

# MARKET REPORTS

## WEDNESDAY 10th October 2018

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### PRIME LAMBS - 1810

*Auctioneer - Richard Hyde*

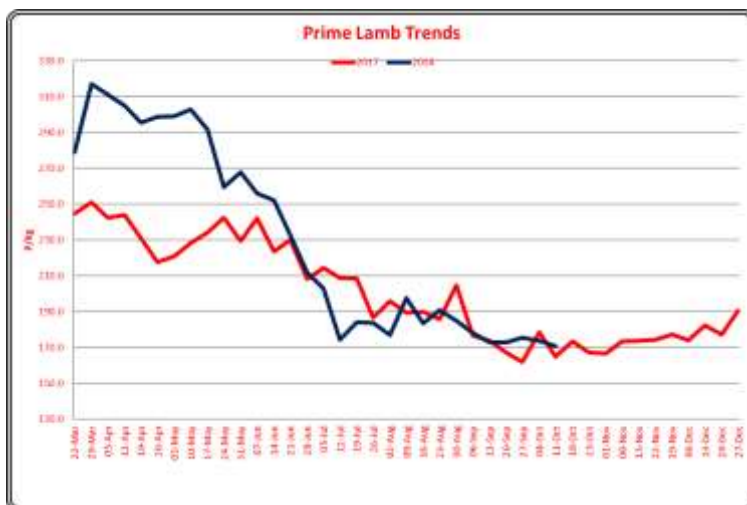
After last weeks' flying trade a more sedate pace this week. SQQ 170.8p. Heavies to £90, best export 193.1p. Every sheep averaged £74.88. The Euro at 88p is slightly worse, but the volume of sheep in the north is the factor really steadying the trade. By November it is hoped the price will start to rise. If you look at the prices through the years this is the second highest trade at this time of year since 2012, so not all bad. Usual buying support will be restored next week.

	TOTAL NO.s	LIGHT		STANDARD		MEDIUM		HEAVY		+ HEAVY	
		25.5	32.0	32.1	39.0	39.1	45.5	45.6	52.0	52.1	>
		PREMIUM	PRIME	PREMIUM	PRIME	PREMIUM	PRIME	PREMIUM	PRIME	PREMIUM	PRIME
<b>PRIME LAMBS</b>	<b>1810</b>	186.4	166.6	193.1	169.5	190.9	171.2	174.5	164.1	160.4	153.6

Today In History - p/kg  
2018 - 170.8p 2017 - 165.0p 2016 - 166.2p 2015 - 150.5p 2014 - 161.0p 2013 - 175.6p 2012 - 153.4p

### LAMBS SQQ Average 170.8p/kg

*Top Price/Head £90.00  
for Lambs grading 70kg  
Overall average £74.88/head*



### Top Ten p/kg

### Top Ten £/head

Kg	Vendor	£	/kg	Kg	Vendor	£
36.0	Birchwood Forge	69.50	193.1	70.0	S S Hoskins	90.00
44.0	Tenbury Farm Supplies	84.00	190.9	58.0	S J Adams & Sons	90.00
39.5	T W Stephens	75.00	189.9	55.5	P G & J M M Maund	89.00
35.0	J L & M R Lloyd	66.00	188.6	57.0	R J Watkins	86.00
29.5	J L & M R Lloyd	55.00	186.4	54.0	S J Adams & Son	86.00
36.0	M Beddoes	66.00	183.3	55.0	S J Adams & Son	86.00
44.0	W Davies	80.50	183.0	55.0	J P Manns	85.00
41.0	J T Hartland	74.50	181.7	59.0	D & R Powell	85.00
41.0	M Beddoes	74.00	180.5	52.0	C Corfield	85.00
41.0	J H Bennett	74.00	180.5	44.0	Tenbury Farm Supplies	84.00

