## **CAST COWS AND BULLS**

## THAINSTONE, Aberdeen and Northern Marts (Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> May 2024) Sold 190 Cows and Bulls to average £1478.63 or 202ppk

**Beef Finished Cows (89)** averaged £1635.78 and sold to £2090 for a 934kg Charolais Cross from Mains of Wardhouse, Wardhouse

**Beef Feeding Cows (76)** averaged £1338.22 and sold to £1510 for a 742kg Simmental Cross from 1 Ahmore, North Uist.

**Boning Cows (10)** averaged £907.50 and sold to £1070 for a 676kg Aberdeen Angus.

**Dairy Cows (2)** sold to £905 for a 520kg British Friesian from Mains of Glasgoforest, Kinellar.

**Bulls (13)** averaged £1788.84 and sold to £2580 for a 1175kg Limousin from Knocknagael, Essich Road.

"An excellent entry of 190 Cast Cows & Bulls saw a trade top at £2090 for a Charolais Cow from Mr Henderson, Mains of Wardhouse and £2580 for a Limousin Bull from Knocknagael. With the sale dominated with a more aged commercial type of cows resulted in trade remaining similar on the week."

## Leading Prices per Head

**Beef Finished Cows:** Mains of Wardhouse (LimX) £2025; Newton Smiddy, Lyne of Skene (AA) £2010; Tullo of Garvock, Laurencekirk (LimX) £1990; Mains of Leask, Slains (ST) £1950; Brodieshill Farm, Alves (LimX) £1940.

**Beef Feeding Cows:** Hastain, Lochmaddy (SimX), Glenlogie, Alford, Kinaldie, Logie Coldstone £1490; Braemorlich, Glenkindie (LimX) £1475; Kirbuster, Longhope (LimX), Lenahowe, Sandwick (SimX), Glenlogie, Alford (Sal), 2 West Watten, Watten (SimX), Tullo of Garvock, Laurencekirk (SimX) £1470.

**Bulls:** Cluny, Rafford (Char) £2250; Altyre Estate (AA) £1910; Tarmair, Boyndlie (Lim) £1810; Quoys, South Ronaldsay (Sim) £1770.