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**SALE REPORTS & INFORMATION**  
**WEEK ENDING 25TH JULY 2025**

**TOTAL HEAD SOLD 2051**



**TRADE AT A GLANCE**

PRIME CATTLE	TO 369.5P/KG & £2468	CULL COWS/BULLS	TO 331.5P/KG & £247
SPRING LAMBS	TO 363P/KG & £214	CULL EWES/RAMS	TO £261
SPRING HOGGS	TO 265P/KG & £130	CALVES	TO £685
PIGS	TO £210		
STORE STEERS	TO £2460	STORE HEIFERS	TO £2200

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Wednesday 27th August

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Wednesday 6th August

Wednesday 20th August

WEDNESDAY 23RD JULY

TOTAL  
HEAD  
SOLD  
1740

Another busy day here at Frome with good numbers of sheep around for our first special sheep sale of 2025. Many more cull cows about on the week and more fat wanted to satisfy demand. Good numbers of pigs and calves again.

**PRIME CATTLE (8) to 369.5p/kg and £2468**  
**AUCTIONEER: TREVOR ROWLAND 07968 480401 Start 12.30pm**  
**UTM STEERS (5) Max. 369.5p/kg    UTM HEIFERS (3) Max. 329.5p/kg**

A short supply of cattle today and more well covered cattle needed to meet demand. The Yandle family again presenting tidy Angus steers 350-370p/kg, grossing £2200 - £2468 and providing good returns. Underage Friesian Holstein heifers saw lively bidding 300-329.5p/kg from NF Clothier & Sons and Mells Park. More well finished cattle required!

TOP PRICE STEER	351.5p/kg for an Angus from BJ & EM Yandle		
TOP PRICE HEIFER	329.5p/kg for a Holstein Friesian from NF Clothier & Son		
UTM FAT TOTALS:	No	MIN P/KG	MAX P/KG
STEERS			
Medium 551-650kg	3	261.5	351.5
Heavy 650kg+	2	347.5	369.5
HEIFERS			
Medium 501-590kg+	3	297.5	329.5

UTM STEERS				
BREED	MAX (p/kg)	VENDOR	MAX (£)	VENDOR
Angus	369.5	BJ & EM Yandle, Martock	2468	BJ & EM Yandle, Martock
Hereford	284.5	JB Groves, South Wraxall	1752	JB Groves, South Wraxall
Holsetin Friesian	261.5	RC Few & Son, Warminster	1595	

UTM HEIFERS				
BREED	MAX (p/kg)	VENDOR	MAX (£)	VENDOR
Holstein Friesian	329.5	NF Clothier & Sons, Ston Easton	1925	Mells Park Trust, Mells

**CULL COWS/BULLS/OTM'S (72) to 331.5p/kg and £2457****AUCTIONEER: TREVOR ROWLAND 07968 480401 Start 12.30pm**

A very busy cull section this week and gradually gaining momentum with 72 head on offer. A much better selection of cows present and everyone around the ring keen to buy. Many more well fleshed cows on offer both beef bred and black & whites which saw strong prices. A super consignment of steaking and export Angus cows from Masters & Partners regularly over 260p/kg with their best to 280p/kg topping at 300p/kg (£2015). More good, thick Angus cows from JB Groves 297.5p/kg (£2326), fleshed Devon x export types from the Wrixon family 285-293.5p/kg and were well sold. Most of the fleshed beef cows in excess of £1800 today. Black & whites saw keen competition with fleshed types from R J Phillips regularly £1700-£2000 topping at £2002. RDP Stevens produced some well fleshed steaking cows 250-270p/kg £1600-£1800. Feeding cows often 240-280p/kg with Charolais from the Goodall family to 281.5p/kg. Plain cows seemed a good trade and generally 160-200p/kg with a few boning cows forward 130-155p/kg. A few overage cull heifers from regular vendors WP Hurd created excellent interest and prices virtually all over 300p/kg topping at 331p/kg £2000-£2135. Some very tidy fleshed bulls on offer with a good run of Angus from Diva 220-266.5p/kg grossing £2457 and some very well-shaped Blue from S & M North close behind at £2200. Overall a cracking day in this section.

