

DINGWALL & HIGHLAND MARTS LIMITED - 18/08/09

	No	Top price	Bottom price	Average	+/-
CATTLE					
BULLOCKS					
Premium	11	186.0	177.0	181.2	+6.2
Prime	18	178.0	167.0	172.5	+3.7
Commercial	4	165.0	155.0	160.6	-1.5
HEIFERS					
Premium	19	189.0	178.0	181.7	+4.3
Prime	19	178.0	166.0	173.1	+2.8
Commercial	6	166.0	155.0	161.5	+0.5
SHEEP					
NEW SEASON LAMBS					
Premium 25.0-35.9					
Premium 36.0-45.5	224	154.4	145.0	148.9	-1.2
Prime 25.0-35.9					
Prime 36.0-45.5	80	144.4	138.9	141.6	+1.9
Prime 45.6-52.0	51	142.1	140.4	141.4	+1.7
Commercial 25.5-45.5	21	135.1	134.7	134.9	NC
Commercial 46.0 +	44	137.6	122.3	132.9	NC

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Prime heifers (44) averaged 174.8p (+1.3p) and sold to 189p per kg for a 485kg Belgian Blue cross from Pithogarty, Tain, to John M. Munro Ltd, Dingwall, and £1,174.50 gross for a 675kg Limousin cross also from Pithogarty, to Woodhead Brothers, Turriff.

Other leading prices per kg:

Bullocks: Udale, (LimX), 185p; Lower Gledfield, Ardgay, (LimX), Brae-edge Farm, Castletown, (BBX), Lairgandour, Daviot, (LimX), 180p; Lower Gledfield, (LimX), Udale, (LimX), Lairgandour, (LimX), 178p.

Heifers: Redhill, Allanfearn, (LimX), 186p; Bridgend Farm, Dingwall, (LimX twice), 185p; Redhill, (LimX), Newton of Ferintosh, Conon Bridge, (LimX), Wester Craiglands, (CharX), 183p.

Other leading prices per head:

Bullocks: Udale, (LimX), £1,230.15; Brae-edge Farm, (SimX), £1,229.80; Lower Gledfield, (LimX), £1,152.00.

Heifers: Easter Sheep Park, (LimX), £1,149.15; Mountrich Farm, Dingwall, (CharX), £1,103.90; Redhill, (LimX), £1,097.40.

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Leading prices per head and per kg:

New season lambs: **TexX** – Peallaig, Dingwall, and Clury Farm, Dulnain Bridge, £67.00, Clury Farm, 153.7p; **SuffX** – Forsie, £66.80, Mountrich Farm, Dingwall, 150.0p; **Chev** – Inchindown, Invergordon, £65.00, Forsie, 149.4p; **Cross** – Oldtown of Leys, Inverness, £60.80, 135.1p; **Mule** – Flichity Mains, Farr, £58.00, 142.7p.

Prime ewes: **TexX** – Forsie, £65.00; **Mule** – Easter Sheep Park, Balblair, £55.50; **Chev** – Easter Sheep Park, £53.00; **BeltX** – Easter Sheep Park, £51.00.