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SALE REPORTS & INFORMATION

WEEK ENDING 5TH NOVEMBER 2025

TOTAL HEAD SOLD 1375



TRADE AT A GLANCE

PRIME CATTLE	TO 399.5P/KG & £2671	CULL COWS/BULLS	TO 361.5P/KG & £3065
SPRING LAMBS	TO 342P/KG & £161	CULL EWES/RAMS	TO £258
STORE LAMBS	TO £119	REARED CALVES	TO £1050
CALVES	TO £530	DAIRY	TO £1780
STORE STEERS	TO £2340	STORE HEIFERS	TO £2150

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Wednesday 12th November

Wednesday 26th November

FOOT CLINIC

9am – 1pm

Pre-booking required

Wednesday 19th November

Wednesday 3rd December

WEDNESDAY 5TH NOVEMBER

**TOTAL
HEAD
SOLD
963**

Fat cattle and cull cows continuing to see exceptional prices. Calves and sheep producing strong trades.

PRIME CATTLE (33) to 397.5p/kg and £2671

AUCTIONEER: TREVOR ROWLAND 07968 480401 Start 12.30pm

UTM STEERS (14) Max. 397.5p/kg UTM HEIFERS (16) Max. 369.5p/kg

UTM BULLS (3) Max. 399.5p/kg

Beef in strong demand throughout again this week. Well fleshed steers 340-380p/kg and mainly native breeds. Smart 'R' grade Angus from JC Stainer to an excellent 379.5p/kg closely followed by BJ & EM Yandle and RC Garraway at 367.5p/kg and 369.5p/kg. Super (-U) Limousin x Blue steers from PG & JE Baker sold to top levels at 397.5p/kg £2321. Best heavy steers over £2600 this week. All heifers easily sold with well fleshed butchers types wanted. Handy weight Blue x heifers from Clifford and Stuart Alvis 369.5p/kg. Traditional Angus and Hereford saw a fluctuating trade with a few lesser conformation types 320-340p/kg. Heavier fleshed heifers 340-360p/kg. This week we had 3 super younger Limousin bulls 19-21mo. Demand was excellent for these quality sorts all over 360p/kg topping at 400p/kg!! (£2484). More of these best bulls could have been well sold today.

ENTRIES REQUIRED FOR FATSTOCK SHOW 26TH NOVEMBER HANDLED AND UNHANDLED CLASSES

TOP PRICE STEER	397.5p/kg for a Limousin from PG & JE Baker		
TOP PRICE HEIFER	369.5p/kg for a Blue from CA AC Alvis		
UTM FAT TOTALS:	No	MIN P/KG	MAX P/KG
STEERS			
Light 100-500kg	6	309.5	379.5
Medium 551-650kg	6	329.5	397.5
Heavy 651kg+	2	369.5	379.5
HEIFERS			
Light 100-500kg	4	299.5	344.5
Medium 501-590kg	6	329.5	369.5
Heavy 590kg+	6	341.5	361.5

UTM STEERS				
BREED	MAX p/kg	VENDOR	MAX (£)	VENDOR
Limousin	397.5	PG & JE Baker, Lymphsham	2321	PG & JE Baker, Lymphsham
Angus	379.5	JC Stainer, Semington	2671	JC Stainer, Semington
Hereford	379.5	Pipplepen Farms Ltd, Beaminster	2062	Lilliput Farm Partnership, Bath
Fleckvieh	357.5	JC Stainer, Semington	2223	JC Stainer, Semington

UTM HEIFERS				
BREED	MAX p/kg	VENDOR	MAX (£)	VENDOR
Blue	369.5	CA AC Alvis, Radstock	1936	CA AC Alvis, Radstock
Angus	361.5	BJ & EM Yandle, Martock	2602	BJ & EM Yandle, Martock
Hereford	349.5	VI & GR Doggrell, Wincanton	2166	VI & GR Doggrell, Wincanton
Simmental	344.5	CA AC Alvis, Radstock	1715	CA AC Alvis, Radstock

