406
MSA trade steer	240-260kg	A-C	¢/kg cwt	547	547	497

Feeder cattle indicators - paddock sales		23 Nov 2018	16 Nov 2018	24 Nov 2017
Domestic	Unit			
Steers 280-350kg	¢/kg lwt	295	296	317
Heifers 280-350kg	¢/kg lwt	276	278	300
Export	Unit			
Shortfed 100-120 DOF	¢/kg lwt	315	314	296
Mediumfed 120-220 DOF	¢/kg lwt	325	325	320
Longfed 220+ DOF	¢/kg lwt	322	320	320

State saleyard indicators				Queensland			NSW			Victoria			SA			Tasmania		
Category	Live weight	Muscle/Fat	Unit	27 Nov 2018	20 Nov 2018	28 Nov 2017	27 Nov 2018	20 Nov 2018	28 Nov 2017	27 Nov 2018	20 Nov 2018	28 Nov 2017	27 Nov 2018	20 Nov 2018	28 Nov 2017	27 Nov 2018	20 Nov 2018	28 Nov 2017
Restocker Steer	200-280kg	C2	¢/kg lwt	300	304	366	269	272	338	268	224	269	nq	nq	nq	nq	nq	nq
Feeder Steer	330-400kg	C2	¢/kg lwt	306	308	318	299	297	311	266	258	287	209	236	294	nq	nq	nq
Vealer Steer	280-330kg	C2	¢/kg lwt	272	278	321	299	281	325	253	251	309	253	254	303	nq	nq	nq
			¢/kg cwt	524	534	617	566	538	610	468	469	575	497	506	570	nq	nq	nq
Trade Steer	330-400kg	C3	¢/kg lwt	286	317	320	277	294	307	275	275	285	272	265	271	nq	nq	268
			¢/kg cwt	520	577	582	513	542	565	507	511	531	543	498	534	nq	nq	496
Medium Steer	400-500kg	C3	¢/kg lwt	296	290	298	267	294	286	275	273	280	265	257	272	nq	230	nq
			¢/kg cwt	558	536	543	501	554	540	514	512	522	487	490	504	nq	442	nq
Heavy Steer	500-600kg	C4	¢/kg lwt	304	310	276	290	297	272	279	286	267	nq	nq	nq	nq	nq	nq
			¢/kg cwt	546	553	503	546	544	501	516	533	497	nq	nq	nq	nq	nq	nq
Medium Cow	400-520kg	D3	¢/kg lwt	229	233	223	201	207	216	189	198	220	nq	208	nq	181	182	199
			¢/kg cwt	473	480	460	420	435	451	391	409	445	nq	433	nq	399	396	415

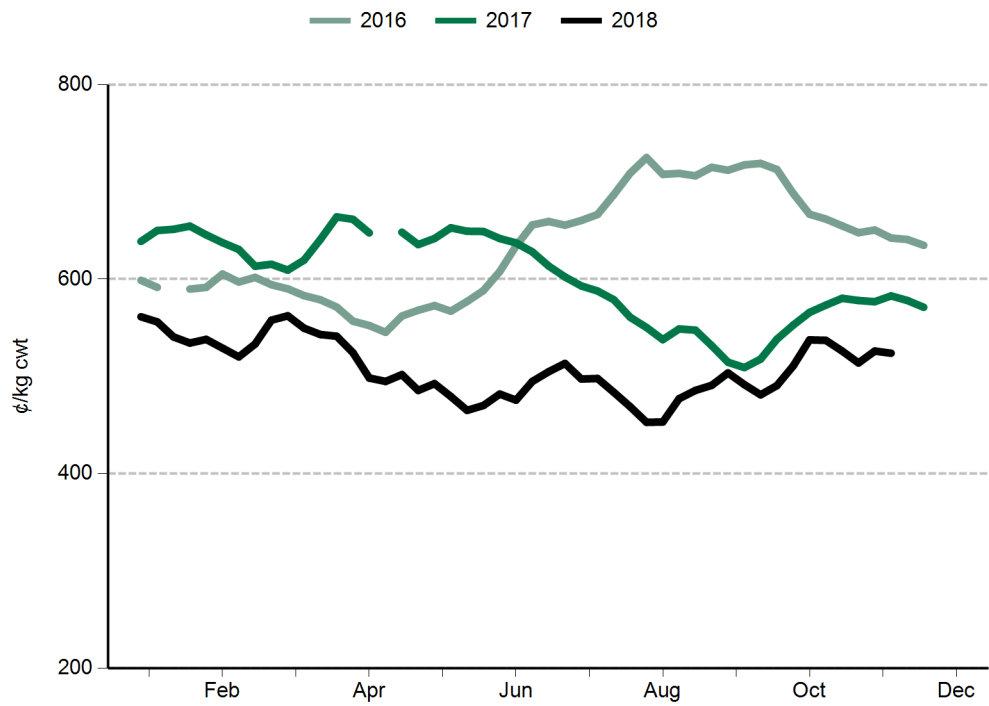
State over-the-hooks indicators				Queensland			NSW			Victoria			SA			Tasmania		
Category	Carcase weight	Muscle	Unit	30 Nov 2018	23 Nov 2018	1 Dec 2017	30 Nov 2018	23 Nov 2018	1 Dec 2017	30 Nov 2018	23 Nov 2018	1 Dec 2017	30 Nov 2018	23 Nov 2018	1 Dec 2017	30 Nov 2018	23 Nov 2018	1 Dec 2017
Trade steer	240-260kg	A-C	¢/kg cwt	544	544	492	507	507	474	508	508	486	nq	nq	nq	452	452	427
Medium steer	260-280kg	A-C	¢/kg cwt	543	543	492	506	506	468	497	497	483	nq	nq	nq	nq	nq	nq
Heavy steer	300-400kg	A-C	¢/kg cwt	553	553	502	516	516	478	503	503	489	nq	nq	nq	nq	nq	nq
Medium cow	260-280kg	A-E	¢/kg cwt	452	451	424	409	409	395	376	378	409	382	388	404	347	347	397
MSA trade steer	240-260kg	A-C	¢/kg cwt	556	556	507	538	538	495	nq	nq	nq	nq	nq	490	nq	nq	nq

