

THAINSTONE, Aberdeen and Northern Marts (Thursday 4th December 2025) Sold 2636 Prime Sheep and Feeding Ewes & Rams.

New Season Prime Lambs (1664) averaged 294p per kg (-18.2p) and sold to 357p for 43kg Beltex's from Mosshead, Whitehouse and £186 for 67kg Continentals from Auchorrie, Midmar.

New Season Prime Lambs SQQ up to 45.5kg (746) averaged 302.1p per kg (-18.4p).

Feeding Ewes & Rams (972) averaged £131.56 and sold to £335 for Texels from Parkview, Alford.

"Following the national trend, prime lambs were easier on the week. However heavy weight still fetched good rates per head. Feeding ewes and rams would sell similar on the week with less heavy weight ewes on offer."

Leading Prices per Head and per Kg

New Season Prime Lambs: Pure Suf – Tofthills, Clatt £180, 308.8p; **Blk** – Collieston Farm, Fordoun £178, Quendale, Dunrossness 308p; **Suf** – Tofthills £176, Balnhard, Finzean 305.6p; **Pure Bel** – Mosshead £174, 341.2p; **Bel** – South Craighead, Skelmuir £172, Newton of Crathie, Auchorrie, Midmar 340.9p; **SufX** – South Craighead £167, Roundhillock, Inverugie 305.4p; **Pure Tex** – Hewan, Shapinsay, South Craighead £160, The Neuk, Nether Kinmundy 340.3p; **DutSpt** – Collieston Farm £160, Shaggart, Sauchen 295p; **Tex** – South Craighead £158, Hillhead, Newmachar 330.7p; **DutSptX** – Collieston Farm £157.50, 281.3p; **BelX** – Mosshead £157.50, 335.1p; **TexX** – South Craighead £156, Blackmyre, St Fergus 325p; **Char** – North Retannach, Rothiemay £155, Hillhead of Cannahars, Whitecairns 315.5p; **BluTex** – North Retannach £155, 303p; **Cont** – Denberry Cottage, Cushnie £153, Netherton, Aberlour 325p; **ContX** – Hewan £152.50, Netherton, Clatt, Netherton, Aberlour 322.1p; **Down** – Berefold, Ellon £150, Netherton, Clatt 294.7p; **CharX** – Cuttyhill Croft, Rora £145.50, 303.3p; **Chv** – Denberry Cottage £144, East View, Burnside 298.9p; **ChvMul** – Largue Farm, Fogue £141.50, 277.5p.

Leading Prices per Head

Feeding Ewes: Tex – Hewan, Shapinsay £305; **TexX** – Parkview £289.50; **Bel** – Halley Farm, Deerness £269.50; **BluTex** – Newtack, Crossroads £254.50; **BelX** – 13 Farquhar Road, Huntly £250; **Suf** – South Tillydesk, Ellon £231.50; **SufX** – Tillyeve, Udney £224.50; **Cont** – Gallaton, Stonehaven £224.50; **DownX** – Parkview £217.50; **ContX** – Hewan £214.50; **Goats** – Shieldrum, Bridge of Cally £212; **Cross** – Skelbister, Orphir £207.50; **Chv** – Braeside £197.50; **DutSptd** – Little Rowater, Cornhill £177.50; **Lleyn** – Achnahannet, Dulnain Bridge £169.50; **Dor** – South Raedykes Farm, Rickarton £163.50; **Black** – 13 Farquhar Road £161.50; **Mule** – Netherton, Clatt £149.50; **ChvX** – Blackmyre, St Fergus £143.50; **GF** – Broombrae, Kincardine O'Neil £142.50; **BdgF** – Collieston Farm, Fordoun £139.50; **Ker** – Nether Tillygarmond, Finzean £139.50; **Easy** – Kincardine Estate £129.50; **BF** – Coldhome, Alvah £127.50; **Herd** – Bankhead, Portlethen £127.50;

Feeding Rams: Pure Tex – Rowanhill, Kininmonth £229.50; **Tex** – Halley Farm £204.50; **TexX** – Hewan, Halley Farm £199.50; **Zwa** – Skelbister £194.50; **Cont** – Newton of Greeness, Turriff £174.50; **Suf** – Standingstones, Durris £169.50; **ContX** – Standingstones, Aikerness, Evie £164.50; **Black** – Hottit, Grimness £159.50; **DutSptd** – Glenisla, Gulberwick £154.50; **Chv** – Redhouse of Barra, Oldmeldrum £149.50.