## PRIME CATTLE - SALE SUMMARY

THAINSTONE, Aberdeen and Northern Marts (Thursday 22nd August 2024) Sold 46 Prime Cattle.

**Under 30 Month – Prime Bullocks (14)** averaged 266.4p and sold to 298p per kg and £2176.20 gross for a 705kg Limousin Cross from Daies, Wardhouse.

**Prime Heifers (19)** averaged 296.2p and sold to 326p per kg for a 575kg Limousin from Anfield, Mains of Tonley and £2286.90 gross for a 770kg Limousin Cross from Braebuster, Deerness.

**Young Bulls (13)** averaged 249.5p and sold to 264p per kg for a 605kg Stabiliser Cross from Kirkside, Banff and £2425.50 gross for a 1050kg Charolais from Mains of Lundie Farm, Edzell.

"46 prime cattle were once again keenly bid for with numbers falling short of buyers requirements. The sale topped at 326p per kg for a Limousin from Mains of Tonley. Numbers continue to tighten weekly as more buyers come out to secure supplies going forward."

## Leading Prices per Kg

Under 30 Month - Prime Bullocks: Daies (LimX) 291p.

**Prime Heifers:** Hillocks Farm, Keig (Lim), Mains of Drumbreck, Udny (LimX) 319p; Backley, Pitcaple (LimX) 313p; Stoneyhill, Keith-hall (CharX) 303p; Braebuster (LimX) 297p.

**Young Bulls:** Wairds Farm, Downies (SimX) 260p; Kellyfield Farm, Arbirlot (SimX) 259p; Lethendry, Cromdale (Lim) 254p; Yonder Bognie, Forgue (AAX) 251p.

## Leading Prices per Head

**Under 30 Month – Prime Bullocks:** Daies (LimX) £2167.95; Daies (SimX) £2151.75; Daies (CharX) £2149.70.

**Prime Heifers:** Backley, Pitcaple (LimX) £2067.20; Hillocks Farm (Lim) £2041.60; Mains of Drumbreck (LimX) £1882.10; Anfield Mains (Lim) £1874.50.

**Young Bulls:** Lethendry (Lim) £2120.90; Kellyfield Farm (SimX) £1735.30; Yonder Bognie (SimX) £1701; Kirkside, Banff (STX) £1597.20