

CONVERSATION ANALYSIS

Sheep farming (or livestock in general) after subs

Livestock & Forage · 2026-09-29 to 2026-10-03

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OVERVIEW

Conversation at a glance

129

Visible contributions

3,831

Views on The Farming
Forum

423

Reactions

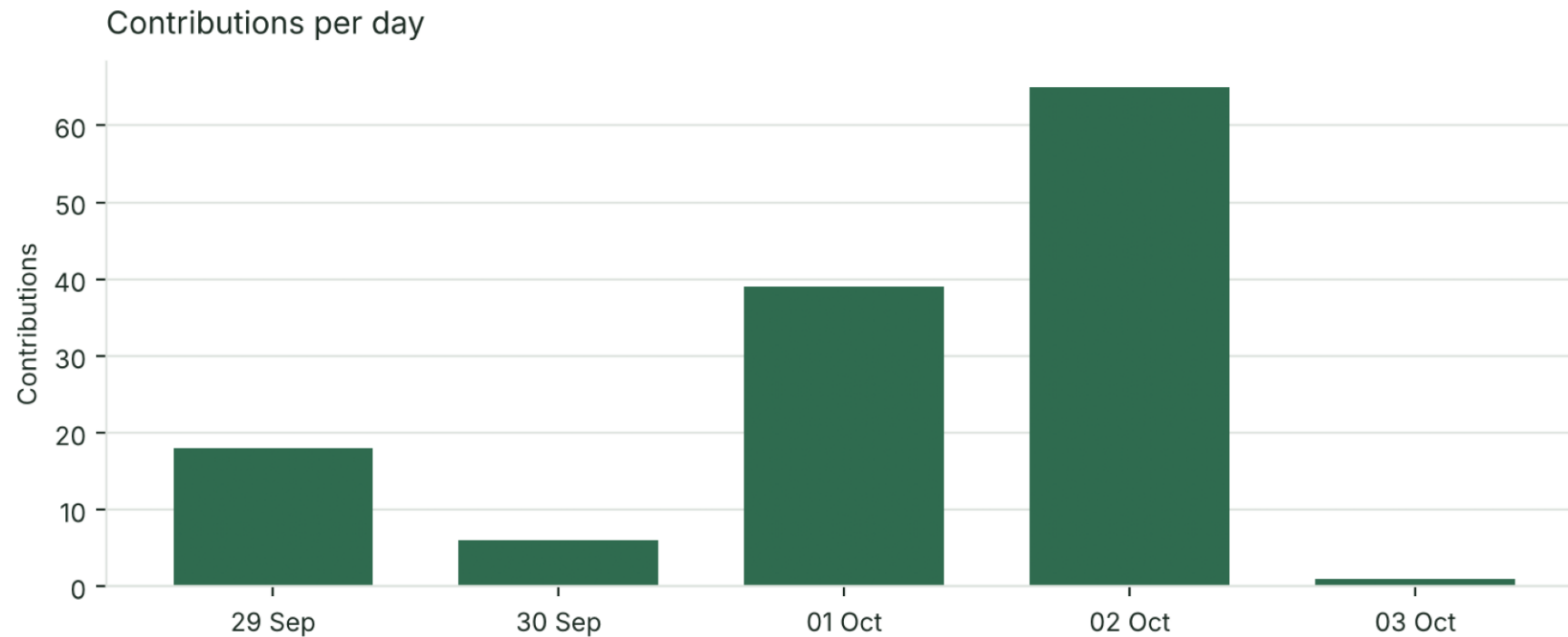
3.28

Average reactions per
contribution

- Ran over 5 active days, peaking on 2026-10-02 with 65 contributions.
- Figures describe this conversation only. They are not a representative survey of the sector.

