

THAINSTONE, Aberdeen and Northern Marts (Friday 28th February 2025) Sold 858 Store Cattle, Young Bulls and Young and Weaned Calves.

“Strong forward conditioned cattle met a very strong demand with buyers hungry for more. Yearling cattle once again increased in value with many hitting the £5 per kilo. £2700 was the top call of the day for a 718kg Limousin Cross Steer from Sandy & Ian Cameron, Corse of Kinnoir. Followed by £2630 twice, firstly for a pair of 618kg Limousin Cross again from Sandy & Ian Cameron and for an Aberdeen Angus Heifer scaling 696kgs from the Stevenson Family, Burness, Firth.”

Bullocks (444) averaged 432.1p and sold to 554.9p per kg for a Pen of Five 328kg Charolais Cross from Leys Estate, Inverness and £2700 gross for a 718kg Limousin Cross from Corse of Kinnoir, Huntly.

Aberdeen-Angus Bullocks (36) averaged 400.4p and sold to 445.1p per kg for a Pair of 474kgs from Hammer Greeny, Dounby and £2300 gross for a Pen of Three 562kgs from West Bradieston, St Cyrus.

Heifers (332) averaged 420.5p and sold to 530.7p per kg for a 3578kg British Blue Cross from Maesquoy, Harray and £2600 gross for a 620kg Limousin Cross from Woodend, Auchterless.

Aberdeen-Angus Heifers (30) averaged 381.2p and sold to 433.3p per kg for a Pen of Three 450kgs from Hammer Greeny, Dounby and £2630 gross for a 696kg from Burness, Firth.

Bulls (16) sold to 387.1p per kg for a 372kg Aberdeen Angus Cross from Cullisse, Nigg and £2000 gross for a 646kg Limousin Cross from Leuchar, Anguston Road.

Leading Prices per Head

Bullocks up to 250kg – New Gelderhouse (LimX) £900, Ballaterach (SimX) £820;
251-300kg – Dalbuick (LimX) £1310, Ballaterach (SimX) £1020;
301-350kg – Leys Estate (LimX) £1840, Dalbuick (SimX) £1570, Eastside (CharX) £1510, New Gelderhouse (LimX) £1340;
351-400kg – Leys Estate (CharX) £2040, Tomnavoulin (CharX) £2000, North Auchininna (CharX) £1980, Exnaboe (CharX) £1900;
401-450kg – Campdalmore (CharX) £2300, Tomnavoulin (CharX) £2150, Norville (CharX) £2130, Skelday (Char) £2100;
451-500kg – Maesquoy (BBX) £2320, Lower Hobbister (CharX), Campdalmore (CharX) £2260, Tomnavoulin (CharX) £2250, Mid Muirton (CharX) £2200;
501-550kg – Lower Hobbister (CharX) £2330, South Breck (CharX) £2320, Campdalmore (CharX) £2310, North Crannoch (CharX), Skelday (Char) £2290;
551-600kg – Corse of Kinnoir (BBX) £2590, Little Clinterty (Lim) £2390, Little Blackpots (LimX) £2380, Culbirnie (BBX) £2290;
601-650kg – Corse of Kinnoir (Lim) £2630, West Bradieston (SimX) £2480, Strathgarry (STX), Little Clinterty (LimX) £2460, Norville (LimX) £2350;
651-700kg – Corse of Kinnoir (LimX) £2610;

701-750kg – 6 Canina Gardens (SalX) £2570.

Aberdeen-Angus Bulls up to 450kg – Hammer Greeny £1750, Bishopston £1610, Hillhead £1470;

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501-550kg – Hammer Greeny £2180, West Bradieston £2090;

551-600kg – Burnside of Pitcaple £2170, Commissarybog £2140.

Heifers up to 250kg – Ballaterach (HerX) £920;

251-300kg – Dalbuiack (LimX) £1020, Ballaterach (HerX) £990;

301-350kg – Leys Estate (LimX) £1740, Mains of Auchmedden (Char) £1570, Exnaboe (CharX) £1440, Dalbuiack (LimX) £1410;

351-400kg – Maesquoy (BBX) £1900, Tomnavoulin (CharX) £1890, Leys Estate (CharX) £1840, Exnaboe (CharX) £1660;

401-450kg – Lower Hobbister (CharX) £2200, Tomnavoulin (CharX) £2040, Crichtie (Lim) £2030, Maesquoy (LimX) £1950;

451-500kg – Cairnhead (CharX), Bush of Muldearie (LimX), Lower Hobbister (CharX) £2220, Cairnhead (CharX) £2190, Little Clinterty (Lim) £2130, Tomnavoulin (CharX) £2120;

501-550kg – Gillock Mains (LimX) £2310, Little Clinterty (LimX) £2300, Cairnhead (CharX) £2290, Mains of Allanbuie (Char) £2280;

551-600kg – Little Clinterty (LimX) £2370, Maesquoy (BBX) £2300, Commissarybog (BSHX) £2290, Yonder Bognie (CharX) £2260;

601-650kg – Hillhead (LimX) £2420, Commissarybog (LimX) £2400;

651-700kg – Little Clinterty (LimX) £2560, Woodend (LimX) £2510.

