

FORT WILLIAM, Dingwall & Highland Marts Ltd, (November, 3rd) sold 517 rams at its annual sale of rams.

Blackface ram lambs (78) averaged £330.26 and sold to £3,300 gross from Dalchirla Farm, Muthill.

Blackface shearlings (281) averaged £258.26 and sold to £3,500 gross from Elmscleugh, Dumbar.

Blackface two shears (38) sold to £700 gross from Knockdon, Maybole.

Blackface three shears (15) sold to £350 (4 times) Dall Farm Killen, Balchraggan, Torness, Woodside Croft, Isle of Mull & Braes of Ardeonaig, Killen.

Blackface aged rams (12) sold to £400 gross from Craig Farm, Maybole.

Cheviots (48) sold to £400 gross for a two shear from 80 Strathcaniaird, Ullapool.

Texels (20) sold to £420 gross for a Shearling from Balmaglaster, Spean Bridge

Suffolks (2) sold to £250 gross for a shearling from Newton of Crathie, Ballater.

Blue Faced Leicester (4) sold to £700 gross for a shearling from Crookston, Heriot.

Swale (15) sold to £250 (twice) gross for a shearling from Glenavon Estate, Tomintoul & an aged from Abercairney Estate, Creiff.

Crosses (4) sold to £380 (twice) gross for shearlings from The Arr, Lethen & Newton of Crathie.

Other leading prices per head

BF ram lambs – Elmscleugh, £3300 & £1200, Dalchirla, £1500, Allanfauld, Kilsyth, £800.

BF shearling – Elmscleugh, £1600, Knockdon, £1200, Dalchirla, £1000;

BF two shear – Shenlarich £600, £350, Dall Farm, £450, £320.

BF three shear – Braes of Ardeonaig, £250, Dall Farm, £200.

BF Aged – Clashnoir, Glenlivet, £350.

Chev shearling – East Durrán, Castletown, Bracklin, Callender & Balmaglaster £350, Wood Cottage Croft, East Durrán & Balmaglaster £200 Ardoch Farm, Dumbarton £180.

Chev two shear – Wood Cottage Croft & 80 Strathcaniaird £350, Keppoch Farm, Dundonnell, £320.

Texel shearling – East Bracklin, £350, Newton of Crathie & Balmaglaster, £300, Fidden Farm, Isle of Mull, £250 (twice).

Blue Face Leicester – Crookston, Herriot, £600, £500.