

CAST COWS AND BULLS

THAINSTONE, Aberdeen and Northern Marts (Thursday 21st November)
Sold 324 Cows and Bulls to average £1495.49 or 209ppk.

Beef Finished Cows (136) averaged £1780.80 and sold to £2290 for an 834kg Limousin from Kair, Fordoun.

Beef Feeding Cows (156) averaged £1339.07 and sold to £1545 for a 676kg British Blue Cross from Netherhill, Tankerness.

Boning Cows (13) Sold to £1030.

Dairy Cows (9) averaged £795.55 and sold to £1450 for a 550kg Holstein Friesian from Berriedale, South Ronaldsay.

Bulls (10) averaged £1911 and sold to £2490 for a 1150kg Aberdeen Angus from Birkenbower, Lumsden.

“A large show of 324 cast cows & bulls were sold at Thainstone. With no fewer than 160 native and dairy bred cows present, a strong average of £1495.49 or 209ppk was achieved.”

Leading Prices per Head

Beef Finished Cows: Glencat, Ballogie (SimX) £2240; Wester Coltfoot, Kinloss (Sim), Newton Smiddy, Lyne of Skene (AA), Caskieben, Kinellar (LimX) £2170; Tister Farm, Halkirk (SimX), West Maldron, Torphins (SimX) £2140; Braigiewell, Echt (HeX), Newton Smiddy (AA) £2110

Beef Feeding Cows: Kirkside, Banff (AAX) £1545, £1535; Pettycur Farm, Hillside (AA) £1535; Mains of Balhall, Memuir (AAX), Tister Farm (SimX), Winless Mains, Wick (SimX), Kirkside (STX), (AAX), Binscarth Farm, Finstown (AA) £1530

Dairy Cows: Berriedale (SRWX) £1030, (HFX) £950

Bulls: Leschangie Lodge, Kemnay (Sim) £2340; Parkfield, Oldmeldrum (Sim) £2290; Goukswells, Culsalmond (Sa) £2170; Rockhill Farm (Lim) £2140