

#### PRIME CATTLE - SALE SUMMARY

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#### PRIME CATTLE - FULL REPORT

**THAINSTONE, Aberdeen and Northern Marts (15<sup>th</sup> February 2018) 42 prime cattle.**

**Under 30 month - Prime bullocks (two)** averaged 189.1p and sold to 191p per kg and £1,279.70 gross for a 670kg Limousin from Tarmair, Boyndlie

**Prime heifers (23)** averaged 218.2p and sold to 240p per kg for a 515kg Limousin from Dorsell, Alford, and purchased by West End Butchers, Peterhead, and £1,413.75 gross for a 725kg Charolais from Chapelford, Buckie.

**Young bulls (two)** averaged 141.7p and sold to 147p per kg for a 1,055kg Simmental, and £1,609.75 gross for a 1,175kg Simmental from Achorachan, Glenlivet.

**30 to 48 Month - Bullocks (three)** averaged 165.6p and sold to 179p per kg for a 655kg Limousin from Overhall, Ruthven, and £1,221 gross for a 740kg Simmental from Upper Lea, Stromness.

**Heifers (12)** averaged 178.1p and sold to 207p per kg for a 520kg Limousin from Bryanmeadow Farm, Twatt, and £1,363.35 gross for a 745kg Simmental from Ardhuncart, Kildrummy.

#### Leading prices per kg

**Under 30 month - Prime bullocks:** West Aquhorthies, Fetternear (Sim) 187p.

**Prime heifers:** Stoneyhill, Keith-hall (Lim) 239p; Mill of Fowlis, Muir of Fowlis (Lim) 237p; Whiteside, Tullynessle (Lim) 235p.

**Young bulls:** Achorachan (Sim) 137p.

**30 to 48 month - Bullocks:** Upper Lea (Sim) 165p;

**Heifers:** Bryameadow (Cha) 193p; Mains of Cookney, Netherley (Sim) 191p; West Aquhorthies (Sim) 189p.

#### Leading prices per head

**Under 30 month - Prime bullocks:** West Aquhorthies (Sim) £1,122.

**Prime heifers:** Mill of Fowlis (Lim) £1,386.45; Stoneyhill (Cha) £1,357.80; Whiteside (Lim) £1,357.20

**Young bulls:** Achorachan (Sim) £1,550.85.

**30 to 48 month - Bullocks:** Overhall (Lim) £1,172.45; Upper Lea (Cha) £1,107.45.

**Heifers:** Mains of Cockney (Sim) £1,279.70; West Aquhorthies (Sim) £1,209.60; Newseat of Tolquhon, Tarves (Sal) £1,152.30.