**Vendors please call on a Tuesday with expected entries so we can inform buyers.**

CULL COWS				
BREED	MAX (p/kg)	VENDOR	MAX (£)	VENDOR
Fleckvieh	331.5	W P Hurd, Hill Deverill	2134	W P Hurd, Hill Deverill
Angus	299.5	I J Masters & Partners, Wareham	2326	JB Groves, South Wraxall
Devon	293.5	TW Wrixon, Yeovil	2001	TW Wrixon, Yeovil
Hereford	289.5	I J Masters & Partners, Wareham	1863	CJ & SR Yorke, Foxcote
Charolais	287.5	JB Groves, South Wraxall	1707	JB Groves, South Wraxall
British Friesian	277.5	RDR Stevens & Sons, Stanton Drew	1853	RDR Stevens & Sons, Stanton Drew

**IMPORTANT REMINDER!** Please remember you **do not** have to TB test barren cows. We have an **untested** section so cattle can come straight off the holding to market.

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## **SHEEP (1259) Start 10.30am**

**AUCTIONEER: ROSS WHITCOMBE 07815 985737**

### **PRIME LAMBS (477) Max 363p/kg**

A good entry of fat lambs again today. More lambs showing the effects of the recent hot weather and looking on the leaner side. Best fed lambs still enjoying a flying trade with heavier sorts being in real demand. Best lambs to 363p/kg and £214 from NF Clothier & Sons. Handy weight lambs to 340p/kg from D Webber and £150 from Richard Godwin of Romsey. Heavier types to 359p/kg from Richard Godwin and £180 from C Farnsworth. Over 25kg to 363p/kg and £214 from NF Clothier & Sons. Keep the lambs coming, but please feed them to keep the meat on their backs; there is a big difference.

<b>PRIME LAMBS</b>		
KG	£	Vendor
60.00	214.00	NF Clothier & Sons, Ston Easton
55.00	194.00	NF Clothier & Sons, Ston Easton
53.50	194.00	Moorhill Farming Company, Gillingham
52.00	180.00	C Farnsworth, Bromham
45.50	150.00	TM & RM Godwin, Romsey
43.00	145.00	PG Apsey, Wincanton
39.00	118.00	RJ Phelps, Wells

### **PRIME HOGGETS (23) Max 265p/kg**

A small entry of finished hoggs topping at £130 from J Powell & Son with others to £120 from Tom Bamlett.

### **CULL EWES & RAMS (148) Max £261**

A superb entry of cull ewes which sold to a flying trade. Best ewes to £261 for a grand Texel ewe from Karina Heritage and family. A real smart pen of Suffolk Mule ewes from Thornhill Farm flew to £222.50. Best North Country Mule ewes to £160 from CJ Hooper. Strong Cheviot type ewes to £150 from Potticks Pigs. Many more ewes needed each week to keep the 8 cull ewe buyers forward.

### **BREEDING EWES**

A good entry of breeding ewes forward for our annual July sale selling to a strong trade. The top call of the day was at £213 for some cracking Texel Mules from Olly & Hannah Coombes. Suffolk Mule Shearlings to £198 twice from S Barfoot and others to £192 from C Forward. Older ewes rose to £172 from S Barfoot with an overall ewe average of £163.



## **STORE LAMBS, COUPLES & ORPHAN LAMBS**

A strong entry of store lambs sold to a flying trade with a packed ringside of buyers looking to source feeding lambs considering the grass situation. Top of the day was £131 from Hooper & Sons with others from their cracking run at £129 twice and £120 twice. Other continental types to £128 from M Isgar and a good run from T Frampton & Sons topping at £120 and £110.

