

## **THAINSTONE, Aberdeen and Northern Marts (Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> March 2026) Sold 2804 Store and Breeding Sheep including Island Consignments.**

**Breeding Sheep (79)** sold to £290 for In Lamb Texel Gimmers from Brechins, South Ronaldsay.

**Store Lambs (1846)** averaged £138.54 and sold to £208 for Texels from Speylea, The Quarters.

**Island Consigned (879)** averaged £121.25 and sold to £195 for Texel Store Lambs from Halley Farm, Deerness.

“Ewes and Lambs at foot very keenly bid for and short of buyer’s requirements. Store Lambs sold at record levels; all classes saw an unprecedented demand. Top on the day was a pen of excellent Texel Lambs from Messrs Eunson, Halley Farm, Deerness selling at £195 per head.”

### Leading Prices per Head

**Breeding Sheep: SufX In Lamb 3Y** – Brechins £190;

**Gimmer & Lambs: SufX** – Cairnton, Techmuiry £160; **Suf** – 11 Raemoir Road, Banchory £140.

**Ewe & Lambs: Tex** – Moss-side, Campfield £98; **TexX** – Burngrains Croft, Alvah £96; **SufX** – Coldhome, Alvah £92.

**Store Lambs: Chv** – Speylea £194; **TexX** – Bogmill, Pitcaple £182; **Pure Bel** – Bogmill £180; **Pure Tex** – Newton of Coldwells, Auchnagatt £179; **Cont** – 2 Kesson Gardens, Kirkton of Skene £178; **SufX** – Midtown, Strachan £176; **Pure Suf** – North Bethelnie, Oldmeldrum £175; **GF** – Lynemore, Glenrinnis £174; **Mule** – The Haugh Farm, Ballindalloch £173; **Tex** – Bogmill £172; **ContX** – West Crichtie Farm, Auchnagatt £169; **Bel** – Ledmacoy, Strathdon £168; **Suf** – Bogmill £167; **Cross** – Gilrivie Cottage, Montrose £166; **BluTex** – Upper Woodside, Rothiemay £164; **DutSpot** – Little Rowater, Cornhill £162; **ChvX** – Upper Woodside £162; **ChaX** – Bogmill £154; **Black** – Speylea £152; **BF** – Lynemore £150.

**Island Consigned Store Lambs: Pure Tex** – South Breck, Burray £192; **Bel** – Strathore, Balfour £177; **Tex** – South Breck £170; **BelX** – Strathore £168; **Black** – South Breck £165; **TexX** – New Moan, Harray £156; **Cont** – South Breck £150; **Suf** – New Moan £150; **ContX** – Aikerness, Evie £149; **ChaX** – Backerass, Westray £146; **Chv** – Backerass £136; **ChvX** – Whitepow, Westray £130; **Sht** – Aikerskaill Cottage, Deerness £108.