HAWES FARMERS AUCTION MART CO LTD

LIVESTOCK MARKET REPORT

TUESDAY 19TH AUGUST 2025

Forward: 12 Calves & 1848 Sheep comprising 1263 Prime Lambs, 18 Prime Hoggs, 567 Cast Ewes & Rams,

PRIME LAMBS

Numbers forward increased this week with 1,263 lambs sold through the ring. Trade eased back in line with the national trend, averaging 317p/kg, though still 25p/kg ahead of the same week last year. Well-fleshed Continental lambs over 45kg continue to be the best sellers, regularly topping £150+.

Stealing the headlines was a cracking Beltex x lamb from BC Gregg, Masham, weighing 49kg and making £185, topping the market at 378p/kg. Strong prices followed with 53kg Texel lambs from WA Dinsdale & Son, Grinton reaching £180, and R Marwood & Son, Newsham close behind at £179. Texel lambs from Freya Hulley, Gayle sold to £171 at 49kg. Plenty of heavy, well-finished lambs continue to achieve around £170, while handy-weight Continentals remain a solid trade at 330–340p/kg.

The largest entry of Mule lambs so far this season was forward, peaking at £150 for 48kg lambs from DJ Amsden, Hawes. Close behind were AP & D Sowerby, Lunds at £149, with plenty more Mule lambs trading consistently in the £140s.

Beltex to378p BC Gregg, EllingstringAv. 335p/kgTexel x to349p Freya Hulley, HawesAv. 322p/kgSuffolk to331p FR & AL Lyth, WhitbyAv. 322p/kgMule to315p A & H Watson, Kirkby LonsdaleAv. 298p/kg

Overall Average: 317p/kg

Leading Prices: Texel x– WA Dinsdale & Son, £180, £168.50, £153.50, R Moore & Son, £175, £158, F Hulley, £171, AT Pratt, £170.50, £146, J Scarr & Sons, £170, £144.50, JR Blades, £170, DA & MA Brown & Son, £169, £149, KD Hulley, £166, LA Booth, £166, ME Bainbridge, £165.50, £159.50, GM Sedgwick & Son, £164.50, £146, A Bell, £164, £150.50, A & H Watson, £159, £145.50, £145, Whyte & Percival, £158, £146.50, JW & JH Burton & Son, £155, £140.50, JS & S Atkinson, £154, BC Gregg, £154, £150, £149, AD Lambert, £152, TG & B Todd, £150.50 x2, S Bell & Sons, £150, J Scott, £149.50, £143, £141, RW & MA Suttill & Son, £149, T Dent & Son, £149, Booth Brothers, £148.50, D & A Cowperthwaite, £148, PE & TJ Wilson, £148, £143.50, SH TA & M Sutcliffe, £147.50, DB & A Hoggarth, £147.50, £141, DT Dinsdale & Son, £146.50, D Metcalfe, £145.50, T Tennant & Son, £145.50, D Oversby, £145, A & TA Blades, £144, R & R Gornall, £144, H Kirkbride & Son, £144, J Pratt & Sons, £143.50, N Hobson, £143.50, RW & MA Suttill & Son, £142, R & C Atkinson, £140.

Beltex- BC Gregg, £185, £152, R Marwood & Son, £179, £157 x2, £156.50, £155, £154, WA Dinsdale & Son, £170, £165, JW Porter & Sons, £168.50, £132.50, J Scott, £160, T Dent & Son, £159, £133, £132, JR Blades, £154, £132 x2, JH Sharp & Sons, £151, JA & UM Fawcett, £148, LA Booth, £146, £134, R & C Atkinson, £135, T Tennant & Son, £134, J Sunter & Son, £131.50, £126, WT Metcalfe & Son, £110.

Suffolk- D Oversby, £163, £149.50, H Kirkbride & Son, £161, R & R Gornall, £151, £132, DB & A Hoggarth, £149, £142, £136.50, BC Gregg, £144.50, J Scarr & Sons, £142, RF & RD Kettlewell, £141, FR & AL Lyth, £132.50, £131.50, N Hobson, £130.50.

Hampshire- J Bell, £155, £131.50.

Masham-

Blackface-

Mules- DJ Amsden, £150, £136.50, AP & D Sowerby, £149, A & H Watson, £145, J Pratt & Sons, £144.50, £119, £115, JS & S Atkinson, £144, £135, S Bell & Sons, £144, D & DR Alderson, £143, A Spence, £143, JC & N Throup, £142.50, £135.50, WC Porter & Sons, £141.50, £122.50, £115, GJ & JM Scarr, £139.50, P Hallam, £136, JW Porter & Sons, £135, £124.50, £117.50, Bainbridge Bros, £133, SH TA & M Sutcliffe, £129, B & J Aconley, £129, JH Sharp & Sons, £125, A Spence, £123.50, JC Walker & Son, £116, A & TA Blades, £115.

Charollais- DT Dinsdale & Son, £138.

BFL- Bainbridge Bros, £141, JC Walker & Son, £100.

Blacknose Valais- A & K Dowsland, £108.

Swaledales - P Hallam, £91, WT Metcalfe & Son, £80.

CAST EWES

Good numbers forward again today not many big Ewes forward trade would be slightly back on the week with many Ewes freshly spained buyers till looking and grazing ewes are required. Topping the trade was a Texel Ewe from J Scott, Whitby followed by J & J Postlethwaite at £168 and £165 RJ Cloughton. Few Beltex x Ewes forward with T Pounder at £162 and £159. Just under 100 Mules forward with some strong pens at £149 for J Scarr & Sons and two pens at £148 for ME Bainbridge and DA & MA Brown & Son. 9 pens were £130 plus but mainly leaner runs which were between £80-£90. Cheviots topped at £148 and followed at £143 A Pratt followed at £140 by A Lyth, Whitby. 335 Swaledales Ewes forward and not as many big in size on offer but topped at £120 be ME Bainbridge and followed by £109 from A & H Watson with a further 9 lots over £90. The best trade was for leanest sorts between £45-£60, More Ewes needed for next week.

Texel to £170 J Scott, Whitby
Beltex to £162 T Pounder, Bedale
BFL to £150 A & TA Blades, Hawes
Hampshire to £150 PM Fawcett, Marske
Mules to £149 J Scarr & Sons, Askrigg

Cheviot to £148

Blue de Maine £136 Booth Brothers, Sedbergh

Suffolk to £120 N Hobson, Ripon
Swaledale to £120 ME Bainbridge, Marrick
Masham to £108 LC Scarr & Son, Bainbridge
Blackface to £95 FR & AL Lyth, Whitby

Roughfell to £90 LA Booth, Sedbergh

Dalesbred to £84 RW & MA Suttill & Son, Carlton

RAMS

Texel to £152 D & EM & ID Brown, Marske Swaledale to £120 JR & SL Pratt, Thornton Rust £50 A & TA Blades, Hawes

CALVES

12 Young Calves forward top price was a long Limousin Bull from J Scarr & Sons at £680 with other Limousin Bulls from H Kirkbride & Son at £630 and £610. Only 4 heifers forward topped with BBX from B Clarkson at £660 followed by J Scarr & Sons at £620 Next sale planned for two weeks' time.

Bulls Limousin to £680 J Scarr & Sons, Askrigg Av. £596

BRB to £600 J Scarr & Sons, Askrigg

Heifers BRB to £660 B Clarkson, Bainbridge Av. £586.6