

HAWES FARMERS AUCTION MART CO LTD

LIVESTOCK MARKET REPORT

TUESDAY 14TH JANUARY 2025

Forward: 9 Calves 2445 Sheep comprising 2099 Prime Hoggs & 346 Cast Ewes & Rams.

PRIME HOGGS

Prime hoggs continue to be in demand with the trade holding firm for a larger entry in excess of 2000 hoggs forward. There was an overall market average of 311p/kg.

Stealing the headlines today was a consignment of heavy weight Beltex x ram hoggs from WN Avison & Son, Melmerby selling to £218, £210, £200 x4 and £190 x2. Other leading prices for heavy weight Texels was £198 and £190 from A Lodge, Malham Moor. The consignment from JR & LA Capstick, Killington sold to £181 followed by £180 from RF Lambert, Bainbridge and J & J Postlethwaite, Howgill with plenty of pens heavy weight continental hoggs selling in the one hundred and seventies. Handy weighted continental hoggs continued to be in most demand and keenly sought after selling between 340p/kg and 360p/kg. Best conformation hoggs sold in excess of 370p/kg topping at 390p/kg from BC Gregg, Masham selling 40kg hoggs to £156.

Mule hogg trade continues to be very similar at Hawes. Heavy weight mules sold to a top of £160 from M Walker, Skipton with other mules weighing in the region of 50kg selling in the region of £150. Mules in the mid forty kilo range in strongest demand regularly selling between 315p/kg and 320p/kg.

Horned hoggs continue to meet plenty of demand in Hawes with heavy weight Swaledale hoggs weighing in excess of 50kg regularly selling in the region of the mid one hundred and forties. They sold to a top of £149 numerous times from WN Avison & Son, Melmerby; GJ & ME Walker, Dunsop Bridge; DL Mudd, Buckden and MR & LE Rukin, Keld who sold other pens to £148. The consignment from R & E Cowperthwaite, Stockdale sold two big pen fulls to £148 and £147. Buyers keen to purchase Swaledale hoggs well fleshed. Light weight Swaledale hoggs a sharper trade today and keenly sought after regularly selling in the region of 300p/kg.

Dalesbred hoggs sold to a top of £143.50 at 46kg from TW Clark & Son, York followed by 44kg hoggs from R Capstick & Son, Ingleton. Lonks sold to £143 at 45kg from MP & HM York, Howgill. Rough fell hoggs sold to a top of £146 from K Milburn & A Devlin, Sedbergh followed by the consignment from MP & HM York, Howgill. Scotch Blackface hoggs sold to £126 at 39kg from K Milburn & A Devlin, Sedbergh.

There was a handful of goats forward in which more could have been sold with demand high. They sold to £140 twice with smaller goats selling to £110 from RN Hoggarth, Howgill.

Prime hoggs continued to be required on a weekly basis at Hawes auction. Please do come and try Hawes Auction and enjoy the hospitality of Alison and the team in the café.

Texel x to	390p	BC Gregg, Ellingstring	Av. 326p/kg
Beltex to	373p	JR & LA Capstick, Killington	Av. 325p/kg
Suffolk to	337p	J Chapman, Hawes	Av. 322p/kg
Mule to	329p	GS Milburn, Dent	Av. 310p/kg
Swales to	314p	WA & A Booth, Feizor	Av. 293p/kg

Overall Average: 311p/kg

Leading Prices: Beltex- WN Avison & Son, £218, £210, £200 x2, £190 x2, £188, £185, £184 x3, £182, £180, R Mudd & Sons, £176, £169, £158, £144, JR & LA Capstick, £164, GS Milburn, £151, D Hodgson, £150, J & J Postlethwaite, £144, PE & TJ Wilson, £142, R & JM Harper, £141, Booth Brothers, £120.

Texel – A Lodge, £198, £190, £169, £160, JR & LA Capstick, £181, £150 x2, J & J Postlethwaite, £180, £164, RF Lambert, £180, B & J Aconley, £179, £150, M Walker, £176, S Pillar, £174, £154.50 x2, £153, S Reynoldson & Son, £174, DA & MA Brown & Son, £172, £153, K Calvert Ltd, £170, £152, TW Clark & Sons, £170, £160 x2, £155, RF Lambert, £168, JMW Brown & Son, £167.50, £157.50, GS Milburn, £166, RMS Livestock Ltd, £166, AP Moore, £165, £160, T Metcalfe, £165, K Calvert Ltd, £162, BR Fawcett, £161, £155, PE & TJ Wilson, £159, BC Gregg, £156, Whyte & Percival, £155.50, £150.50, AJ & L Hunter, £155, HW & G White, £154, £153, MK Verity, £154, R Capstick & Son, £151, R Wood & Son, £151.

Charollais- S Pillar, £184, £175.

Suffolk- TW Clark & Sons, £179, £160, AP Moore, £175, £169, JMW Brown & Son, £156, £150, SW & TA Milner, £148, G Scott, £147.50, £129, MR & VL Parsons, £143, JF & GR Howard, £137, Coverhead Farms, £134.50, J Chapman, £128, SM Towler, £120, Booth Bros, 3119, J & JH Whaley, £106.

