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**TUESDAY 22<sup>ND</sup> SEPTEMBER 2026**  
**SALE OF PRIME LAMBS & EWES**

**PRIME LAMBS – 1225**

Trade on a par with last week with heavies remaining good to sell and with increased interest in 40-44kg with more than half forward over 46kg.

Overall, just short of 350pkg with a commercial show of lambs and pleasing to see numbers, clients and price per head all showing notable increases on the year with today £11 up per head.

Tops today £212 twice, firstly a 48kg Beltex from G N Bowe & Sons, Bothel Parks & purchased by R J Harrison, 24 King Street, Wigton and secondly for a pen of 3 54.7kg Beltex from R E Miller, West Farm purchased by RA & EJ Harrison, Main Street, Cockermouth.

P/kg 1<sup>st</sup> place 42kg Beltex from G N Bowe & Sons, Bothel Parks at 466.7pkg (£196).

More Prime Lambs required each week please, contact David Bowman on 07721616786 or David Fearon on 07500173273.

**Prime Lambs 348.10pkg**

**Prime Lamb SQQ 352.93pkg**

| Prime Lambs  | Sold | Average pkg | Max pkg |
|--------------|------|-------------|---------|
| 32.1-39.0kgs | 2    | 378.95      | 400.00  |
| 39.1-45.5kgs | 615  | 352.93      | 466.70  |
| 45.6-52.0kgs | 568  | 345.36      | 442.60  |
| Over 52.1kgs | 40   | 321.82      | 387.60  |

**Prime Lambs Averages £:** £190.00 for 1 from L Gray, Prospect House  
£187.83 for 29 from Messrs R E Miller, West Farm  
£185.00 for 8 from R Brough, The Croft  
£181.90 for 10 from K Hodgson, Prospect House  
£181.84 for 19 from Messrs GN Bowe & Sons, Bothel Parks

**Top Six Prime Lambs £:** £212 for 3 weighing 54.70kg from Messrs R E Miller, West Farm  
£212 for 1 weighing 48kg from Messrs GN Bowe & Sons, Bothel Parks  
£208 for 3 weighing 47kg from Messrs R E Miller, West Farm  
£196 for 1 weighing 57kg from Messrs R E Miller, West Farm  
£196 for 1 weighing 49kg from JT & EM Marrs & Son, Broomhills Farm  
£196 for 1 weighing 42kg from G N Bowe & Sons, Bothel Parks

**Top Six Prime Lambs pkg:** 466.7 for 1 weighing 42kg from G N Bowe & Sons, Bothel Parks  
442.6 for 3 weighing 47kg from Messrs R E Miller, West Farm  
441.7 for 1 weighing 48kg from G N Bowe & Sons, Bothel Parks  
437.2 for 2 weighing 43kg from JT & EM Marrs & Son, Broomhills Farm  
428.6 for 2 weighing 45.5kg from Messrs R E Miller, West Farm  
428.6 for 1 weighing 42kg from Messrs Lamb, The How

**PRIME LAMBS PER HEAD**

**Beltex** £212 £208 £195 £186 £185 £180 £177 £176 West Farm (Miller) £190 £184 £183 £178 £177 Prospect House (Hodgson)  
£187 £183 £180 £178 £177 £174 £167 £164.5 Kirkland Guards (Cape) £186 £185 £183 The Croft (Brough) £184 £175 £173 £172  
£150 Whitehead Brow (Richardson) £180 £176 £168 £165 The How (Lamb) £177 £174 £165 Grace Lane (Mcintosh) £164.5  
£163.5 £163 £159 Fairfield Farm (Fotheringham)



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**Texel** £212 £196 £192 £188 £184 (2) £183 £175 (3) Bothel Parks (Bowe) £196 £188 £178 £177 West Farm (Miller) £196 £188 (2) £180 Broomhills Farm (Marrs) £185 £177 Evening Hill (Wilson) £182 £176.5 £176 Wood Farm (Wilson) £182 £181 £175 £174 £173 Swallows Barn (Benson) £180 Low Houses (Bell) £179 £177 Newbiggin Grange (Maitland) £179 £177 £175 £174 Scyamore House (Skelton) £178 £174 Mechi (Bowe) £177 Howgill Farm (Brough) £176 East Park (Donaldson) £173 Allerby Hall (Miller)

**Suffolk** £191 West Farm (Miller) £190 Prospect Farm (Gray) £178 £165 Meadow View (Merrall) £171 £154 £147 £143 Hill House (Harrison) £170 £166 £163 £150.5 Broomhills Farm (Marrs) £169 (2) Ellenbank (Byers) £169 Wood Farm (Wilson) £167.5 Mechi (Bowe) £152 £145 Greystoke Castle Farm (Peile) £149 Bridge Mill (Hunter) £146 Riggwood (Harrington) £137 Guard House (Graham)

