

THAINSTONE, Aberdeen and Northern Marts (Thursday 21st August 2025) Sold 2264 Prime Sheep and Feeding Ewes & Rams.

New Season Prime Lambs (1352) averaged 295.2p per kg and sold to 344.4p per kg for 45kg Beltex's from Ringorm Farm, Elchies and £207.50 for 75kg Blue Texels from Mains of Tonley, Alford.

New Season Prime Lambs SQQ up to 45.5kg (607) averaged 301.6p per kg.

Feeding Ewes & Rams (912) averaged £117.93 and sold to £300 for a Pure Texel from Home Farm of Auchry, Cuminestown.

"The prime lamb trade followed the national trend and saw all classes sell at lesser rates. Feeding Ewes & Rams sold easier on the wee with the sale topping at £300 for a Pure Texel from Messrs Seed, Home Farm of Auchry."

Leading Prices per Head and per Kg

New Season Prime Lambs: Pure Tex – Castlehill, Rhynie, Belnoe, Chapeltown £160, Bogside, Fyvie 338.1p; **Tex** – Mains of Tonley, Bogmill, Pitcaple £158, Clinterty, New Aberdour 330.5p; **TexX** – Westburn Farm, Stonehaven £157.50, Belnaboth, Glenkindie 325p; **Pure Suf** – Cairndaie, Sauchen £157.50, Nether Kirkton, Barthol Chapel 319.8p; **BluTex** – West Cairnhill, Culsalmond £157, Oor Bye, Denmoss 344.3p; **Suf** – Daleford, Rathen £156.50, Craigmancy, Bridge of Marnoch 310.5p; **Blk** – West Town of Barras, Stonehaven £156.50, Oor Bye 320.7p; **Pure Bel** – Ringorm £155, Little Gight, Methlick 336.9p; **SufX** – West Cairnhill £154, Craigmancy 308.1p; **Bel** – Ringorm £153.50, Govals, Kincaldrum 319.3p; **Cont** – Westburn £152.50, Clinterty 318.9p; **ContX** – Skelbister, Orphir, Park Neuk, South Hilton, Monellie, Drumblade, Westburn £151.50, Shougle, Birnie 318.9p; **BluTexX** – Oor Bye £151.50, Newton of Forgie, Keith 318.9p.

Leading Prices per Head

Feeding Ewes: Pure Tex – Home Farm of Auchry £270; **Tex** – Oor Bye £259.50; **Bel** – West cairnhill, Culsalmond £240; **TexX** – Skelbister £229.50; **Cont** – Downiehill, Blackhills £221.50; **ContX** – Lost Farm, Strathdon 219.50; **Cross** – Clinterty £217.50; **Char** – Lost Farm £214.50; **BelX** – Govals £199.50; **Pure Suf** – Cadgerford, Kingswells £197.50; **ChvMul** – Whiteside, Alford £191.50; **BL** – Syde Cottage, Brechin £191.50; **CharX** – Lost Farm £188.50; **Suf** – Cadgerford £187.50; **SufX** – West Cairnhill £184.50; **Mule** – Downiehill £171.50; **Down** – Burnend, Forglen £167.50; **GF** – Shank of Glenbarry, Knock £163.50; **Chv** – Lower House, Hillwell £161.50; **ChvX** – Corseview, Durris £154.50; **Llyn** – Skaill, Sandwick £147.50; **Blk** – Burnend £144.50; **Easy** – Kincardine Farm £127.50; **Shc** – Cluseburn, Inverbervie £127.50; **BF** – 2a Tong, Stornoway £101.50.

Feeding Rams: Pure Tex – Braeside, Tough £240; **Blk** – The Bothy, Cairnorchries £177.50; **Llyn** – Skaill £167.50; **Bel** – 28 Lower Shader £167.50; **Suf** – Auchenzeoch £164.50.