

THAINSTONE, Aberdeen and Northern Marts (Thursday 29th May 2025) Sold Prime 3331 Sheep and Feeding Ewes & Rams.

Ewes with Lambs at Foot (285) sold to £158 for Mule hogs with singles at foot from East Blackburn, Netherley.

New Season Prime Lambs (170) averaged 322.1p per kg and sold to 359.1p per kg for 44kg Continentals from Mains of Thornton, Bourtie and £163 for 47kg Texels from The Bothy, Rivehill.

New Season Prime Lambs SQQ up to 45.5kg (22) averaged 350.8p per kg.

Old Season Prime Lambs (2005) averaged 285.4p per kg and sold to 390p per kg and £195 for 50kg Blue Texels from West Cairnhill, Culsalmond.

Old Season Prime Lambs SQQ up to 45.5kg (517) averaged 298.4p per kg.

Old Season Store Lambs (92) sold to £123.50.

Feeding Ewes & Rams (779) averaged £123.47 and sold to £275 for Pure Texels from Uppermill Farm Tarves.

“Ewes with lambs at foot continued to meet a very keen demand. New season lambs saw a good increase in value with buyer’s keen for numbers. Old season hogs were a mixed show but trade easily maintained last week’s sharp edge. Feeding ewes and rams sold easier on the week with the sale topping at £275 for Pure Texels from Uppermill Farm.”

Leading Prices per Head

Ewes with Lamb at Foot:

Singles: Tex – Lost Farm, Strathdon £122.

Lamb and a half: Mule Gmrs – East Blackburn £116; **Tex** – Gordon Lost £116.

Twins: Cont – Little Barras, Fordoun £139; **Mule Gmrs** – East Blackburn £115.

Leading Prices per Head and per Kg

New Season Prime Lambs: Pure Suf – Uppermill, Tarves £162, Tannachie, Stonehaven 347.8p; **Suf** – Muirton, Corse £160, Bilboa, Daviot 337.8p; **Char** – Meiklebogs, Gordonstown £159.50, Raich, Forgue 348.9p; **SufX** – Cranna Bridge, Aberchirder £159.50, Mains of Thornton 330.4p; **Tex** – Mains of Thornton £158, Blackpool, Millbrex 356p; **CharX** – Meiklebogs £157.50, 346.7p; **Bel** – Tannachie £157.50, 335.1p.

Old Season Prime Lambs: Pure Tex – Newton of Greeness, Turriff £181, Eldonbrae, Forres 345.5p; **Bel** – Gaval, Fetterangus £178, Mayen Farms, Rothiemay 335.4p; **Pure Suf** – Little Auchechoch, Maud £177.50, Sootywells, Fordoun 318.3p; **Tex** – East Sandend, Cruden Bay £175.50, Eldonbrae 344.7p; **TexX** – West Cranloch, Ythanwells £175, Skeibhill, Aberchirder 320.7p; **Cont** – East Sandend,

Headiton, Bonnykelly £173.50, Burnside of Whitefield, Forglen £318.8p; **ContX** – East Sandend £172.50, Lost Farm 314.1p; **Suf** – Concraig House, Kingswells £171.50, Knowehead, Sinnahard 311.2p; **Mule** – Towie, New Aberdour £170, Pityot, Bridge of Muchalls 306.8p; **Blk** – Headiton £170, Little Auchechoch 288.9p; **SufX** – Lower Ingilston, Keithhall £169.50, Sootywells 311p; **Chv** – Little Auchechoch £163.50, 331.5p; **ChvX** – Concraig House £160, Pityot 315.9p; **DutSpt** – Croftbain, Tomnavoulin £153.50, 295.2p; **GF** – Logie Aulton, Huntly £152.50, 299p; **BelX** – Raefin, Keith £150.50, 320.2p; **BF** – Quarryburn, Rosehearty £146.50, Braco, Rosehearty 298.8p.

Leading Prices per Head

Feeding Ewes: **Pure Tex** – North Quilquox, Ythanbank £240; **Tex** – East Sandend £231.50, £225; **Suf** – West Cairnhill, Culsalmond £220; **TexX** – The Haugh Farm, Ballindalloch £219.50; **ChvX** – Tannachie, Stonehaven £219.50; **SufX** – Knowehead, Sinahard £219.50; **TexX** – Midtown of Barras, Stonehaven £210; **Cross** – Pitkerrie, Fearn £209.50; **Cont** – Newton of Greeness, Turriff £204.50; **ContX** – West Cranloch, Ythanwells £201.50; **BelX** – Tarwathie, Strichen £200; **ChvMul** – Towie, New Aberdour £173.50; **BFL** – The Haugh Farm £157.50; **Chv** – Brodieshill Farm, Alves £165.50; **Mule** – Tannachie £164.50; **GF** – Towie £164.50; **BDM** – Tannachie £149.50; **Black** – Mains of Allathan, New Deer £147.50; **Bel** – Tarwathie £137.50; **Dor** – Auquhirie, Stonehaven £134.50; **ChaX** – Hillhead of Cannahars, Whitecairns £124.50; **EasyCare** – Shougle, Birnie £119.50; **BF** – Knowehead £114.50; **DutSptd** – Heatherlee Cottage, Toab £114.50; **Leic** – Bishopton Bungalow, Portlethen £111.50.

Feeding Rams: **Tex** – Cluny, Rafford £194.50; **TexX** – Croftbain, Tomnavoulin £187.50; **DutSptd** – Croftbain £179.50; **Cont** – The Haugh Farm £177.50; **Cross** – Midtown of Barras £174.50; **Bel** – Biggings, Toab £171.50; **ContX** – Biggings £169.50; **Suf** – Little Chapelton, Leslie £149.50; **Chv** – Biggings £139.50; **BFL** – Hillhead of Cannahars £129.50.