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# TUESDAY 11<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER 2025 SALE OF PRIME CATTLE & PRIME SHEEP

#### PRIME CATTLE - 21

Overall Averages -

What a fantastic show of Prime Cattle presented to an ever-increasing ringside of buyers, creating a real buzz around the ring and pushing the trade way beyond the 400pkg mark on numerous occasions.

Topping today at a staggering 451.5pkg (£2636.76), a cracking Limousin Heifer, weighing 584kg from JG & M Little, Greenhill Farm, who also sold a second Limousin Heifer, weighing 610kg to 449.5pkg (£2741.95) both theses Heifers were purchased by S Wilson Ltd, The Butchers Shop, Corby Hill.

Top gross of the Day at a fantastic £3220.00 (437.5pkg) for a super smart meaty Charolais, weighing 736kg from RE Miller, West Farm, this time purchased by J Chapman (Butchers) Ltd for his Wishaw Butchers Shop.

Top Steer of the day at 401.5pkg (£2400.97) went to an Aberdeen Angus, weighing 598kg from A & C Park, Sea View and again purchased by Jamie Chapman (Butchers) Ltd for his Wishaw Butchers Shop.

Top Gross Steer at £2907.47, a Limousin, weighing 737kg from D Hodgson, Croft Farm, another Jamie Chapman purchase. More Prime Cattle are required each week to take advantage of the trade and ringside of buyers requiring meat, please contact David Fearon on 07500 173273.

Heifers 415.77pkg

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Bullocks	Sold	Average pkg	Max pkg.
551-650kgs	1	401.50	401.50
651+kgs	3	368.37	394.50
Heifers	Sold	Average pkg	Max pkg.
501-590kgs	1	451.50	451.50
591+kgs	16	413.86	449.50
Top 4 Bullocks			
Pence per kg	Weight	Breed	Vendor
401.5	598	Aberdeen Angus	A & C Park, Sea View
394.5	737	Limousin	D Hodgson, Croft Farm
359.5	729	Limousin	T Sayer, Town End Farm
351.5	758	Charolais	TB Stamper & Sons, Rose Farm
Top 5 Heifers			
Pence per kg	Weight	Breed	Vendor
451.5	584	Limousin	JG & M Little, Greenhill Farm
449.5	610	Limousin	JG & M Little, Greenhill Farm
437.5	736	Charolais	RE Miller, West Farm
437.5	732	Limousin	J Dixon & Sons Ltd, Lesson Hall
429.5	615	Limousin	DA Harrison & Co, Hill House
	551-650kgs 651+kgs Heifers 501-590kgs 591+kgs Top 4 Bullocks Pence per kg 401.5 394.5 359.5 351.5 Top 5 Heifers Pence per kg 451.5 449.5 437.5	551-650kgs 1 651+kgs 3  Heifers Sold 501-590kgs 1 591+kgs 16  Top 4 Bullocks Pence per kg Weight 401.5 598 394.5 737 359.5 729 351.5 758  Top 5 Heifers Pence per kg Weight 451.5 584 449.5 610 437.5 736 437.5 732	551-650kgs       1       401.50         651+kgs       3       368.37         Heifers       Sold       Average pkg         501-590kgs       1       451.50         591+kgs       16       413.86         Top 4 Bullocks         Pence per kg       Weight       Breed         401.5       598       Aberdeen Angus         394.5       737       Limousin         359.5       729       Limousin         351.5       758       Charolais         Top 5 Heifers         Pence per kg       Weight       Breed         451.5       584       Limousin         449.5       610       Limousin         437.5       736       Charolais         437.5       732       Limousin

Bullocks 375.39pkg

#### **PER KILO**

STEERS – 4

Aberdeen Angus 401.5 Sea View (Park)

Limousin 394.5 Croft Farm (Hodgson) 359.5 Town End Farm (Sayer)

Charolais 351.5 Rose Farm (Stamper)

#### HEIFERS - 17

**Limousin** 449.5 451.5 Greenhill Farm (Little) 437.5 Lesson Hall (Dixon) 429.5 Hill House (Harrison) 421.5 399.5 Kiln Close (Grainger) 415.5 Rose Farm (Stamper)

Charolais 437.5 West Farm (Miller) 425.5 Greenhill Farm (Little) 419.5 Hill House (Harrison) 395.5 Rose Farm (Stamper) 389.5 Town End Farm (Sayer)





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Blonde 424.5 West Farm (Miller)