**More breeding ewes, rams and store lambs wanted for our next annual sale on Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> August. Entries now invited.**

## **DAIRY (8)**

**AUCTIONEER: TREVOR ROWLAND 07968 480401**

**CALVED HEIFERS £2390 CALVED COWS £2430**

Although we were short in numbers today, we more than made up for it in the quality forward. A super consignment of 8 freshly calved Friesian Holstein heifers and cows from Pennard Farms created good interest seeing prices 6 times over £2300 with best 1<sup>st</sup> calved heifers at £2390 and 2<sup>nd</sup> calved cows to a wonderful £2430. Thanks to all who supported today, more anticipated for next week.

## **PIGS (258) Start 10.15am**

**AUCTIONEER: WILL WALLIS 07833 453482**

A nice entry of pigs this week with more stores on offer selling to a strong trade again. Fat and culls to a similar trade to the last market.

## **FAT PIGS (117)**

A larger entry of fat pigs forward with less heavier pigs on offer. Best to £210 for NF Clothier & Sons Ltd, others to £192 from J Padfield and £190 twice for Whetham & Son and T Durnell. A run of lighter sorts this week from PB Weeks to £1982.

## **STORE PIGS (38)**

Stronger stores selling to £95 for DE Green and £82 D & H Dairying. Younger stores in good demand and selling to a flying trade with 10w/o White x stores to £72 from PG Snell. Other weaners to £56 for Phil Snook.

## **CULL SOWS/BOARS (96)**

A similar trade again with the best to £200 from CR Down. Cull boars to £198 from SM Simmons. Overall average £124.18.

**Next sale of Reared Calves: Wednesday 30th July**  
**Next sale of Pigs : Wednesday 6th August**

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## **CALVES (135) Starts 10am**

**AUCTIONEER: TOM ROGERS 07384 462288**

A varied entry of calves in terms of quality and some very young sorts looking well sold at £200-£300. A couple of reared sorts to £685 for an Angus steer and £590 for an Angus heifer both only 4mo from LK Farming Ltd.

## **CONTINENTAL BULLS TO £590 / HEIFERS TO £532**

A super run of fresh well-presented Blues from AJ & RG Barber saw bulls to £590 and heifers to £532 (only 10-15 days old) with others from the same stable to £495, £452 and £430. Cracking Blue bulls from C & P Milton to £505, £450 from NF Clothier, £440 JR Meeker, £405 Elliscombe Farm. Blue heifers from BA Marsh to £470, £408 DA James & Son and £365 JR Meeker. Smart Simmental bull from NAC Taylor to £532 and Simmental heifers from Waddon Farm to £340 with steers to £460. A good run of Limousin from Parsons Partners saw bulls to £445, £442 and £425 respectively. Limousin heifers from Dan Heal to £328.

## **NATIVE BULLS TO £ 502/ HEIFERS TO £372**

A larger show of Native calves and a proportion of poorly presented types all still selling very well. Best Angus bulls from SC Eavis to £502 and others from Peter Wade to £470, £408 NF Clothier, £398 J& W Davis and £385 Elliscombe Farm. Angus steers to £445 from PH Creed & Son and their heifers to £365, others from SC Eavis to £355, £345 P Wade, £342 SJ Stevens, £315 Elliscombe Farm and £310 DA James & Son. A nice entry of Hereford saw bulls to £400 twice from AK & AD Parker and their Hereford heifers to £352. Hereford bulls from P Wade to £385 and heifers to £372, topping the native heifer trade. Hereford bull from DR & SJ Heal to £360 and heifers from Waddon Farm £295.

## **DAIRY BRED**

Super Holstein Friesian bull calves from AJ & RG Barber finding rearing homes at £292, £270, £240 and £185. Good sorts again from DBH Miles saw Holstein Friesian bulls to £180, Ayrshire bull from BA Marsh to £70.

