

CAST COWS AND BULLS

THAINSTONE, Aberdeen and Northern Marts (Thursday 12th March) Sold 155 Cows and Bulls to average £2179.50 or 293ppk.

Beef Finished Cows (62) averaged £2464.11 and sold to £3090 for a 992kg Simmental Cross from Auchnarrow Farm, Glenlivet.

Beef Feeding Cows (73) averaged £1979.80 and sold to £2470 for a 708kg Limousin from East Sinnahard, Glenkindie.

Boning Cows (12) averaged £1227.91 and sold to £1490 for an 624kg Charolais Cross.

Bulls (8) averaged £3232.50 and sold to £3840 for an 1330kg Charolais from West Davoch, Tarland.

“With fewer numbers forward trade remained buoyant for all classes.”

Leading Prices per Head

Beef Finished Cows: Easter Knox, Arbilot (Cha) £2840; Upper Tillenhilt, Midmar (SimX) £2790, £2755; Darley, Fyvie (SimX) £2730; Tillyeve, Udney (AAX) £2710; Mains of Corsegight, New Deer (ChaX), Honeybank, Auchenblae (Sim) £2690; Darrahill, Udney (SimX) £2675; Peasiehill, Arbirlot (Sim) £2640.

Beef Feeding Cows: Drumforber, Laurencekrik (Lim) £2390; Easter Knox (Cha) £2370; Housebay, Stronsay (BBX) £2365; Quoys, South Ronaldsay (AAX) £2325; Redland, Firth (LimX) £2325; Nigley, Evie (SaX), Berga, Wester Skeld (Sim), Clinterty, New Aberdour (SimX) £2270; Wester Clockeasy, Urquhart (SimX) £2230.

Bulls: Wardes, Kintore (Sim) £3490; Lost Farm, Strathdon (BB), Monymusk Estate (Lim) £3470; Milton of Cullerlie, Echt (Sa) £3190; Scrabster Mains, Forrs (Lim) £2290; Uras, Stonehaven (Sim) £2870; Darley (Cha) £2540.