



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.	

PRIMESTOCK MARKET REPORT – MONDAY 19th JULY 2010

FINISHED CATTLE (56)

PRIME FINISHED(23) A useful trade with buyers keener for the better sorts. Best per kilo was 139p/kg. for a Limousin from Messrs B & M Quantick of Teigngrace. Steers to 133.50 p/kg. for a Limousin for **W A D Curtis of Cadeleigh**. Bulls to 135 p/kg, for a Limousin from **Mr G T Lethbridge**. Top per head was £962.22 for a South Devon bull from **Mr R R B Harvey**. 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 (p/kg)
STEERS						
MEDIUM 465 – 555 kg	2	121.75	128.50	623.34	681.05	R P Folland
HEAVY 550 kg +	3	122.84	133.50	755.07	918.48	W A D Curtis
HEIFERS						
MEDIUM 400 – 480 kg	2	116.16	123.50	543.63	590.33	R J Wills
HEAVY 485 kg +	11	128.94	139.00	750.45	939.64	B & M Quantick
BULLS						
MEDIUM 465 – 55 kg	1	135.00	135.00	753.30	753.30	G T Lethbridge
HEAVY 560 kg	4	115.99	132.50	786.43	962.22	G T Lethbridge

MATURE BEEF (33)

A brighter trade today with cows to 108.50p on two occasions for **Mr R J Austen of Hennock** and **Mrs A J Walker of Drewsteignton** Mature prime a keen trade and showing that it is worth finishing cattle with a top of 125.50/kg, for **Mr M Tooze**. Cows to £924.55 for Messrs **H E Vooght**. Steers to £895 for **Mr M Tooze** and £751.44 for **Mr S J Smaridge**.

	No	Av./KG	TOP/KG.	AV./HEAD	TOP/HEAD	VENDOR (p/kg)
SUCKLER COWS						
Up to 500 kg	1	46.50	46.50	211.11	211.11	N J Harris
505 to 600 kg	9	84.14	97.50	467.42	549.90	FJ & H Keep
605 to 700 kg	6	88.68	102.50	562.23	672.40	FJ & H Keep
705 kg +	6	99.68	108.50	774.63	924.55	R J Austen
FRIESIAN COWS						
705 kg +	1	83.50	83.50	619.57	619.57	D A & A P Gillard
STEERS						
560 kg +	1	93.00	93.00	559.86	559.86	G F Roberts
HEIFERS						
485 kg +	6	114.34	124.00	625.80	751.44	S J Smaridge

***** 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.

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TOTAL SHEEP (1389)

* * 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.

PLEASE PUT YOUR FABBL STICKERS ON THE MARKET ENTRY FORM NOT ON YOUR MOVEMENT FORMS AS IT CAUSES CONFUSION WHEN BOOKING IN YOUR STOCK.

Prime Lambs (651) SOQ Average 153.46 p/kg. Overall average price/head £ 64.51

A slightly smaller entry sold to a stronger trade with a better quality entry forward. Trade overall was up 8 p/kg. on the week and £2 per head. Top price per kilo was 163p/kg. twice. Firstly for a pen of 29.4 kg. for **Mr J Mead, South Brent** that realised £48.00 and secondly for a pen of 40 kg. from **Mr B Bowden, Drewsteignton** that realised £65.20. Top price overall was £843.50 for a pen of 58kg. from **South Battisborough Farms, Holbeton**.

WEIGHT	NO LAMBS	TOP/KG. (p)	AVERAGE/KG. (p)	TOP/HEAD (£)	AVERAGE /HEAD (£)
LIGHT (25.5 – 32 kg)	23	163.00	149.75	48.00	45.68
STANDARD (32.1 – 39 kg)	67	156.00	150.56	61.00	57.33
MEDIUM (39.1 – 45.5 kg)	491	163.00	153.92	71.80	64.18
HEAVY (45.6 – 52 kg)	67	161.00	149.80	79.00	72.20
OTHERS (Over 52 kg)	3	147.00	145.00	83.50	82.17
WEIGHT	MAX/HEAD	AVERAGE/HEAD	VENDOR		
34.1 – 36 kg	55.80	55.80	Mrs I Sturla		
36.1 – 38 kg	58.00	55.76	Mr J C Maddock		
38.1 – 39 kg	61.00	58.92	Messrs M H Chapple & Sons		
39.1 – 41 kg	65.20	61.49	Messrs D C & G R Horton		
41.1 – 43 kg	65.80	63.94	Messrs E Cunningham & Son		
43.1 – 45 kg	71.80	68.21	Messrs D H Hartnell & Sons		
45.6 – 47 kg	69.20	68.91	Mr D L Rigby		
47.1 – 49 kg	71.50	71.11	South Battisborough Farms		
49.1 - 52 kg	79.00	74.47	Messrs J E & J R Redman		
52 Kg +	83.50	82.17	South Battisborough Farms		

Ewes (738)

Not quite the mammoth entry of last week but never the less a very good entry for the time of year. Trade was firmer being up £4 per head on the week with the medium and plainer ewes still very sought after. Top price was £87.00 for a pen from **Mr W Thorn**. Suffolks to £87.00. Leicester to £78.00. Dorset to £72.50. Charollais to £70.50. Mule to £67.50. Texel to £65.00.

**** Please can vendors make sure that they declare wethers if presenting them in the cull ewe section ****

	EWES (£)	RAMS (£)	LEADING PRICES (£)	VENDOR
BEST to	87.00	80.00	87.00	Mr W J Thorn
MEDIUM to	67.00	58.00	82.50	Messrs B R W & S M Norrish
PLAIN to	58.00		81.50 (x2)	Messrs B R W & S M Norrish
			80.50 (x2)	Mr G J Abraham
OVERALL AVERAGE	60.16	74.25	80.00	Messrs H J Widdicombe & Sons
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			LEADING RAM	PRICES (£)
			80.00	Mr J Head
			79.00	Mr F J Troake
			58.00	Messrs R L A & S M Rogers