



HAWES FARMERS AUCTION MART CO LTD

LIVESTOCK MARKET REPORT



FRIDAY 5th DECEMBER 2025

SALE OF STORE LAMBS

The fortnightly sale of store lambs continues to draw plenty of interest from buyers and sellers alike, with numbers remaining strong and matched by lively demand. The festive season may be approaching, but the trade at Hawes shows no sign of slowing! Buyers are still on the lookout for all shapes and sizes of lambs, so please don't hesitate to bring yours forward—there's room in the market for every pen.

Strong short-keep lambs continue to ring the bell well above the £120 mark. Leading the Christmas countdown today were strong Texel lambs from T & G Farrow, Richmond, achieving a festive £141, followed closely by £135 from A. Cooper, Staintondale, and £134 from R. J. Cloughton, Hawes. Plenty more pens of strong Texels jingled in around £130. Suffolk lambs sparkled to £130 from H. H. Smith, Whitby, and £129.50 from D. Bentley, Farndale with all Suffolks forward averaging £123.20. The Mule lamb trade shone brightly too, topping at £125 from T & G Farrow, Richmond, with many more pens of strong lambs comfortably achieving prices in the early £120s. All mules forward averaged £109.55.

Hill lambs brought their own seasonal sparkle: Cheviots topped at £110 from J. H. Capstick, Ravenstonedale, followed by £105.50 from C. B. Alderson, Mallerstang. Swaledale lambs reached £103.50 from R. I. Capstick, West Witton, and £102 from D & D. R. Alderson, Gunnerside with all Swaledale lambs forward averaging £72.

There was plenty of festive enthusiasm for horned lambs, with new buyer's keen to snap up all shapes and sizes. The next sale of store lambs will be held on Friday, 19th December 2025—perfect timing as we head toward Christmas. Entries close on Tuesday, 9th December 2025. We look forward to welcoming you for one last lively sale before the holiday season begins!

Forward: 1304 Store Lambs

Texel x to	£141 T & G Farrow, Richmond	Av. £113.8
Suffolk to	£130 HH Smith, Whitby	Av. £123.2
Beltex to	£128 K Milburn & A Devlin, Sedbergh	Av. £107.6
Mules to	£125 T & G Farrow, Richmond	Av. £109.5
Horned to	£118 RI Capstick, West Witton	Av. £71.34

Leading Prices: Texel- T & G Farrow, £141, £120, A Cooper, £135, £121, £117, RJ Cloughton, £134, JA & UM Fawcett, £132.50, £131, £129, AT Pratt, £132, A & AJ Lambert, £131.50, £127, K Metcalfe & Sons, £131, £126.50, HH Smith, £131, £123.50, £110, MR & LE Rukin, £130.50, D Hodgson, £130, JR Blades, £128, TK Styan & Ptns, £128, AE Luffman, £127.50, £100, S & RD Parker, £126.50, £119, K & A Woof, £126, JH Capstick, £124.50, AJ & L Hunter, £124, £100, T Tennant & Son, £119, REC Simpson & Son, £118.50, J & SJ Bland, £118, T Metcalfe & Son, £115, SW & TA Milner, £114.50, £109.50, RI Capstick, £114, C Stanley, £112.50, Croft Farm Ptns, £111, AD Coates & Son, £109, AC & SG Ramsden, £108, G Alderson, £107, £100, JR Davidson & Son, £105.50, KD Hulley, £101, £100, F Bainbridge, £101.

Beltex- K Milburn & A Devlin, £128, PF Goodall, £127, £102.

Suffolk- HH Smith, £130, D Bentley, £129.50, £123, J & JH Whaley, £110.

Mules- T & G Farrow, £125, T Metcalfe & Son, £124, WM & JE Shuttleworth, £123.50, £120.50, C Hancocks, £123, £120, £117.50, F Bainbridge, £122.50, £100, AT Pratt, £122, K Metcalfe & Sons, £121, £110, TK Styan & Ptns, £121, K & A Woof, £120.50, £111, £108.50, D Hodgson, £120.50, P Hallam, £120.50, T Dent & Son, £119.50, RJ Cloughton, £118, £106, £102.50, JH Capstick, £118, K Suttill, £117, A & AJ Lambert, £116.50, £107, SW & TA Milner, £115, JR Blades, £112, JR Davidson & Son, £110, C Stanley, £107.50, Croft Farm Ptns, £105.

Cheviot- AT Pratt, £122.50, JH Capstick, £110, CB Alderson, £105.50, AJ & L Hunter, £101.

Charolais- W & C Iceton & Son, £121.50.

Masham- SW & TA Milner, £107.

Horned- RI Capstick, £103.50, D & DR Alderson, £102, £94, D Hodgson, £100.50, PF Goodall, £100, £82, S & RD Parker, £98, W & C Iceton & Son, £95, BD & A Horner, £85, MR & LE Rukin, £81.50, K Milburn & A Devlin, £81, G Alderson, £80, M Kearton, £79, AD Coates & Son, £78.50, P Hallam, £71, CB Alderson, £71.