

CAST COWS AND BULLS

**THAINSTONE, Aberdeen and Northern Marts (Thursday 15th January) Sold 235
Cows and Bulls to average £2218.42 or 289ppk**

Beef Finished Cows (103) averaged £2573.88 and sold to £3300 for an 918kg Charolais from Rashenlochy Farm, Drumoak.

Beef Feeding Cows (108) averaged £1946.25 and sold to £2340 for a 674kg Limousin Cross from Brae of Coynach, Mintlaw.

Boning Cows (9) averaged £1241.66 and sold to £1495 for a 548kg Simmental Cross.

Dairy Cows (6) averaged £1536.66 and sold to £1810 for an 686kg Fleckvieh Cross from Blackford, Croy.

Bulls (9) averaged £2847.77 and sold to £3410 for an 1230kg Aberdeen Angus Cross from East Town, Tarland.

“Trade was buoyant at Thainstone this Thursday with all classes seeing an increase on the week. More cows and bulls are required to fulfil buyer demands at Thainstone.”

Leading Prices per Head

Beef Finished Cows: Coleburn Farm, Longmorn (BBX) £3270; Rogiehill, Skene (LimX) £3200; Selbie, Keithhall (Cha), Upper Drakemyres, Keith £3090; Tillenturk, Torphins (AAX) £3070; Hilton of Culsh, New Deer (Lim) £3050; Kirkhill, Alves (Lim) £2990; East Town (SimX) £2970; Messigate Farm, Tankerness (AA) £2910.

Beef Feeding Cows: Lower Hobbister, Stenness (LimX) £2330; Newhouse, Swanny (Simx) £2290; Scrabster House, Scrabster Mains (SimX), Darrahill, Udney (StaX) £2270; Towie, New Aberdour (SimX) £2255; Braebuster, Deerness (SimX) £2250; Tapiken, Tyrie (LimX) £2230.

Dairy Cows: Cairdhilllock, Kingswells (Ho), Vatnahoull, Setter Farm (BF) £1590; Towie (BFX) £1490; Mains of Glasgoforest, Kinellar (BFX) £1430.

Bulls: Knocknagal, Essich Road (AA) £3340; Lagavaich, Glenlivet (Cha) £3170; East Town (Sim) £2940; Scrabster House (Sim) £2890; East Town (Sta) £2870.