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SALE REPORTS & INFORMATION
WEEK ENDING 5TH SEPTEMBER 2025

TOTAL HEAD SOLD 1910



TRADE AT A GLANCE

PRIME CATTLE	TO 348.5P/KG & £2127	CULL COWS/BULLS	TO 301.5P/KG & £2549
SPRING LAMBS	TO 333P/KG & £166	CULL EWES/RAMS	TO £196
CALVES	TO £795	PIGS	TO £184
DAIRY	TO £2780		
STORE STEERS	TO £2270	STORE HEIFERS	TO £2140

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Wednesday 23rd September

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Wednesday 17th September

Wednesday 1st October

WEDNESDAY 3RD SEPTEMBER

**TOTAL
HEAD
SOLD
1215**

A good entry of calves this week and the damper weather seems to be putting some confidence back in the store lamb trade. Good numbers of Dairy, cull and prime stock forward and a tidy entry of pigs.

PRIME CATTLE (14) to 348.5p/kg and £2127

AUCTIONEER: TREVOR ROWLAND 07968 480401 Start 12.30pm

UTM STEERS (8) Max. 348.5p/kg UTM HEIFERS (6) Max. 329.5p/kg

Generally a firmer trade for the types on offer. A few more better grade cattle could have been sold well. Well covered Dairy types from A Doman & Co saw Holstein Friesian 330-341.5p/kg and Hereford x steers at 348.5p/kg. Pete and Sue Lawson saw their Dairy x Angus handy weight steers and heifers 320-331.5p/kg. No Continental cattle forward today to take advantage of the demand and some good 'R+' grade cattle would have sold well today.

Please call Trevor Rowland 07968 480401.

TOP PRICE STEER	348.5p/kg for a Hereford from A Doman & Co		
TOP PRICE HEIFER	329.5p/kg for an Angus from P Reynolds		
UTM FAT TOTALS:	No	MIN P/KG	MAX P/KG
STEERS			
Light 100-500kg	3	309.5	348.5
Medium 551-650kg	5	330.5	341.5
Heavy 651kg+			
HEIFERS			
Light 100-500kg	3	299.5	329.5
Medium 501-590kg	2	299.5	319.5
Heavy 590kg+	1	327.5	327.5

UTM STEERS				
BREED	MAX (p/kg)	VENDOR	MAX (£)	VENDOR
Hereford	348.5	A Doman & Co, Ston Easton	1840	A Doman & Co
Holstein Friesian	341.5	A Doman & Co, Ston Easton	2127	A Doman & Co
Angus	331.5	PR & SE Lawson, Hinton	1876	PR & SE Lawson, Hinton

UTM HEIFERS

BREED	MAX (p/kg)	VENDOR	MAX (£)	VENDOR
Angus	329.5	P Reynolds, Godshill	1935	PR & SE Lawson, Hinton

CULL COWS/BULLS/OTM'S (32) to 291.5p/kg and £2549

AUCTIONEER: TREVOR ROWLAND 07968 480401 Start 12.30pm

A lively trade throughout in this section and more could have been well sold. Overage 40mo+ heifers from Paul Hurd and family had an excellent trade 285-301.5p/kg! Thick well fleshed Simmental cows from HJ Marklove and Mrs D Marklove realised 284.5p/kg 3 times grossing £2549! Quality Blue x cows from regular vendors S & M North to 287.5p/kg. Most export quality cows 260p/kg today. Top spot p/kg for cows went to the Love family at 291.5p/kg. Steaking cows were well sold and generally 240-265p/kg. Som good black and white cows forward today which saw Ben Marshs' deep bodied cows over £2000. Not too many plainer feeding cows on offer but generally 180-220p/kg. A few boning cows forward 130-160p/kg. Overall I felt cows were slightly dearer on the week.

CULL COWS

BREED	MAX (p/kg)	VENDOR	MAX (£)	VENDOR
Fleckvieh	301.5	WP Hurd, Warminster	2407	WP Hurd, Warminster
South Devon	291.5	WE Love & Son, Wimborne	1556	WE Love & Son, Wimborne
Blue	287.5	S & M North, Chard	1834	S & M North, Chard
Simmental	284.5	HJ Marklove, Swindon	2549	HJ Marklove, Swindon
Angus	272.5	WE Love & Son, Wimborne	1926	WE Love & Son, Wimborne
Holsetin Friesain	259.5	BA Marsh Farming, Chippenham	2091	BA Marsh Farming, Chippenham
Beef Shorthorn	251.5	Marston Gate Farm, Frome	1644	Marston Gate Farm, Frome
Hereford	249.5	Marston Gate Farm, Frome	1601	Marston Gate Farm, Frome

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.

