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Heifers (361) averaged 205.1p to 252p per kg for a 496kg Charolais Cross from Aldie Farm, Tain and £1,400 gross for a 624kg Limousin Cross from Backmuir.

Aberdeen Angus and native bullocks (153) averaged 205.3p to 230.2p per kg for a pen of Eight 278kg Aberdeen Angus Crosses from Home Farm, Pitmedden and £1,400 gross for a 740kg Aberdeen Angus from Burnside of Pitcaple, Inverurie.

Aberdeen Angus and native heifers (131) averaged 191.8p to 220.3p per kg for a 454kg Aberdeen Angus Cross from Stirlinghillock, Whitecairns and £1,400 gross for a 692kg Aberdeen Angus from Ord, Rhynie.

Shetland & Isle of Lewis weaned calf bullocks (134) averaged 229.4p to 274.6p per kg for a 244kg Limousin Cross from Barvas Glebe Farm, Isle of Lewis and £825 gross for a 364kg Limousin Cross from Pobis Geo, Muckle Roe.

Shetland & Isle of Lewis weaned calf heifers (100) averaged 212.1p to 269.8p per kg for a 252kg Blonde D'aquitaine Cross from Gillarona, Muckle Roe and £800 gross for a 398kg Charolais Cross from Exnaboe, Virkie.

Bulls (Seven) sold to 187.8p per kg for a 426kg Shorthorn from Gaskbeg, Laggan and £830 gross for a 518kg Limousin Cross from Coxton, Cornhill.

Young calves (25) sold to £730 gross.

In the Iain MacEachen Transport sponsored show and sale of Shetland & West Highland weaned and suckled calves judged by Kevin Riach, Barns, Crathes. Overall Champion and Best Shetland Calf was a 332kg Charolais bullock from L J M & J I M Wishart, Bakkanlee, Whitesness which realised £910 to the judge. The Best West Highland Calf was a 316kg Charolais Cross from A Kerr, Barvas Glebe Farm, Lower Barvas, Isle of Lewis which sold for £720 to W & D Moir Livestock, Newmill, Rathen.

"With a full ringside of buyers, all classes were sharper on the week."

Leading prices per head.

Bullocks up to 300kg – Moss-side of Gight £630. **301-350kg** - Dunveadan House £840, Pittenkerrie £795, Oldtown £720. **351-400kg** – Backmuir £950, Oldtown £925, Dunveadan House £900, Carlton House £860. **401-450kg** – Auchterblair £1,110, Backmuir £1,100, Waulkmill £1,080. **451-500kg** – Mains of Drumwhindle £1,170, Backmuir £1,165, Auchterblair £1,150, Milton of Gaval £1,120. **501-550kg** – Bogentassie £1,250, Aldie £1,240, Backmuir £1,230, Milton of Gaval £1,210, Mains of Drumwhindle £1,180. **551-600kg** – Bogentassie £1,325, Milton of Gaval £1,275, Backhills £1,270, Newpark £1,265, Backmuir £1,260. **601-650kg** – Backhills £1,375, Tillymauld £1,340, Bogentassie £1,315, Meiklebogs £1,290. **651-700kg** – Tillymauld £1,410, Bogentassie, Longhill £1,350, Blackpark £1,290, Little Blackpots £1,275.

Heifers up to 300kg – Drums of Muirake £600. **301-350kg** - Pittenkerrie £710, Dunveadan House £660, Newton £640. **351-400kg** – Reaster, Home Farm, Maryculter £870, Braeside £860, Bogenraith, Reaster £850, Tullochgribban Mains £840, Home Farm, Rothienorman £830. **401-450kg** – Auchterblair £1,020, Braeside £1,010, Backmuir £1,000, Oldtown £970. **451-500kg** – Aldie £1,250, Backmuir £1,140, Oldtown £1,115, Bograxisie £1,100, Newseat £1,095. **501-550kg** – Newseat £1,200, Backmuir £1,195, Newseat, Aldie £1,190, Glebe of Deisher £1,160, Meikle Toux £1,155. **551-600kg** – Backmuir £1,320, Backhills £1,220, Newseat £1,190. **601-650kg** – Newseat £1,315, Tullochgribban Mains £1,250, Birkenbower £1,210.

