

MARKET REPORT



Tuesday 22nd April 2025

Sale of Weekly Prime Sheep, April Fair Sale of Store Cattle.

SPRING LAMBS

A nice, smaller show of spring lambs forward today, with a **sale average** of £3.60p/kg.

The **top price of the day** was a Texel lamb sold by A & B Fell of Hodgson Green, reaching £170.00 (per kilo £3.72p/kg), purchased by A T Livestock Ltd.

(SUF)	A & B Fell	£170.00
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(TEX)	A & B Fell	£170.00
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PRIME LAMBS

A slightly smaller show this week of 600 prime lambs, with the average slightly back from the week previous. Today's **sale averaged** £3.13p/kg.

The **top price of the day** was a Beltex lamb sold by K J Armistead of Kelstead, reaching £195.00 purchased by A T Livestock Ltd.

The **top price per kilo** was for a Texel lamb from A M Diss of Cowran Estate reaching £4.13p/kg purchased by A T Livestock Ltd.

(BEL)	M J Cleasby	£178.00
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(TEX X)	P Bradley	£172.00
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(SUF)	A R Edmondson	£180.00
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(DS)	Messrs Fell	£180.00
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(TEX)	T Postlethwaite & Co	£169.50
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CAST EWES

A good show of ewes were forward at today's sale. Ewes **averaged** £158.00. The **top price of the day** reached £259.50 for a Beltex ewe sold by K J Armistead of Kelstead, purchased by J Linsley Livestock.

(LEIC)	A R Edmondson	£237.50
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(TEX)	T H Garnett & Son	£227.50
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(ZWAR)	E E Barton	£223.50
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(BLU TEX)	E E Barton	£209.50
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(SUF)	T H Garnett & Son	£203.50
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(MULE)	Messrs Crowe	£199.50
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STORE SHEEP

A small show of store lambs were forward at today's sale. The **sale averaged** £100.00 per head.

The **top price of the day** reached £118.00 for a pen of 5 Suffolk lambs sold by G G Wightman of The Height, purchased by J Linsley Livestock.

(MULE)	G G Wightman	£110.00
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(TEX)	G G Wightman	£110.00
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(SUF)	G G Wightman	£102.00
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(MULE)	G G Wightman	£95.00
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EWES & LAMBS

A nice, small show of ewes and lambs forward today all from L Tyson & Son of Gatehouse Farm reaching a **sale average** of £305 per outfit.

The **top price of the day** was for 2 Mule ewes with Texel lambs reaching £350.00 purchased by Messrs Rothery.

STORE CATTLE

A tremendous show of store cattle were presented today for our April Fair Show and Sale of Store Cattle. Many thanks go to our judge, M Woods for his expertise and a job well done.

As he went on to place his results, he awarded **Champion** to D J Mallett of High Loanthwaite for a fantastic Limousin heifer, that reached the fantastic price of £2545.00, purchased by D Barker.

A great entry of 311 cattle entered for todays store cattle sale. The **sale average** for the day was £1920.

The **top price steer of the day** was a Aberdeen Angus Cross reaching £2965.00 sold by F & S A Edmondson of Netherhouses , purchased by J R Whitton.

(LIM)	F & S A Edmondson	£2965.00
(CHX)	David Lindow	£2685.00
(HE)	Messrs Rothery	£2485.00
(AAX)	J & G Cooper	£2635.00
(BRBX)	Sue Cunliffe	£2695.00
(SAX)	Sue Cunliffe	£2575.00

The **top price heifer of the day** was a Limousin cross reaching £2775.00 sold by W A Atkinson of Riddingside, purchased by D Barker.

(LIMX)	W A Atkinson	£2775.00
(CHX)	A R & C A Fawcett	£2735.00
(LIM)	R Falconer & Son	£2645.00
(SIM)	J & G Cooper	£2615.00
(AAX)	W, M & R Tyson	£2415.00
(SAL)	W J & V J Case	£2355.00
(BRBX)	J & G Cooper	£2295.00

FORTHCOMING SALES

TUESDAY 29TH APRIL

Normal Weekly Sale of Prime Sheep.

Tuesday 6th May

SALE OF PRIME CATTLE AND CAST COWS. Entries until time of sale

MONTHLY SALE OF FARMERS CALVES & STIRKS.

SHOW & SALE OF ALL CLASSES OF DAIRY CATTLE & FOLLOWERS.

SPECIAL SHOW AND SALE OF PRIME SPRING LAMBS.

Entries close Tues 29 Apr

Tuesday 13th May

Normal Weekly Sale of Prime Sheep.

SPECIAL SALE OF ALL CLASSES OF BREEDING & STORE SHEEP.

SHOW & SALE OF CONTINENTAL & MULE HOGGS WITH LAMBS AT FOOT.

Entries close Tues 6 May