

HAWES FARMERS AUCTION MART CO LTD

LIVESTOCK MARKET REPORT

TUESDAY 2ND SEPTEMBER 2025

Forward: 2066 Sheep comprising 1422 Prime Lambs, 3 Prime Hoggs, 641 Cast Ewes & Rams,

PRIME LAMBS- Top Price £210

A larger number of lambs were forward today as numbers nationwide continue to increase, with the national trend showing lamb trade slipping. The overall market average in Hawes was 282p/kg for 1425 sold.

Leading the way was the consignment from BC Gregg, Masham, topping the sale at £210 or 390p/kg for a pair of cracking 54kg Beltex lambs purchased by M Hare, Lane End Farm Shop. Others from the same home sold to £172 at 51kg, again to the same buyer.

Heavyweight Texels from J Rukin & Son, Keld sold to £178, with others from the same home at £172. This was followed by strong runs of heavy Texels from G Harker & Son, Arkengarthdale to £171, and from DL Mudd, Buckden to £170, with plenty more heavy lambs trading in the £160 region.

Heavyweight Suffolks also sold well, topping at £170 twice, once from AF & BA Dawson, Sedbergh and again from William Dawson, Sedbergh, with further Suffolk lambs to £157 at 55kg from JR & LA Capstick, Killington. The handy-weight, better conformation lambs were keenly sought after, many selling in excess of 300p/kg, with the trade peaking at an impressive 390p/kg for the smart Beltex lambs from BC Gregg, Masham, who also sold others to 340p/kg. Plenty of pens of well-finished, commercial continental lambs changed hands around the 290p/kg mark.

There was also an entry in excess of 400 Mule and horned lambs forward. The trade for upland lambs topped at £147 for Leicester-crosses from DB & A Hoggarth, Sedbergh, while Cheviots sold to £145 from both JM Dickeson, Middleton-in-Teesdale and WE Muir & Son, Whitby. Heavyweight Mule lambs reached £137 from H & EM Iplady, Walden.

There was a larger show of horned lambs, with lightweight Swaledales in the 32–36kg range meeting stronger demand, easily selling well in excess of 200p/kg.

Beltex to	389p BC Gregg, Ellingstring	Av. 308p/kg
Texel x to	337p BC Gregg, Ellingstring	Av. 289p/kg
Suffolk to	301p HB Farms, Fadmoor	Av.298 p/kg
Mule to	285p WE Muir & Son, Westerdale	Av. 272p/kg

Overall Average: 282p/kg

Leading Prices: Beltex- BC Gregg, £210, (to M Hare, Lane End Farm Shop, Tong) £120, J Scott, £152, £148.50, £134, £132, S & D Robinson, £146.50, £141, DB & A Hoggarth, £137, R Mudd & Sons, £127, £126, £105.50.

Texel x— J Rukin & Son, £178, £172, £162 x2, £151, £149, £146, BC Gregg, £172, G Harker & Son, £171, £151.50, DL Mudd, £170, £140, M Dodd, £164, JR & LA Capstick, £163, £156 x2, £148.50, £148, £140, J Scarr & Sons, £155, £151, £146.50, R Moore & Son, £152 x2, £145, H Kirkbride & Son, £151, Bainbridge Bros, £150, Whyte & Percival, £149, £143.50, £142, JF & GR Howard, £148, £140, JM Smith, £147, £140, AT Pratt, £147, £145, WE Muir & Son, £145, ME Bainbridge, £145, £144, A & H Watson, £145, A Mudd, £144, W Tyreman & Sons, £144, £141, R & R Gornall, £144, A Bell Livestock, £141.50, K Calvert Ltd, £141.50, GM Sedgwick & Son, £141, JJ & E Labbate, £140, BJ Capstick, £140, G Harker & Son, £140, K Metcalfe & Sons, £140.

