Thainstone - Aberdeen & Northern Marts (Thursday 13th June 2024) A total of 25 Cast Cows, Bulls and 103 Sheep were forward from Orkney consignors with leading prices as follows.

Beef Cows

Sold to £1,750 gross for a 806kg Simmental from Firm of Paterson, Veltigar, Tankerness and to 256.1p per kg for a 566kg Aberdeen Angus from Yarpha Farms, Orphir

Leading Prices per Head

Sax – Beafield £1,730. **Hex –** Beafield £1,670.

AA – Hewan £1,510; Nearhouse £1,490; Yarpha £1,450; Beafield £1,430.

Lim – Virginia £1,390. **Sim –** Stratheast £1,490.

Leading prices per kg

Hewan 221.4p; Nearhouse 217.2p; Veltigar 217.1p; Beafield 212.4p; Virginia 209.3p; Stratheast 207p.

Young Bull

Sold to £1,802.55 for a Aberdeen Angus from Messrs Davidson, Skaill, Sandwick.

Mature Bulls

Sold to £1,970 gross for a 935kg Limousin from N M & A Kemp, Moa, Stenness.

Prime Sheep (103)

Feeding Ewes

Sold to £167.50 for Texels from J Cowe, Little Howes, Holm.

Leading prices per head

Cont - Skaill £147.50; Beafield £147.50; Ingsay £133.50; Skaill £123.50.

BFL – Little Howes £131.50. **SHC** – Ingsay £89.50. **BF** – Ingsay £71.50

Shet – Ingsay £46.50.

Rams

Sold to £167.50 for LLeyn from Skaill, Sandwick.