British Blue 419.5 Loughrigg (Crichton) 411.5 Lesson Hall (Dixon)

Aberdeen Angus 387.5 Sea View (Park)

Hereford 365.5 Rose Farm (Stamper)

#### **PER HEAD**

#### STEERS - 4

Limousin £2907.47 Croft Farm (Hodgson) £2620.76 Town End Farm (Sayer)

Charolais £2664.37 Rose Farm (Stamper)

Aberdeen Angus £2400.97 Sea View (Park)

#### HEIFERS - 17

Charolais £3220.00 West Farm (Miller) £3087.52 Hill House (Harrison) £2823.88 Town End Farm (Sayer) £2756.64 Rose Farm (Stamper) £2514.71 Greenhill Farm (Little)

Limousin £3202.50 Lesson Hall (Dixon) £2940.32 £2706.03 Kiln Close (Grainger) £2833.71 Rose Farm (Stamper) £2741.95 £2636.76 Greenhill Farm (Little) £2641.43 Hill House (Harrison)

British Blue £2925.77 Lesson Hall (Dixon) £2919.72 Loughrigg (Crichton)

Blonde £2861.13 West Farm (Miller)

Aberdeen Angus £2654.38 Sea View (Park)

Hereford £2525.61 Rose Farm (Stamper)

#### PRIME LAMBS - 1828

A bigger show of Lambs with greater numbers of commercial types mixing well with an increased entry of tighter bred lambs. Best lambs to £180-£222 for 45kg lambs from Pat Rae, Greenah Hall. 42-44kg £100-£110 over the weight with 47-48kg harder to cash. 50kg plus at similar rates to previous weeks.

Overall average 328.97pkg

SQQ (32-45.5kg) 339.87pkg

More lambs are required each week, please contact David Bowman on 07721616786 or David Fearon on 07500 173273.

PLEASE NOTE - ALL LAMBS MUST BE BELLY CLIPPED, PLEASE PRESENT YOUR LAMBS EARLIER TO THE MART.

## Overall Averages – Prime Lambs 328.97pkg SQQ – 330.13pkg

Prime Lambs	Sold	Average pkg	Max pkg
32.1-39.0kgs	43	333.98	507.70
39.1-45.5kgs	857	339.87	500.00
45.6-52.0kgs	796	319.88	447.80
Over 52.1kgs	132	318.24	357.00

**Top Five Lambs Averages £:** £201.00 for 5 from P Rae, Greenah Hall

£192.11 for 18 from Messrs Powley, Low Northsceugh Farm

£192.03 for 34 from RN Scott, West Micklethwaite £175.00 for 1 from RB & RAG Irving, Anthorn Farm

£173.11 for 19 from Messrs JJ & E Thomlinson & Son, Croft House







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**Top Six Lambs £:** £222 for 1 weighing 45kg from P Rae, Greenah Hall

£218 for 1 weighing 45kg from JJ & E Thomlinson & Son, Croft House

£216 for 1 weighing 45kg from P Rae, Greenah Hall £216 for 1 weighing 49kg from GEH & SJ Stoddart, Hillside £215 for 1 weighing 45kg from RN Scott, West Micklethwaite £215 for 1 weighing 43kg from RN Scott, West Micklethwaite

**Top Five Lambs pkg:** 507.7 for 1 weighing 39kg from GEH & SJ Stoddart, Hillside

500.0 for 1 weighing 43kg from RN Scott, West Micklethwaite

493.3 for 1 weighing 45kg from P Rae, Greenah Hall

484.4 for 1 weighing 45kg from JJ & E Thomlinson & Son, Croft House 482.5 for 11 weighing 41.45kg from RN Scott, West Micklethwaite

#### **PER HEAD**

Beltex £222 £216 £198 £195 £174 Greenah Hall (Rae) £218 £206 £196 £187 £176 £175 £174 £172 £166 £165.5 £165 £153 Croft House (Thomlinson) £216 £198 £185 x 2 £161 Hillside (Stoddart) £215 x 2 £207 £200 x 2 £188 £187 £186 £180 £176 West Micklethwaite (Scott) £200 x 2 £198 £186 £184 Low Northsceugh Farm (Powley) £180 £157 £150 Broomhills Farm (Marrs) £178 £173 £170 £169 £166 x 2 £163 £160 £159 Dufton House (Fisher) £167 £164 x 2 £159 Grapes Barn (Strong) £154 Parkgate Hall (Peile)