ACTIVITY

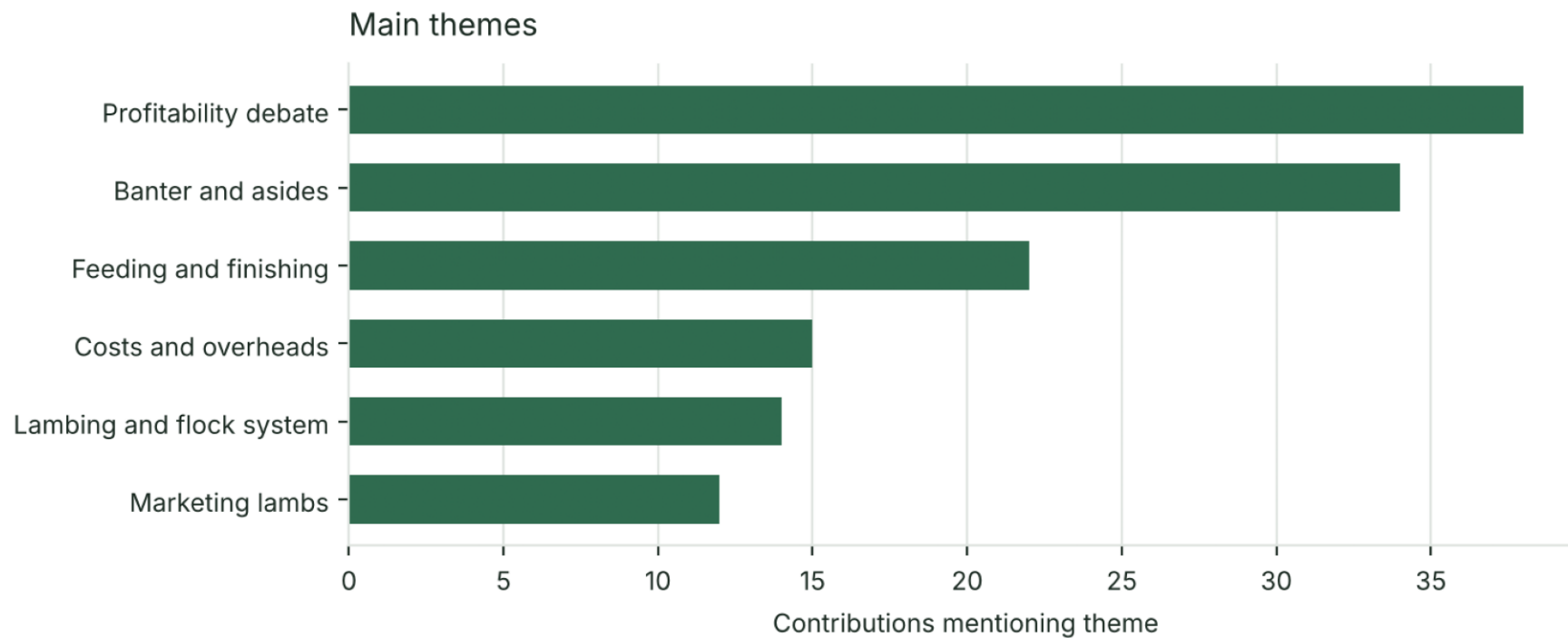
When the conversation happened



Peak day 2026-10-02 carried 65 of 129 contributions.

THEMES

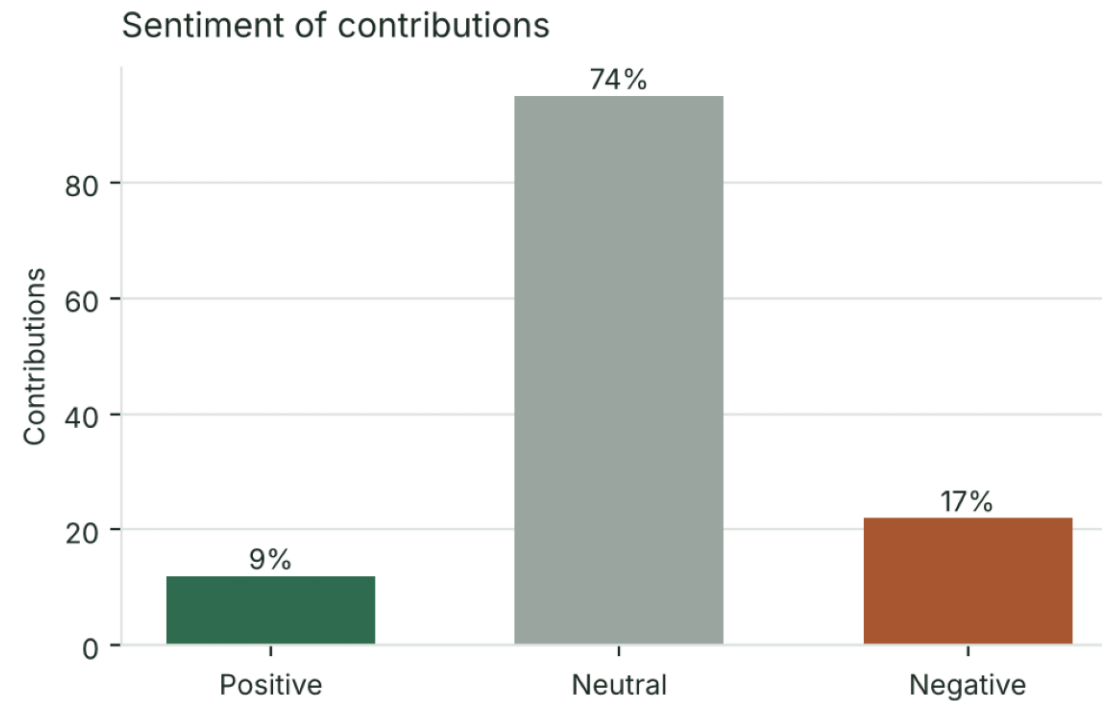
What the conversation was about



Profitability debate led with 38 contributions. Contributions may carry more than one theme, so shares do not sum to 100%.

