

CAST COWS AND BULLS

THAINSTONE, Aberdeen and Northern Marts (Thursday 5th February) Sold 126 Cows and Bulls to average £1983.10 or 270.05ppk

Beef Finished Cows (51) averaged £2409.80 and sold to £3010 for a 968kg Pure Charolais from Ernan, Waterside Road.

Beef Feeding Cows (43) averaged £1861.59 and sold to £2370 for a 766kg Pure Charolais from Lingland, Occumster.

Boning Cows (15) averaged £1176.25 and sold to £1410 for a 624kg Simmental Cross.

Highland Cows (11) averaged £820 and sold to £1515 for a 635kg Highland from Mayen Farms.

Bulls (6) averaged £3326.66 and sold to £3910 for a 1390kg Pure Charolais from Monymusk Estate.

“A smaller entry of cows sold similar on the week with fed sorts reaping a premium.”

Leading Prices per Head

Beef Finished Cows: Clury Farm, Dulnain Bridge (Lim) £3000; Newton Smiddy, Lyne of Skene (Cha) £2870; Darnford, Durris (SaX) £2770, £2700, £2690; Findowrie, Brechin (SimX) £2670; Clury Farm (Lim) £2650; Darnford (SaX) £2590.

Beef Feeding Cows: Lingland (Cha) £2230; Durran Mains, Castletown (SimX) £2170; Cairnbeathie, Lumphanan (SimX), Edinglassie Mains, Glass (BSH) £2130; Tarmair, Boyndlie (Lim) £2070, £2050.

Highland Cows: 1 Kyles Paible, Lochmaddy (HI) £1270, £1210, £895

Bulls: West Greenland, Castletown (AA) £3590; West Cruichie, Drumblade (Cha) £3290; Broomhill, Bridge of Muchalls (Lim) £3270; Shannas, Clola (Lim) £2990; Craigton Farm, Lumphanan (Lim) £2910.