SHEEP (679) Start 10.30am

AUCTIONEER: ROSS WHITCOMBE 07815 985737

PRIME LAMBS (434) Max 333p/kg & £166

A neat entry of fat lambs sold to a brighter trade on the week. Best lambs flying to 333p/kg and £166 from Roger Lyons. Overall average of 304p/kg being achieved. A larger number of lighter lambs forward which met a fast trade. Best to 329p/kg from AJ Davis and £119 from PA Yates. Handy weights to 325p/kg and £144.50 from PG & CAN Brown. Over weights met more resistance on the week with best 284p/kg from AL & DM Sage & Son and £160 from PA Yates and NJ Berry.

PRIME LAMBS		
KG	£	Vendor
56.50	160.00	PA Yates & NJ Berry, West Knoyle
54.50	150.00	MD & DR James, Nimlet
50.00	166.00	RJ Lyons, West Harptree
48.00	160.00	RJ Lyons, West Harptree
44.50	144.50	PG & CN Brown, Calne
43.00	139.00	Shaplands Farm, Cold Ashton
41.00	128.00	RR Creed & Son, Wells
39.00	119.00	PA Yates & NJ Berry, West Knoyle

CULL EWES & RAMS (108) Max £196

A neat entry of cull ewes which met a fast trade with best to £196 from MPA & JWP Scadding with best ewes all £170. Ewes with strength and power £150 plus. Medium ewes all £120- £150. Smaller ewes £80-£100. Best rams £140 from J Smith.

STORE LAMBS (137) Max £10

A neat entry of store lambs which met a faster trade with the grass growing following the recent rainfall. Best lambs £102 from PA Scott of Minety. Better store lambs all £80 plus. A larger proportion of smaller or hardier bred lambs forward which pegged back today's average. More lambs needed each week to keep buyers forward.

Special September Store & Breeding Sale. Entries now being taken for our special breeding and store sheep sale on Wednesday 17th September. Please call Ross Whitcombe, Clive Peach or Archie Stamp.

Please can all sheep vendors ensure they have completed both a market entry form and a sheep licence in full. This needs to include the number of sheep and the type you have presented for sale. This ensures that we pay you for the correct number of sheep presented.

DAIRY (31)

AUCTIONEER: TREVOR ROWLAND 07968 480401

Calved heifers £2620 Calved cows £2780

Excellent to have over 30 Dairy again this week and a number of clients keen to purchase. Something for everyone today with a number of different types forward. Top grade Pedigree Holstein calved heifer from the 'Sandyhill' herd created good interest topping at £2620 for a 'Dynamite' daughter; second lactation cows equally sought from the same herd often over £2700 topping at £2780! More Friesian Holstein types saw nice first lactation heifers from Rodney Meatyard and family at £2020 and £1900. British Friesian calved heifer from Peter Wade selling well at £1800. Cross bred fresh calved cows (out of calving pattern) had a firm trade for the younger types £1400, £1380 and £1300 with older cows £800-£920. Jersey cross small calved heifers £940. A super consignment of Friesian type in calf springing heifers from Peter Wade were wanted topping at £1700 and regularly £1500-£1550.

PIGS (223)

AUCTIONEER: WILL WALLIS 07833 453482

A good entry of all types of pigs this week selling to a strong number of buyers and better trade generally.

FAT PIGS (95)

Fewer fat pigs selling to a similar trade with not many quality sorts on offer. Best heavies to £184 from J Padfield. Others to £184 and £182 from PB Weeks. Medium weights to £170 for J Brown. No porker weights forward this week. Overall average £168.63.

STORE PIGS (62)

A good entry of stores with not many strong white weaners forward. Best white stores to £68 from MJ Knowles. Other large Black stores to £66 for BL Coventry. Younger nice stores from PJ Snook to £47.

BREEDING PIGS, SOWS & LITTERS (37)

Young sows with litters selling to £160 for a sow and 6 from S Groves IOW.

CULL SOWS & BOARS (29)

Not any larger sows on offer this week. Best to £150 from JR Bodman with others to £140 for A Griggs.

