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DINGWALL, Dingwall & Highland Marts Ltd., (March, 18th) sold 451 store cattle, 17 breeding cattle and 52 OTM cattle.

Bullocks (225) averaged 178.3p and sold to 213.5p per kg for a pen of 267kg Limousin crosses from Keppoch Farm, Dundonnell, and £880 gross for a pen of 550kg Simmental crosses from Kirkton Farm, Golspie.

Heifers (224) averaged 168.2p and sold to 211.6p per kg for a pen of 267kg Charolais crosses from Westburn, Murkle, and £880 gross for a pen of 475kg Simmental crosses from Knocknagael, Inverness-shire.

Breeding cattle (12) sold to £1,120 for an Aberdeen Angus cross with male calf from Auchterawe, Fort Augustus.

OTM prime and feeding cows (37) averaged 114.1p and sold to 141.1p per kg for a 620kg Belgian Blue cross from Woodend, Killearnan, and £1,015 gross for a 725kg Aberdeen Angus from Galcantray Farm, Cawdor.

OTM feeding bulls (3) averaged 101.9p and sold to 119.5p per kg and £1,225 gross for a 1,025kg Limousin from Knocknagael.

OTM clean bullocks and heifers (12) averaged 128.8p and sold to 148.7p per kg twice for two 595kg Limousins from Balnageith, Forres, and £1,100 gross for a 920kg Aberdeen Angus from Galcantray Farm and a 970kg Limousin from Brae of Balnabeen, Culbokie.

⚠ more mixed show sold at recent high rates.+

Other leading prices per head and per kg:

Bullocks up to 250kg – Clachan Farm, Inverbroom, £465, Creag Bhuie, Balgowan, 209.1p; **251-300kg** . Westburn, £600, 206.9p; **301-350kg** . Conan Mains, Conon Bridge, £690, 200.6p; **351-400kg** . Coldhome Farm, Fortrose, £750, Achnahannet, Dulnain Bridge, 197.6p; **401-450kg** . No. 2 Glaick, Ardross, £755, Balliefurth, Grantown on Spey, 180.7p; **451-500kg** – Woodside, Muir of Tarradale, £850, 182.8p; **501-550kg** – Fleuchary, Dornoch, £840, Kirkton Farm, 160p.

Heifers up to 250kg – Westburn, £510, 210.7p; **251-300kg** . Conan Mains, £590, Westburn, 200p; **301-350kg** . No. 84 Tomich, Lairg, £645, Westburn, 198.4p; **351-400kg** . Ordmuir, Muir of Ord, £715, 193.2p; **401-450kg** . Pitmain Farm, Kingussie, £770, Balnabeen, Conon Bridge, 182p; **451-500kg** – Coldhome Farm, £840, Knocknagael, 185.3p; **501-550kg** – Knocknagael, £865, 160.2p; **551-600kg** – Mid Fearn Farm, Ardgay, £830.

Other leading prices per kg

OTM prime and feeding cows: Galcantray Farm, (AA), 140p; Achscrabster, Westfield00, (SalX), 127.8p; Mid Fearn Farms, (SimX), 120.9p.

OTM bulls: Galcantray Farm, (AA), 102.3p.

OTM clean bullocks and heifers: Teawig, Beaully, (LimX), 148.5p; Balnageith, (Lim), 144.9p; Galcantray Farm, (AA), 135.3p.

Other leading prices per head

OTM prime and feeding cows: Galcantray Farm, (AA), £1,005; Bog of Cullicudden, Culbokie, (SimX), £985; Laggan of Clachaig, (AAX), £885.

OTM bulls: Galcantray Farm, (AA), £1,095.

OTM clean bullocks and heifers: Laggan of Clachaig, (AA), £1,065; Balnageith, (Lim twice), £885; Galcantray Farm (AA), Balnageith, (Lim), £855.