

A greatly increased show of 152 Cast Cows and Bulls were forward at the weekly sale at Thainstone on Thursday 3rd September. Cows in general were a much plainer show than previous weeks which resulted in trade easing back inline with the national trend. 132 cows forward topped at £1,490 twice for a British Blue Cross from Bryameadow Farm, Twatt and a Simmental Cross from Tamala, Burnside. 20 Cast Bulls sold dearer on the week to a top of £1,590 for a Charolais from Hilton of Culsh, New Deer.

36 Meat Cows topped at £1,490 and averaged £1,263.33
65 Feeding Cows topped £1,085 and averaged £880.85
19 Dairy Cows topped at £1,055 and averaged £794.74
12 Boning Cows topped at £665 and averaged £531.25
20 Cast Bulls topped at £1,590 and averaged £1,298.75

Beef Cows (101) averaged 140.7p (-9.4p) and sold to 188.6p per kg and £1,490 gross for a 790kg British Blue Cross from Bryameadow Farm, Twatt also reaching £1,490 was an 894kg Simmental Cross from Tamala, Burnside.
Dairy Cows (19) averaged 115.9p (-10.1p) and sold to 186.6p per kg for a 528kg Holstein from Howe Farm Stromness and £1,055 gross for a 666kg Holstein Friesian from Darrahill, Udney.
Boning Cows (12) averaged £531.25
Bulls (20) averaged 126.6p (+4.2p) and sold to 150.3p per kg for a 965kg British Blue from Bryameadow Farm and £1,590 gross for a 1,210kg Charolais from Hilton of Culsh, New Deer.

Leading Prices per Kg

Beef Cows: Waterside, Forbes (BBX) 186.7p; Mossie of Gight, Fyvie (Lim) 181.4p; Old Voy, Toab (BBX) 178.9p; Hilton of Culsh (LimX) 176.3p; Whiteside, Tullynessle (LimX) 170p; Crannabog, Rothienorman (LimX) 168.7p
Dairy Cows: Darrahill (HF) 158.4p & 143.6p; Mains of Glasgoforest, Kinellar 124p
Bulls: Delchirach, Ballindalloch (ChaX) 138.2p; Tister Farm, Halkirk (Cha) 136.8p; Hurtiso, Holm (AA) 136p; Muirends Croft, Munloch 134.4p

Leading Prices per Head

Beef Cows: Hilton of Culsh (LimX) £1,470; Ednie Farms, St Fergus (AAX) £1,450; Meikle Haddo, Newburgh (AAX) £1,445; Whiteside (LimX) , Milton of Collieston, Ellon (AA), Old Voy (BBX) £1,370; Nessbrek, Harray (SimX) £1,350; Stitley, Claredon (AAX) £1,290
Dairy Cows: Howe Farm (H) £985; Darrahill (HF) £965; Mains of Glasgoforest (HF) £915
Bulls: Hall Of Clestrain, Orphir (Cha) £1,570; Chapelpark, Methlick (Sim) £1,470; Bryameadow Farm (BB), Tister Farm (Cha) £1,450