

PRIME CATTLE - SALE SUMMARY

THAINSTONE, Aberdeen and Northern Marts (Thursday 14th November) Sold 86 Prime Cattle.

Under 30 Month – Prime Bullocks (18) Sold to 324p per kg for a 600kg Limousin Cross from Barnyards of Badenyoucher, Cornhill and £2332.95 gross for an 755kg Limousin Cross from Daies, Warehouse.

Prime Heifers (27) Sold to 323p per kg for a 655kg Limousin from West Knock Farms, Mintlaw and £2196.40 gross for a Limousin Cross from Ardhuncart Farms, Kildrummy.

Young Bulls (36) Sold to 314p per kg for a 840kg Limousin from Upper Forgie, Keith and £2872.10 gross for a Simmental from Cowfords Farm, New Pitsligo.

30 to 36 Month – Bullocks (1) Sold to 229p per kg and £1190.80 gross for a Belted Galloway from Little Rowater, Cornhill.

Heifers (4) Sold to 269p per kg and £1869.55 gross for a Aberdeen Angus Cross from 8 Borgie, Skerray.

“An excellent entry of 86 prime sold to a larger ringside of buyers, where top price bullock was a 600kg homebred Limousin by Mr Miller, Barnyards of Badenyoucher. Young Bulls were in powerful demand with a top of £2872.10 for a Simmental from Messrs Middleton. Many more are required to fulfil the demand from the south of prime cattle from Thainstone.”

Leading Prices per Kg

Under 30 Month – Prime Bullocks: Barnyards of Badenyoucher (LimX) 324p; Daies, Warehouse (LimX) 309p; Standingstones, Echt (LimX) 303p; Bankhead, New Aberdour (AA) 297p.

Prime Heifers: West Knock (Lim) 323p, 314p, 313p; Chapel of Barras, Stonehaven (LimX) 318p, 313p; Newton of Budgate, Cawdor (LimX) 317p.

Young Bulls: Upper Forgie (Lim) 314p; Hilton of Culsh (Lim) 307p; Cowfords Farm (Sim) 293p; Seafield Park Farm, Nairn (LimX) 291p; Hillocks, Whiterashes (Hex) 283p.

Heifers: 8 Borgie (AAX) 269p; Upper Balquindachy, Turriff (AAX) 263p, 239p; Little Rowater (BG) 229p

Leading Prices per Head

Under 30 Month – Prime Bullocks: Daies (LimX) £2332.95, £2285.40, £2242.35, £2224.80, £2116.65, £2109, £2095.20, £2052.05; Standingstones (LimX) £1969.50; Bankhead, New Aberdour (AA) £1966.95

Prime Heifers: Ardhuncart Farms, Kildrummy (LimX) £2196.40, (SimX) £2133.10; West Knock Farm (Lim) £2115.65, £2083.70, £2081.45, £2025.30; Standingstones (LimX) £2008.55

Young Bulls: Cowfords Farm (Sim) £2842.10; Corskie, Garmouth (Sim) £2776.80; Corskie, Garmouth (Sim) £2729.50; Upper Forgie (Lim) £2637.60; Drumsleed, Fordoun (Sim) £2616.60

Heifers: 8 Borgie (AAX) £1869.55; Upper Balquindachy, Turriff (AA) £1553.50, £1183.50; Little Rowater (BG) £927.45