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TUESDAY 10TH NOVEMBER 2026
SALE OF PRIME LAMBS & EWES

PRIME LAMBS – 1678

Similar numbers forward and handy weights sharper alongside super heavies, 46-48kg remain at similar levels. 38-43kg realising the premier competition from buyers and regularly 400p plus, topping at 510.3pkg for RN Scott, West Micklethwaite with a pen of 11 Beltex at £195 for 38.2kg.

Top price per head £218 for 43kg Beltex from Pat Rae, Greenah Hall and purchased by RJ Harrison & Sons Ltd for the Wigton Butchers Shop.

Heavy Lambs 53kg plus good to sell to a top of £200 for W Young, Croft House with 66kg Texels.

It would be appreciated if lambs could be presented a little earlier to assist with belly clipping. Gates are open from 6.30am

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

Prime Lambs 352.59pkg
Prime Lamb SQQ 367.14pkg

Prime Lambs	Sold	Average pkg	Max pkg
32.1-39.0kgs	37	443.92	510.50
39.1-45.5kgs	928	367.14	507.00
45.6-52.0kgs	525	330.98	428.30
Over 52.1kgs	183	333.61	409.00

Prime Lambs Averages £:
£201.00 for 15 from Messrs Powley, Low Northsceugh Farm
£199.35 for 20 from WW Gate, Low Aketon
£196.63 for 8 from Miss P Rae, Greenah Hall
£193.84 for 45 from RN Scott, West Micklethwaite
£184.80 for 5 from Messrs S & D Peile, Parkgate Hall

Top Five Prime Lambs £:
£218 for 1 weighing 43kg from Miss P Rae, Greenah Hall
£210 for 1 weighing 45kg from Miss P Rae, Greenah Hall
£206 for 3 weighing 48.3kg from WW Gate, Low Aketon
£206 for 1 weighing 44kg from Miss P Rae, Greenah Hall
£203 for 5 weighing 47.6kg from WW Gate, Low Aketon

Top Five Prime Lambs pkg:
510.5 for 11 weighing 38.2kg from RN Scott, West Micklethwaite
507.0 for 1 weighing 43kg from Miss P Rae, Greenah Hall
496.3 for 6 weighing 40.5kg from RN Scott, West Micklethwaite
486.6 for 11 weighing 40.9kg from RN Scott, West Micklethwaite
478.6 for 1 weighing 42kg from JJ & E Thomlinson & Son, Croft House

PRIME LAMBS PER HEAD

Beltex £218 £210 £206 £192 £191 £190 £183 Greenah Hall (Rae) £206 £203 £202 £200 £194 x 2 £193 £180 Low Aketon (Gate) £201 £200 £199 £195 x 2 £194 £189 West Micklethwaite (Scott) £201 Low Northsceugh Farm (Powley) £197 £191 x 2 £183.5 Croft House (Thomlinson) £192 £180 £175 £170 Prospect House (Hodgson) £190 £187 £180 Parkgate Hall (Peile) £189 £171 Peterhouse Farm (Trafford) £187 £180 £176 £175 £174 £173.5 £170 x 2 Limekiln Nook Farm (Bowman) £181 Spring Hill (Hodgson) £180 Hill House (Harrison)

Texel £201 £180 Croft House (Thomlinson) £200 £176 £173 £171 £170 Croft House (Young) £195 £177 £173.5 £173 £170 Heggle Lane (Richardson) £192 x 2 £185 x 2 £181 £179.5 £178 £176 £175 £172 x 2 Allerby Hall (Miller) £192 £190 £185 x 2 £183 £179 £178 Bothel Parks (Bowe) £185 £171 Kirkland Guards (Cape) £183 £176 £174 Hill House (Harrison) £180 £179 Belmont Farm (Bainbridge) £180 £173.5 £172 x 2 £171 £170 Wood Farm (Wilson) £180 Broomhills Farm (Marrs) £180 Elva Plain (Weir) £179 £175 £172 £171 £170 x 2 The Close (Airey) £178 £170 Highmoss (Crozier & Langcake) £175 Sycamore House (Skelton) £174 Howgill Farm (Brough) £172 x 2 Swallows Barn (Benson) £172 £170 Thethwaite Farm (Bell) £172 Pasture House (Carr)

