380 Wethers

Lot Id	White PIC tag off ear, square notch end near ear.
A/c	Burbidge Farms 220 Sunday Ridge Road, SIMPSON, VIC
PIC Number(s)	3CEXK212
Accreditation(s)	LPA
Agent	NUTRIEN AG SOLUTIONS WAGGA WAGGA

Average Weight	**At Assessment 04/11/2021**	**At Est Kill/Del Date 10/11/2021 (6 days)**
Live	57.5 kgs	54.6 kgs based on -5% Del. Adj.
Dressed	23.0 kgs (Est. Av. Drs. 40%)	23.0 kgs
	2 Hrs off feed	Live weight gain 0 grams/day
Weight Range	45 kgs to 71 kgs Liveweight	43 kgs to 67 kgs Liveweight

Breeds

		Sire	Dam
100 %	Pure	Merino	Merino

Ext. Breed: Vendor bred, pure Merino wethers with principally Poll Merino genetics used.

Age: 4 - 4 Years
Age Breakup: One mark wethers,
August-September 2017 drop

Assessment: Individual on 04/11/2021 Sampled: 115 Head (30%)

Weight Class	Weight Range		Fat Scores			Totals
			1	2	3	
	Dressed	Live	0-5	6-10	11-15	
18	16.1 -18.0	40-45	1%	0%	0%	**1%**
20	18.1 -20.0	45-50	8%	3%	0%	**11%**
22	20.1 -22.0	50-55	10%	11%	2%	**23%**
24	22.1 -24.0	55-60	8%	24%	3%	**35%**
26	24.1 -26.0	60-65	2%	17%	3%	**22%**
28	26.1 -28.0	65-70	2%	2%	3%	**7%**
30	28.1 -30.0	70-75	0%	1%	0%	**1%**
Totals			**31%**	**58%**	**11%**	**100%**

Comment on Fat Score 1 Sheep: Wethers are in very good condition and are healthy and strong. Majority of one score sheep are in forward store condition. Can foresee no issues in travelling any distance required.

Mulesed	Yes
Pain Relief	No
Shearing Info	Shorn 21 Oct 2021 Not Crutched
Wool Length	10% 0 - 0.25" 90% 0.25 - 0.5"
Majority Length	10 Millimetres
Degree Burr	Very Light Type: Clover only
Degree Seed	Very Light Type: Barley grass (very light)
Wool Cut	Year 2020 Result 5 kgs
Micron Test	Year 2020 Result 16.5 micron
Yield	Year 2020 Result 74.9 %
Shedding Breed Contact	No known contact with shedding breeds
Skin Comment	Skins are strong and healthy. Excellent soft skin, some dags on small percentage, and hocks were unshorn due to mud. Note, some ridges due to cover comb use. Burbidge Farms shear all their own sheep by platform shearing.
Wool Comment	Soft white, high quality wool. These wethers would have been classed on wool performance from mid-side sampling as 1 year old wethers. They were classed in to be retained as wool cutters. October 2020 cut 5kgs of 16.5 micron, Yld = 74.9
Vendor Bred	Yes

Stock History	4 year old Merino wethers (white tags), 'Connemara' bred & blood, Classed in, wool growing wethers bred from an extremely well managed and profitable fine wool operation. Wethers were transferred to Burbidge Farms southwest Victorian block in 2019.
Bloodlines	'Connemara' bred & blood. Genetics sourced and introduced based on the highest indexing fine wool Merino Sires available on the MerinoSelect Database
Grazing Conditions	Improved pastures comprising predominantly phalaris & ryegrass. Returned same
Introduced Sheep	Rams Only have been introduced onto the consignment property in the last 5 years
Footrot	All consigned sheep are from a flock that is free of Virulent Footrot Consigned sheep are from a flock that is NOT free of Benign Footrot or Scald Further Information: Wethers have been running in typically wet climate with an average rainfall in excess of 32". This year has been quoted to be one of the "wettest in 50 years". Prolonged period running in wet & muddy pastures can lead to some lameness in sheep. Feet were inspected at assessment. Inspected 10 head (3%) Comments: Make up and shape of feet are very good. As expected, some sheep displayed slight redness due to prolonged periods in wet & muddy pastures. Did not detect any scald, but the very odd wether was soft on feet due to mud or dampness.
Lice	All consigned sheep are from a flock that is free of Lice
Health Declaration	A National Sheep Health Declaration will be provided at Delivery AT BUYER REQUEST
JD Approved Vaccinates	Sheep are JD Approved Vaccinates. Vendor has been continuously vaccinating all retained lambs in the flock for 17 years
Other JD Management	Only rams with known health status have been introduced onto property other than vendor bred stock.
Other Health Information	The nature and top class management of the Burbidge Farms properties means that sheep health & biosecurity is paramount in their operation.
Vendor Comments	Wool results are all flock averages for 2020 shearing. Buying an excellent line of wethers that were classed in on wool performance.

Wrinkle Score	
Light	30%
Medium	70%

Assessor Comments	Offering a quality draft of 380 fine wool, Merino wethers (of total of 760, run out the gate). Wethers present in principally forward condition and are genuine, classed in wool cutters that produce high class, fine Merino wool. They are predominantly medium frame with approx 30% smaller frame. Having just come through one the wettest winters in the area in memory, these wethers have come out of the wool exceptionally well and continue to do. Bred from a high performing and very profitable fine wool operation they are an ideal article to take on with proven productivity in almost all conditions. With vendor offering a total of 760 one mark, 4yo, vendor bred Merino wethers this sale, it represents a terrific opportunity to acquire a quality line of proven performance sheep (2 lots x 380 run out the gate).
Assessor	**Nick Maddison (Level 1 Accredited)** Parallel Assessed By : Sandy Robinson
Delivery Period	10/11/2021 to 16/11/2021 (7 days)
Delivery Point	Property is located approx 6km northwest of Simpson & 22km south of Cobden.
Agent Contact	**Nick Maddison** Mobile 0447 991 236 Work (03) 5562 3777 Email nick.maddison@nutrien.com.au
Trucking Access	No B-double access available at this point
Delivery Comments	24 hours notice required.
Trading Terms	Nutrien terms & conditions of sale. Payment prior to delivery may be required if purchaser is not settling through recognised agency.
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Sale Types	$/Head
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