WA saleyard indicators			Unit	27 Nov 2018	20 Nov 2018	28 Nov 2017
WYCI			¢/kg cwt	576	549	585
Medium Steer			¢/kg lwt	276	272	271
Medium Cow			¢/kg lwt	193	177	194

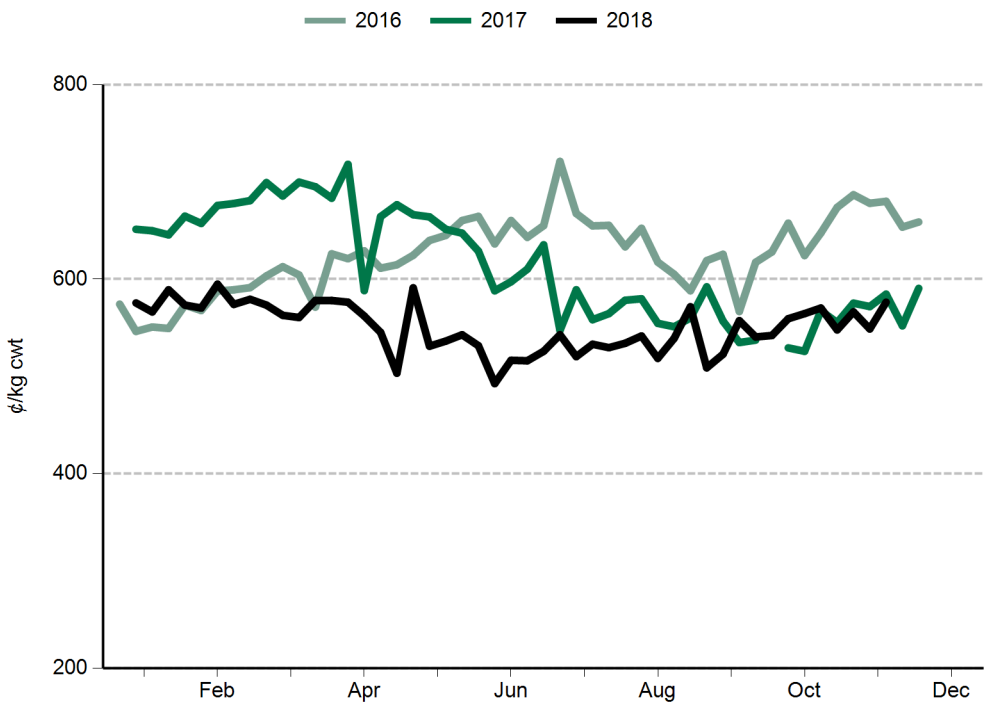
WA over-the-hooks indicators			Unit	30 Nov 2018	23 Nov 2018	1 Dec 2017
Grassfed yearling			¢/kg cwt	520	520	490
Grainfed yearling			¢/kg cwt	548	548	539
MSA yearling			¢/kg cwt	565	565	528

Live Export Price Quotes			Unit	23 Nov 2018	16 Nov 2018	24 Nov 2017
Light Steer	260 - 360 kg	Townsville	¢/kg lwt	300	300	320
	260 - 360 kg	Darwin	¢/kg lwt	325	310	330
Light Heifer	260 - 360 kg	Townsville	¢/kg lwt	270	270	290
	260 - 360 kg	Darwin	¢/kg lwt	300	290	305

