



**WALLETS MARTS CASTLE DOUGLAS LIMITED
MONDAY 19TH NOVEMBER 2018
STORE AND OTM CATTLE**

Wallets Marts Castle Douglas Limited held their fortnightly sale of 127 OTM and Store cattle on Monday 19th November 2018.

A smaller show of 58 store cattle met a reasonable demand in line with recent trade. A pen of Simmental heifers from A Paterson, Mossnae topped the sale at £1126 with AA heifers from D Bryce & Son, Trostrie selling to 193.8p. Bullocks topped at £950 for Simmental crosses from Palmallet Farms, Whithorn and also to 214p per kg for Simmental crosses from S S Hutton & Co, Buittle Mains. Averages levelled at 178p for the bullocks and 181p for the heifers.

A plainer show of 69 cast cows and bulls proved harder to cash but still maintained a reasonable return. Cast cow sold to £1276.39 for a Simmental from Culnaightrie whilst cast bulls sold to £1008 for a Shorthorn from Grange, Castle Douglas. Overall averages levelled at 84p

Leading prices

Steers

£950 Palmallet; £94 Auchtralure; £830 Blackhills

Heifers

£1126 Mossnae; £1010, £980, £955 (x2) Arbigland; £940 Trostrie

OTM

Cows

£1276 Culnaightrie; £859, £784 Arbigland; £769 Castlehill;

Bulls

£1008 Grange; £828 Culcraigrie

Heifers

£721 Blackhills