

St. Onge-Newell Sheep Yards Auction - Newell, SD AMS Livestock, Poultry, & Grain Market News South Dakota Dept of Ag Mrkt News

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Livestock Weighted Average Report for 9/18/2025 - Final

AUCTION			
	This Week	Last Reported 9/11/2025	Last Year
Total Receipts:	6,922	1,875	9,784
Feeder Sheep/Lambs:	3,722(53.8%)	1,245(66.4%)	4,032(41.2%)
Slaughter Sheep/Lambs:	1,081(15.6%)	538(28.7%)	1,229(12.6%)
Replacement Sheep/Lambs:	2,119(30.6%)	92(4.9%)	4,523(46.2%)

Compared to last week: Lambs 50-70lbs, sharply higher on a light test from last weeks showing; 70-80lbs, 3.00 lower; 80-90lbs, mostly steady; 90-110lbs, 3.00-5.00 lower. Slaughter Ewes were trending lower on comparable weights and type. Very good demand for a nice offering of lambs at today's Annual Replacement Ewe, Ewe Lamb and Feeder Lamb Special. Market activity was good, with buyers on the internet and in the seats, including several new ones. A very nice offering of replacement ewes sold on good demand after lunch, with the stands packed with both buyers and producers. Replacement ewes have not been well tested for a comparison as of yet. Heavy rains in the area made for muddy conditions and many of the lambs were showing some tag. The next sale is September 25, and will be a Feeder Lamb Special. Supply included: 54% Feeder Sheep/Lambs (97% Lambs, 3% Hair Breeds); 16% Slaughter Sheep/Lambs (98% Ewes, 1% Hair Ewes, 1% Bucks); 31% Replacement Sheep/Lambs (100% Ewes).

FEEDER SHEEP/LAMBS

LAMBS - Medium and Large 1-2 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

	Avg Price	Price Range	<u>Avg Wt</u>	Wt Range	<u>Head</u>
	254.04	252.00-257.50	44	43-45	86
	261.12	258.00-270.00	55	54-57	184
	238.04	233.00-254.00	66	63-69	322
	226.94	220.00-231.00	74	71-77	369
Buck Lambs	207.00	207.00	77	77	8
	226.02	214.00-235.00	85	82-89	788
	206.09	196.50-212.00	98	91-99	583
	200.84	195.00-209.00	104	100-106	668
Buck Lambs	185.00	185.00	106	106	8
	198.86	195.00-203.00	114	111-119	182
Buck Lambs	192.00	192.00	130	130	14

LAMBS - Medium and Large 2 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

<u>Head</u>	Wt Range	<u>Avg Wt</u>	Price Range	Avg Price
54	69	69	227.00	227.00
40	95	95	176.00	176.00

HAIR BREEDS - Medium and Large 1-2 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

Head Wt Range Avg Wt Price Range Avg Price

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16	74 74	196.00	196.00
84	83-88 87	180.00-181.00	180.71

SLAUGHTER SHEEP/LAMBS

<u>Head</u>	Wt Range	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	Avg Price	<u>Dressing</u>
205	169-173	173	90.00-91.00	90.91	Average

EWES - Good 4-5 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

<u>Head</u>	Wt Range	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	Avg Price	<u>Dressing</u>
7	225	225	79.00	79.00	Average

EWES - Utility and Good 1 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

<u>Head</u>	Wt Range	<u>Avg Wt</u>	Price Range	Avg Price	<u>Dressing</u>
317	151	151	84.00	84.00	Average

EWES - Utility and Good 1-2 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

<u>Head</u>	Wt Range	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	Avg Price	<u>Dressing</u>
13	151	151	82.00	82.00	Average

EWES - Utility 1 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

<u>Head</u>	Wt Range	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	Avg Price	<u>Dressing</u>
381	137-145	138	72.00-83.00	73.49	Average

EWES - Utility 1-2 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

Dressing	Avg Price	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Wt Range</u>	<u>Head</u>
Average	72.00	72.00	150	150	31

EWES - Cull 1 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

<u>Head</u>	Wt Range	<u>Avg Wt</u>	Price Range	Avg Price	<u>Dressing</u>
80	129-134	129	35.00-51.00	36.24	Average

HAIR EWES - Good 2-3 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

<u>Head</u>	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price	Dressing
8	134	134	84.00	84.00	Average

BUCKS - 1 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

<u>Head</u>	Wt Range	<u>Avg Wt</u>	Price Range	Avg Price	<u>Dressing</u>
7	209	209	79.00	79.00	Average
7	253	253	90.00	90.00	Average

REPLACEMENT SHEEP/LAMBS



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EWES - Medium and Large 1-2 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)							
<u>Age</u>	<u>Stage</u>	<u>Head</u>	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price	
<1	Ο	84	68	68	248.00	248.00	
<1	Ο	815	82-98	95	207.00-227.00	216.57	

EWES - Medium and Large 1-2 (Per Unit / Actual Wt)

<u>Age</u>	<u>Stage</u>	<u>Head</u>	Wt Range	<u>Avg Wt</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Avg Price</u>
1-2	Ο	420	106-145	128	305.00-410.00	352.94
1-2	0	133	150-174	169	360.00-410.00	389.32
2-4	0	115	128-146	143	260.00-315.00	270.18
2-4	0	27	164-183	172	245.00-260.00	251.51
4-6	Ο	667	150-181	164	150.00-250.00	182.15

Please Note:

The above USDA LPGMN price report is reflective of the majority of classes and grades of livestock offered for sale. There may be instances where some sales do not fit within reporting guidelines and therefore will not be included in the report. Prices are reported on an FOB basis, unless otherwise noted.

Explanatory Notes:

Stage (Sheep/Goats) - Represents estimated lambing/kidding period (O = open; E = Exposed; B = Bred; FALL = September to November; WIN = December to February; SPR = March to May; SUM = June to August)

Age - Numerical representation of age in years.