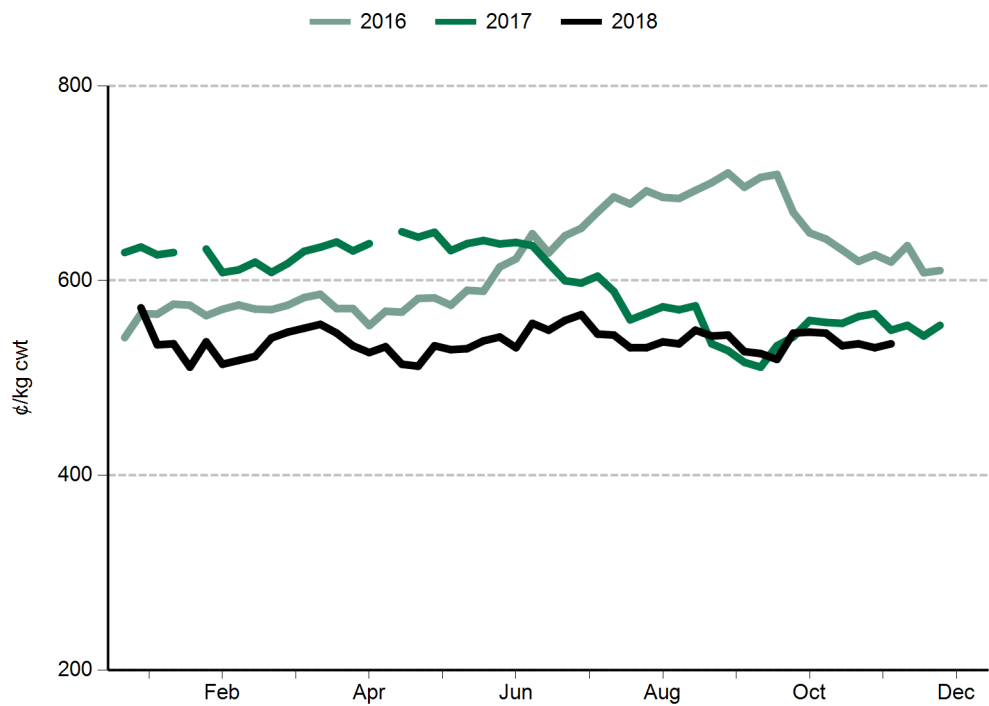
Eastern Young Cattle Indicator (EYCI)



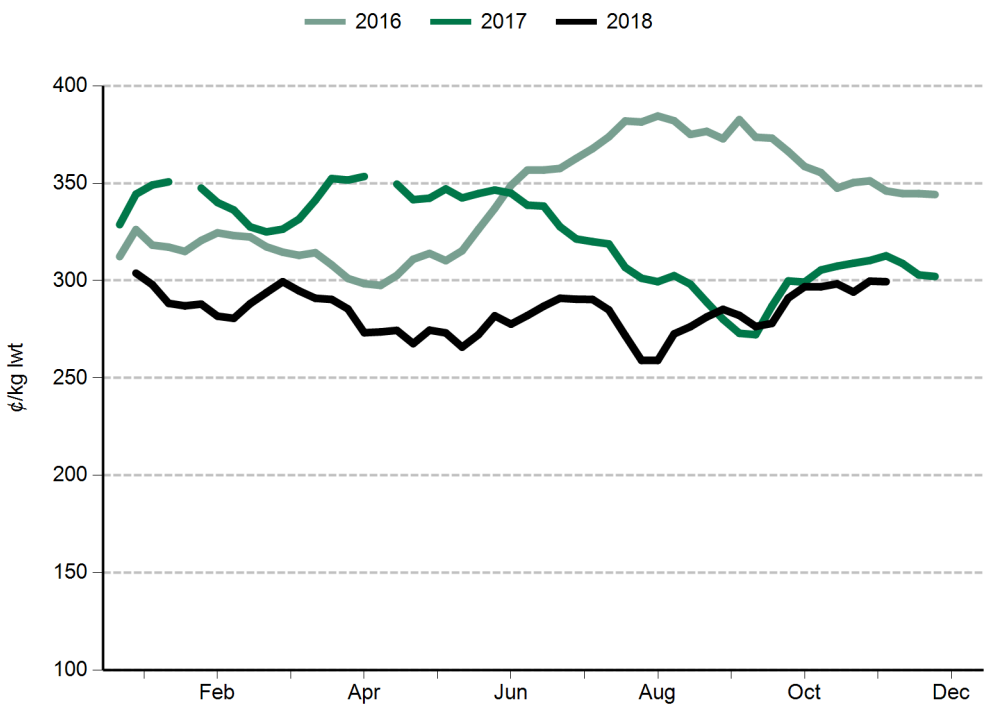
Western Young Cattle Indicator (WYCI)



