

# South Island Price Update

**Sale Date:** 26/02/2026  
**Sale Number:** C35  
**Movement compared with sale:** 12/02/2025

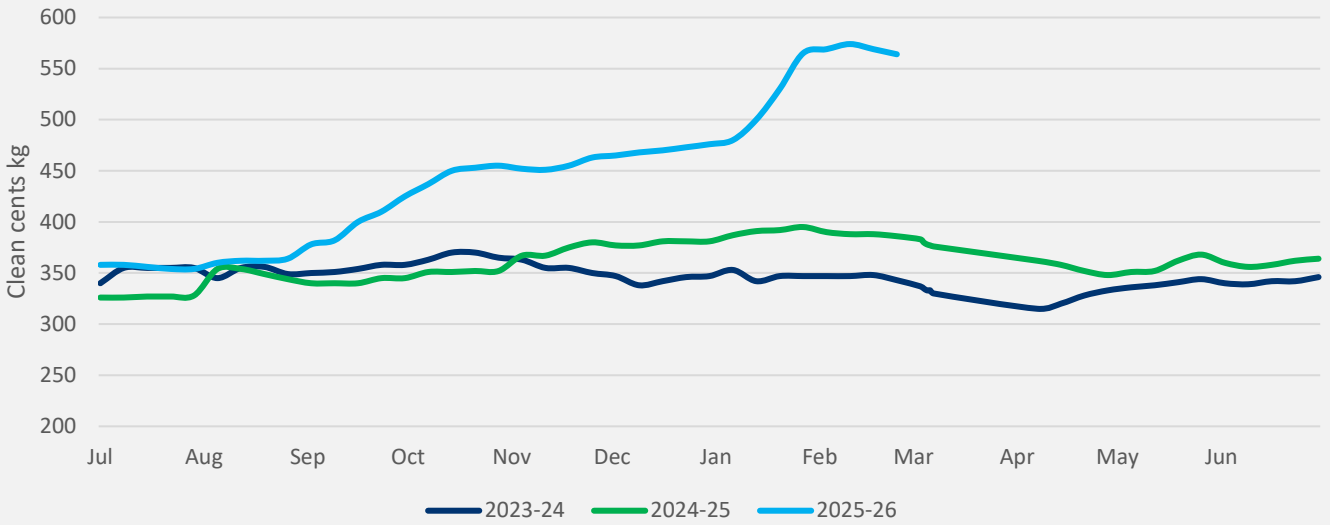
**Next Sale Date:** 12/03/2026

**96%**  
SOLD

**0.5960**  
NZD/USD

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South Island Strong Wool Indicator (SWI)



Crossbred Fleece			Crossbred Second Shear		
	Avg Price Kg Cln				
GOOD STYLE	↓ 1%	\$5.69	50-100mm Length - GOOD STYLE	↓ 1%	\$5.44
AVERAGE STYLE	↓ 2%	\$5.55	50-100mm Length - AVERAGE STYLE	↓ 1%	\$5.33
INFERIOR STYLE	↓ 2%	\$5.42	50-100mm Length - INFERIOR STYLE		N/A
Crossbred Lambs Wool - Good colour			Crossbred Oddments		
28 Micron		N/A		↓ 3%	\$4.80
29 Micron	↓ 1%	\$5.50	Mid-Micron		
30 Micron	↓ 2%	\$5.42	Hbd Fleece (28 Mic)	↓ 2%	\$8.85
31 Micron	↓ 2%	\$5.37	Hbd Hog (23 Mic)		N/A
32 Micron	↓ 2%	\$5.35	Hbd Fleece (25 Mic)		N/A
			Hbd Fleece (30 Mic)		N/A

NC = No Change | N/A = Not Available



The market saw prices largely level off after significant increases in recent sales for most wool types and styles. Buyers were more measured in their selection of wool types to meet current demand. Comment from most traders and manufacturers that a period of consistent pricing at current levels will add confidence along the wool pipeline. The sale today also saw the last of the merino wool been offered for the season. Prices reflected the upwards movements from the recent sales from Australia.

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