CULL COWS/BULLS/OTM'S (31) to 361.50p/kg and £3065

AUCTIONEER: TREVOR ROWLAND 07968 480401 Start 12.30pm

A super entry of cows forward this week with good numbers of beef cows and dairy types on offer. Trade continuing at recent levels seeing plenty of beef bred cows over 300p/kg. O & B Comer saw their three Limousin cows average £3000 and regularly 349 -361p/kg!! Charolais from Rob Fry at 291.5p/kg (£2381). Export type Devon x grossing close to £2500 from G Patch. All export and steaking cows over 260p/kg this week. Best black & white from WJ Masters & Sons seeing a fiery trade at 321.5p/kg. Plain and feeding cows looked as dear as any today 190-245p/kg. More could be sold on this excellent trade. All cows saw an outstanding average of £1903 this week!!

IMPORTANT REMINDER! Please remember you **do not** have to TB test barren cows. Please ring Trevor Rowland on 07968 480 401 or the office to pre-book your animals, it helps inform buyers of what is coming in.

CULL COWS				
BREED	MAX (p/kg)	VENDOR	MAX (£)	VENDOR
Limousin	361.5	O & B Comer, Braydon	3065	O & B Comer, Braydon
Angus	294.5	Willowbrook Ventures Ltd, Trowbridge	2267	Willowbrook Ventures Ltd, Trowbridge
Charolais	291.5	PW Fry & Son, Hilmarton	2387	PW Fry & Son, Hilmarton
South Devon	279.5	Potticks Pigs Ltd, Bath	1981	Potticks Pigs Ltd, Bath
British White	279.5	Emily Estate Ltd, Castle Cary	1772	Emily Estate Ltd, Castle Cary
Holstein Friesian	264.5	RC Garraway, Keevil	1976	LM Maidment & Sons, Corsham

SHEEP (638) Start 10.30am

AUCTIONEER: ROSS WHITCOMBE 07815 985737

PRIME LAMBS (309) Max 342p/kg & £161

A tight entry of prime lambs which sold to a faster trade on the week. Best lambs flying to £161 from Pat Apsey and 342p/kg from TFT Handy. Overall average 316p/kg and £135.84 which included a large proportion of lighter lambs. Light lambs to 342p/kg from TFT Handy and £130.50 from N Bosley. Handy weights to 342p/kg from Mike Knowles and Sally Withers and £145 from Pat Apsey. Heavies to 318p/kg from Pat Apsey and £155 from N Bosley. Over 52kgs to 293p/kg from Tom and Charlotte Wheeler and £161 from Pat Apsey. Many more lambs could have been sold to the advantage.

PRIME LAMBS		
KG	£	Vendor
58.00	161.00	PG Apsey, Wincanton
53.00	155.50	T & C Wheeler, Norton St Philip
51.00	155.00	N Bosley, Weston
50.00	154.00	Peter Coombs Ltd, Radstock
49.00	153.00	PA Scott, Minety
47.00	150.00	Jamies Farm, Ditteridge
46.00	148.00	PG Apsey, Wincanton
44.00	144.50	Jamies Farm, Ditteridge
43.00	139.50	BA & CM Godwin & Sons, Bath

SPECIAL STORE LAMB SALE WEDNESDAY 12TH NOVEMBER
PLEASE CALL ROSS, CLIVE OR ARCHIE

CULL EWES & RAMS (234) Max £258

A huge entry of all ewes which sold to a fast trade with best to £258 from Allan White. Best ewes to £180 from James Wyatt. Other quality to £171 from DJ & EJ Mitchell and M Oram. Many more ewes could have been sold to the advantage.

STORE LAMBS (95) MAX £119

A small entry of store lambs which sold to a flying trade. Best lambs to £119 from Newton Surmaville Partnership. Other quality types £110-£115. Many more could have been sold to the advantage.

DAIRY

AUCTIONEER: TREVOR ROWLAND 07968 480401

CALVED HEIFERS £1780

A smaller entry today after last week but demand holding firm. Two nice home bred 'Flynn' calved heifers saw prices £1780 and £1690 from regular supporters Roger & Matt Masters. More entries required.