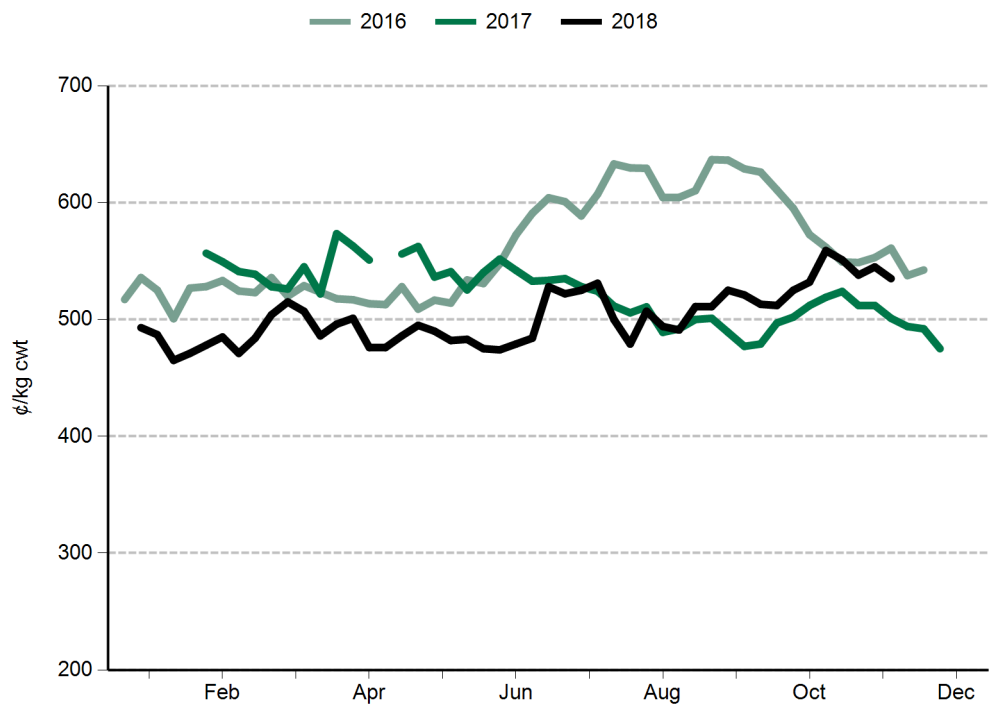
Trade steer



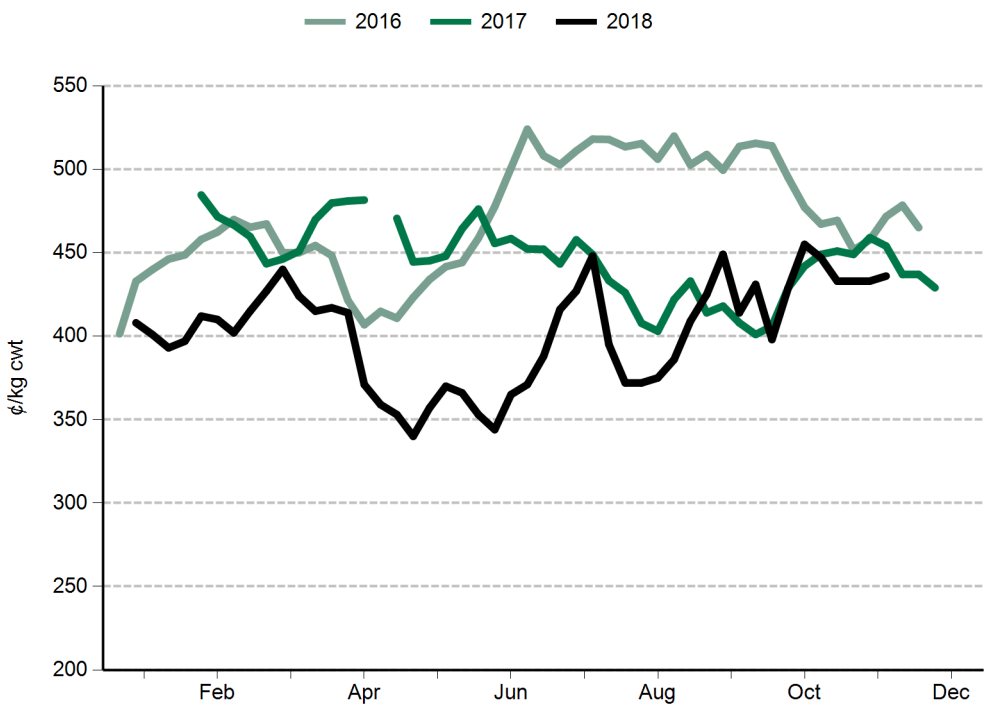
Feeder steer



Heavy steer



Medium cow



Sheep and lamb prices

Eastern States Trade Lamb Indicator (¢/kg cwt)		27 Nov 2018	20 Nov 2018	28 Nov 2017
ESTLI		691	689	617

National saleyard sheep and lamb indicators (¢/kg cwt)		27 Nov 2018	20 Nov 2018	28 Nov 2017
Merino lamb	16-22kg	617	614	567
Restocker/feeder lamb	0-18kg	702	713	678
Light lamb	12-18kg	672	664	635
Trade lamb	18-22kg	689	686	613
Heavy lamb	22+kg	700	695	611
Mutton	18-24kg	431	415	445

National OTH sheep and lamb indicators (¢/kg cwt)		30 Nov 2018	23 Nov 2018	1 Dec 2017
Medium trade lamb	18-20kg	682	676	603
Heavy trade lamb	20-22kg	682	676	603
Heavy lamb	22-24kg	684	683	605
Mutton	18-24kg	398	393	397

State saleyard sheep and lamb indicators (¢/kg cwt)		Victoria			NSW			SA			WA			Tasmania		
		27 Nov 2018	20 Nov 2018	28 Nov 2017	27 Nov 2018	20 Nov 2018	28 Nov 2017	27 Nov 2018	20 Nov 2018	28 Nov 2017	27 Nov 2018	20 Nov 2018	28 Nov 2017	27 Nov 2018	20 Nov 2018	28 Nov 2017
Merino lamb	16-22kg	606	590	545	630	620	580	616	608	537	603	618	477	nq	nq	nq
Restocker/feeder lamb	0-18kg	699	645	668	714	737	699	710	790	655	583	588	508	742	nq	691
Light lamb	12-18kg	675	656	638	678	663	637	692	728	652	633	636	539	735	nq	600
Trade lamb	18-22kg	679	682	612	709	696	626	684	702	590	658	639	578	662	675	582
Heavy lamb	22+kg	690	689	607	728	709	625	683	696	590	645	605	564	650	645	547
Mutton	18-24kg	404	418	471	460	420	460	336	361	345	421	406	358	439	367	433

