THAINSTONE, Aberdeen and Northern Marts (Friday 18th October 2024) Sold 1060 Store Cattle, Young Bulls and Young and Weaned Calves.

"1060 Store Cattle sold to a top of £1965 for a 702kg Aberdeen Angus Bullock from Messrs Drever, Russland, Westray, followed by £1950 for a homebred Limousin Cross scaling 656kgs from M & I Morrison, Backhills, Corse. All weights and qualities were keenly bid for."

Bullocks (556) averaged 307.8p and sold to 575.2p per kg for a 226kg Limousin Cross from Osborne Farms, Forfar and £1950 gross for a 656kg Limousin Cross from Backhills, Corse.

Aberdeen-Angus Bullocks (76) averaged 298.9p and sold to 340.9p per kg for a 440kg from Hammer Greeny, Dounby and £1965 gross for a 702kg from Russland, Westray.

Heifers (370) averaged 299.2p and sold to 444.4p per kg for a 288kg Limousin Cross from Osborne Farms, Forfar and £1880 gross for a 528kg British Blue Cross from Braebuster, Deerness.

Aberdeen-Angus Heifers (45) averaged 264.7p and sold to 296.5p per kg for 452kg from Skaill, Sandwick and £1600 gross for a Pair of 638kgs from Mains of Gollachy, Buckie.

Bulls (7) sold to 250p per kg for a 436kg Beef Shorthorn Cross from Faebait, Muir of Ord and £1300 gross for a 530kg Simmental Cross from Braehead, St Margrets Hope.

Young and Weaned Calves (6) sold to £325 gross.

Leading Prices per Head and per Kg

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Bullocks up to 250kg - Osborne Farms (LimX) £1300, 426.2p;
251-300kg – Hindatoon (SimX) £1140, Osborne Farms (LimX) 401.5p;
301-350kg – Osborne Farms (LimX) £1200, 378.3p;
351-400kg – Tillenturk (CharX) £1390, 356.4p;
401-450kg – Braebuster (LimX) £1560, Dinnet Farms (CharX) 353.1p;
451-500kg – Auchterblair Farm (LimX) £1680, 361.7p;
501-550kg – Daies (Lim) £1800, Backhills (LimX) 335.3p;
551-600kg – Lower Cushieston (CharX) £1855, Daies (Lim) 323.7p;
601-650kg – North Easterton (SimX) £1880, Daies (LimX) 307.3p;
651-700kg - Treeton (LimX) £1940, Backhills (LimX) 297.3p.
Aberdeen-Angus Bullocks up to 350kg - Upper Balquindachy £925, 276.9p;
351-400kg – Woodlands £1050, 285.3p;
401-450kg – Hammer Greeny £1500, 340.9p;
451-500kg – Skaill £1495, Hilton Farm 320p;
501-550kg – Crannabog £1700, 310.2p;
551-600kg – Daleigh Farm £1720, 288.6p;
701-750kg – Russland £1965, 279.9p.
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Heifers up to 250kg – Osborne Farms (LimX) £800, 377.4p;
251-300kg – Osborne Farms (LimX) £1280, 313.4p;
301-350kg – Midtown of Buchromb (CharX) £1150, 342.3p;
351-400kg – Braebuster (CharX) £1530, 392.3p;
401-450kg – Strocherie (CharX) £1490, Midtown of Buchromb (CharX) 347.3p;
451-500kg – Braebuster (LimX) £1800, 369p;
501-550kg – Broomhill (LimX) £1670, Braebuster (BBX) 356.1p;
551-600kg – Tullochgribbon Mains (SimX) £1790, 2 Bogie Street (CharX) 307.1p;
601-650kg – Backhills (LimX) £1790, 296.4p;
651-700kg – Ferniebrae (SimX) £1750, 266.8p.
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Aberdeen-Angus Heifers up to 350kg - Woodlands £900, 261.1p;

351-400kg – Hillhead £1060, 267.7p; **401-450kg** – Craigiebrae £1290, 286.7p;

451-500kg - Craigiebrae £1410, Skaill 296.5p;

501-550kg - Skaill £1435, 282.5p;

551-600kg – Craigiebrae £1550, 280.8p;

651-700kg – Mains of Gollachy £1600, 243.3p.

Bulls up to 450kg – Faebait Farm (BSHX) £1090, 245.4p; **501-550kg –** Wrangham (BSH) £1200, Braehead (SimX) 245.3p.