Aberdeen-Angus Heifers up to 300kg – Cullisse £1190;

351-400kg – Cullisse £1560;

401-450kg – Hammer Greeny £1950, Westshore £1440, Hillhead £1320;

451-500kg – Mains of Frendraught £1660, 2 Bogie Street £1440;

551-600kg – Netherhill £2190, Commissarybog £2140;

651-700kg – Burness £2630.

Bulls up to 300kg – Quendale (HerX) £720;

351-400kg – Cullisse (AAX) £1440;

401-450kg – Netherskaill (SimX) £1580, Hillhead Easterton (CharX), Mill of Whitehill (LimX) £1560;

451-500kg – Cullisse (AAX) £1820.

601-650kg – Leuchar (LimX) £2000.

Leading Prices per Kg

Bulls up to 250kg – Ballaterach (SimX) 379.6p; Gelderhouse (LimX) 378.2p;

251-300kg – Dalbuick (LimX), 442.6p; Ballaterach (SimX) 372.3p;

301-350kg – Leys Estate (LimX) 530.5p; Eastside (CharX) 487.1p; Dalbuiack (SimX) 448.6p; New Gelderhouse (LimX) 432.3p;

351-400kg – Leys Estate (CharX) 530.7p; Exnaboe (CharX) 510.8p; Upper Hobbister (CharX) 508.1p; North Auchininna (CharX) 507.7p;

401-450kg – Tomnavoulin (CharX) 519.3p; Campdalmore (CharX) 511.1p; Norville (CharX) 500p; Skelday (Char) 479.5p;
451-500kg – Campdalmore (CharX) 480.9p; Tomnavoulin (CharX) 480.7p; Lower Hobbister (CharX) 478.4p; Skelday (Char) 475.7p;
501-550kg – Lower Hobbister (CharX), 458.7p; South Breck (CharX) 454.9p; Skelday (Char) 452.6p; North Crannoch (CharX) 452.4p;
551-600kg – Corse of Kinnoir (BBX) 436p; Little Clinterty (Lim) 414.9p; Culbirnie (BBX) 414.9p; Blackpots (LimX) 410.3p;
601-650kg – Corse of Kinnoir (Lim) 425.6p; Little Clinterty (LimX) 405.9p; West Bradieston (SimX) 405.2p; Strathgarry (STX) 397.4p;
651-700kg – Corse of Kinnoir (LimX) 388.4p;
701-750kg – Corse of Kinnoir (LimX) 376p; 6 Canina Gardens (SAX) 362p.

Aberdeen-Angus Bullocks up to 450kg – Hammer Greeny 414.7p; Bishopston 396.6p; Hillhead 341.9p;
451-500kg – Culbirnie 415.6p; highland Croft 384.6p; Bishopston 382p; 2 Bogie Street 323.7p;
501-550kg – Hammer Greeny 432.5p; West Bradieston 414.7p;
551-600kg – West Bradieston 409.3p; Burnside of Pitcaple 388.9p; Commissarybog 374.1p.

Heifers up to 250kg – Ballaterach (HerX) 381.6p;
251-300kg – Ballaterach (HerX) 348.6p; Dalbuiack (LimX) 342.3p;
301-350kg – Leys Estate (LimX) 530.5p; Mains of Auchmedden (Char) 451.1p; Exnaboe (CharX) 433.7p; Norville (SimX) 408.8p;
351-400kg – Leys Estate (CharX) 491.6p; Tomnavoulin (CharX) 472.5p; Exnaboe (CharX) 439.2p; Dalbuiack (LimX) 432.4p;
401-450kg – Tomnavoulin (CharX) 505p; Crichtie (Lim) 492.7p; Lower Hobbister (CharX) 488.9p; Bogiefeulach (LimX) 472.6p;
451-500kg – Tomnavoulin (CharX) 462.6p; Bush of Muldearie (LimX) 453.1p; Lower Hobbister (CharX) 453.1p; Cairnhead (CharX) 451.2p;
501-550kg – Cairnhead (CharX) 450.8p; Tomnavoulin (CharX) 432.3p; Gillock Mains (LimX) 424.6p; Little Clinterty (LimX) 424.4p;
551-600kg – Maesquoy (BBX) 416.7p; Little Clinterty (LimX) 415.8p; Yonder Bognie (CharX) 403.6p; Commissarybog (BSHX) 384.2p;
601-650kg – Woodend (LimX) 419.4p; Hillhead (LimX) 398p; Commissarybog (LimX) 393.4p;
651-700kg – Little Clinterty (LimX) 383.2p; Woodend (LimX) 372.4p.

Aberdeen-Angus Heifers up to 300kg – Cullisse 396.7p;
351-400kg – Cullisse 408.6p; Mains of Frendraught 303.2p;
401-450kg – Westshore 336.4p; Hillhead 304.1p;
451-500kg – Mains of Frendraught 351.7p; 2 Bogie Street 305.1p;
551-600kg – Netherhill 392.5p; Commissarybog 369p;
651-700kg – Burness 377.9p.

Bulls up to 300kg – Quendale (HerX) 330.3p;
351-400kg – Cullisse (AAX) 387.1p;
401-450kg – Mill of Whitehill (LimX) 384.2p; Netherskaill (SimX) 370.9p; Hillhead (CharX) 369.7p;

451-500kg – Cullisse (AAX) 374.5p;
601-650kg – Leuchar (LimX) 309.6p.