Over-the-hooks sheep and lamb indicators (¢/kg cwt)		Victoria			NSW			SA			WA			Tasmania		
		30 Nov 2018	23 Nov 2018	1 Dec 2017	30 Nov 2018	23 Nov 2018	1 Dec 2017	30 Nov 2018	23 Nov 2018	1 Dec 2017	30 Nov 2018	23 Nov 2018	1 Dec 2017	30 Nov 2018	23 Nov 2018	1 Dec 2017
Medium trade lamb	18-20kg	696	686	607	727	727	635	693	680	607	610	610	563	nq	nq	nq
Heavy trade lamb	20-22kg	696	686	607	727	727	635	693	680	607	610	610	563	nq	nq	nq
Heavy lamb	22-24kg	700	695	610	727	727	635	700	700	607	610	610	570	nq	nq	nq
Mutton	18-24kg	423	408	420	410	410	400	400	395	426	360	360	340	nq	nq	nq

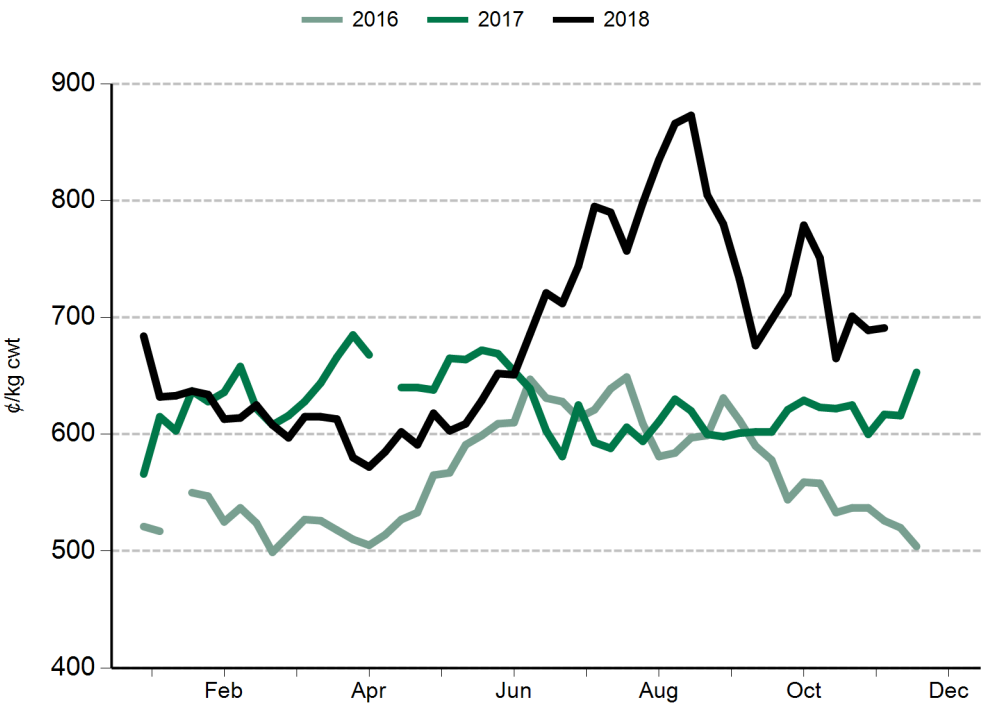
Live export price quotes (A\$/head)		27 Nov 2018	20 Nov 2018	28 Nov 2017
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Glossary:

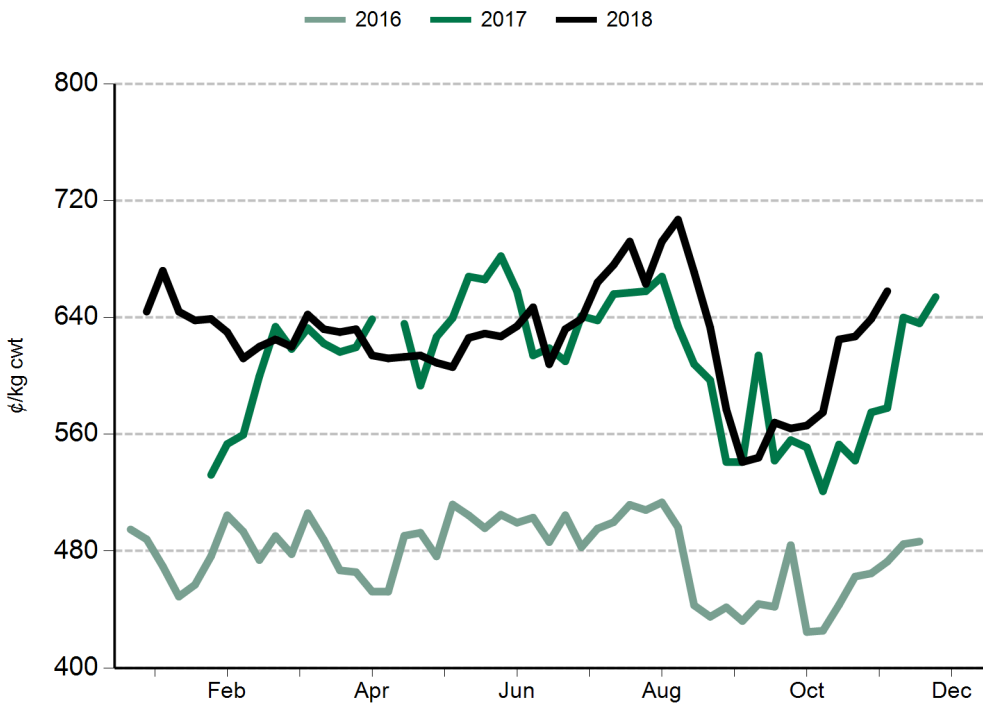
- cwt** – carcase weight
- lwt** – live weight
- OTH** – over-the-hooks. Refers to the marketing of cattle/sheep/lambs directly from the farm to an abattoir where a producer is paid for the value of the carcase based on a sliding grid.
- CIF** – Cost, insurance, freight. The quoted price for the goods 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.

