QUOYBRAE, Aberdeen & Northern Marts (13<sup>th</sup> September 2025) sold 2,781 store, breeding and feeding sheep incorporating Dunbeath, Bettyhill, Forsinard and North West Sutherland areas.

**Gimmers (441)** averaged £155.64(+£9.57) to £260 for Cheviots from Latheron Mains, Latheron.

**Breeding ewes (1,730)** averaged £138.32 (+£16.45) to £260 for Aberfield Cross Ewes from Gunn, West Clyth.

**Store lambs (225)** sold to £140 for Cheviot Ewe Lambs from Kinlochy, Tannoch. **Breeding Rams (4)** sold to £280 for a Hill Cheviot Ram from Golval, Forsinard. **Feeding ewes & rams (381)** averaged £93.86 (+£11.87) to £170 for Texels from Winless Mains.

"A mixed entry of breeding ewes and gimmers were forward at the annual sale. 1,730 breeding ewes sold at a strong sale average of £138.32 a life. 441 breeding gimmers were in high demand levelling at an average of £155.64, many more could have been sold to consignors advantage."

# Leading prices per area

# **Caithness**

# **Dispersal from West Clyth**

AberXChv Ewes- £260 AberX Gmrs- £245 AberX Ewes - £200 ChvMule Ewes- £160 ChxX Ewes - £145

# **Dispersal from Latheron Mains, Latheron**

AberfX Gmrs- £260, £180; TexX Gmrs- £220; AberX 1 Crop- £245, £240, £220; AberX 2 Crop- £220, 195; TexX 3 Crop - £215, £175, £170; TexX 3 Crop- £175, £155.

### **Gimmers:**

Chv- Kinlochy £230, £200; Tex- Achalone £225; Blk- Achalone £175.

**Correct ewes: Chev –** Kinlochy £230, £220; Brackside £190; Lower Westerdale £185; Sandside Farms £170 twice. **Tex-** Teggs Croft £150, £145. **BF-** Hollyview £115.

#### BM Ewes:

Chv- Lower Westerdale £140.

### Store lambs:

Chv Ewe Lambs- Kinlochy £140, £100.

# Feeding Ewes & Rams:

Chv- Brackside £145; BF- Hollyview £72.

# **Armadale and Strathy**

## **Dispersal 14 Balgil**

Gimmers £170 Correct Ewes - £162; £158; £155. BM Chv- 14 Balgil £102.

## **Gimmers:**

BF- Murray House £140. Chv- Murray House £130.

### **Correct ewes:**

**Chev –** 184 Armadale £170; 21 Balgil £148; Ardmore £120; 93 Strathy Point £102. **Blk**-128 Totiegan £135. **BF**-Murray House £98.

## Feeding Ewes & Rams:

**Chv-** 21 Balgil £128.

# **Halladale and Portskerra**

## **Gimmers:**

SufX- Golval £172.

Correct ewes: Chev – 3 Borgie £220, £210; Thistlehouse £180; Kirkton £160, £158; Golval £135, £132; 47 Dalhavig £108; 81 Melvich £102; Achumore £100. Suf- Golval £132, £128.

# **BM Ewes**:

ChvX- Golval £122. Chv- Kirkton £90; Auchmore £62.

# **Breeding Rams:**

NCC Hill Rams- Golval £280.

# Feeding Ewes & Rams:

Chv- Kirkton £137.

# **Bettyhill & Skerray**

**BM Ewes: Chv-** 6 Borgie £145; 20 Strathnaver £115; 47 Crask £102; The Green Durness £98; 65 Clashaidy, 26 Langdale £90.

#### Correct ewes:

**Chev –** 128 Totiegan £142; 47 Crask £130; 20 Strathnaver £120; 5 Borgie £115; 99 Kirtomy £105; 8 Strathnaver £102; 118 Newlands £102.

## Store lambs:

**Chv Ewe Lambs-** 19 Lotts £90. **Chv-** 26 Airdnieskich £78; 47 Crask £76; 65 Clashaidy £75; 19 Lotts £74.

# Feeding Ewes & Rams:

Chv- 3 Borgie £148; 47 Crask £128; 99 Kirtomy £118.

# Dunbeath

**Gimmers:** Blk Chv- Braemore £220. Chv- Braemore, Hilton £190; Braemore £170; Tormore £140; Achorn, Braemore £135.

**Correct ewes: Chv** – Braemore £200; Tacher £185, £175; Tormore £162, £150; Clyneish £160; Murray House £158; Achorn SSC £155 twice; Knockally Croft £155; 7 Achrimsdale £145; Braemore £140.

#### BM Ewes:

Chv- Tacher £130; 7 Achrimsdale £120. ChvX- Clyneilish £130.

# **Store lambs:**

Tex- Inver £106, £96, £75. Chv Ewe Lambs- Hilton £82. Chv- Hilton £69.

# Feeding Ewes & Rams:

**Chv-** 7 Achrimsdale £138; Dunbeath Farms £132; Braemore, Dunbeath Estate, Hilton £120.