## THAINSTONE, Aberdeen and Northern Marts (Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> May 2024) Sold 222 Head of Adult Breeding Cattle.

"A great show of well-bred strong heifers sold to a top of £4550 for a Limousin Cross Heifer with a Limousin Cross Heifer Calf at foot followed by £4300 Simmental Cross Heifer with a Limousin Cross Male Calf at foot consigned by E M Smith & Sons, Towiemore, Keith. 207 Heifers with calves averaged £3497 up £52 on the year."

**Heifer with Bull Calf (101)** sold to £4300 for a Simmental Cross with Limousin Cross calf from Towiemore, Keith.

**Heifer with Heifer Calf (109)** sold to £4550 for a Limousin Cross with a Limousin Cross Calf from Towiemore, Keith.

**Cow with Bull Calf (4)** sold to £3000 for a Simmental with a Simmental Calf from Wellhouse Farm, Beauly.

**Cow with Heifer Calf (8)** sold to £2700 for a Limousin Cross with a Limousin Cross calf from Mains of Drumdollo, Drumblade.

## Leading Prices

Heifer with Bull Calf: BBX – Auchmaliddie Mains £4200, Wester Bleaton £4100, £3800; SimX – Towiemore £4150, £4000, £3950, £3700Pitgersie £4100, £3700, Wester Bleaton £4050, £4000, £3950 (X2), £3900, £3850; Sim – Towiemore £4150, £4050 (X2), £4000 (X2), £3950, Wester Bleaton £3850, £3700, £3400, Wellhouse £3850, £3500, £3400 (X2), Pitgersie £3750; LimX – Auchmaliddie Mains £4050, £4000 Wester Bleaton £4050, £3950, £3600, £3450, Towiemore £3900, £3700; BSH – Wester Bleaton £3800, £3350,The Bungalow, New Noth £3450, Towiemore £3400, £3350.

**Heifer with Heifer Calf: Lim** – Auchmalidde Mains £4200; **SimX** – Pitgersie £4200, Towiemore £4050 (X3), £3950, £3800, £3750,Wester Bleaton £3950 (X2), £3900, £3750 (X2), £3700 (X2), Pitgersie £3400 (X2), £3350 (X3), The Bungalow £3200; **BSH** – Pitgersie £4150, Towiemore £3800, £3600, Wester Bleaton £3400, £3250; **Sim** – Towiemore £4050, £3850, £3700, £3600, Wellhouse £4050, £4000, £3750, £3700 Wester Bleaton £3850, £3550, £3400 (X2); **LimX** – Auchmalidde Mains £4050, Wester Bleaton £4000, £3950, £3700, £3600, Towiemore £3350, The Bungalow £3350; **BDA** – Auchmalidde Mains £3750.

Cow with Bull Calf: LimX – Mains of Drumdollo £2650, £2500.

**Cow with Heifer Calf: LimX –** Mains of Drumdollo £2600; **AAX –** Mains of Drumdollo £2550; **Sim –** Wellhouse £2450, £2400.