

# South Island Price Update

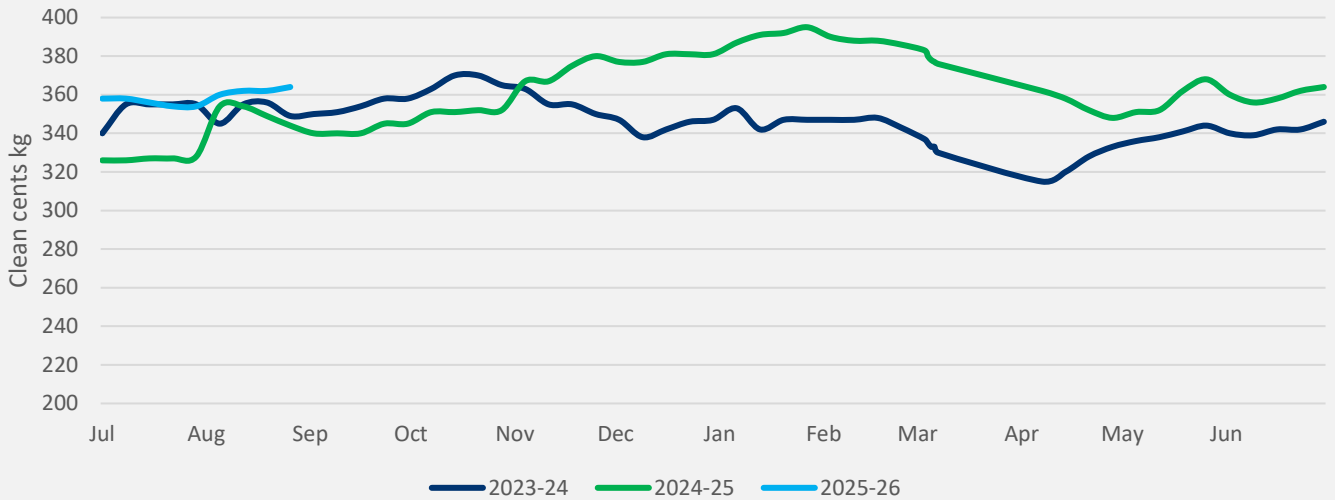
**Sale Date:** 28/08/2025  
**Sale Number:** C09  
**Movement compared with sale:** 14/08/2025  
**Next South Island Sale Date:** 11/09/2025

**83%**  
SOLD

**0.5830**  
NZD/USD

**↑ 2c**  
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South Island Strong Wool Indicator (SWI)



Crossbred Fleece	Avg Price Kg Cln
GOOD STYLE	NC \$3.76
AVERAGE STYLE	↑ 1% \$3.61
INFERIOR STYLE	NC \$3.47

Crossbred Second Shear	Avg Price Kg Cln
50-100mm Length - GOOD STYLE	NC \$3.50
50-100mm Length - AVERAGE STYLE	N/A
50-100mm Length - INFERIOR STYLE	N/A

Crossbred Oddments	Avg Price Kg Cln
	↓ 2% \$3.02

NC = No Change | N/A = Not Available

Merino Fleece, Best Topmaking	Change	Price
16 Micron	↑ 3%	\$21.45
17 Micron	↑ 6%	\$19.80
18 Micron	↑ 5%	\$17.60
19 Micron	↑ 5%	\$17.15

Mid-Micron	Change	Price
Hbd Fleece (28 Mic)	↓ 4%	\$5.54
Hbd Hog (23 Mic)	NC	\$12.40
Hbd Fleece (25 Mic)	NC	\$9.50
Hbd Fleece (30 Mic)		\$4.95



The first fine wool offering for the season saw buyers struggle to meet challenging grower expectations, especially for sub 16 micron wools despite the market opening dearer compared to the last fine wool offering in NZ since February.

The balance of wool types on offer were largely unchanged, proving resilience in the mid micron market after steady lifts from recent sales.

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