CALVES (128) Starts 10am

AUCTIONEER: TOM ROGERS 07384 462288

Fewer numbers forward on the week with not too many best types. A firm trade for the right calves.

CONTINENTAL BULLS TO £530 / HEIFERS TO £460

Well presented Blue bulls from AJ Scott & Sons to £530 and £465. Blue bulls from NR & D Norris to £418, £385 from JT Jackson & Sons, £358 from both Pinniger & Sons and MP & PM Perrett. More of the usual quality from Perry Farm Ltd with best blue heifers to £460, £395 and £355. Other Blue heifers from Pinniger & Sons to £358, £285 from Henley Grove Farm Ltd, £280 NR & D Norris and £265 Radstock Co-op. Saler heifers from P & D Trowbridge to £190, Limousin bulls from WR Phippen to £240, Inra 95 bull from Andrew Dolman to £280 and a Simmental bull from JAW Bendall to £305. A nice run of young Charolais x from G & R House saw bulls to £385 and heifers to £270.

NATIVE BULLS TO £495/ HEIFERS TO £298

Again best Angus bulls from Perry Farm Ltd to £495 and their Angus heifers to £298. Other smart Angus bulls from AJ Scott to £450. Young fresh Angus bulls from J & W Davis Ltd to £278 and £240 from P & D Trowbridge. Angus heifers from JAW Bendall to £195, £190 from P Wade and £190 from SJ Legg. Longhorn x from NR & D Norris to £295 for bulls and heifers to £175.

DAIRY BRED

Only smaller sorts forward from £50-£80. Ayrshire bull from Pressbarrow Partners to £108.

Please continue to pre-book your calves with the office or Tom Rogers.

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REARED CALVES (131) Start 12.30pm

AUCTIONEER: TOM ROGERS 07384 462288

A very firm trade for the reared calves again and good numbers forward.

CONTINENTAL BULLS/STEERS TO £945/ HEIFERS TO £865

Best Blue steers from Lovettswood Farm Ltd flying to £945, their Blue bulls to £835 and heifers to £795. Tidy Blue steers from Hann Farming to £875 and £825. More Blue steers from Ben Gear to £840, £770 and his heifers to £755. Blue steers from AJ Langley to £722 and heifers looking well sold to £725. Younger Blue steers 2-3mo from Pinniger & Sons to £588 and heifers £505. Smart Blonde steers from Andy Jefferies to £805 and heifers at the top spot to £865. Limousin heifers from RE Trowbridge & Son £662.

NATIVE BULLS/STEERS TO £1050 / HEIFERS TO £845

Best Angus x steers to £1050 and heifers to £845 all from Willowbrook Ventures (single suckled). Best Dairy bred Angus steers from Doman & Co to £950 (8mo) and heifers to £740 & £700. More Angus x steers from Isgar & Sons to £730 with others from Ben Gear to £725 and £750 from AJ Langley & Son. Angus bulls from Lovettswood Farm Ltd to £805 and their Hereford x bulls to £800. Beef Shorthorn bull from Willowbrook to £800. Angus heifers from Isgar & Sons to £640, £600 Ben Gear, £570 Lovettswood and £512 from PT Gregory. Young Hereford x steers from SN Ellis & Son to £650 and their heifers to £500. Hereford x heifers from Hann Farming Ltd to £810, £685 from Lovettswood, £610 from J & L Barton and £550 from Rob Willcox Ltd. Beef Shorthorn heifers from Willowbrook to £660.

DAIRY BRED

Holstein Friesian from Ben Gear to £432 and £500 from Lovettswood.