**Dutch Texel** £180 £168.5 £166 Low Houses (Bell) £178 £176 £166 £164.5 Mechi (Bowe)

**Mule** £173 £168 Ellenbank (Byers)

**Charollais** £167 Mechi (Bowe)

**Dutch Spotted** £165 Broomhills Farm (Marrs)

**Herdwick** £160 Braithwaite Farm (Clark)

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**Beltex** 442.6 428.6 402.2 391.1 387.6 386.5 383.0 361.2 West Farm (Miller) 428.6 419.0 398.1 383.7 The How (Lamb) 413.5 392.7 376.1 364.6 348.8 Whitehead Brow (Richardson) 413.3 402.2 359.2 The Croft (Brough) 406.9 375.0 374.2 Grace Lane (Mcintosh) 397.9 397.8 387.0 371.1 366.5 362.5 361.5 Kirkland Guards (Cape) 397.8 387.8 387.4 380.6 373.2 Prospect House (Hodgson) 369.1 363.0 359.8 343.4 Fairfield Farm (Fotheringham)

**Texel** 466.7 441.7 408.5 406.2 398.0 (2) 395.8 395.7 381.3 380.4 Bothel Parks (Bowe) 437.2 407.8 400.0 388.8 382.4 381.5 Broomhills Farm (Marrs) 409.8 Belmont Farm (Bainbridge) 409.3 404.4 Wood Farm (Wilson) 402.4 Moor Platt Farm (Butler) 400.0 High Waverbridge House (Bowness) 400.0 375.0 Hill House (Harrison) 400.0 Birkmire Farm (Irving) 400.0 393.2 390.7 384.4 378.6 378.4 376.2 374.1 Allerby Hall (Miller) 387.0 Mechi (Bowe) 386.8 380.6 Howgill Farm (Brough) 384.0 (2) 374.2 Swallows Barn (Benson) 382.2 Sycamore House (Skelton) 373.3 Evening Hill (Wilson)

**Dutch Texel** 391.9 352.4 346.2 Low Houses (Bell) 386.0 382.8 375.6 352.0 Mechi (Bowe)

**Suffolk** 358.7 345.6 Meadow View (Merrall) 349.5 323.8 321.6 321.5 Broomhills Farm (Marrs) 340.7 322.6 319.6 307.5 Hill House (Harrison) 337.3 Wood Farm (Wilson) 334.1 322.2 Greystoke Castle Farm (Peile) 325.0 313.0 Ellenbank (Byers) 323.2 Bridge Mill (Hunter) 322.1 Mechi (Bowe) 312.6 Riggwood (Harrington) 304.9 Newtown Farm (Thompson) 304.4 Guard House (Graham) 301.0 West Farm (Miller)

**Dutch Spotted** 343.8 Broomhills Farm (Marrs)

**Charollais** 336.7 Mechi (Bowe)

**Mule** 323.1 315.7 Ellenbank (Ellenbank)

**Herdwick** 315.1 Newtown Farm (Thompson) 301.9 Braithwaite Farm (Clark)

## CAST EWES – 187

Another good entry but a plainer show forward. Best Ewes to –

**£255 for Texels from JM & L Graham, Guard House**

**£230 for Suffolks from JM & L Graham, Guard House**

**£210 for Beltex from D A Harrison, Hill House**

**£160 for Mules from T & D Langcake, Isel Old Park**

**£220 x 2 for Dutch Texel from D Bell, Low Houses & D Batty, Cobble Croft.**

**Cast Tups to £235 twice for A J Gaskell, Hill House.**





More Ewes can easily be sold to significant advantage, please contact David Bowman on 07721 616786 or David Fearon on 07500 173273.

**Texel** £255 £235 Guard House (Graham) £228 High Waverbridge House (Bowness) £225 £192 £190 £180 £175 £160 £150 (2) £140 Isel Old Park (Langcake) £218 £200 £190 £188 £180 £155 Highmoss (Crozier & Langcake) £200 £178 £140 Croft House (Young) £200 Newbiggin Grange (Maitland) £195 Allerby Hall (Miller) £192 £150 £130 (2) Low Houses (Bell) £174 Riggwood (Harrington) £160 £140 Hill House (Harrison)

**Suffolk** £230 £210 £178 Guard House (Graham) £160 £154 £142 Isel Old Park (Langcake) £158 Newbiggin Grange (Maitland)

**Dutch Texel** £220 Low Houses (Bell) £220 £170 Cobble Croft (Batty)

**Beltex** £210 Hill House (Harrison) £205 £178 Prospect House (Hodgson) £178 Highmoss (Crozier & Langcake)

**Mule** £160 £132 £130 £104 Isel Old Park (Langcake) £155 Croft House (Young) £140 Low Houses (Bell) £138 £126 Fairfield Farm (Fotheringham)

**Cheviot** £142 Hill House (Harrison) £110 Whitehead Brow (Richardson)

**Swaledale** £118 £90 Fellside House Farm (Pears)

**Herdwick** £85 Braithwaite Farm (Clark)

#### PRIME RAMS

**Texel** £235 £185 Hill House (Gaskell) £210 The How (Lamb)

**Charollais** £235 Hill House (Gaskell)