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Dutch Texel £197 £191 £185 £174 x 4 The Laurels (The Laurels Farm)

Suffolk £183 Greenah Hall (Rae) £177 £147 Allerby Hall (Miller) £169 £161 £159 £151.5 £142 Hill House (Harrison) £167.5 £164 £163 x 2 £157 Wood Farm (Wilson) £165.5 £160 Croft House (Thomlinson) £165 £145 £142 The Close (Airey) £165 Peterhouse Farm (Trafford) £153 £147 £144 Low Farm (Scott & Harryman) £153 Elva Plain (Weir) £153 High House (Dickinson Farming Co) £151 £145 Broomhills Farm (Marrs) £147 Bridge Mill (Hunter) £147 Guard House (Graham) £147 Brocklebank Cottage (Hudson) £143 Manor Farm (Marrs) £142 £141 Kirkland Garth (Graham & Fearon)



Mike Hodgson, Spring Hill sold a run of 5 Beltex Lambs to £181 resulting in an average of £170.60 and 416.1pkg

Blue Texel £180 West Micklethwaite (Scott)

Charollais £170 £152 Croft House (Thomlinson) £146 Hill House (Harrison)

Dutch Spotted £161 £152 Croft House (Thomlinson)

Black Face £160 £150 Ellenbank (Byers) £150 Broomhills Farm (Marrs)

Cheviot Mule £158 x 2 Wood Farm (Wilson) £144 Broomhills (Marrs) £140 Hill House (Harrison)

Mule £149 Fairfield Farm (Fotheringham) £148 Low Farm (Scott & Harryman) £145 Manor Farm (Marrs)

Cheviot £142 Elva Plain (Weir)



MD & A Airey, The Close sold a cracking run of 60 Texel and Suffolk Lambs. Texels to £179 for a pen of 2, weighing 55kg, Suffolks to £165 for a single, weighing 52kg, resulting in an average of £157.23 or 333.0pkg

PRIME LAMBS PER KILO

Beltex 510.5 496.3 486.6 443.2 440.9 416.7 404.9 West Micklethwaite (Scott) 507.0 468.2 466.7 436.4 434.1 431.8 406.7 Greenah Hall (Rae) 467.4 Low Northsceugh Farm (Powley) 466.3 446.2 445.2 440.0 437.0 433.8 432.1 420.8 419.8 Limekiln Nook Farm (Bowman) 460.2 431.2 428.3 424.8 Croft House (Thomlinson) 456.0 436.0 431.1 426.5 x 2 410.6 408.2 Low Aketon (Gate) 439.5 Peterhouse Farm (Trafford) 431.0 409.8 Spring Hill (Hodgson) 422.9 Prospect House (Hodgson) 409.0 Hill House (Harrison)

Texel 478.6 Croft House (Thomlinson) 464.3 402.3 388.6 381.1 Heggle Lane (Richardson) 449.6 406.5 Hill House (Harrison) 446.5 423.8 417.4 414.5 402.2 x 2 400.0 395.7 395.5 389.5 Allerby Hall (Miller) 440.5 436.4 413.0 411.1 390.2 382.8 380.9 Bothel Parks (Bowe) 428.2 392.8 x 2 392.6 Thethwaite Farm (Bell) 418.6 411.5 Belmont Farm (Bainbridge) 409.5 402.4 Pasture House (Carr) 408.2 386.6 384.0 381.5 Wood Farm (Wilson) 407.3 406.7 390.8 384.2 Highmoss (Crozier & Langcake) 407.2 397.7 Sycamore House (Skelton) 404.8 The Close (Airey) 394.2 Limekiln Nook Farm (Bowman) 393.6 Kirkland Guards (Cape) 385.5 Broomhills Farm (Marrs) 382.4 Howgill Farm (Brough)