**Please continue to pre-book; it really helps with buyer procurement. Text or phone Tom Rogers or email the office [info@fromelivestock.com](mailto:info@fromelivestock.com)**

# WEEKLY TOP PRICE CALF WINNER!



This week's winner of £25 for the top price Continental Bull goes to AJ & RJ Barber for a Blue bull at £590  
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## Chaplains Prayer

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Can you help train robots to spot slugs!!!? I saw this intriguing article...and thought I'd share! (DEFRA are funding this to tune of **2.6m**)! This data will enable researchers to refine pellet usage by specifically targeting only the patches where the pest gathers, thereby promoting more sustainable pest management! If you think how much damage these little critters can wreak, then this could be money well spent!?

If you or anyone you know are suffering anxiety, and finding life overly difficult .. please contact these agencies and get help!?

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This week we pray for all people we know with **Disabilities...and Life Changing injuries**. Also for those who support them in any way? We also give thanks for the great courage and resilience of many people who live with disabilities... particularly within our Farming community. July has been designated **Accessible Outdoors Month**, a campaign that draws our attention to the ways in which disabled people across the UK are getting active outside in ways that work for them! As I write, some areas mainly in the East and Northern areas are receiving heavy thunder storms! Let's pray it moves our way this coming week (21-28<sup>th</sup>)

Please remember to 'look out' for your neighbour? A phone call or just pop in can make all the difference ❤️

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# FRIDAY 25TH JULY 2025

## STORE CATTLE 10.30AM

**TOTAL  
HEAD  
SOLD  
311**

### AUCTIONEERS:

TREVOR ROWLAND 07968 480 401

TOM ROGERS 07384 562 288

LESTER WILLIAMS 07778 646 031

**STEERS TO £2460 HEIFERS TO £2200**

A very well supported market for a harvest week in July, with over 300 cattle passing through the ring. The quality of cattle forward was commendable and buyer support was good. Single suckled quality younger steers all selling to an advantage. Well covered forward stores saw plenty of interest throughout.

### COWS & CALVES

Suckler cows with quality young calves still seeing a firm trade. Nice Fleckvieh cows with 22day Blue heifer calf from DA James & Son topped at £1900. Plainer lean cows with 2-3mo Beef Shorthorn calves continuing to be wanted ranging from £1410-£1750.

### BULLS

A few more feeding bulls forward today and overall sold to a firm trade. RJ Phelps saw his nicely presented Angus 8mo bulls top at £1090. Quality 12-14mo Hereford from regular vendor T Bravin were wanted often in excess £1300 and best to £1400.

### YOUNG CONTINENTAL

Young quality continentals with good conformation selling well but the continued grass situation beginning to see buyers a shade more cautious for the longer term cattle. Nice shaped 9mo Blue steers and heifers from N Webb, Swindon sold to £1390 and £1120 respectively. Wonderful quality 10mo Limousin steers from Richard Durston produced strong bidding £1730. 15mo dairy bred Blue heifers from CJ & CJ Pople had an exciting trade at £1746. John, Paul and Mrs Marklove once again providing us with a consignment of outstanding Simmental suckled 14mo steers and heifers. Trade was lively for all with their steers at £1400 and heifers topping to an amazing £1955 and bunches regularly £1520, £1590 and £1690. Dairy bred leaner types taking the brunt of dry weather trade and just showing signs in their coat condition at the moment. Overall a much better trade than perhaps expected and excellent support from all quarters.

YOUNG STEERS				YOUNG HEIFERS			
Breed	£/Head	Age	Vendor	Breed	£/Head	Age	Vendor
Limousin	2240	15m	M Denness, Sandown	Blue	1995	17m	Hann Farming, Ltd, Frome
Blue	1995	15m	Hann Farming, Ltd, Frome	Simmental	1955	16m	DAM Marklove, Swindon
Shetland	1980	14m	M Denness, Sandown	Limousin	1510	14m	M Denness, Sandown
Angus	1670	14m	Marston Gate Farm, Frome	Hereford	1470	16m	Hann Farming, Ltd, Frome
Holsetin Friesian	1540	17m	Hann Farming, Ltd, Frome	Angus	1380	16m	D & PR Tibbs & Son Ltd, Pensford
Simmental	1440	13m	DAM Marklove, Swindon				

