

Thainstone - Aberdeen & Northern Marts (Thursday 8th November 2018)

A total of 82 Cast Cows ,OTMs and Bulls and 62 Sheep were forward from Orkney consignors with leading prices as follows.

Cast Cows and Bulls

Beef Cows

Sold to 178.1p per Kg for a 570Kg British Blue and £1,130 gross for a 790Kg Simmental from G & M Thomson, East Massater, South Ronaldsay.

Leading Prices per Head

Hall of Clestrain, Orphir (AA) £1,070; East Massater (BRB) £1,070; Hammer Greeny, Dounby (AA) £1,050; Stratheast, Holm (Sim) £1,025; Gorn, Shapinsay (Lim) £975; Howequoy, Holm (BRB) £950; Walkerhouse, Birsay (SD) £925; Wattle, Birsay (Sim) £885; Beafield, Sanday (HEX) £845; South Breck, Burray (Lim) £805.

Leading Prices per Kg

East Massater 176.8p; Stratheast 144.4p; East Massater 143p; Gorn 138.6p; Hammer Greeny 134.6p; South Breck 132p; Howequoy 131p; Hall of Clestrain 127.3p; Wattle 125.5p; Walkerhouse 124.2p.

Bulls

Mature Bulls

Sold to 111p per Kg and £1,070 gross for a 965Kg Charolaisand from J & M Dearness, Knowe, Sanday.

Prime Cattle 30-48mths

Russland, Westray £940.50, 165p.

Prime Sheep

Lambs

Sold to £74.50 gross for a pen of 52Kg Suffolks from Balfour Estates, Balfour Castle, Shapinsay.

Leading Prices per Head

Tex – Balfour Castle & Leary, Birsay £73.50.

Zwart – Walkerhouse, Birsay £72.50.