## **A Designated STORE/FAT MARKET GREEN MARKET STATUS**

### **WEDNESDAY 17th OCTOBER**

#### **10,000 SHEEP**

**2000 PRIME LAMBS - 9.30am**

**2500 CULL EWES - 11.00am**

**4000 STORE LAMBS - 11.15am**

**1500 BREEDING EWES - 12.15pm**

**70 REARING/WEANED CALVES - 10.45am**

To include 40 Blue x/Hereford x calves - 2/3 weeks from one farm

**400 BREEDING RAMS - 11.30am**

*Ram entries to the office by Friday 12th October at 5.00pm*

*Store sheep entries to the office by Monday 15th October at 5.00pm*

### **THURSDAY 18th OCTOBER**

At 11.00am

Catalogued sale of

#### **700 STORE CATTLE**

To include section for weaned suckler bred calves

**BEEF TYPE COWS/HEIFERS IN OR WITH CALVES**

**FEEDING/STOCK BULLS**

**BARREN COWS**

*Catalogues available*

And at 10.30am sale of

#### **PIGS**

Weaners, stores, porkers, breeding stock

*Entries to the office by Tuesday 16th October at 2.00pm*

### **TUESDAY 30th OCTOBER**

At 11.00am

#### **THIRD SALE OF EWE LAMBS AND SPECIAL SALE OF STORE LAMBS**

**ALL BREEDS**

**To be sold through the sale ring**

*Entries for catalogue to the office by*

*Friday 19th October at 4.00pm*

## **STORE LAMBS - 2658**

*Auctioneer - Greg Christopher*

A shorter entry of lambs met a faster trade throughout, a slightly larger crowd of purchasers and a better show of lambs in general. Strong lambs keenly sought and easiest sold, strong Suffolk cross Mules to £76.20, Texels to £73.50, several strong bunches from £65 to £70, more bunches at £67-£70 than the previous week.

Well bred farming lambs similar on the week, these trading £59 to £64.50, several good bunches of continental lambs all trading at £61 to £64, lambs with condition easy to place, plainer sorts slightly easier £56 to £59. Medium keeping sorts dearer on the week, well bred sorts from £54 to £58, plainer types and harder bred lambs from £50 to £53.50. Longer term lambs from £44 to £52, lambs wanted with condition and these the easiest sold, plainer sorts from £40 to £45. Some smaller and hill bred sorts which lacked the strength were £34 to £40, very small and plain £25 to £30. Ram lambs to £68.80, a lack of strength in this department, farming sorts £56 to £64, smaller and plainer types from £47 to £55. Ewe lambs to £94 for very strong Suffolk cross Mules, others to £90, a small selection of Welsh Mules to £75 for a smart pen of coloured Mules, other smaller Mules generally £60 to £70. Still selective with strength and the smartest the easiest sold.

	<b>MIXED LAMBS (£/head)</b>	<b>RAM LAMBS (£/head)</b>	<b>EWE LAMBS</b>
<b>TEXEL</b>	<b>£73.50</b>	<b>£68.80</b>	<b>£69.00</b>
<b>CHAROLLAIS</b>	<b>£66.00</b>	<b>£63.50</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>SUFFOLK</b>	<b>£76.20</b>	<b>£63.50</b>	<b>£94.00</b>
<b>WELSH MULE</b>	<b>£54.00</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>£75.00</b>
<b>WELSH/CHAROLAIS</b>	<b>£54.50</b>	<b>£57.80</b>	<b>-</b>

**Overall Average £54.97**

## **REARING/WEANED CALVES - 57**

*Auctioneer - Michael Evans*

An entry which included 44 under 42 days which sold to £360 on two occasions for a strong Hereford x bull and for a pure Fleckvieh bull, the others all from £300-£350. Another Limousin x bull calf also sold at £350 with another Blue x bull at £310. Other better bull calves from £200-£270, with smaller beef cross from £90-£185. The draft of British Friesian x bulls all sold from £15-£60. Heifers sold to £225 for a British Blue x, others from £175-£200. Just one Hereford x heifer at £140. Angus x heifers from £70 to £110. Top price in the section was £720 for the strongest Blue x steer, 11 months from M/s R P Price & Sons, who also sold Hereford x steers from £565-£635. Other weaned sorts included a 3 month Limousin x bull at £350, with a 4 month Limousin x heifer at £300. Brown Swiss x bulls at varying ages ranged from £180-£240.

Early entry for next week -  
40 British Blue & Hereford x calves - 2/3 weeks from one farm  
Also 4 Beef Shorthorn x cattle - 12 months

**MORE CALVES, BOTH REARING & WEANED CAN BE SOLD EACH WEEK VENDORS - PLEASE LET THE OFFICE KNOW BY 5.00pm ON MONDAY PRIOR TO THE SALE IF YOU ARE BRINGING CALVES**

*Calves born 5th September 2018 or since can be sold from farms that are TB clear without needing to be tested at our next sale on 17th October 2018*

*Please telephone Mike Evans 07768 601999 or Rob Meadmore on 07774 763791*

## **BREEDING RAMS - 266 (sold)**

*Auctioneers - R Hyde/M Evans/M Nicholls/G Christopher*

The busiest and largest ram sale yet this season saw a more careful trade on the Blue Faced Leicesters compared to last year with the best between 500gns and 600gns rather than 700gns plus last year. Good Texels, Charollais and Suffolks in very good demand with size, quality and conformation the criteria to make the best price.

