

**DINGWALL & HIGHLAND MARTS LIMITED – 29/09/09**

	No	Top price	Bottom price	Average	+/-
<b>CATTLE</b>					
<b>BULLOCKS</b>					
Premium	6	179.0	174.0	176.0	+0.3
Prime	15	173.0	167.0	169.7	-1.2
Commercial	5	166.0	153.0	162.7	-4.2
<b>HEIFERS</b>					
Premium	8	191.0	176.0	183.8	-2.2
Prime	21	176.0	166.0	170.1	-1.5
Commercial	7	166.0	158.0	163.6	-1.6
<b>SHEEP</b>					
<b>NEW SEASON LAMBS</b>					
Premium 25.0. 35.9					
Premium 36.0. 45.5	93	142.9	138.0	139.7	+1.4
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Prime 36.0. 45.5	166	136.9	131.0	134.2	+2.7
Prime 45.6. 52.0	45	138.3	130.4	135.0	+7.7
Commercial 25.5-45.5	62	130.6	124.1	127.8	+5.3
Commercial 46.0 +	14	122.4	82.9	115.3	-4.2

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Other leading prices per kg:

**Bullocks:** Castlecraig, (AAX), and Wester Craiglands, (CharX), 177p; Castlecraig, (ShoX), 176p; Wester Craiglands, (CharX twice), 174p.

**Heifers:** Castlecraig, (LimX), 188p; Bridgend Farm, (LimX), 185p; Dunvournie, Dingwall, (LimX), 181p.

Other leading prices per head:

**Bullocks:** Wester Craiglands, (CharX), £1,150.50.00; Brae-edge, Castletown, (CharX), £1,130.50; Ankerville, Nigg, (LimX twice), £1,079.50.

**Heifers:** Bridgend Farm, (SimX), £1,126.40; Bridgend Farm, (BAX), £1,082.40; Mountrich Farm, (CharX), £1,073.15.

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Other leading prices per head and per kg:

**New season lambs: TexX** – Seafield, Edderton, £64, Kinnahaird Farm, Contin, 142p; **SuffX** – Lower Park, Evanton, £63.50, Achscrabster, Thurso, 141.7p; **CharX** – Kinnahaird Farm, £60.80, 141.4p; **Suff** – Mid Badgrinan, Culbokie, £60; **Cross** – Oldtown of Leys Farm, Culduthel, £60, 124.1p; **Tex** – Beallach Na Gore, Jamestown, £58; **Mule** – Tulloch Farm, Dingwall, £58, Dell Farm, Inverness, 134.5p; **CHM** – Kinnahaird Farm, £57.50, 136.9p; **BF** – Tulloch Farm, £54, Cradlehall Park, Inverness, 128p.