FROME AND DISTRICT CHRISTMAS FATSTOCK SOCIETY

FROME FATSTOCK SHOW



WED 26th NOVEMBER 2025

**CLASSES FOR
HANDLED & UNHANDLED BEEF CATTLE,
BARREN COWS, LAMBS, PIGS,
(INC YOUNG FARMERS CLASSES),
AND CALVES**

**ENTRIES FOR BEEF CATTLE, LAMBS & PIGS CLOSE
WEDNESDAY 19th NOVEMBER**

**CALF ENTRIES ACCEPTED PRIOR TO 10am SHOW MORNING
AWARDS FOR TOP P/KG DAIRY, DUAL PURPOSE & BEEF BARREN COWS**

**SCHEDULES & ENTRY FORMS AVAILABLE FROM
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- 4 BEST CONTINENTAL HEIFER
- 5 YF BEST BEEF BRED STEER OR HFR

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- 7 BEST CONTINENTAL STEER
- 8 BEST CONTINENTAL HEIFER
- 9 BEST NATIVE BREED STEER
- 10 BEST NATIVE BREED HEIFER
- 11 BEST BEEF STEER OUT OF A DAIRY DAM
- 12 BEST BEEF HEIFER OUT OF A DAIRY DAM

BARREN COWS:

**AWARDS FOR TOP P/KG DAIRY, DUAL PURPOSE &
BEEF BRED BARREN COWS SOLD ON SHOW DAY**

LAMB & PIG CLASSES:

- 16 BEST PEN 3 LAMBS NOT EXCEEDING 42kg LW
- 17 BEST PEN OF 3 LAMBS OVER 42kg LW
- 18 BEST PEN OF 3 LAMBS Sired BY A NATIVE RAM
- 19 BEST YOUNG FARMERS PEN OF 3 LAMBS
- 20 AWARD FOR TOP £/HEAD PEN OF 3 CULL EWES
- 21 BEST PAIR OF PIGS NOT EXCEEDING 87kg LW
- 22 BEST PAIR OF PIGS OVER 87kg
- 23 BEST PAIR OF NATIVE PIGS (ANY WEIGHT)

NON SHOW PIGS MUST BE PRE-BOOKED

CALF CLASSES:

**CALVES DO NOT NEED TO BE PRE-ENTERED –
ENTRIES PRIOR TO 10am SHOW MORNING**

- 24 BEST CONTINENTAL CALF
- 25 BEST NATIVE BREED CALF
- 26 BEST DUAL PURPOSE CALF

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Sat 31 Jan 2026 | 10am-12pm

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FRIDAY 31ST OCTOBER 2025

STORE CATTLE 10.30AM

**TOTAL
HEAD
SOLD
412**

AUCTIONEERS: TREVOR ROWLAND 07968 480 401
TOM ROGERS 07384 562 288
LESTER WILLIAMS 07778 646 031
STEERS TO £2340 HEIFERS TO £2150

A firmer trade again on the week especially for the single suckled and forward types.

ORGANIC

A handful of organic from regular supporter Steve Pomeroy looking well sold with hard Angus steers to £1370, Hereford steers to £1385, Angus heifers to £1200 and Hereford heifers to £1110.

BULLS

Nice purebred Hereford from Pipplepen Farms to £1795. Young hard Hereford x bulls from DA Lanfear & Partners to £890 and £600 for an Angus x from Somers Farm. A tidy young Angus from Emma Hendy to £1430.

YOUNG CONTINENTAL

What a proper show of cattle here today with a cracking run of Charolais from Graham Stevens & family. Their best steers only 8mo-12mo flying to £1690 twice, £1650 and smart heifers to £1515 and £1400. Another super consignment from Neil & Sharon Glover saw their Charolais steers to £1680 (only 7mo!), £1640, £1630 and £1620. More Charolais steers from James Hall to £1600 (8mo) and a harder but older Charolais steer from FS Butcher also to £1600. Other younger Charolais steers from RFC & P Godwin to £970 and their Charolais heifers looking rather well sold at £1130. Dairy bred Limousin heifers from Neil Hibberd looking a straight price at £1170. Simmental steers from FS Butcher to £1680 and Aubrac heifers from Barry Cambridge to £1365.

