



MONDAY SALES Prime Sheep and Cull Ewes Prime Cattle and Mature Beef	FRIDAY SALES Store Cattle 10.00a.m. Calves & Stirks 10.30 a.m. Pigs (Fortnightly) 10.45 a.m. Store and Breeding Sheep 11.00 a.m. Dairy Cattle 12.00 noon
SALE COMMENCES 9.45 a.m. with Prime Lambs followed by Prime Hogs then Cattle & Cull Ewes.	
GATES OPEN 7 A.M.	

STORE MARKET REPORT – FRIDAY 15th JANUARY 2010

STORE CATTLE (97)

Steers to £880, Heifers to £890

At last some let up in the weather allowing stock to get on the move and they were very much sought after. A good run of 11 Charolais heifers from **Messrs MF & HJ Pearse of Woodland** topped the market selling to £890 for a bunch of three. Top price for steers was £880 for a 9 month old Limousin from **Mr A Pickard of North Molton** closely followed at £860 for a Blonde Aquitaine steer from **Mr R E Colbear of Northlew** and £858 for a pair of Limousins from **Messrs RJ & AM Pedrick of Buckfastleigh**. Many more wanted to satisfy demand. A 2003 Blonde bull from **Mr F Davis of Crediton Hamlet** sold for £885.

PLEASE ENSURE THAT YOUR CATTLE HAVE TWO EAR TAGS AS OTHERWISE WE HAVE TO SEND THEM HOME.

Pre-Movement Testing – The 60 day period starts from the vet's FIRST visit.

STORE CATTLE BREED	NO	TOP PRICE STEERS	VENDOR	NO	TOP PRICE HEIFERS	VENDOR
Charolais	3	620	A Pickard	7	890	MF & HJ Pearse
Simmental	6	740	RJ Reddaway & Sons	9	865	MF & HJ Pearse
Limousin	11	880	A Pickard	3	660	EJ & R Calcraft
Blonde	5	860	RE Colbear	1	615	C Harvey
Belgian Blue	1	490	FJ Luxmore			
Hereford	1	650	C Harvey	5	480	R Withers
South Devon	7	795	Messrs Sluggett			
Aberdeen Angus	10	820	RJ Reddaway & Sons	7	538	EJ & R Calcraft
Friesian	8	580	RE Colbear			
Devon	4	608	F Davies			
Piedmontese				3	655	RE Colbear
BULLS						
Blonde Aquitaine	1	885	F Davies			

STORE SHEEP(798)

Store Lambs (484) A very short entry met a flying trade with 32 pens making over £60 each and 16 pens in excess of £70. Many more needed to satisfy buyers requirements.

	Maximum Price/Head (£)	Price Range
Best Lambs	75.00	64.00 to 75.00
Medium Lambs	63.00	48.00 to 63.00
Small/plain Lambs	45.50	30.00 to 45.50
Overall Average	61.24	
Top Price	75.00	Vendor: M D Barons

Couples(116) The largest entry of the season so far sold to the same trade as before Christmas. Double couples topped at £180 with most doubles above the £160 mark. Single couples met a more varied trade with most singles around the £130 mark.

DOUBLES	Price/Head	VENDOR
6T/FM/BM	180.00	Mr S Jervis
SINGLES		
6T/FM/BM	145.00	Mr A P White
Hogg	132.00	Mr A P Selway

Breeding Ewes(166)

The special January sale of in-lamb ewes and ewe lambs created plenty of interest and drew a large crowd. Top price was £130 for a pen of smart Dorset ewe lambs (scanned to lamb 7th February onwards to a Dorset) from **Mr A Palk of Paignton**. 2T ewes sold to £122 for three pens of Mule and Mule cross ewes (sold running with Suffolk rams since 9th September) from **Mr G J Wotton of East Prawle**. Older ewes sold to £110 for three pens from **Mr R G Tucker of Broadclyst**, the first two pens were Suffolk cross 6T/FM and one pen of 6T/FM Texel crosses(all sold scanned in-lamb due mid March to Suffolk or Texel).

