

PRIME CATTLE - SALE SUMMARY

THAINSTONE, Aberdeen and Northern Marts (Thursday 1st February 2024) Sold 80 Prime Cattle.

Under 30 Month – Prime Bullocks (35) sold to 324p per kg for a 625kg Limousin cross from Boghead of Cobairdy, Forgue and £2,259.60 gross for a 840kg Limousin cross from Mill of Alvah, Alvah.

Prime Heifers (32) sold to 327p per kg for a 595kg Limousin cross from Auchmaliddie Mains, Maud and £2,241.10 gross for a 730kg Charolais cross from Cortiegram, Auchnagatt.

Young Bulls (9) sold to 314p per kg and £2,543.40 gross for a 810kg Limousin from Fodderletter, Tomintoul.

30 to 36 Month – Heifers (4) sold to 269p per kg for a 560kg Limousin from Scrabster House, Thurso and £2,048.85 gross for a 785kg Simmental cross from Southbank, Skene.

“Thainstone once again witnessed one of the largest entry of prime cattle in Scotland with 80 head forward topping at £2,543.40 (314p per kg) for a 810kg Limousin from Messrs Robertson, Fodderletter. Heifers peaked at 327p per kg for a 595kg Limousin cross from Messrs Brown, Auchmaliddie Mains and £2,241.10 for an outstanding 730kg Charolais cross from Messrs Shand, Cortiegram. While Bullocks reached a high of £2,259.60 for a Limousin cross from Messrs Davidson, Mill of Alvah and 324p per kg for a 625kg Limousin cross from Messrs Taylor, Boghead of Cobairdy, Forgue.”

Leading Prices per Kg

Under 30 Month – Prime Bullocks: Pityot, Bridge of Muchalls (ChaX) 321p; Barns of Airlie, Kirriemuir (LimX) 309p; Southbank, Skene (SimX) 303p.

Prime Heifers: Chapel of Barras Farm, Stonehaven (LimX) 324p; Middleton of Potterton, Potterton (LimX) 321p; Auchmaliddie Mains (LimX) 319p; Canina Gardens, Newmachar (LimX) 313p.

Young Bulls: Southbank (LimX) 301p; Balgairn Farm, Ballater (BB) 279p; Balthayock (Cha) 274p.

30 to 36 Month – Heifers: Southbank (SimX) 261p.

Leading Prices per Head

Under 30 Month – Prime Bullocks: Daies, Wardhouse (ChaX) £2,248; Mill of Alvah (SimX) £2,216.10; Pityot (ChaX) £2,216; Barns of Airlie (LimX) £2,194.50.

Prime Heifers: Cortiegram (ChaX) £2,133.65; Chapel of Barras Farm (LimX) £2,057.40; Middleton of Potterton (LimX) £2,022.30; Pityot (ChaX) £2,016.70.

Young Bulls: Messiegate Farm (Cha) £2,336.25; Kirkton, Mintlaw (Bsh) £2,204.20; Southbank (LimX) £2,091.95.