BFL- R & PR Banks & Son, £170, SD Thompson, £165, M Walker, £144.

Herdwick x- Woodend Farms, £165, £148.

Mules – M Walker, £160, JS & D Cloughton & Son, £152, R & E Cowperthwaite, £151, A Lodge, £150.50, DL Mudd, £150, D Hodgson, £150, J Garth & Son, £149.50, SW & TA Milner, £149, £146.50, WA & A Booth, £148.50, J & I Whitaker, £148 x2, R & RM Dent, £148, JW & JH Burton & Son, £147.50, RW Clarkson & Son, £147, GJ & ME Walker & Sons, £147, £145, T Dent & Son, £147, £146.50, SD Thompson, £146.50, £145, W & A Lambert & Son, £146, DA & MA Brown & Son, £145, J Chapman, £145, R & R Gornall, £145, R Wood & Son, £145 x2, £141, W & A Lambert & Son, £144.50, J Allison & Sons, £143.50, JF & GR Howard, £142.50, H Kirkbride & Son, £141.50, J & J Postlethwaite, £140.50.

Swaledales- MR & LE Rukin, £149, £148, £140x2, DL Mudd, £149, £145, £141, WN Avison & Son, £149, GJ & ME Walker & Sons, £149, R & E Cowperthwaite, £148, £147, £141.50, WC Porter & Son, £148, MM & CL Whitehead, £145.50, GJ & JM Scarr, £145, DJ Amsden, £145, £142, WA & A Booth, £144.50, J Nelson & Son, £144.50, AD Coates & Son, £144, M Walker, £144, A Lodge, £144, B Thornborrow, £144, R & PR Banks & Son, £142, J Scarr & Sons, £141, JA Alderson, £140.

Masham- SW & TA Milner, £149, £115, PD Bowdin, £123.50, A Lambert, £109.

Cheviot- E Booth, £146, JS & D Cloughton & Son, £144, RW Ewan, £136, £132, £117, JF & GR Howard, £132.50, J Chapman, £127, J Alderson & Son, £118, LA Booth, £109, JR Blades, £107.

Roughfell- K Milburn & A Devlin, £146, MP & HM York, £145, £137.50, £123.50, K Milburn & A Devlin, £114.

Dalesbred- TW Clark & Son, £143.50, R Capstick & Son, £137, M/S Coates, £124, PD Bowdin, £120.

Lonk- MP & HM York, £143.

Goat- RN Hoggarth, £140 x2, £110.

Blackface- K Milburn & A Devlin, £126, £120.

Gritstone- PE & TJ Wilson, £118.

CAST EWES & RAMS

346 Ewes forward trade still on the rise for anything with size or meat. There was a few more leaner ewes forward straight from scanning but still found buyers easy enough. Texels were topping the trade with 6 lots above £200 and topping at £230 for AJ Greensits who followed up with a Suffolk which made £215. Mules topped at £220 from HB Farms, Fadmoor with a further 9 lots between £170-£200. BFL reached £215 from CT & JE Willoughby. A great run of Blackface Ewes was sent from W Tyreman & Son and topped at £172 with 2 further lots at £139 & £130. A good run of Cheviot Ewes came from TW Clark & Son with a packet of 20 achieving £168 with another lot at £158. Swaledales topped at £126 for B & J Aconley followed by 2 lots at £120 with 8 lots above £100. More Rams forward topping at £222 from A Hollings for BFL Rams followed by a run of Beltex from WN Avison & Son making £220, £218, £202 x2, £198. Swales topped at £142 for RW & MA Suttill & Son with another 4 lots above £100.

CAST EWES

Texel to	£230	AJ Greensit, Ripon
Mules to	£220	HB Farms, Fadmoor
BFL to	£215	CT & JE Willoughby, Redmire
Suffolk to	£215	AJ Greensit, Ripon
Blackface to	£172	W Tyreman & Sons, Whitby
Cheviot to	£168	TW Clark & Sons, York
Roughfell to	£128	AE Luffman, Howgill
Swaledale to	£126	B & J Aconley, Farndale
Dalesbred to	£82	RW & MA Suttill & Son, Carlton

RAMS

BFL to	£222	A Hollings, Whitby
Beltex to	£220	WN Avison & Son, Melmerby
Texel to	£198	K Calvert Ltd, Bainbridge
Romney to	£188	GR Scarr, Askrigg
Suffolk to	£182	A Hollings, Whitby
Swaledale to	£142	RW & MA Suttill & Son, Carlton

CALVES

Excellent trade for 9 young Calves forward. Some nice sorts in today J Scarr & Sons brought a well grown Limousin Bull that achieved £660 and BRB for H Kirkbride & Son at £540. Heifers were topped with a nice BRB from B Clarkson with J Scarr & Sons following at £450, £440.

Bulls	Limousin to	£660	J Scarr & Sons, Askrigg	Av. £565
	BRB to	£540	H Kirkbride & Son, Askrigg	
Heifers	BRB to	£550	B Clarkson, Bainbridge	Av. £465
	Limousin to	£450	J Scarr & Sons, Askrigg	Av. £ 410