BREED	Ewe Lambs	2T	4T	6T/FM	VENDOR
Suffolk/Suffolk X	99.00			110.00	Mr R G Tucker
Mule		122.00		105.00	Mr G J Wotton
Texel/Texel X				110.00	Mr R G Tucker
Dorset/Dorset X	130.00			108.00	Mr A Palk

Orphan Lambs(4) Best to £25.00. The overall average was £22.50.

Grazing Ewes(28) Strong demand for all types. Best ewes to £78.00. Mediums to £50.00. Plain to £37.00. Overall average £43.18.

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CALVES (59)

A smaller than expected entry sold on a fast trade for all classes.

Beef Breeds(32) Some high quality calves forward selling to a full complement of buyers. Congratulations to **D Mortimer & Co** who sold the best bull and heifers calves seen for a long while, being Blues at £368 and £295 respectively. Other quality bull calves sold easily over £300 at £336 for a Charolais from **W Waller**, £320 and £314 for **R C Tall & Son** with Charolais, and £320 for a Limousin from **R Harvey**. Natives dear to £252 for **F W Pike** with a Hereford, £225 for an Angus from **BJ Taylor** and Devons to £178 for **R Parris**. Heifers wanted with the best easily £200 plus. Behind **D Mortimer's** Blue were Charolais and Limousins to £240 from **W Waller** and **RWC Beard & Son** respectively. Angus to £184 for **A Loud** and Herefords to £155 for **F W Pike**.

Dairy Breeds(27) Perhaps the edge slightly off the Friesian trade. Older types to £185 for **T Squire**. Younger types from the same farm at £125. Overall average was £62.32.

STIRKS(21)

A smaller mixed quality entry met a strong trade for medium and better sorts. Congratulations to **Messrs K & T Pook** who topped the section with a 5 month old Charolais steer at £490. The same vendors selling Angus cross and Charolais cross steers of the same age at £440 apiece. Heifers peaked at £400 apiece for 6 month old Angus cross Charolais from **K & T Pook** with **Mr P J Anthony** at £380 for a similar aged Limousin. Friesian bulls to £230 from **Mr A Dinnis** and Friesian steers to £224 from **Messrs K & T Pook**. Many more stirks needed to satisfy demand.

TOP PRICES				CALVES			STIRKS		
BREED	SEX	NO	TOP	VENDOR	SEX	NO	TOP	VENDOR	
Charolais	Bulls	4	336	W Waller, Cullompton	Steers	2	490	K&T Pook, Stoke Gabriel	
	Heifers	2	240	W Waller, Cullompton					
Simmental	Bulls	2	262	W Waller, Cullompton					
Limousin	Bulls	2	320	R Harvey, Axminster	Steers	1	440	K&T Pook, Stoke Gabriel	
	Heifers	3	240	RWC Beard & Son, Bickington	Heifers	1	380		PJ Anthony, Exeter
Blonde	Bulls								
British Blue	Bulls	1	368	D Mortimer & Co, Sowton					
	Heifers	1	295	D Mortimer & Co, Sowton					
Aberdeen Angus	Bulls	1	225	B J Taylor, Diptford	Steers	2	440	K&T Pook, Stoke Gabriel	
	Heifers	6	184	A Loud, Lewdown	Heifers	2	400		K&T Pook, Stoke Gabriel
Hereford	Bulls	4	252	F W Pike, Cullompton					
	Heifers	2	155	F W Pike, Cullompton					
Devon	Bulls	3	178	R Parris, Stockland					
	Heifers	1	85	R Parris, Stockland					
Shorthorn					Steers	1	242	A Dinnis, Talaton	
Swedish Red & White					Heifers	1	190	Messrs Beer, Awliscombe	
Ayrshire	Bulls	2	38	RAP Grant, Cruwys Morchard					
British Friesian	Bulls	5	120	Messrs VW Hallett, Ottery St Mary					
Holstein Friesian	Bulls	20	185	T Squire, Crediton	Bulls	4	230	A Dinnis, Talaton	
					Steers	7	224		K&T Pook, Stoke Gabriel

FORTHCOMING SALES

Friday 29th January **Monthly Organic Sale of Cattle and Sheep**
Monthly Show & Sale of Stirks
Monthly Special Sale of Cows & Calves

Friday 5th February **Sale of Store/Fat and Breeding Pigs and Barren Sows**

Friday 12th February **Monthly Show and Sale of Dairy Cattle to include:-**
Genuine Herd Dispersal of 35-40 Friesian Cows and Heifers
In-milk and some in-calvers. Further entries expected and invited

Monday 15th February **1st Spring Sale of Suck Lambs**

Friday 19th February **Special Sale of In-lamb Ewes, Ewe Lambs and Couples**

PRIMESTOCK MARKET REPORT – MONDAY 18th JANUARY 2010

FINISHED CATTLE (31)

DIRTY CATTLE Please ensure that your cattle are clean otherwise a clipping deduction will be made.