Aberdeen Angus and Native Bullocks up to 350kg – Score £710, Drumbuie £700, Home Farm, Pitmedden £670, Balcraig £645. **351-400kg** – Mains of Lurg £800, Home Farm, Pitmedden £770, Ballarat £710. **401-450kg** – Stirlinghillock £940, Score £860, Rowanhill £855, Ballarat £840, Burnside of Pitcaple £830. **451-500kg** – Bogs of Kininmonth £1,050, Howan £1,020, Meikle Toux £1,010, Hammer Greeny £1,000, Lopness £995. **501-550kg** – Howan £1,145, Stirlinghillock £1,135, Lopness £1,100, North House £1,065, Housebay £1,040. **551-600kg** – Ord £1,230, Meikle Toux £1,225, Stirlinghillock £1,175, Burnside of Pitcaple £1,160. **601-650kg** – Ord £1,290.

Aberdeen Angus and Native Heifers up to 400kg – Score £820, Stirlinghillock £770, Mains of Lurg £740. **401-450kg** – Garbo £935, Elsness £920, Stirlinghillock

£895, Howan £830. **451-500kg** – Garbo £1,030, Stirlinghillock £1,000, Highwater Croft £985, Ord £970. **501-550kg** – North House £1,065, Stirlinghillock £1,060, Howan £1,045. **551-600kg** – Newton Smiddy £1,200, Burnside of Pitcaple £1,190, North House £1,100. **601-650kg** – Ord £1,270, North House £1,250, Ord £1,200.

Shetland & Isle of Lewis weaned calf Bullocks up to 250kg – Barvas Glebe Farm £670, Bakkanlea £665, Grunnins £650, 16 Upper Barvas £540. **251-300kg** – Gillarona £750, Bakkanlea £740, Gillarona £700, Barvas Gelbe Farm £680, Pinehoulland £670. **301-350kg** - South Score £785, Barvas Glebe Farm £780, Exnaboe £720, Pobis Geo £690, Grunnins £680. **351-400kg** – Exnaboe £730, Red Point £630.

Shetland & Isle of Lewis weaned calf Heifers up to 250kg – Gillarona £570, Bakkanlea £535, South Scord £530, Barvas Glebe Farm £525, Grunnins £510. **251-300kg** – Gillarona, 35 Lower Barvas, Dell Farm £680, Bakkanlea, Grunnins £660, Barvas Glebe Farm £655. **301-350kg** – Pobis Geo £700.

Leading prices per kilo

Bullocks up to 300kg – Moss-side of Gight 210p. **301-350kg** - Dunveadan House 251.5p, Pittenkerrie 230.4p, Oldtown 218.2p. **351-400kg** – Backmuir 237.5p, Oldtown 237.2p, Carlton House 226.3p, Dunveaden House 225p. **401-450kg** – Glebe of Deisher 254.8p, Backmuir, Auchterblair 252.3p. **451-500kg** – Auchterblair 245.7p, Backmuir 236.8p, Mains of Drumwhindle 235.9p, Milton of Gaval 233.3p, Dallasbroughty 232.5p. **501-550kg** – Bogentassie 233.2p, Aldie 232.6p, Backmuir 232.1p, Mains of Drumwhindle 226.5p, Milton of Gaval 224.9p. **551-600kg** – Bogentassie 223.8p, Backhills 219.7p, Backmuir 217.8p, Newpark 213p. **601-650kg** – Backmuir 227.1p, Backhills 214.2p, Tillymauld 214.1p, Bogentassie 213.8p, Meiklebogs 210.8p. **651-700kg** – Longhill 207.1p, Tillymauld 203.2p.

Heifers up to 300kg – Drums of Muirake 204.1p. **301-350kg** - Pittenkerrie 221.9p, Dunveaden House 218.5p, Newton 211.9p. **351-400kg** – Reaster 231p, Oldtown 230.1p, Backmuir 225.3p, Drums of Muirake 219.6p, Boghead of Orrock 219.1p. **401-450kg** – Backmuir 235.8p, Auchterblair 231p, Dallasbroughty 226.6p, Braeside 226.5p, Drums of Muirake 224.6p. **451-500kg** – Bograxie 235p, Backmuir 228p, Oldtown 227.6p. **501-550kg** – Aldie 234.1p, Backmuir 230.3p, Glebe of Deisher 227.5p, Newseat 227.3p, Meikle Toux 221.3p. **551-600kg** – Backmuir 232p, Backhills 217.9p, Birkenbower 207.9p, **601-650kg** – Backmuir 224.4p, Newseat 210.7p, Birkenbower 201p.

