

Thainstone - Aberdeen & Northern Marts (Thursday 6th June 2024)

A total of 23 Cast Cows and Sheep were forward from Orkney consignors with leading prices as follows.

Beef Cows

Sold to £1,830 gross for a 782kg Simmental and to 258.2p per kg for a 552kg British Blue from Maesquoy Farms, Harray.

Leading Prices per Head

Lim – Drunton £1,805; Hewan £1,725 & £1,630; Maesquoy £1,510.

BB – Maesquoy £1,790. **Sax** – Maesquoy £1,785.

AA – Hewan £1,692; Ballgreen £1,130. **Sho** – Biggings, Rendall £1,505.

Sim – Maesquoy £1,490. **Char** – Sandwick House £1,425.

Leading prices per kg

Drunton 241.3p; Hewan 235p; Maesquoy 234.3p & 234p; Hewan 233.5p, 232.2p & 230p; Sandwick House 224.7p; Maesquoy 221.5p; Biggings 206.2p;

Prime Sheep (72)

Old Season Lambs

Sold to £161.50 for Texels from G L Drever & Co, Russland, Westray.

Leading prices per head

Tex – Russland £159.50. **Suff** – Housegarth £149.50; Leary £113.50.

Feeding Ewes

Sold to £187.50 gross for a Texel from G & C Flett, Leary, Birsay

Leading prices per head

Tex – Biggings £184.50; Bu £178.50. **Chev** – Laithe £169.50.

Cont – Laithe £160.50; Russland £159.50; Bu £140.50; Leary £137.50.

Rams

Sold to £157.50 for Cheviots from G Stevenson & Co, Bu