PRIME CATTLE - SALE SUMMARY

THAINSTONE, Aberdeen and Northern Marts (23rd May 2024) Sold 69 Prime Cattle.

Under 30 Month – Prime Bullocks (19) averaged 260p and sold to 294p per kg for a 545kg Limousin Cross from New Mains, Glenkindie and £2273.85 gross for an 815kg Limousin Cross from Daies, Wardhouse.

Prime Heifers (33) averaged 280.5p and sold to 307p per kg for a 540kg Limousin Cross from New Mains, Glenkindie & for a 600kg Limousin from Stoneyhill, Keith-hall and £1879.85 gross for a 655kg Charolais Cross from Stoneyhill, Keith-hall.

Young Bulls (17) averaged 261.7p and sold to 287p per kg for a 740kg Brithish Blue from Quoybond, South Ronaldsay and £2310.75 gross for a 975kg Charolais from Kinclune, Glenkindie.

"A Fantastic show of 69 Prime Cattle were sold at Thainstone this week. All classes exceeded seller's expectations and more could have been sold. Young Bulls continue to be in demand with age and weight proving to be no obstacle."

Leading Prices per Kg

Under 30 Month – Prime Bullocks: New Mains (LimX) 289p; Daies (LimX) 285p, 279p (X2); Newton of Clunie, Turriff (CharX) 259p.

Prime Heifers: Stoneyhill (Lim) 305p; Tarmair, Boyndlie (Lim) 301p; New Mains (LimX) 299p; Mill of Newton, Insch (CharX) 293p.

Young Bulls: Culfork, Alford (CharX), Meikle Camaloun, Fyvie (LimX), Newton of Mountblairy, Banff (CharX) 284p; Skitten, Wick (AA) 257p, Auchnascraw, Chapeltown (Sim) 239p; Kinclune (Char) 237p.

Leading Prices per Head

Under 30 Month – Prime Bullocks: Daies (LimX) £2168, £2152, £2137.50; Newton of Clunie (CharX) 2084.95; New Mains (LimX) £1878.50.

Prime Heifers: Chapelford, Buckie (LimX) £1879.20; Stoneyhill (Lim) £1860.50; Ernan, Waterside Road (Char) £1840.05; Corse of Kinnoir, Huntly (BBX) £1833.30.

Young Bulls: Newton of Mountblairy (CharX) £2243.60; Skitten (AA) £2133.10; Quoybond (BB) £2123.80; Connachie, Kellas (Sim) £2099.60.