All data is collected by MLA's NLRS, unless specified otherwise.

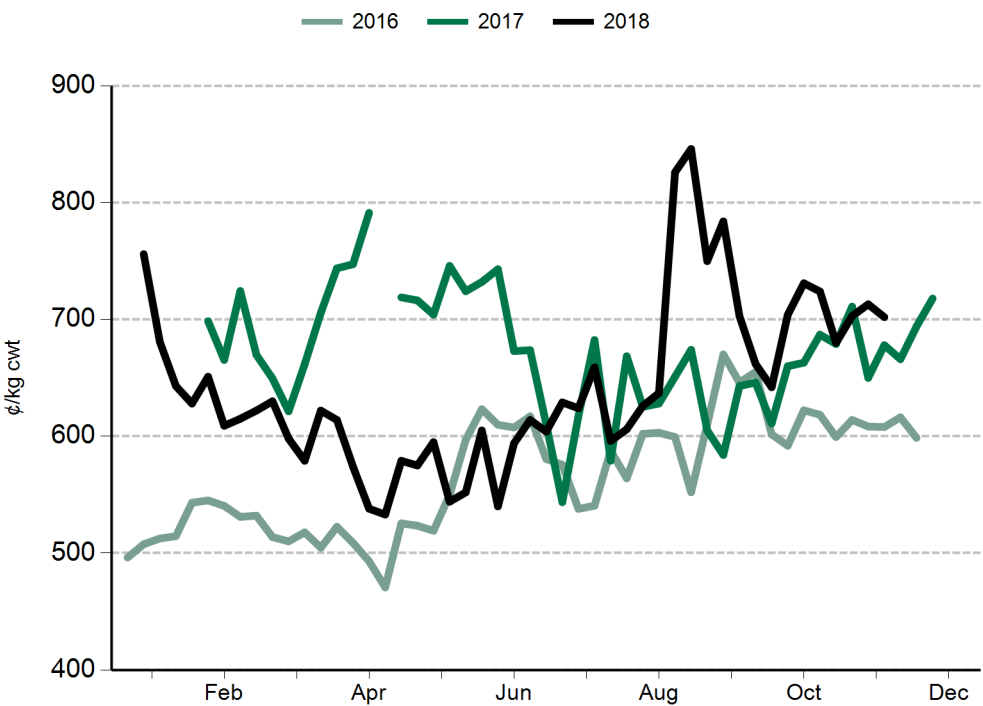
Eastern States Trade Lamb Indicator (ESTLI)