PRIME (16) A few more cattle on offer this week met a firm demand with steers selling to £1078.23 or a 762kg. Simmental steer from Messrs PC Baker & Sons of Kenn. Best per kilo was 152p for a 670kg. Limousin from Mr G R Vallance of Ashburton. Heifers to 142.5p/kg. for a 572kg. Simmental from Messrs PC Baker & Sons. Please note that the Conditions of Sale permit a 0.5p/kg. deduction on the last bid price for Prime & Mature cattle.

	NO	AV./KG	TOP/KG	AV./HEAD	TOP/HEAD	VENDOR
STEERS						
HEAVY 560 kg +	9	140.55	152.50	960.72	1078.23	G R Vallance
HEIFERS						
HEAVY 485 kg +	7	136.01	142.50	736.00	888.25	PC Baker & Sons

MATURE BEEF (15) Cows on the up with a top of 118.50p/kg. for a 614kg. Limousin for Mr B H Vallance of Ashburton followed at 114.50 p/kg. for a 794 kg. Charolais from MF & HJ Pearse of Woodland which topped the market at £909.13. Overage prime a bit easier selling to 130p/kg. for Mr R J Wills of Woodland.

	No	Av./KG	TOP/KG.	AV./HEAD	TOP/HEAD	VENDOR
SUCKLER COWS						
Up to 500 kg	1	46.50	46.50	208.32	208.32	FR Gillard & Partners
605 to 700 kg	5	92.42	118.50	593.74	927.59	B H Vallance
705 kg +	3	108.65	114.50	867.07	909.13	MF & HJ Pearse
FRIESIAN COWS						
505 to 600 kg	1	77.00	77.00	412.72	412.72	FR Gillard & Partners
STEERS						
560 kg +	4	125.02	130.00	807.60	830.00	JJ & DS Wale
BULLS						
560 kg +	1	98.50	98.50	959.39	959.39	MJ Wonnacott

***** IMPORTANT NOTICE - FOOD CHAIN INFORMATION *****

As of 1ST JANUARY 2010 Food Chain Information (FCI) must be provided by livestock keepers for all cattle, sheep and goats sent for slaughter including livestock markets
You will no doubt have received notification of this and what information is needed in correspondence from the Food Standards Agency sent to all livestock farmers recently.

We will need this information here in the Market to pass on to our slaughterhouse buyers. We will need a new style buff coloured Exeter Market Entry Form to accompany your stock to market as by filling in the animal details on the front, and signing the form, the declaration on the back will confirm that your animals are fit for human consumption. This applies to all stock on a Monday market & some of the stock on Friday markets as some animals from the store market may go to slaughter. If your animals are still under restriction for slaughter on Fridays i.e. withdrawal dates etc. then you will need to declare this and notify the person booking in your stock.

New AML1 forms for sheep and goat movements are available which have a section on the back for you to enter FCI.

If you require further information please contact the Auctioneers.

Our marketing organisation is able to provide you with personal service.
You are invited to telephone for further information.

PRIME CATTLE: Peter Farnsworth	01392-276404	CALVES: Michael Pedrick	01803-863888
(mobile)	07946-444866		07817-950449
Paul Griffin	01364-652304	Paul Heard	07800-913637
(mobile)	07836-650391		
PRIME SHEEP: Chris Clapham	07968-122198	DAIRY: Michael Pedrick	01803-863888
		Paul Heard	07800-913637
STORE CATTLE David Lockwood	07970-089527		
Alan Webber	01392-250441	STORE Chris Clapham	07968-122198
Peter Farnsworth	01392-276404	SHEEP: Paul Griffin	01364-652304
PIGS Gordon Chambers	01364-652304		

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TOTAL SHEEP (1539)

* * PLEASE NOTE – VERY IMPORTANT* *

Can Vendors who have cull ewes as well as lambs PLEASE make sure that they submit SEPARATE EMA Entry Forms as the new DEFRA AML1 Forms only require the total number. We now have a new buff coloured Entry Form with an FCI Declaration on which will cover your animals to go to slaughter. This will help in making sure that your sheep are correctly booked in & it is very much in your own interest to do so if you want your cheque on time.