### **Breed**

### **Guineas/head**

Suffolk	Yearlings	680, 560, 550
Texel	Yearlings	800, 680, 650, 550
Charollais	Yearlings	550
Beltex x Texel	Yearlings	-
Blue Faced Leicester	Yearlings	620, 600, 580, 540

**Thank you to David Williams and Colin Millichap  
for judging the Blue Faced yearlings and lambs**

## **SHOW OF BLUE FACED LEICESTER RAMS**

### **Yearling Rams**

	<u>Lot</u>	<u>Guineas</u>
1st Messrs Christopher, Rockyfold Farm	2022	460gns
2nd Messrs Fairclough, Wernhir	2075	460gns
3rd Messrs Harris, Redlands Farm	2056	620gns

### **Ram Lambs**

1st Messrs Christopher, Rockyfold Farm	n.s.	
2nd M/s W H Gwillim & Son, Llanwonog	2025	280gns
2rd M/s W H Gwillim & Son, Llanwonog	2026	240gns



## **BREEDING EWES - 1862**

*Auctioneer - Robert Meadmore*

It is very pleasing to report a much brighter and brisker day in the breeding ewe section. Something for everybody on offer today with the alleys full of purchasers and vendors in the mood to do business. The day started well with the second lot, 4 Texel ewes, 4 years old selling at £178 with 3 Blue Faced Leicester ewes making £140.

In the commercial section as long as the product had power you could go from £120 upwards, with Texel yearlings to £136, Charolais yearlings to £120 Welsh Mule yearlings to £115, North Country Mule yearlings to £109. A nice selection of harder bred sheep with Cheviot yearlings to £104, others at £95 and 3 year olds to £94. Some pens capable of improvement from £50 to £80, a run of Welsh ewes, full and broken mouth form £25 to £35.

## CULL EWES - 2212

Auctioneer - Matthew Nicholls

A solid entry of ewes sold to a firmer trade than last week. With 14 buyers forward in person representing many more firms, we can do little more other than provide this fully competitive environment. The trade was certainly dearer than last week and there was certainly a bit of buoyancy to the trade. The strongest ewes are still the easiest to sell with a run of good Texel ewes selling to £123.50, £118, and £115.50/head. Good Suffolks £80 to £98/head. The hardest to sell are those small lean types especially the hill bred types, there is just a serious number of these ewes about. The ewes will firm as numbers begin to steady.

### Average £48.80/head

<b>Continental</b>	<b>£123.50</b>
<b>Suffolks</b>	<b>£98.00</b>
<b>North Country Mules</b>	<b>£84.00</b>
<b>Welsh Mules</b>	<b>£74.00</b>
<b>Speckles</b>	<b>£49.50</b>
<b>Welsh</b>	<b>£58.50</b>
<b>Cull Rams</b>	<b>£96.00</b>
<b>Cull Wethers</b>	<b>£84.00</b>

### Cull ewe eartags -

All cull ewes and rams must have FULL EID TAGS  
to be sold in Hereford Market

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### PROBERT AUCTIONEERS - CHICKEN/POULTRY MARKET

Please note that the poultry sale at the market will be held on second and fourth Saturdays of every month from now on starting with:

**SATURDAY 13th OCTOBER 2018**  
At 10.00am

**SATURDAY 27th OCTOBER 2018**  
At 10.00am

*Please see local press or [www.probertauctioneers.co.uk](http://www.probertauctioneers.co.uk) for further details  
Or call David Probert on 07791 701952*

### Please Note

*Continuing building works at the market mean  
that on Thursday 18th October  
all customers will need to use the exit gate near the lorry wash for all movements in and out  
of the yard  
We will have staff assisting the traffic flow  
Thank you for your continued patience*

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## Pedigree Charollais Females

21<sup>st</sup> Anniversary High Flyers Sale of Pedigree Charollais Females

**99 Total Head to include 9 In Lamb Older Ewes,  
83 In Lamb Shearling Ewes & 7 Ewe Lambs**

All MV Accredited & Scrapie Monitored or tested ARR/ARR

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Bronwydd, Sant Andras, Kirkhouse, Oakchurch & Gwyndy Flocks at Hereford Livestock Market, HR4 7AN

**on Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> October 2018**

Sale at 12 noon ~ Catalogues please ring 07768 604995

Email: [greg.christopher@brightwells.com](mailto:greg.christopher@brightwells.com) [sara.hamer@brightwells.com](mailto:sara.hamer@brightwells.com)

<u>SALE DATE</u>	<u>SALE</u>	<u>CATALOGUE CLOSING DATE</u>
<b>MONDAY 15th OCTOBER</b>	This sale cancelled	
<b>TUESDAY 23rd OCTOBER</b>	This sale cancelled	
<b>TUESDAY 30th OCTOBER</b>	<b>SPECIAL SALE OF EWE &amp; STORE LAMBS</b>	FRIDAY 19th OCTOBER

<u>SALE DATE</u>	<u>SALE</u>	<u>CATALOGUE CLOSING DATE</u>
<b>WEDNESDAY 17th OCTOBER</b>	<b>SALE OF RAMS</b>	<b>FRIDAY 12th OCTOBER</b>
<b>WEDNESDAY 24th OCTOBER</b>	<b>SALE OF RAMS</b>	<b>FRIDAY 19th OCTOBER</b>

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