G & D Benson, Swallows Barn sold 31 Texel Lambs to £172 , resulting in an average of £156.90 or 352.21pkg. Courtney Benson sold 33 Texels Lambs to £153.50, resulting in an overall average of £154.09

Blue Texel 400.0 West Micklethwaite (Scott)

Charollais 386.0 345.5 Croft House (Thomlinson) 309.3 Hill House (Harrison)

Suffolk 373.5 Greenah Hall (Rae) 357.1 313.4 Croft House (Thomlinson) 347.7 331.5 316.5 304.7 302.3 Hill House (Harrison) 347.7 Elva Plain (Weir) 340.3 335.5 332.7 330.0 329.7 Wood Farm (Wilson) 336.0 329.5 Broomhills Farm (Marrs) 334.1 327.9 Kirkland Garth (Graham & Fearon)

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334.0 Brocklebank Cottage (Hudson) 327.8 319.6 Allerby Hall (Miller) 324.5 317.6 Bridge Mill (Hunter) 323.6 Newtown Farm (Thompson) 320.1 317.3 The Close (Airey) 320.0 312.8 306.0 Low Farm (Scott & Harryman) 313.7 Peterhouse Farm (Trafford) 304.8 High House (Dickinson Farming Co) 300.0 Guard House (Graham)

Dutch Texel 364.8 363.8 334.5 329.5 326.5 324.0 310.7 The Laurels (The Laurels Farm)

Dutch Spotted 335.4 316.7 Croft House (Thomlinson)

Cheviot Mule 320.7 Broomhills (Marrs) 319.6 Hill House (Harrison) 307.4 x 2 Wood Farm (Wilson)

Cheviot 320.5 Elva Plain (Weir)

Mule 308.3 Low Farm (Scott & Harryman) 297.1 Manor Farm (Marrs) 293.3 Fairfield Farm (Fotheringham)

Black Face 303.0 Broomhills Farm (Marrs) 301.8 293.6 Ellenbank (Byers)

CAST EWES – 125

Way short of numbers today with a poorer show, topping at £258 for Texels from Messrs Armstrong, Stoneraise. Many more could have been handled on a sharp trade!! , please contact David Bowman on 07721 616786 or David Fearon on 07500 173273.
Beltex to £208 for S & D Peile, Parkgate Hall
Mules to £158 for Dickinson Farming Co, High House
Suffolks to £240 for The Laurels Farm
Swaledales to £122 for Messrs Pears, Fellside House Farm

Texel £258 Stoneraise (Armstrong) £250 £212 £188 The Laurels (The Laurels Farm) £245 Elva Plain (Weir) £212 £168 Thistle Bottom (Paterson) £208 Riggwood (Harrington) £198 £194 £154 Westward Parks (Brockbank) £180 Low Blaithwaite (Bell) £174 Croft House (Young)

Suffolk £240 The Laurels (The Laurels Farm) £192 Beech Tree Farm (Bell) £170 Thistle Bottom (Paterson)

Beltex £208 £170 Parkgate Hall (Peile)

Mule £158 High House (Dickinson Farming Co) £151 Kirkland Garth (Graham & Fearon) £146 Riggwood (Harrington) £130 £126 £120 Westward Parks (Brockbank) £130 Beech Tree Farm (Bell)

Dorset £158 Langrigg Hall (Gate)

Swaledale £122 £94 £91 Fellside House Farm (Pears)

Cheviot £110 Kirkland Garth (Graham & Fearon) £110 Broomhills Farm (Marrs)

Herdwick £100 Elva Plain (Weir)

PRIME RAMS

Beltex £200 West Park Farm (Brough)

Texel £170 West Park Farm (Brough) £140 The Close (Airey)

Suffolk £140 West Park Farm (Brough)

Blue Leicester £132 Fellside House Farm (Pears)

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