Dutch Texel £205 £173 £172.5 £171 Cobble Croft (Batty)

Texel £194 £182 £181 £180 £176 £175.5 £175 £168 £167 £165 £164 £163 £162 £161 £160.5 Allerby Hall (Miller) £188 £171 £170 x 2 Skinburness Drive (Carr) £184 Ellerslea (David Allen Farming) £175.5 £166.5 £164.5 £164 x 2 £162 £160 x 2 Wham Head (Tiffin) £175 Anthorn Farm (Irving) £173 £167 £165 £164 £161 Hill House (Harrison) £171 £170 £161 Low Houses (Bell) £171 Nook Close (Metcalfe & Smith) £170 x 2 £168 Croft House (Young) £169 Fairfield Farm (Fotheringham) £168.5 £160 Limekiln Nook Farm (Bowman) £168 £160.5 £160 Lords Close (Hewetson) £167 £165 £163 £162 £160.5 Wood Farm (Wilson) £166 £165 Croft House (Thomlinson) £165 Wallend Farm (Milburn) £164 £160 Bothel Parks (Bowe) £162 £160 x 2 Greystoke Castle Farm (Peile) £160 Hillside (Stoddart) £160 Chalkside Farm (Chalkside Farming Co) £160 Tarnrigg Moor (Tarnrigg Ltd)

Suffolk £165 £152 £145 £142.5 Broomhills Farm (Marrs) £164 Hillside (Stoddart) £164 Wham Head (Tiffin) £162 £150 Fell End (Norwood) £162 £148.5 £146.5 £145 Hill House (Harrison) £160.5 £159.5 £151.5 £148.5 x 2 £147.5 x 2 Wood Farm (Wilson) £159 Tarnrigg Moor (Tarnrigg Ltd) £158 Thethwaite Farm (Bell) £155 Askrigg Hall (Elliott) £151 Dufton House (Fisher) £147.5 £146.5 Ellerslea (David Allen Farming) £146 £145 Chalkside Farm (Chalkside Farming Co Ltd) £145 Kirkland Garth (Graham & Fearon) £144 Riggwood (Harrington) £144 Croft House (Watson) £143 Wallend Farm (Milburn)

**Dutch Spotted** £157 £141 Thethwaite Farm (Bell) £155.5 Ellerslea (David Allen Farming) £150 Lords Close (Hewetson) £129 Hillside (Stoddart)

Mule £155 £134 Ellenbank (Byers) £137.5 Askrigg Hall (Elliott) £130.5 Kirkland Garth (Graham & Fearon)

Hampshire £150 Fell End (Norwood)

Cheviot £146 £145 Carlisle Gate (Stockdale) £144.5 Hill House (Harrison)



Messrs Miller, Allerby Hall sold a run of 118
Texel Lambs to £194 for a single lamb,
weighing 44kg, taking their average to
£157.97 and 342.61pkg



KJ & CS Wilson Ltd, Wood Farm sold a run of 276 Texel and Suffolk Lambs, Texels to £167 for a pen of 8, weighing 45.25kg and Suffolks to £160.5 for a pen of 4, weighing 46.5kg, taking their average to £149.06 or 319.88pkg





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Clun £138.5 Askrigg Hall (Elliott)

Jacob £132 Hillside (Stoddart)

Herdwick £118 Newtown Farm (Thompson)

#### **PER KILO**

**Beltex** 507.7 474.4 440.8 420.5 Hillside (Stoddart) 500.0 482.5 477.8 465.0 460.0 431.1 430.5 418.6 400.0 West Micklethwaite (Scott) 493.3 480.0 433.3 430.4 Greenah Hall (Rae) 484.4 455.8 447.8 420.0 415.6 413.5 Croft House (Thomlinson) 476.0 471.0 412.0 404.1 Low Northsceugh Farm (Powley)

**Dutch Texel** 455.6 422.0 395.2 389.1 Cobble Croft (Batty)

**Texel** 440.9 382.6 381.5 377.1 374.7 374.1 372.3 367.3 362.6 358.4 357.5 356.9 Allerby Hall (Miller) 421.1 360.5 Limekiln Nook Farm (Bowman) 400.0 367.8 361.0 354.8 354.4 x 2 Bothel Parks (Bowe) 391.7 359.2 Skinburness Drive (Carr) 391.5 364.2 Ellerslea (David Allen Farming) 382.3 357.0 354.3 Thethwaite Farm (Bell) 369.1 368.1 356.7 Wood Farm (Wilson) 366.7 Croft House (Thomlinson)



