CAST COWS AND BULLS

THAINSTONE, Aberdeen and Northern Marts (Thursday 6th March 2025) Sold 183 Cows and Bulls to average £2244.62 or 289ppk

Beef Finished Cows (99) averaged £2474.64 and sold to £3140 for a 972kg Charolais from Harestone, Crathes.

Beef Feeding Cows (61) averaged £1890.57 and sold to £2340 for a 664kg Limousin Cross from Newton of Budgate, Cawdor.

Boning Cows (8) averaged £1235 and sold to £1470 for a 638kg Simmental Cross.

Bulls (15) averaged £2704.66 and sold to £3170 for a 1030kg Charolais from Auchnascraw, Chapeltown.

"Demand remains strong for Cast Cows & Bulls at Thainstone. A record average of £2244.62 was achieved for 183 head with the 99 fed cows averaging an eye-watering 305ppk. The report speaks for itself, sell live & thrive."

Leading Prices per Head

Beef Finished Cows: Buckies, Thurso (BSHX) £3070; Home Farm Cairness, Fraserburgh (LimX) £2970; Milton of Durris, Durris (AAX), Jacobshall, Gamrie (AAX) £2890; Tarmair, Boyndlie (Lim) £2870.

Beef Feeding Cows: Newton of Budgate (LimX) £2250; Mains of Glenbuchat, Strathdon (SimX) £2230; Stratheast, Holm (SimX) £2210; Kastal, Langskail (CharX), Craigshowdie, Ardallie (LimX), Mill of Gellan, Coull (SimX) £2190.

Bulls: Bankhead, Clatt (Char) £3070; Drumneachie, Birse (Sim) £2890; Milton of Cullerlie, Echt (Char) £2840; West Cullerlie (AA) £2810.