ANGUS

Demand increases as finishers need to fulfil orders with framed steers selling to advantage. Well presented steers from Harry & James Churchill of Hambrook leading the way selling from £2110, £2120 and topping at £2150 (18 to 22mo) suckler bred steers from Tom & Martin Bartlett of Weymouth equally selling well to £2100 (18mo) other quality steers selling to £2050 (20mo) from Parkfield Partnership of Yeovil, £2025 (18mo) from JAW Bendall & Sons of Bath, £2010 (20mo) from MF Green of Salisbury, £2000 from TM Foster T/A Lower Farm Partnership of Sherborne, £1980 (19mo) for Francis & Sons of Westbury, £1910 (15mo) from MR Meredith of Bath. Feeding steers with potential also wanted

selling to £1850 (21mo) from S Griffin T/A Farming 4 U Ltd of Salisbury, £1795 (22mo) from Brian Trott of castle Cary, £1790 (20mo) from Pipplepen Farms Ltd, £1690 from FF & J Down, £1620 Somers Farm Partnership.

Heifers also an outstanding trade with 22mo selling to £2025 from JAW Bendall & Sons, £2000 (20mo) from Tom & Martin Bartlett and £1910 (24mo) from MR Meredith. Feeding heifers wanted selling to £1790 (21mo) from Parkfield Partnership, £1650 (17mo) from Francis & Son, £1600 (21mo) from Will Rossiter of Bath, £1565 (23mo) from FF & J Down, £1500 (20mo) £1415 from Brian Trott. Younger steers equally wanted to £1595 (15mo) from Groves Farming Partnership, £1480 (14mo) from James Adlam & Family of Buckhorn Weston, £1295 to £1420 from D & PR Tibbs & Sons of Stanton Drew and £1130 to £1370 (10-12mo) from Francis & Sons. Yearling heifers met a fast trade to £1225 (13mo) from D & PR Tibbs & Son and £940 (14mo) from Francis & Sons. Young heifers also well sold to £790 (only 6mo) from Houghton Farming.

YOUNG STEERS				YOUNG HEIFERS			
Breed	£/Head	Age	Vendor	Breed	£/Head	Age	Vendor
South Devon	2130	17mo	JA & ME Burrough, Devizes	Angus	1650	17mo	Francis & Sons, Westbury
Angus	2120	17mo	JEJ Churchill, Hambrook	Beef Shorthorn	1600	16mo	AG Hammond, East Knoyle
Hereford	1705	16mo	JC Gay & Son, West Harptree	Charolais	1515	17mo	D & GJ Stevens, Maiden Bradley
Beef Shorthorn	1700	16mo	AG Hammond, East Knoyle	Limousin	1470	17mo	Groves Farm Partnership, Keevil
Limousin	1695	17mo	Groves Farm Partnership, Keevil	Blue	1340	13mo	D & PR Tibbs & Son Ltd, Pensford
Charolais	1690	8mo	D & GJ Stevens, Maiden Bradley	Hereford	1300	16mo	JC Gay & Son, West Harptree

HERFORD AND OTHER NATIVES

Grand forward Hereford steers from MR Meredith of Bath flying to £2340, £2190, £2120 & £1980. Forward steers from Brian Trott to £1910 and heifers to £1850. Good farming steers from JC Gay to £1705, £1640 and bulling heifers (12-13mo) to £1300. Other Hereford steers from James Adlam to £1610, £1575 from Farming 4 U Ltd, £1460 from FS Butcher and £1460 from P & J Dennison who also had a forward Hereford heifer to £1700. Younger harder steers from Ian Hale to £1350 and £1240 from Francis & Sons. Young 6mo single suckled steers to £980 and young dairy bred heifers from Houghton Farming to £590. Tidy Long Horn steers again from Ian Hale to £1590 and forward South Devon steers from J Burrough to £2140 and £2130, heifers from Parkfield Partnership to £1820. Just 1 Beef Shorthorn steer here from AG Hammond to £1700 and heifers to £1600.

