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Bullocks (625) averaged 203.2p and sold to 251p per kg for a pen of four 492kg Charolais Crosses from Greeny, Dounby and £1,415 gross for a 662kg Simmental cross from Marywell, Ballogie.

Heifers (350) averaged 194.4p and sold to 238p per kg for a Limousin cross from 2 Bogie Street, Huntly and £1,330 gross for a Limousin cross from Mowatseat, Craigievar.

Young Bulls (Nine) sold to 226p per kg for a 208kg Simmental from Ralia Lodge, Newtonmore and £1,110 gross for a pair of 614kg Aberdeen Angus from Blelack, Dinnet.

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In the Marshall sponsored show and sale of weaned and suckled calves judged by Mr Will Hamilton, Bee Edge, Coldingham, Eyemouth.

Overall Champion was a 11 month old 482kg Limousin cross bullock from W Robertson & Son, Fodderletter, Tomintoul which sold at £1,280 to S Smith, The Byre, Sunnyhill Croft, Turriff.

Reserve Champion was a 10 month old, 376kg Limousin cross heifer from R S Duncan, Achdregnie, Glenlivet sold to £1,350 which also sold to S Smith.

“Weaned calves were a good show and continued to sell at good rates. Store cattle were sharper on the week.”

Leading prices per head

Weaned calf bullocks up to 250kg- Hewitts £600, Ralia Lodge £580. **251-300kg** – Raila Lodge £770, Fodderletter £755. **301-350kg** – Fodderletter £820, Nether Muirskie £760, Daleigh £710, The Ess £700, Craigiedaff £670. **351-400kg** – Fodderletter £1,070, Nether Muirskie £1,010, Mains of Cairnborrow £980, Langlanburn £950, Drumsleed £940, Fichlie £930. **401-450kg** – Auchorachan, Shenval, Wester Coull, Rorandle Brucewells, Leys Castle £1,100, Dinnet Farms £1,090, Mains of Cairnborrow £1,090, Springburn £1,085, Achdregnie £1,080. **451-500kg** – Rorandle £1,200, Achdregnie £1,180, Langlanburn £1,150, Muirskie, Fichlie £1,130. **501-550kg** – Shenval £1,240, Achdregnie, Wester Coull £1,210, Springburn, Treeton £1,200, Upper Tillenhilt £1,180. **551-600kg** – Treeton £1,245.

Weaned Calf Heifers up to 250kg- Ralia Lodge £510. **251-300kg-** Ralia Lodge £680. **301-350kg** – Craigiedaff £755, Ralia Lodge £740, Fodderletter £730, Daleigh £710. **351-400kg** – Achdregnie £1,320, Fodderletter £1,070, Nether Muirskie £1,050, Shenval £1,030. **401-450kg** – Langlanburn £1,110, Achdregnie £1,100, Wester Coull, Whitehouse £1,060, Langlanburn £1,030, Shenval £1,010. **451-500kg** – Wester Coull £1,160, Brucewells £1,110, Springburn £1,090, Broadwater £1,070. **501-550kg** – Shenval £1,160, Upper Tillenhilt £1,090, Dinnet Farms £1,080. **551-600kg-** Treeton £1,170.

Bullocks up to 400kg – 2 Bogie Street £820, Fountain Bridge £810, Bullenie £805. **401-450kg** – Stoneyfold £1,000, Stoneyford £1,000, 2 Bogie Street, Slack £945, 5 West Murkle £925. **451-500kg** – Greystone £1,140, Greystone £1,140, North Cranna £1,130, Firth, Cornhill £1,110. **501-550kg** – Achdregnie £1,260, Greystone £1,205, Benwells, Cornhill £1,160, Mowatseat, Mains of Drumwhindle £1,155. **551-600kg** – Biffie £1,305, Mains of Drumwhindle £1,290, Belhinny, Biffie £1,270, Home Farm, Rothienorman £1,260. **601-650kg** – Biffie £1,380, Mowatseat £1,370, Home Farm, Rothienorman £1,345, Achdregnie £1,315, Upper Benwells, Mains of Drumwhindle £1,300.