Prime Hogs (1064) SOQ Average 175.28 p/kg. Overall price per head £76.42

A much better number entry this week met an easier trade as anticipated with the trade having fallen back all last week after Exeter having achieved the best trade in the South West last week. Top price overall was £88.50 for three pens and three separate vendors being **Mr A J Carter of Dawlish, PA & DE Cleave of Holne** and **Mr M W Waycott of Ashburton**. Top price per kilo was 188p/kg. for a pen of very light lambs from **Mr A R Radmore of Sheepstor** followed by 186p/kg. for a pen of 37.6kg. hogs from **Miss H Blackmore of Ottery St Mary** that realised £70.00.

*****MORE LAMBS REQUIRED*****

WEIGHT	NO LAMBS	TOP/KG. (p)	AVERAGE/KG. (p)	TOP/HEAD (£)	AVERAGE /HEAD (£)
LIGHT (25.5 – 32 kg)	38	188.00	173.89	52.00	50.83
STANDARD (32.1-39 kg)	172	186.00	174.87	70.00	64.76
MEDIUM (39.1 – 45.5 kg)	476	183.00	176.56	81.20	75.27
HEAVY (45.6-52 kg)	339	182.00	172.28	86.50	82.47
OTHERS (Over 52 kg)	39	163.00	160.18	88.50	87.24
WEIGHT	MAX/HEAD	AVERAGE/HEAD	VENDOR		
32.1 – 34 kg	56.50	54.70	Messrs C & EC Mills		
34.1 – 36 kg	65.00	62.29	Mr D Woodley		
36.1 – 38 kg	70.00	66.12	Miss H Blackmore		
38.1 – 39 kg	70.00	67.28	Messrs SJ & JT Strong		
39.1 – 41 kg	74.00	70.28	Messrs MS & JS Southwood		
41.1 – 43 kg	78.20	74.21	Messrs HJ Widdicombe & Sons		
43.1 – 45 kg	81.20	78.69	Mr D Tapp		
45.1 – 47 kg	83.80	80.26	Mr G Tripp		
47.1 – 49 kg	84.00	82.23	Mr G Tripp		
49.1 – 52 kg	86.50	83.87	Messrs PA & DE Cleave		
52 kg +	88.50	87.24	Mr A J Carter, PA & DE Cleave, Mr M W Waycott		

Ewes (475) A better number entry this week couldn't quite live with last week's exceptional trade. However prices remain higher than anticipated and the overall average of £72.97 included a large number of hill bred ewes. Plain/small ewes definitely met the keenest demand with the lowest price ewes in the sake being £39.50 !. Top price was £130 for a pen from **Mr A Carter of Dawlish**. Suffolks to £115.00. Charollais to £92.00. Leicesters to £100.00. Blueface Leicesters to £85.00. Dorsets to £95.00. Texel to £130.00. Mules to £90.00. Masham to £83.50. Scotch to £63.50. Lleyn to £94.50.

***** MORE EWES WANTED TO SATISFY DEMAND *****

	EWES (£)	RAMS (£)	LEADING EWE PRICES (£)	VENDOR
BEST to	130.00	100.00	130.00	Mr A J Carter
MEDIUM to	80.00	77.00	115.00	Mr M W Waycott
PLAIN to	65.00	60.50	100.00	Messrs WJ Berry & Son (x2)
			100.00	Mr S W Reddaway
OVERALL AVERAGE	72.97	75.42	98.00	Mr R Matthews
			97.50	Messrs HJ Widdicombe & Sons
			LEADING RAM PRICES (£)	
			100.00	Mr M Northcott
			96.50	Mr D R Randall & Mrs S Mitchell
			96.00	Mr D J Fox

IMPORTANT NOTICE

**Purchasers please note that cheques in future should be made out to
Exeter Market Auctioneers
not to EMA as you have in the past.**