FORWARD STEERS				FORWARD HEIFERS			
BREED	£/ HEAD	AGE	VENDOR	BREED	£/ HEAD	AGE	VENDOR
Hereford	2340	26mo	MR Meredith, Bath	Limousin	2150	19m	TWG Bartlett & Son, Portesham
Limousin	2170	19mo	TWG Bartlett & Son, Portesham	Angus	2025	22mo	JAW Bendall & Sons, Bath
Angus	2150	22mo	JEJ Churchill, Hambrook	Hereford	1850	20mo	J Trott & Sons, Castle Cary
South Devon	2140	18mo	JA & ME Burrough, Devizes	Blue	1850	27mo	Lower Farm Partnership, Sherborne
Blue	1965	27mo	Lower Farm Partnership, Sherborne	South Devon	1820	20mo	Parkfield Partnership, Yeovil
Longhorn	1590	25mo	MF & IM Hale, Dundry	Holstein Friesian	1800	19mo	AJ Langley & Son, Farmborough

FRIESIAN

Demand outstrips supply with fleshed heifers a highlight selling to £1800 (19mo) from AJ Langley of Farmborough. Good farming Holstein Friesian steers from Groves Farming Partnership flying to £1480, £1380 from D & PR Tibbs & Son, £1305 from Will Rossiter, £1055 DL Clark Partnership, £1020 from James Adlam and £1000 from Rob Phelps.

FORWARD CONTINENTAL

The improving finished trade puts confidence into the store cattle demand forming prices above expectations. Best quality single suckled, forward stores met a premium with fleshed Limousin steers selling to an excellent £2170 (only 19mo) from Tom & Martin Bartlett of Weymouth. Good framed British Blues wanted with steers selling from £1990 to £1965 all from TM Foster T/A Lower Farm Partnership, Sherborne. Younger Limousin steers also a premium selling from £1695 to £1775 (17-18mo) all from Groves Farming Partnership of Keevil and similar sized Simmental steers to £1690 from CSA Holdings. Best Limousin heifers met an outstanding trade selling from £2130 to £2150 (18-19mo) from Tom & Martin Bartlett and framed British Blue heifers also selling well from £1660 to £1850 from TM Foster. Younger Limousin heifers wanted, selling to £1470 (17mo) from Groves Farming Partnership and similar Charolais heifers to £1515 (17mo) from D & GJ Stevens.

Chaplains Prayer

Psalms 23v5: 'You prepare a table before me' Next time you sit down at your table, be mindful of all the people it took to make what you have on your plate possible!? A Farmer grew it, or raised it. A food company prepared and packaged it! A transport company shipped it. A supermarket then sold it!? The whole process from seed to table though was started by a generous giving God! 'Command those who are rich in this present age not to be haughty, not to trust in uncertain riches, but in the living God who gives us richly all things to enjoy' 1 Timothy 6 17-18....**Farm Safety** is, or should be **High Priority** in Any farm related activity!? Now before The New year is a good time to review and maybe revise All safety procedures on the farm? Look at the NFU advice online '**Stay Safe and Stay Legal on the farm**'. When I was farming PTO shafts were one of the biggest areas of neglect!? The dangers are endless...as you who farm well know, so Now's a good time to review machinery and procedures ❤



😊 Miscanthus is a low input, high yielding crop that provides important raw material for industry, and requires NO nitrogen OR Phosphates, which is particularly important in low lying water catchment areas!?... certainly worth looking at in my area near the Levels 😞 <https://miscanthusnursery.co.uk> for more info.

Turning Farm Surplus into an asset must make good sense? We don't produce crops for it to rot or go into an AD plant!? It's estimated that 3.6m tons of food are lost or wasted at the primary production stage in the UK every year... that's equivalent to £ 1.2 billion that never reaches the plate!? DEFRA has funded one firm ' City Harvest ', to attempt to alleviate this huge problem of waste redistribution. They redistribute 120 tons of food every week! It goes to more than 375 **Community organisations** from **Food banks to school clubs, shelters and community kitchens**. Demand is always greater than supply.. Here's numbers you need if there's anyone you know is needing help and support: FCN: 03000 111 999; help@fcn.org.uk; RABI 0808 281 9490; Samaritans 116 123, jo@samaritans.org

I can be reached on 07880770887! See you on most Wednesdays 🙌🙏 Neville Dyke (Chaplain to Frome Livestock market Standerwick)



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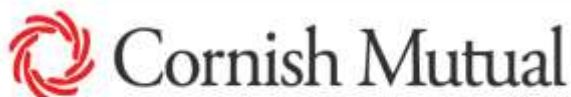
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