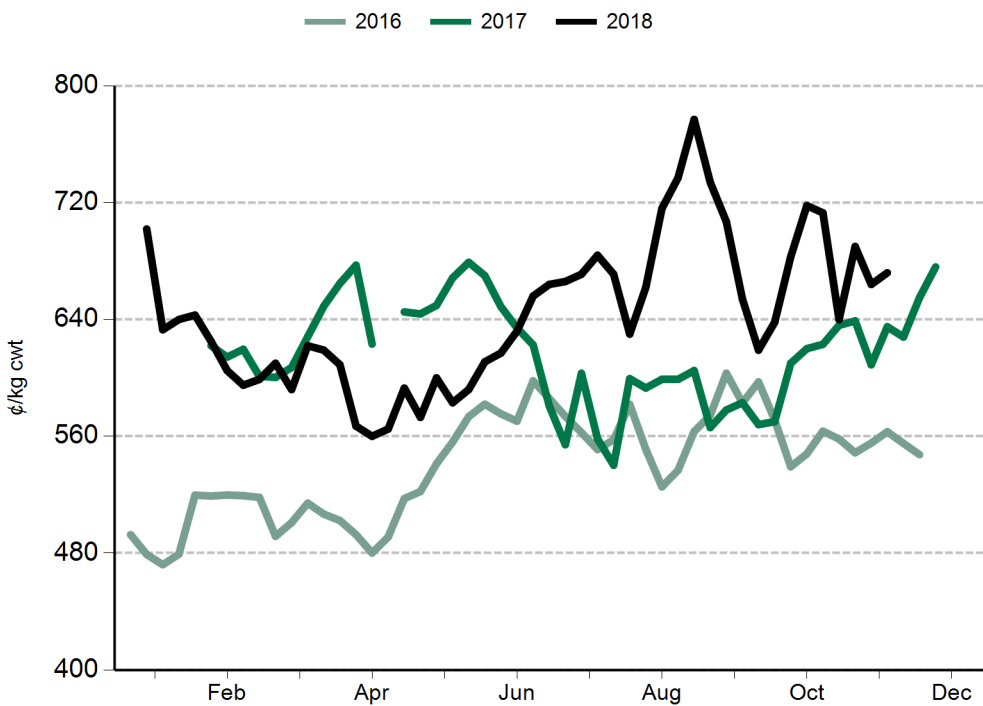
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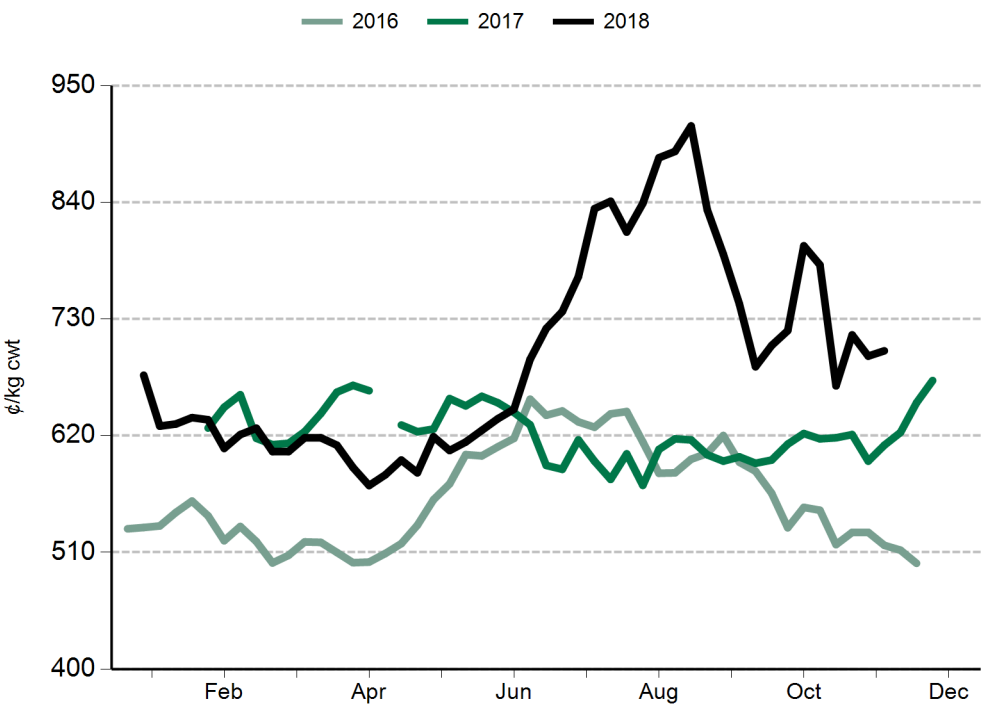
Restocker lamb



