



# The National Council of Wool Selling Brokers of Australia Inc

## NEWSLETTER

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### From the desk of Chris Wilcox, Executive Director

- Australian wool market eases
- China's raw wool purchases
- China's exports of wool products
- Updated flystrike management publications from AWI
- REMINDER: NCWSBA Wool Broking Industry Historical Display - Opening
- Upcoming events



### Sample article

#### China's imports of raw wool lifts in September

The latest data on China's trade in raw wool and wool products shows that September saw a significant lift in imports from New Zealand, Uruguay and 'other' countries. This continued the year-on-year increase seen in August and begins to offset the large decline seen in China's imports of raw and semi-processed wool from these countries in the past 12 to 18 months. China's imports from Australia were up in September, but its imports from South Africa were well down on September 2016. The lift in China's imports from NZ and Uruguay hasn't yet offset the previous drop earlier in 2017. China's imports from 'other' countries have lifted for the year to date and is near the high seen in recent years.

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#### INDUSTRY EVENTS

**IWTO Roundtable in Cape Town**, South Africa, 7<sup>th</sup> to 8<sup>th</sup> December 2017. Click [here](#) to register.

The next meeting of the **AWPFC meeting**, will be held in Melbourne on 14<sup>th</sup> December 2017.

**IWTO 2018 Congress** in Hong Kong, 14<sup>th</sup> to 16<sup>th</sup> May 2017.

#### WOOL SALES WEEK BEGINNING 27<sup>th</sup> NOV 2017 – week 22 (roster as at 21/11/2017)

<u>Sydney</u>	
Wed, 29 <sup>th</sup> Nov; Thurs, 30 <sup>th</sup> Nov	13,944 bales
<u>Melbourne</u>	
Tues, 28 <sup>th</sup> Nov; Wed, 29 <sup>th</sup> Nov; Thurs, 30 <sup>th</sup> Nov	26,446 bales
<u>Fremantle</u>	
Wed, 29 <sup>th</sup> Nov; Thurs, 30 <sup>th</sup> Nov	11,592 bales

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