Suffolk- AF & BA Dawson, £170, W Dawson, £170, £145, £130, JR & LA Capstick, £157, DA & MA Brown & Son, £155, HB Farms, £150.50, £145, JM Smith, £147, £134.50, KJ Burrow, £144, £138.50, £137, £134, JF & GR Howard, £136.50, A & H Watson, £130, J Labbate, £130, W & A Lambert & Son, £129, DB & A Hoggarth, £124, R & R Gornall, £123.50, N Hobson, £120, £118.50, RF & RD Kettlewell, £118, FR & AL Lyth, £113.50.

Charollais- S Pillar, £149, £145, £122, R Mudd & Sons, £129, £126, DT Dinsdale & Son, £125.

BFL- DB & A Hoggarth, £147, M Dodd, £126, J Sunter & Sons, £125.

Cheviot- WE Muir & Son, £145, £127, £125.50, JM Dickeson, £145, Collier Holme, £136, W & A Lambert & Son, £134, JF & GR Howard, £127, S Pillar, £123.

Teeswater- Bainbridge Bros, £139.50.

Mules- H & EM Iplady, £137, ME Bainbridge, £135, £121, DL Mudd, £135, £120, BD & PM Gill & Son, £132, WE Muir & Son, £131, J & JH Whaley, £129, R Wood & Son, £128.50, DJ Amsden, £128, £121, R & PR Banks & Son, £127.50, GJ & JM Scarr, £127.50, J Scarr & Sons, £127, A & H Watson, £125, AL Dawes, £123.50, M Dodd, £123, G Stephenson, £122, JF & GR Howard, £120, DT Dinsdale & Son, £120, JW & ME Taylor & Sons, £120, P Dinsdale & Son, £120, £109, A & NJ Heseltine, £116.50, £109, D & DR Alderson, £115, W & A Lambert & Son, £115, J Sunter & Sons, £114, WT Metcalfe & Son, £112.50, JL & JA Sunter, £110.50, BE Hall, £105, BJ Capstick, £104.50.

Hampshire- WE Muir & Son, £132.

Blackface- P Dinsdale & Son, £118.50, £105.

Swaledales – CJ & AJ Owen, £116, £70, M/S Hutchinson, £91, JL & JA Sunter, £89, BE Hall, £80, £79, £72, HG Lynas & Son, £75, JR & SL Pratt, £74.

Goat- BJ Capstick, £70.

CAST EWES

Big show of Ewes forward once again with 641, trade would be easier on last week. Topping the trade was a Rouge Ewe from M Hare at £200 and Texels at £180. A Texel Ewe from Taylor Bros topped that section at £195 but only 31 forward with most being running sorts. Suffolks came next with JM Smith, Whitby at £178 and £164 with HB Farms, Fadmoor in-between at £172. Just over 100 Mules forward and these topped at £128 for HB Farms followed at £126 for J Scarr & Sons. Cheviots topped at £130 for JM Dickeson with 2 further lots at £120. Over 400 horned Ewes forward which were headed by JR & SL Pratt at £105 and good big strong Ewes from ME Allison at £92 and S Thompson at £90. Most Ewes were in the £45-£70 bracket with some grazing jobs still taking plenty. Only 8 Rams forward which had Swales topping at £100.

Rouge to	£200 M Hare, Tong
Texel to	£195 Taylor Bros, Richmond
Suffolk to	£178 JM Smith, Mickleby
BFL to	£168 Bainbridge Bros, Marrick
Beltex to	£130 T Pounder, Bedale
Cheviot to	£130 JM Dickeson, Barnard Castle
Teeswater to	£128 Bainbridge Bros, Marrick
Mules to	£128 HB Farms, Fadmoor
Swaledale to	£104 JR & SL Pratt, Thornton Rust
Roughfell to	£94 E & K Bland, Gaisgill
Blackface to	£66 P Dinsdale & Son, Carlton
Dalesbred to	£64 DL Mudd, Buckden

RAMS

Swaledale to	£100 G Harker & Son, Arkengarthdale
BFL to	£50 AL Dawes, Colsterdale