Heifers up to 350kg – 2 Bogie Street £580. **351-400kg** – Slack £840, 2 Bogie Street £820, 5 West Murkle £800, 2 Bogie Street £770. **401-450kg** – North Cranna £990, 2 Bogie Street £960, Mowatseat £950, 5 West Murkle £915. **451-500kg** – Mowatseat £1,100, 2 Bogie Street £1,090, Lathries £1,020, Perth £1,010. **501-550kg** – Lathries £1,120, Home Farm, Rothienorman, Drumancroy, Cairnhead £1,100, 2 Bogie Street £1,080. **551-600kg** – 2 Bogie Street £1,220, 2 Bogie Street £1,220, Cairnhead £1,205, Treeton £1,190. **601-650kg-** Auchorachan £1,260, Cairnhead £1,255, Fairburn £1,160.

Leading prices per kg

Weaned calf bullocks up to 250kg- Ralia Lodge 250p, Hewitts 243.9p. **251-300kg** – Raila Lodge 267.4p, Fodderletter 262.2p. **301-350kg** – Fodderletter 242.6p, Muirskie 222.2p, Craigiedaff 221.9p, Daleigh 213.9p. **351-400kg** –Nether Muirskie 264.4p,

Mains of Cairnborrow 251.3p, Fichlie 248.7p, Drumsleed 238.6p. **401-450kg** – Rorandle, Oldwhat Mains 261.9, Leys Castle 257p, Achdregnie, Mains of Cairnborrow 255.9p, Craig 254.8p. **451-500kg** – Rorandle 258.6p, Achdregnie 252.2p, Langlanburn 246.8p, Broadwater 243.4p. **501-550kg** – Achdregnie 241p, Shenval 234.8p, Wester Coull 234.7p, Rorandle 227.5p, Springburn 224.7p. **551-600kg** – Treeton 209.6p.

Weaned Calf Heifers up to 250kg- Ralia Lodge 227.7p. **251-300kg-** Ralia Lodge 257.6p. **301-350kg** – Ralia Lodge 240.3p, Fodderletter 228.1p, Craigiedaff 220.8p, Daleigh 208.8p, The Ess 201.9p. **351-400kg** – Auchdregnie 340.2p, Fodderletter 289.2p, Nether Muirskie 283.8p, Shenval 260.1p, Springburn 248.7p. **401-450kg** – Achdregnie 248.9p, Langlanburn 248.8p; Shenval 247.5p, Whitehouse 240.9p. **451-500kg** – Brucewells 239.1p, Wester Coull 232.8p, Rorandle 231.3p, Milton of Culloden 222.3p. **501-550kg** – Shenval 217.2p, Upper Tillenhilt 208.8p, Dinnet Farms 207.7p. **551-600kg-** Treeton 206p.

Bullocks up to 400kg – 5 West Murkle 236.1p, Fountain Bridge 214.3p, 2 Bogie Street 213.5p, Drumnacroy 211.1p. 5 West Murkle 209.4p. **401-450kg** – Shaggart 237.1p, Shaggart 237.4p, Chapelhouses 223.5p, Stoneyfold 222.2p. **451-500kg** – North Cranna 229.7p, North Cranna 229.7p, Greystone 228p, Mitchellhill 225p, Firth, Cornhill 223.8p. **501-550kg** – Achdregnie 233.3p, Mowatseat 229.2p, Greystone 226.5p, Shaggart 225.1p. **551-600kg** – Mowatseat 225.7p, Biffie 224.2p, Mowatseat 222.2, Belhinny 216p, Home Farm, Rothienorman 215.8p. **601-650kg** – Biffie 229.2p, Mowatseat 218.8p, Upper Benwells 215.9p, Achdregnie 215.6p, Home Farm, Rothienorman 208.9p.

Heifers up to 350kg – Birkenhill 209.4p. **351-400kg** – 2 Bogie Street 230.3p, 5 West Murkle 210.5p, Slack 210p, Bullenie 209.7p, 2 Bogie Street 203.3p. **401-450kg** – 2 Bogie Street 227.5p, 2 Bogie Street 227.5p, Bullenie 222.2p, North Cranna 221p. **451-500kg** – Shaggart 234.7p, Mowatseat 222.7p, Shaggart 222.4p, Lathries 207.8p. **501-550kg** – Cairnhead 216.5p, Lathries 212.1p, Home Farm, Rothienorman 210.7p, Shaggart 208.5p. **551-600kg** – Mowatseat 229.3p, Cairnhead 211.4p, 2 Bogie Street 204.7p, 3 Crakaig 201.5p. **601-650kg-** Cairnhead 206.4p.

Fodder

Overall Aberdeen and Northern Marts sold 587 bales of fodder.

Barley straw averaged £17.70 per bale.

Wheat straw averaged 15.20 per bale.

Hay sold at £33.50 per bale.