CAST COWS AND BULLS

THAINSTONE, Aberdeen and Northern Marts (Thursday 6th June 2024) Sold 145 Cows and Bulls to average £1555.62 or 209p per kg

Beef Finished Cows (69) averaged £1,737.10 and sold to £2,130 for a 956kg Simmental cross from Culhay, Forbes.

Beef Feeding Cows (63) averaged £1,391.82 and sold to £1,805 for a 748kg Limousin cross from Drunton, Russland Road.

Boning Cows (5) averaged £1,016 and sold to £1,515 for a 750kg Limousin cross.

Dairy Cows (1) sold to £790 for a 478kg Holstein Friesian cross from Burnside of Whitefield, Forglen.

Bulls (7) averaged £1,735.71 and sold to £2,340 for a 1,430kg Aberdeen-Angus from Balintraid, Invergordon.

"All classes are dearer on the week."

Leading Prices per Head

Beef Finished Cows: Burnside of Whitefield (Cha) £2,120; Smallburn Farms, Plewlands (SimX) £2,110; Auchincrieve Farm, Rothiemay (Cha) £2,090; Shannas, Clola (Lim) £2,080; Smallburn Farms (BBX) £2,050.

Beef Feeding Cows: Balgairn Farm, Ballater (BB), Birselasie, Midmar (LimX) £1,670; South Nittanshead, New Pitsligo (Sim) £1,645; Smallburn Farms (LimX) £1,630; Burnside of Tynet, Clochan (SimX) £1,595; Ternemny Farm, Knock (Cha) £1,590.

Bulls: Crannabog Farms, Rothienorman (Sim) £2,090; Burnside of Tynet (AA), Tombreckachie, Glenlivet (Sim) £1,740; Woodhead of Cairnbanno, New Deer (Lim) £1,610.