CALVES (238) Starts 10am

AUCTIONEER: TOM ROGERS 07384 462288

A good entry of calves forward this week with prices reflecting the quality. Calves at a good price for the grade forward with a number of younger calves forward.

CONTINENTAL BULLS TO £795 / HEIFERS TO £455

Outstanding Simmental bull from MP & MA Hannam flying to £795 (1mo) with others from the same stable to £570. More tidy Simmentals from M Carver with bulls to £500 and heifers to £365, much younger Simmental bulls from WC & P Craig & Sons to £288 and heifers to £240. Over to Blues and cracking sorts from MP & PA Perrett with bulls to £665 and heifers to £400. Other Blue bulls from AK Hosie & Sons to £500, £485 JG & RA Trott and £402 NR & D Norris. Medium sorts looking a firm trade to £350 from Radstock Co-op, £358 SM Sargent, £338 EL Norris & Son and £298 from Broughton Farms. Blue heifers wanted to £435 from LR & CJ Tuffin, £385 JG & RA Trott, £372 from AK Hosie, £362 Pressbarrow Partners and £360 from NR & D Norris. Limousin bulls from DR & SJ Heal to £450 and a run of their heifers to £430; other Limousin bulls from R & A Holder to £390 and their heifers to £300. Charolais bull from NR & D Norris to £380 and heifers to £350, bulls from AK Hosie to £340, Charolais bulls from Waddon farms to £298.

NATIVE BULLS TO £448/ HEIFERS TO £455

Hereford topping the trade with bulls from SN Ellis & Son to £448 and £420. Others from DR & SJ Heal to £320, £300 Roots to Milk Farming and £285 from AK & AD Parker. Best heifers flying to £455 from Bown & Son Ltd. Medium heifers from AK & AD Parker to £305, C & P Milton to £305, £298 from SN Ellis & Son and £255 from Roots to Milk Farming. A larger number of Angus forward but limited in terms of quality. Best bulls from NF Clothier & Sons to £400, £400 from AJ Foot, £392 from EA & JA Hiscock and £358 from WR Phippen. Angus heifers £350 from GJ & C Taylor, £332 from CA Green & Son, £302 from EA & JA Hiscock and £300 from Biddesden Farm Partnership. Several medium bulls from £250-£280 and heifers £220-£250 and the smaller Angus calves looking a good price with bulls to £180 and heifers to £140. Longhorn heifers flying to £175 and bulls to £228 from Josh Hiscock.

DAIRY BRED

Best Holstein Friesian bulls from WR Phippen to £202, £140 from NR & D Norris, £130 G & R House, £128 NF Clothier and £118 from Padfield & Dyke. British Friesian bulls from AR & EJ Miller to £130. Ayrshire bulls from BA Marsh to £175 and £88 from Pressbarrow Partners. Smart Fleckvieh bulls from Padfield & Dyke to £195 and Brown Swiss from MP & MA Hannam £140.

Please continue to pre-book; this is much appreciated. Text or phone Tom Rogers or email the office info@fromelivestock.com

WEEKLY TOP PRICE CALF WINNER!



This week's winner of £25 for the top price Continental Bull goes to MP & MA Hannam for a Simmental bull at £795. Next week's prize will be for the top price Holstein/Friesian.

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FRIDAY 5TH SEPTEMBER 2025

STORE CATTLE 10.30AM

**TOTAL
HEAD
SOLD
695**

AUCTIONEERS: TREVOR ROWLAND 07968 480 401
TOM ROGERS 07384 562 288
LESTER WILLIAMS 07778 646 031
STEERS TO £2270 HEIFERS TO £2140

An outstanding September market with a tremendous entry of very well presented smart store cattle. A packed ringside encouraged by the recent 'growing' weather.

ORGANIC

Close to 100 organics forwards for our September sale. Trade was excellent throughout and the recent rain has certainly had a good effect on confidence around the ring! Regular supporters J & M King Brain produced another quality entry of suckler bred cattle and trade matched the cattle. Their Beef Shorthorn 23mo steers topped at £2270 and Simmental steers from the same home to £2000. Younger 15/16mo Hereford and Angus steers £1520 and £1660 respectively. Super South Devon heifers 23mo again from J & M King Brain topped at £1800! Harder Dairy x Continentals were very well sold and some great types from WG Ogborne saw steers regularly over £1700 (18-20mo) and topping at £1800 for their 22mo Shorthorns; their heifers had a blistering trade and with new buyers around the ring Charolais and Inra bred heifers were both over £1800. A cracking consignment of Dairy bred Angus steers and heifers from the Moxey Family sold to tremendous levels; although leaner and showing signs of the long hot summer the potential was spotted by purchases and plenty of their steers over £1900 topping at £1940!! Their heifers at 15mo keenly sought at £1500.