## ANGUS

Another good show of Angus with farm assured and named sires still selling to a premium. Well reared forward steers wanted with the best to £2070 (25mo) from C & J Smart of Pensford. Proper rearing steers also keenly bid to £1875 (22mo) from Philip Stranger & Family of Shaftesbury, £1700 (20mo) from Alvin & Tom Trowbridge of Belchawell and £1690 from Aldenham farm Sherborne. Yearling steers continue selling well to £1470 (13mo) from M Maggs of Calne, and from £1260 to £1300 (9 to 10mo) from N Webb of Purton. Heifers equally sought after with framed heifers to £1940 (24mo) from C & J Smart and £1790 (26mo) from W Green & Sons of Horningsham. Good bullers wanted and selling to £1630 (18mo) from M Maggs, £1465 from Colin Pople & family of Dorchester, £1380 (16mo) from D & PR Tibbs & Son Ltd, £1260 VW Harvey Partnership, £1160 Brookes Farm Partnership and £1140 from SP Creed of Batheaston. Yearling heifers wanted selling to £925 (12mo) from Colin Pople & Family.

## HEREFORD & OTHER NATIVES

Cracking Shetland steer again from Mick Denness to £1980 and his young Beef Shorthorn steers to £1280. Tidy young Devon steer from DAM Marklove to £1440. Lovey Hereford steers from WJ Witt & Sons to £1935 and their heifers to £1645, more from W Green & Sons with Hereford heifers to £1705, £1535 PA & RJ Stranger & Son and £1470 Hann Farming. Good to see Alvin and Tom Trowbridge here with their Hereford steers to £1590 and £1540.

## DAIRY STEERS

The larger entry forward met keen demand with larger framed steers selling to a premium. Quality well reared Holsteins from D & PR Tibbs & Son Ltd of Stanton Drew met a fast trade selling from £1395 and topping at £1540 (all 18mo). Other quality consignments equally selling well to £1540 (only 17mo) from Hann Farming Ltd of Frome. Proper rearing Holsteins also well sought after and selling to £1185 (23mo) from Philip Stranger & Family of Shaftesbury and £1100 (23mo) from RH & CM Johnston of Mappowder. Younger steers wanted and selling well to £965 (15mo) from Scott Kingston of Wotton-under-Edge, £820 from Ben Gear of Sherborne and yearlings to £725 (11mo) from Colin Pople & Family of Winterborne Steepleton. Their 8mo Fleckvieh steers also keenly bid to £800. Forward Fleckvieh steers also met a fast trade to £1740 (23mo) from W Green & Sons of Horningsham.

## FORWARD CONTINENTAL

Supersonic Limousin steer from C & J Smart & Family topped the day at £2460 and their Limousin heifers to £2200 and £1800. Quality Limousin steers from Mick Denness to £2240 and heifers to £1510. Solid dairy bred Limousin steers from PA & RJ Stranger to £1540 and their Limousin heifers to £1500, more quality goods from W Green & Sons with Limousin heifers to £1570. A grand entry of British Blues this week with best sorts from Hann Farming to £1995 for both steers and heifers. Medium Blue steers from FF & J Down to £1600, £1560 from PA & RJ Stranger, £1520 RH & CM Johnston and £1440 from Brookes Farm. Quality Blue heifers to £1790 from PA & RJ Stranger, £1610 from FF & J Down, £1440 Brookes Farm.

FORWARD STEERS				FORWARD HEIFERS			
BREED	£/ HEAD	AGE	VENDOR	BREED	£/ HEAD	AGE	VENDOR
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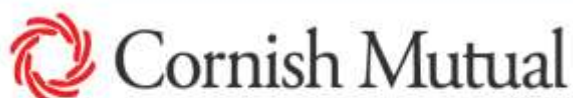
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