

QUOYBRAE, Aberdeen and Northern Marts (23rd September 2024) sold 670 store cattle.

Bullocks (357) averaged 295.6p (+6.8p on the year) to 341.0p for a pen of 437kg Charolais crosses from Aimster, Thurso and £2,000 gross for a 732kg Charolais Cross from Brae Edge, Castletown.

Heifers (279) averaged 282p (-4.4 on the year) to 313.4p and to £1,830 gross for a 685kg Limousin cross from from Lhaid Croft.

Aberdeen Angus & Native Bred Bullocks (23) averaged 287.9p (+1.2p on the year) to 303.3 p for pen of three 521kg and to £1,900 gross for a pen of three 651kg from 5 Lochend, Castletown.

Aberdeen Angus & Native Bred Heifers (11) averaged 278.9p (+12p on the year) and sold to 291p for a pair of 488kg and £1,650 for a pair of 586kg from 5 Lochend, Castletown.

“Cattle were shown in decent bloom resulting in a positive return.”

Leading prices per head and per kg

Bullocks up to 350kg – Haster, Wick (Chax) £1,080 315.8p

351-400kg: Barrock Mains (Limx) £1,270, 319.1p

401-450kg: Aimster (Cha) £1,490, Gerston, Halkirk (Chax) 337.9p

451-500kg: Gerston (Cha) £1,575, 13 Upper Dounreay (Limx) 335.5p

501-550kg: Strathcool (Limx) £1,640, 13 Upper Dounreay 335.5p

551-600kg: Upper Latheron, Latheron (Chax) £1,775, 309.2p

601-650kg: Hoy Castletown (Chax) £1,760, 286.2p

651-700kg: Brae Edge, Castletown, Northy Lyth £1,900, North Lyth 286.6p

Heifers up to 400kg: Aimster (Chax) £1,200, 306.1p

401-450kg: Buckies Farm, Thurso (ChaX) £1,370, 13 Upper Dounreay (Limx) 313.3p

451-500kg: Gerston (Chax) £1,370 312.8p

501-550kg: 8 Skail, Forss (Limx) £1,625, New House, Oust (Limx0 313.4p

551-600kg: Lower Thura, Bower (Limx) £1,600, Lhaid Croft (LimX) 294.1p

601-650kg: Upper Latheron (Chax) £1,740, 287.4p.

Aberdeen Angus Bullocks up to 450kg: Latheron Mains £1,670, 279p;

451-500kg: West Watten, Watten £1,440, 301.3p

501-550kg: 5 Lochend £1,600, 303.3p

551-600kg: Latheron Mains £1,420

Aberdeen Angus Heifers up to 450kg: 5 Lochend, Castletown £1,120, 264.2p

451-500kg: 5 Lochend £1,420, 291p

501-550kg: 5 Lochend £1,450, 281.6p

551-600kg: 5 Lochend £1,650, 281.6p