

Thainstone - Aberdeen & Northern Marts (Thursday 25th April 2024)

A total of 23 Cast Cows and 49 Sheep were forward from Orkney consignors with leading prices as follows.

Beef Cows

Sold to £2,010 gross for a 862kg Aberdeen Angus from D W Sinclair & Co , Unigarth, Sandwick and to 245.6p per kg for a 696kg Charolais from N & D Chalmers, Upper Lee, Stromness.

Leading Prices per Head

AA – Unigarth £1,870; Skiddy £1,770; Rennibister £1,530.

Char – Upper Lee £1,710 (2), £1,610, £1,590 & £1,550.

Sim – Rennibister £1,690; Unigarth £1,550; Upper Lee £1,490; Veltigar £1,430. **BB** – Veltigar £1,670; Rennibister £1,630.

Lim – Trondheim £1,545.

Leading prices per kg

Unigarth 243.5p; Trondheim 234.8p; Unigarth 233.1p; Veltigar 232.1p; Rennibister 228.3p & 225.3p; Upper Lee 224.2p, 221.4p & 219.2p; Skiddy 214p; Messigate 203.6p.

Young Bull

Sold to £1,605.80 gross and 259p per kg for a 620kg Simmental from Firm Paterson, Veltigar, Tankerness.

Prime Sheep (49)

Old Season Lambs

Sold to £190 gross for 53kg Texels from S J & L Foubister, Diamonds, Deerness

Leading Prices per Head

Tex – Diamonds £159.50.

Feeding Ewes

Sold to £234.50 for a Texel from Firm of Paterson, Veltigar.

Leading prices per head

Tex - £227.50 (2), £224.50, £221.50 & £217.50 Veltigar.

BF – Lochview £119.50. Shet – Tingwall £91.50.