

DINGWALL, Dingwall & Highland Marts, (April, 9th) sold 860 sheep of all classes. Lambs (493) averaged £57.31 and sold to £98 gross for Suffolk crosses from Shewglie, Glenurquhart. Ewes (308) averaged £100.88 and sold to £148 gross twice for Texel crosses and Suffolk crosses from Torgorm, Conon Bridge. Rams and feeding sheep (59) sold to £155 gross for a Suffolk from Torgorm.

“All classes of store hogs met a firm demand with prime and feeding ewes the dearest of the season.”

Other leading prices per head:

Lambs: Tex – Old Inn Croft, Fodderty, £96, Ballachraggan Croft, Cabrich, £72; **SuffX** – 6 Ardindrain, Kiltarlity, £87, Rhevackin, Kiltarlity, £82.50, Garguston Shore, Muir of Ord, £82; **Chev** – Woodhead, Culbokie, £84, Free Farm, Tomatin, £77, Hallcroft, Brora and Suisgill Estate, £73; **Mule** – Mains of Tulloch, Nethy Bridge, £83; **TexX** – Old Inn Croft, £81, Culligran, Beauly, £71; **BeltX** – Woodhead, £79; **Belt** – Caberfeidh, Upperton, £75; **Cross** – New House, Balvaird, £74; **Mule** – Mains of Tulloch, £68; **BF** – Mullingaroch Steading, Boat of Garten, £63, Veiwbay, Munloch, £62, Mains of Tulloch, £61.

Ewes: Suff – Old Inn Croft, £146; **Chev** – Hallcroft, £136, Torgorm, £108, Rhifail, £98; **TexX** – Torgorm, £132, Dunain Mains, Inverness, £130, Leanach Farm, Culloden Moor, £100; **Belt** – Braes of Coulmore, North Kessock, £132; **BFL** – Broomhill, Muir of Ord, £132; **CHM** – Dunain Mains, £130; **SuffX** – Torgorm, £122, Leanach Farm, £108, Rhevackin, £100; **Mule** – Torgorm, £119, Rhevackin, £108, Leanach Farm and Dunain Mains, £100; **Cross** – Lower Gartally, Drumnadrochit, £108; **CharX** – Leanach Farm, £97; **Jcb** – 6 Ardindrain, £88; **BF** – ½ of 2 Kendram, Isle of Skye, £85, Shewglie and Free Farm, £84, Rhevackin, £82.

Rams & feeding sheep: Chev – Torgorm, £140, Hallcroft and Free Farm, £130; **BeltX** – Torgorm, £140; **Suff** – Shewglie, £138, Lower Gartally, £134; **Tex** – Old Inn Croft, £128; **BFL** – Broomhill, £128; **BF wdr** – Rhevackin, £92; **Cross wdr** – Leanach Farm, £88.