

QUOYBRAE, Aberdeen & Northern Marts (13th November 2023) sold 3,146 Prime, Store, Breeding & Feeding sheep.

Prime lambs (1,438) averaged 244.1p and sold to 275p per kg for 40kg Texels from Sibmister, Castletown and £130 gross for 72kg North Country Cheviot from Bardnaclavan, Bridge of Westfield.

Store lambs (886) averaged £68.78 and sold to £100 for Beltex from Inkstack and for Cheviots from Hoy Farm Halkirk.

Breeding sheep (30) sold to £100 for Cheviot gimmers from Quoybrae Farm, Wick.

Feeding ewes and rams (792) averaged £70.34 and sold to £220 gross for a Pure Texel from Reaster, Lyth and The Shein, Hill of Forss.

Leading prices per head and kg

Prime Lambs:

NCC- BArdnaclavan £130, 246.1p; **TexX** – Balnahard £130, Sibmister 275p; **Cont** – Sibmister £127.50, Lynegar, Watten 249p; **Suf** – Bardnaclavan £127.50, Rose Cottage, Forse 259.8p; **ContX** – Balnahard, Harpsdale £125.50, Sibmister 247.9p; **SufX-** Hunster £125.50, Sibmister 255.4p; **Tex-** Newlands of Geise, Janetstown £125.50, Ackergill Mains, Ackergill 264p; **Hamp-** Upper Latheron £124.50, 244p; **Down** – Thirdpart, Isuald £123.50, Toftcarl 251.1p; **Cross** – Thirdpart, Sibmister £123.50, Swiney, Hill, Lybster 258.8p; **Chv** – Bardnaclavan £122.50, Reaster 251.1p; **Bel-** Bardnaclavan, Bridge of Westfield £124.50, Sibmister, Castletown 266.39p; **ChvX** – Isuald Farm Reay, Bardnaclavan £121.50, Sibmister 248.9p; **Cha-** Forsie, Bridge of Westfield £118.50, Murza Farm, Bower 264p; **HB-** Hunster, Bower £114.50, 248.9p; **ChaX-** Murza £113.50, Quoybrae 244p; **Blk-** Thirdpart, Watten £111.50, 247.8p; **ChvMule-** Upper Geise Janetstown £106.50, 231.5p.

Leading prices per head

Store Lambs:

Tex- Swiney Hill £95.50; **TexX-** Achairn £95; **Bel-** Burnlea £95; **Suf** – Stirkoke Mains £93.50; **Down** – Hoy Farm £93; **Suf Ewe**– Stirkoke Mains £92; **Cha-** Swiney £92; **SufX-** East Murkle, Hoy £90; **Belx-** Mavsey £90; **DownX** – Dounreay Post Office, Stirkoke Mains £91; **Chv** – Hoy £85, £82.50; **Cont** – East Murkle £84; **NCC-** Dounreay Post Office £83; **Blk-** Mavsey £81; **NCC-** Hillside, Sarclet £80; **ChvX** – Caberfeidh £79.

Feeding Ewes: **Tex** – Ackergill Mains £164.50; **TexX-** Reaster £151.50; **ChvMule-** North Calder, Thurso £144.50; **TexX-** Balnahard £135.50; **Suf** – Old Stirkoke £134.50; **SufX-** Balnahrd £126.50; **DownX-** Kirkfield £124.50; **Down-** Clachan £122.50; **Cont** – West Watten £120.50; **Chv** – Kirkfield £119.50; **Blk-** Kirkfield £119.50; **NCC-** Old Stirkoke £114.50; **ChvX** – Balnahard £114.50; **ChvMule-** Ackergill Mains £110.50; **ContX** – North Calder £109.50; **NCC-** Dounreay Post Office £99.50; **Mule-** Ackergill Mains, Upper Giese, Myrelandhorn £99.50; **Hamp-** Upper Latheron £99.50; **ChaX-** Murza £99.50; **Dor-** Anchorage £89.50; **BelX-** Todholes £71.50; **BF-** Kirkfield £65.50; **BFX-** Slickly £55.50.

Feeding Rams:

NCC- Quoys of Reiss £109.50; **Bel-** Murza £107.50; **Cont-** Murza £99.50; **Tex-** East Kirk £99.50; **Suf-** Barrock Mains, Lyth £88; **Chv-** The Hirsell £79.50; **BF-** East Durran £73.50.