Aberdeen Angus and Native Bullocks up to 350kg – Score 212.6p, Home Farm, Pitmedden 210.7p, Drumbuie 208.3p, Balcraig 205.4p. **351-400kg** – Mains of Lurg 221.6p, Home Farm, Pitmedden 217.5, Mains of Lurg 201p. **401-450kg** – Stirlinghillock 221.7p, Score 206.7p, Rowanhill 200.7p. **451-500kg** – Bogs of Kininmonth, Meikle Toux 221.5p, Lopness 209.9p, Hammer Greeny 206.6p, Howan 206.5p, Mid Third 201.1p. **501-550kg** – Stirlinghillock 210.2p, Howan 209.7p, Lopness 206.8p, Housebay 202.3p, North House 200.9p. **551-600kg** – Meikle Toux 211.9p, Stirlinghillock 210.1p, Ord 207.8p, Burnside of Pitcaple 202.8p. **601-650kg** – Ord 205.4p.

Aberdeen Angus and Native Heifers up to 400kg – Score 207.1p, Mains of Lurg 206.7p. **401-450kg** – Elsness 208.1p. **451-500kg** – Garbo 210.2p, Moonlight 208p, Highwater Croft, Elsness 200.2p. **501-550kg** – Howan 204.1p, North House 200.9p. **551-600kg** – Newton Smiddy 209.1p, Burnside of Pitcaple 205.2p. **601-650kg** – North House 206.3p.

Shetland & Isle of Lewis weaned calf Bullocks up to 250kg –Bakkanlea 268.1p, Grunnins 266.4p, Barvas Glebe Farm 252.1p, Gillarona 250p, Red Point 237.1p. **251-300kg** – Gillarona 273.7p, Bakkanlea 259.1p, Pobis Geo 253.8p, Barvas Glebe Farm 248.2p. **301-350kg** - Bakkanlea 274.1p, Barvas Glebe Farm 246.8p, Pobis Geo 228.5p, South Scord 225.6p, Grunnins 223.7p. **351-400kg** – Pobis Geo 226.6p.

Shetland & Isle of Lewis weaned calf Heifers up to 250kg – Bakkanlea 257.2p, 16 Upper Barvas 252.6p, 11 Breanish 244p, Gillarona 235.5p, Grunnins 232.6p. **251-300kg** – Dell Farm 263.6p, Bakkanlea 261.9p, Barvas Glebe Farm 230.5p, 35 Lower Barvas 229.7p. **301-350kg** – Pobis Geo 205.9p.

Fodder

Overall Aberdeen and Northern Marts sold 116 bales of fodder.
Barley straw averaged £17.80 per bale.
Hay sold to £28 per bale.

Sponsored by Iain MacEachen Transport

Judge – Kevin Riach, Barns, Crathes, Banchory

Class 1 Single Bullock Calf

1st – L J M & J I M Wishart Bakkanlee Whiteness – 332kg £910
2nd – A W Doull South Scord Muckle Roe – 348kg £785
3rd – A Kerr Barvas Glebe Farm Isle of Lewis – 224kg £670

Class 2 Single Heifer Calf

1st – R J Copland Grunnins Ollaberry – 288kg £660
2nd – J A J Johnson Gillarona Muckle Roe – 278kg £700
3rd – A A Robertson Pobis Geo Muckle Roe – 340kg £700

Class 3 Pair of Bullock Calves

1st – J A J Johnson Gillarona – 274kg £750
2nd – J A J Johnson Gillarona – 278kg £700
3rd – A Kerr Barvas – 308kg £760

Class 4 Pair of Heifer Calves

1st – A Kerr Barvas – 256kg £590
2nd – A W Doull South Scord – 252kg £560
3rd – L J M & J I M Wishart Bakkanlee – 252kg £660

Champion

(Perpetual Trophy)

L J M & J I M Wishart Bakkanlee Whiteness - 332kg £910

Best Shetland Calf

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Best West Highland Calf

A Kerr Barvas Glebe Farm Isle of Lewis – 224kg £670