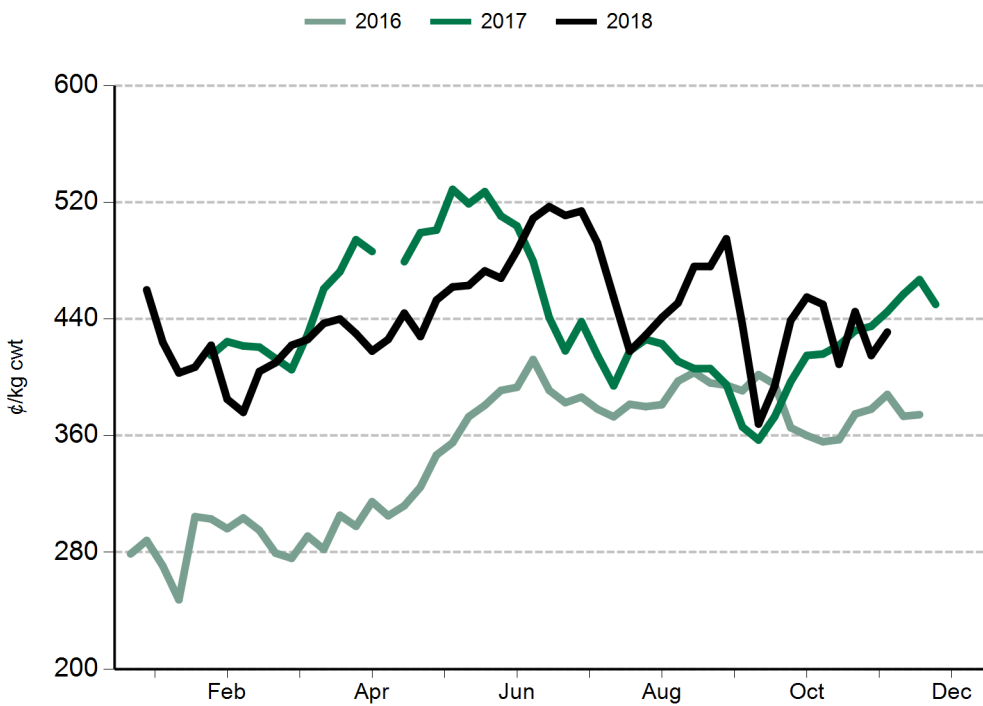
Light lamb



Heavy lamb

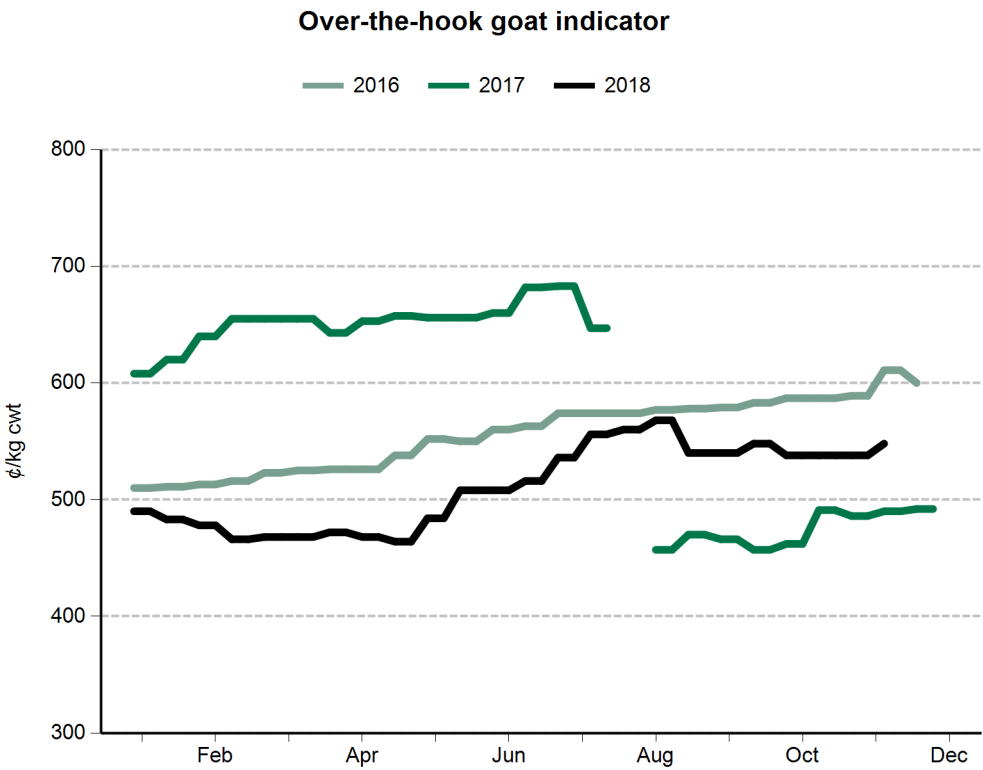


Mutton



General statistics

Over-the-hooks goat indicators (A¢/kg cwt)		30 Nov 2018	16 Nov 2018	1 Dec 2017
8.1-10kg		548	538	490
10.1-12kg		548	538	490
12.1-16kg		548	538	490
16.1-20kg		548	538	490
20.1kg+		548	538	490
Skin indicators - Lambs		23 Nov 2018	16 Nov 2018	24 Nov 2017
2" +	16.1 - 20kg	413	413	450
	20.1 - 24kg	563	575	606
	24.1kg +	700	725	781
1" - 2"	16.1 - 20kg	400	400	400
	20.1 - 24kg	600	600	525
	24.1kg +	675	675	738
0.5" - 1"	16.1 - 20kg	175	200	200
	20.1 - 24kg	300	367	350
	24.1kg +	425	450	525
New Season	16.1 - 20kg	438	438	550
	20.1 - 24kg	650	675	863
	24.1kg +	825	825	1150
Skin indicators - Merino sheep (average 25 micron)				
1.5" - 2"	16.1 - 20kg	900	900	1100
	20.1 - 24kg	1050	1050	1200
	24.1kg +	1175	1175	1400



Grain prices - Darling Downs (A\$/tonne)		23 Nov 2018	16 Nov 2018	24 Nov 2017
Wheat		435	432	325
Barley		400	418	316
Sorghum		354	367	290
Grain prices - Riverina (A\$/tonne)				
Wheat		407	415	247
Barley		360	380	232
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)		23 Nov 2018	16 Nov 2018	24 Nov 2017
Bull 95CL	US¢/lb	196.3	196.0	228.0
	A¢/kg	596.2	595.3	661.8
Cow 90CL	US¢/lb	185.5	184.5	210.0
	A¢/kg	563.4	560.4	609.6
CC/CF 85CL	US¢/lb	170.5	170.0	190.5
	A¢/kg	517.9	516.3	553.0
Shank 90CL	US¢/lb	184.5	183.5	209.0
	A¢/kg	560.4	557.3	606.7
Trim 85CL	US¢/lb	168.5	168.5	189.5
	A¢/kg	511.8	511.8	550.1
Trim 80CL	US¢/lb	160.5	159.5	169.0
	A¢/kg	487.5	484.4	490.6
Trim 75CL	US¢/lb	165.5	156.5	nq
	A¢/kg	502.7	475.3	nq
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	242.5	242.5	250.0
	A¢/kg	736.5	736.5	725.7
Inside cap off	US¢/lb	272.5	272.5	282.5
	A¢/kg	827.7	827.6	820.0
Source: Steiner Consulting Group				