COWS & CALVES

A lovely entry of Continental cows from John Elliot of Purton Stoke saw best Blue cows PD to Limousin to £2230 and £2190 and Limousin cows to £1960. Blue cow and Hereford heifer calf from Pat Apsey to £1750.

FEEDING BULLS

Hereford rigs from Somerdown Farm to £1390 and young Angus from J & M King Brain to £890

YOUNG CONTINENTAL

Overall not so many younger continentals on offer this week but trade firming as the grass starts to make and appearance. Quality Blue suckler bred 10mo steers to a strong £1480 and heifers £995. Young dairy bred Blue steers and heifers from long term supporter Steve Creed and family all were wanted ranging £650-£755 with Simmental steers 8mo £700. Two good consignments of Dairy x Blue firstly from Townsend Farming and Contracting Ltd and then from Martin Gregory, Sherborne. 17mo good steers from the Gregory's topped at a strong £1690 with heifers to £1360. More needed for next week.

FRIESIAN

Best Holstein Friesian steers wanted to £1800 and £1770 from A Doman & Co, £1710 from S & G Jenkins, £1700 from Hollands Farm. Farming sorts from L Bodman to £1350 and £1020 from Martin Few and Family. Lovely young British Friesian steers from S & G Jenkins to £1560 and £1400 from Townsend Farming. Well presented Norwegian Red steer from PW, CC & JC Gould to £1960, Holstein Friesian heifers from AJ & GG Thomas to £1110.

YOUNG STEERS				YOUNG HEIFERS			
Breed	£/Head	Age	Vendor	Breed	£/Head	Age	Vendor
Charolais	2100	17m	R Sayer, Cameley	Hereford	1460	17m	G & E Wade, Sturminster Newton
Simmental	2000	17m	J & M King Brain, Yeovil	Angus	1240	17m	Lower Bagber Farms Ltd, Bagber
Angus	1750	17m	S Newman & Son, Seend	Blue	995	11m	S & M North, Chard
Hereford	1680	17m	G & E Wade, Sturminster Newton	Simmental	640	15m	SP Creed, Batheaston
Blue	1480	11m	S & M North, Chard				
Sheeted Somerset	1445	11m	S & M North, Chard				

ANGUS

An amazing entry of 297 Angus met an outstanding trade with top honours of the day going to George and Emma Wade of Sturminster Newton with a consignment of 191 cattle; their Angus steers selling to a massive £2180 (only 18-19mo) and a special thank you goes to their herdsman Bob Craddock and Mike Cohen for assisting with the rearing and presenting such a quality run of dairy bred cattle which nearly averaged £1700 at only 14-19mo. Their steers regularly selling from £1900 and £1990 and their heifers from £1710 to an excellent £1930, what a trade.

Other well presented steers equally selling well to £1960 (18mo) from Richard Sayer & Family of Temple Cloud, £1950 (21mo) from Barry Cooper T/A Holland Farms Blandford Ltd, £1950 (18mo) for S Newman & Son of Melksham, £1800 from PW CC & JC Gould of Norton Ferris and £1690 from both S & G Jenkins of Pewsey and Nigel Doman & Family of Ston Easton. Younger steers also wanted and met a fast demand selling to £1595 (16mo) from Colin Martin & Family of Hazelbury Bryan, £1580 (17mo) from the Jeanes family T/A Lower Bagber Farms Ltd of Bagber, £1570(17mo) from Brindley Gough of Chippenham, £1500 for Townsend Farming & Contracting Ltd of Calne and £1480 (15mo) from Rex and the late Jean Horler of Wellow. Yearling steers continue to exceed expectations with 11mo to £1120 from Pete Cooke & Family of Yeovil £1100 from Graham Read and family of Longbridge Deverill and £970 from Sue Denning & Family of East Cocker. Forward Angus heifers sold well to £1930 (19mo) from Sam & Guy Jenkins of Pewsey, £1845 from PW CC & JC Gould, £1740 (21mo) from Hollands Blandford Ltd, £1700 from Colin Martin & Family, £1685 from Rex Horler & family and £1640 from Lower Bagber Farms Ltd. Younger heifers also wanted, selling to £1280 (16mo) from Townsend Farming & Contracting Ltd and yearling heifers to £670 from Stephen Creed of Batheaston.