Messrs Fotheringham, Fairfield Farm sold a run of 32 Texel Lambs to £169 for a single, weighing 48kg, taking their average to £142.56 or 319.25pkg

361.7 361.6 360.5 Hill House (Harrison) 357.1 Anthorn Farm (Irving) 356.2 Croft House (Young) 353.1 Broadness (Hodgson) 352.7 351.8 Wham Head (Tiffin) 352.1 Fairfield Farm (Fotheringham) 351.4 x 2 Newtown Farm (Thompson)

Suffolk 367.0 338.0 315.8 309.4 Broomhills Farm (Marrs) 348.7 316.0 Thethwaite Farm (Bell) 345.2 337.8 315.7 314.5 308.3 307.7 305.4 Wood Farm (Wilson) 329.5 Kirkland Garth (Graham & Fearon) 324.3 322.9 Croft House (Watson) 324.3 302.6 Ellerslea (David Allen Farming) 322.1 317.7 316.4 304.4 Hill House (Harrison) 321.9 321.4 311.5 304.6 Fell End (Norwood) 317.8 Wallend Farm (Milburn) 315.2 311.9 301.0 Chalkside Farm (Chalkside Farming Co Ltd) 311.3 Dufton House (Fisher) 310.0 Askrigg Hall (Elliott) 309.4 Wham Head (Tiffin) 304.2 Riggwood (Harrington)

**Dutch Spotted** 365.1 357.9 Thethwaite Farm (Bell) 325.7 Ellerslea (David Allen Farming) 321.4 Lords Close (Hewetson) 317.2 Hillside (Stoddart)

Clun 315.3 Askrigg Hall (Elliott)

Cheviot 314.4 305.3 Carlisle Gate (Stockdale) 304.5 Hill House (Harrison) 298.7 Nook Close (Metcalfe & Smith)

Herdwick 310.5 Newtown Farm (Thompson)

Mule 296.3 Askrigg Hall (Elliott) 295.2 281.8 Ellenbank (Byers) 292.1 Kirkland Garth (Graham & Fearon)

Jacob 293.3 Hillside (Stoddart)

Hampshire 285.7 Fell End (Norwood)

#### <u>PRIME EWES – 188</u>

Good show of numbers topping at £240 for Beltex from Messrs Storey, Limestone Cottage.

Better finished Ewes good to sell with some leaner types proving harder to cash.

Suffolks to £190 for DI & LV Bowman, Limekiln Nook Farm

Texels to £230 for P Rae, Greenah Hall

Mules to £162 for DI & LV Bowman, Limekiln Nook Farm

Cast Tups to £215 for DA Harrison & Co, Hill House

More Ewes could easily be sold each week, please contact David Bowman on 07721 616786 or David Fearon on 07500 173273.

**Beltex** £240 £198 Limestone Cottage (Storey) £218 Grapes Barn (Strong) £210 Midtown Farm (Winder) £182 Riggwood (Harrington) £180 Hillside (Stoddart)







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Texel £230 Greenah Hall (Rae) £228 Waverhead (Bell) £222 Low Houses (Bell) £210 x 2 £192 x 2 £190 x 2 £176 x 2 Heggle Lane (Richardson) £208 £198 £188 £182 £180 £172 x 2 £170 Midtown Farm (Winder) £198 Winston Terrace (Stamper) £195 x 2 Hillside (Stoddart) £195 £178 Norman Farm (Watson) £195 Grapes Barn (Strong) £190 £170 x 2 Limekiln Nook Farm (Bowman) £186 £178 £172 Anthorn Farm (Irving) £178 Riggwood (Harrington)

Suffolk £190 Limekiln Nook Farm (Bowman)

**Dutch Texel** £185 Cobble Croft (Batty)

Mule £162 Limekiln Nook Farm (Bowman) £160 Threapland Lees (Bowness Farms Ltd) £156 Ellenbank (Byers) £149 Midtown Farm (Winder) £128 Kirkland Garth (Graham & Fearon) £126 Riggwood (Harrington)

Swaledale £86 Kirkland Garth (Graham & Fearon)

Black Face £82 Kirkland Garth (Graham & Fearon)

**TUPS** 

Beltex £215 Hill House (Harrison)

Suffolk £180 Hill House (Harrison)