SENTIMENT

Tone of the contributions



Sentiment describes the tone of this conversation, not the stance of UK farmers generally.

Which tone drew agreement

2.95

Average reactions on
negative contributions

3.16

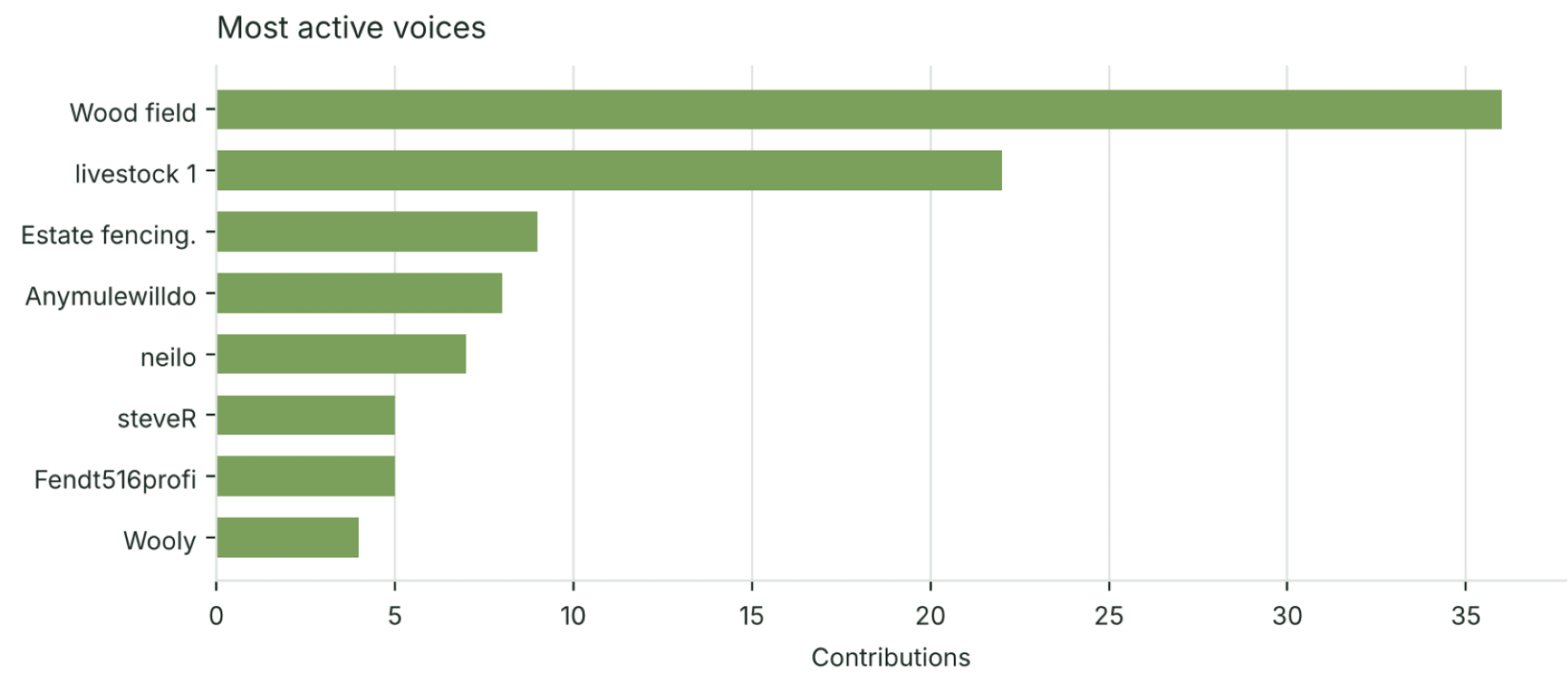
Average reactions on
neutral contributions

4.83

Average reactions on
positive contributions

— 22 negative (17.1%), 95 neutral (73.6%), 12 positive (9.3%).

Who drove the conversation



Ranked by number of contributions. Screen names as they appear on The Farming Forum.

QUOTATIONS

In their own words

"Looks to me like you've done all the right things to put you in the best position for life without subs. We're only a small farm too. Try to do as much as we can ourselves. Make sure we don't waste any feed..."

Bucks Boy · 15 reactions

"Got to disagree.... I know plenty of folk who make good money with sheep at the moment... Some are land owners but many wouldn't be Lamb price has been excellent for a few years now...just need to keep..."

Tim W · 14 reactions

"The other thing to remember is that having the farm means a lot of living costs are paid through the farm instead of from after tax income"

Aspiring Peasants · 12 reactions

SOURCE

Read the source conversation

- Sheep farming (or livestock in general) after subs
- 3,831 views · 129 visible contributions · Livestock & Forage
- <https://thefarmingforum.co.uk/index.php?threads/sheep-farming-or-livestock-in-general-after-subs.447095/>

Analysis by Agri Web Media from the complete visible conversation.

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