HEREFORD AND OTHER NATIVES

Over 250 Hereford on offer met a tremendous demand with best presented steers selling to an outstanding £2160 (only 19mo) from Mike Keen & family of Melksham, £2110 (29mo) from RE & D Woodward of Norton Ferris, £2080 (28mo) from Sam & Guy Jenkins of Pewsey and £1970 (21mo) from Hollands Farm Blandford Ltd. Well presented younger steers equally well bid from £1800 to £1900 (16-18mo) from Goerge & Emma Wade of Sturminster Newton, £1885 from AJ & GG Thomas of Bristol, £1770 (20mo) from Nigel Doman & Family of Ston Easton and £1750 from RC Garraway of Keevil. The good consignment of heifers met a fast trade with fleshed heifers to a massive £1930 (32mo) from AJ & GG Thomas and from £1690 to £1800 (16-18mo) from G & E Wade. Other good heifers equally sought after selling to £1800 (29mo) from Sam and Guy Jenkins and £1690 (19mo) from Mike Keen & Family. Young heifers also well bid to £1045 from Rob Brown & Family of Standerwick.

FORWARD CONTINENTAL

A firm trade again for these smart forward types with best heifers topping the trade from PW, CC & JC Gould for a Blue at £2140, Blonde heifers from Laura Bodman to £2100 and Limousin heifers from Sam & Guy Jenkins to £1920. Quality Blue steers from Dave tucker looking well sold at £2080, £1850 and £1660 others from IC & CM Tucker to £1510 and £1500 from Rob Brown. Smart Blue heifers from Sam & Guy Jenkins ringing the bell at £1950 and £1670 from Hollands Farm.

Cracking Charolais steers from Richard Sayer to £2100, £1950 and more smart Charolais steers from Graham Stevens and family to £1875 and heifers to £1900.

FORWARD STEERS				FORWARD HEIFERS			
BREED	£/HEAD	AGE	VENDOR	BREED	£/HEAD	AGE	VENDOR
Beef Shorthorn	2270	23m	J & M King Brain, Yeovil	Blue	2140	30m	PW CC & JC Gould, Norton Ferris
Hereford	2180	19m	G & E Wade, Sturminster Newton	Blonde	2100	18m	L Bodman, Urchfont
Blue	2080	21m	DP Tucker, Binegar	Angus	1930	19m	G & E Wade, Sturminster Newton
Angus	1990	18m	G & E Wade, Sturminster Newton	Hereford	1930	32m	AJ & GG Thomas, Bristol
Norwegian Red	1960	29m	PW CC & JC Gould, Norton Ferris	Limousin	1920	26m	S & G Jenkins, Pewsey
Lincoln Red	1880	28m	S & G Jenkins, Pewsey	Simmental	1900	20m	D & GJ Stevens, Maiden Bradley
Limousin	1840	236m	J & M King Brain, Yeovil	Inra 95	1810	27m	WG Ogborne & Sons, Chewstoke

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As I write it's raining(30thAug) which is most welcome indeed!! 🙏 its also been **World Water** week.. inviting us to manage water at a time of challenge and scarcity!? Here at home we pray for all in our farming and grower community who are being adversely affected by the extreme weather...

Here are organisations able to assist in ANY situation:Farming community network (FCN)help@fcn.org.uk call 7am-11pm 03000 111 999; R.A.B.I 0808 281 9490; The Samaritans jo@samaritans.org 116 123...

Anyone here at Frome Livestock market too can take your details and we can get help to you quickly! 👍

We have earmarked Wed evening **October 22 for our Market Harvest Service!** Please watch this space for more details!....

Take care, and see you on Wednesdays at Frome Livestock market! 🐒

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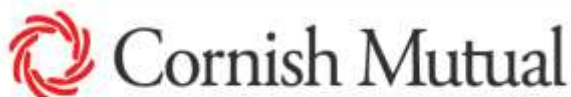
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