



**WALLETS MARTS CASTLE DOUGLAS LIMITED
TUESDAY 30TH JANUARY 2018
WEEKLY PRIMESTOCK SALE**

Wallets Marts Castle Douglas Limited continued their weekly primestock sale on Tuesday 30th January 2017 when they sold 1571 prime and cast sheep.

1176 Prime Hoggs met an animated demand selling well in excess of all sellers' expectations. Topping the sale at £116 per head were a pen of Beltex Hoggs from I Bunting, Bridgestone, Castle Douglas selling to Messrs Vivers Scotlamb, Dornock. Top price per kg was 289.5p paid to Messrs R McConnell, Gass Farm for a pen of Bletex hoggs selling to Messrs Vivers Scotlamb, Dornock with numerous lots selling in excess of £100 per head the SQQ average levelled at 198.3p with the whole sale averaging 196.7p or £78.

Ewes would also look to be dearer on the week with well fleshed Blackface ewes being especially well bid for. Cast ewes topped at £113 for a Texel from M & J Wilson Farming Contractors, West Barmoffity. Blackface Ewes sold to £63 from Dallars Mains and £62.50 from Achie; Lleyns sold to £68 ex Dalhanna; Cheviots to £89 ex Dalhanna; Mules to £79 ex Mackilston; Suffolks to £84 ex Mains of Duchrae; Swales to £54 ex Nether Barr and Beltex to £93 from Dalhanna. Overall average saw 415 average £58.24.

Hoggs

177 25.5-32 Average 166.01 Top 187.5

Texel

£60 Boreland of Parton; £53 Dallowie; £53 Balgerran

Blackface

£51.50 Dalhanna Farming; £50, £47 RKG

308 32.1-39 Average 190.63 Top 289.5

Beltex

£110 Gass, Glenluce; £100 Bridgestone

Cheviot

£82 Halket Leaths; £73.50 Airyolland

Texel

£82 Tower, Dalry; £77.50 Galtway; £77 Glenswinton

Suffolk

£71.50 Galtway; 70.50 North Park

Blackface

£69 Newmains; £65 Drumbuie; £64 Balgerran

Greyface

£68.50 Dallowie

494 39.1-45.5 Average 210.29 Top 282.9

Beltex

£116 Bridgestone; £110 Craigview; £109 Gass, Glenluce; £108 Torhousekie; £107 Gass, Glenluce, £105.50 Craigview

Texel

£102, £97.50 Craigview; £93.50 Torhousekie; £90 Newmains; £90 Lower Ardmannoch

Suffolk

£88 Copelaw; £88 Smallmuir; £88 Galtway; £87 Smallmuir; £87 Mackilston;

Cheviot

£88 Garrochtrie; £86 Halket Leaths; £85.50 Garrochtrie; £85 Halket Leaths

Greyface

£85.50 Culdoach; £82.50 Copelaw; £82 Mackilston

181 45.6 - 52 Average 192.06 Top 200

Texel

£98.50 Boreland of Parton; £98.50 Smallmuir; £98 South Quintinespie; £98 Boreland of Paton

Suffolk

£98.50 Galtway; £98 Garrarie; £96 Smallmuir

Cheviot

£94 Halket Leaths; £88 Garrochtrie

Lleyn

£98 Garrarie

Greyface

£84 Wee Carleton

16 52+ Average 174.88 Top 181.8

Texel

£98 Valleyfield; £95 Garrarie; £93 Torhousekie

Suffolk

£100 Copelaw

Cast Sheep**Ewes****Beltex**

£93 Dalhanna

Texel

£113, £98 West Barmoffiity; £93 Torhousekie

Greyface

£79 Mackilston; £79 Lagganorie; £78 Palmallet; £77 Boyach; £77 Torhousekie

Blackface

£63 Dallars; £62.50 Achie

Lleyn

£68 Dalhanna

Cheviot

£89, £76, £66 Dalhanna

Suffolk

£84 Mains of Duchrae; £75 Nether Barr

Rams**Blackface**

£79 Drumbuie