CAST COWS AND BULLS
THAINSTONE, Aberdeen and Northern Marts (Thursday 26th November) Sold 208 Cows and Bulls to average £1723.34 or 236ppk

Beef Finished Cows (34) averaged £2123.97 and sold to £2570 for a 1016kg Simmental from Wester Coltfield, Kinloss.

Beef Feeding Cows (136) averaged £1736.65 and sold to £2390 for a 964kg Charolais from Milton of Collieston, Ellon.

Boning Cows (26) averaged £1010.92 and sold to £1290 for a 662kg Limousin Cross.

Dairy Cows (3) averaged £1063.33 and sold to £1130 for a 668kg Holstein Friesian from Broughnamary, Mulben.

Bulls (9) averaged £2288.88 and sold to £3170 for a 1348kg Aberdeen Angus from Knocknagael, Essich.

"A smaller entry of 208 cast cows & bulls were forward with all classes showing an increase on the week. The 170 straight beef bred cows levelled at 245ppk with 35 cows exceeding 270 pence. More numbers are required to fulfil demand at Thainstone."

Leading Prices per Head
Beef Finished Cows: Wester Coltfield (Sim) £2530, £2410; Balaldie, Fearn (AA) £2390; Chapelpark, Methlick (AAX) £2370; Flett Park, Kirkwall (AAX) £2290; Elsick Estate, Newhall (AAX) £2265; Milton of Noth, Rhynie (SimX) £2245; Redhouse of Barras, Oldmeldrum (SimX) £2230; Mill of Fowlis, Muir of Fowlis (SimX) £2210; Balaldie (AA) £2190; Knockhourn, Knockando (HerX) £2170; Wester Coltfield (Sim) £2150; Lower Milton, Wick (Lim) £2130; Elsick Estate (AAX) £2110.
Beef Feeding Cows: Glasstullich, Nigg Station (ChaX) £2210; Elsick Estate (AAX) £2190; Auchernack, Grantown-on-Spey (LimX) £2170; Bellechach, Harpsdale (SaX), Glasstullich (ChaX) £2150; Milton of Noth (LimX), Elsick Estate (AAX) £2110; Knockhourn (SimX) £2090; Elsick Estate (SimX) £2075; Ardhuncart, Kildrummy (SimX) £2055; Upper Balquindachy, Turriff, Inkstack Farm, Barrock (AA) £2050; Mains of Glenbuchat, Strathdon (LimX) £2045.
Bulls: Knockhourn (Lim) £2770; Upper Sauchen, Ordhead (Lim) £2670; Nether Lenshie, Rothienorman (BSH) £2340; West Cockmuir (StaX) £2290, £2070; Meikle Tullo Farm, Edzell (BSH) £1890.