

HAWES FARMERS AUCTION MART CO LTD

LIVESTOCK MARKET REPORT

TUESDAY 6TH JANUARY 2026

Forward: 1564 Sheep comprising 1382 Prime Hoggs & 182 Cast Ewes & Rams.

PRIME HOGGS

The opening sale of prime hoggs of the season saw in-specification hoggs meeting plenty of demand and selling well throughout. Heavy-weighted hoggs led the trade, topping at £186 from D. Hodgson, Askrigg, with a 58kg Beltex. Texels peaked at £180 from R.W. & M.R. Cooper, Spennithorne, followed closely by £179.50 from Bainbridge Bros, Marrick, with plenty more selling in excess of the £160 mark.

The Mule hogg trade reached a high of £162.50 for a pen of 34 heavy-weighted hoggs from Bainbridge Bros, Marrick, followed by £158.50 from R. & P.R. Banks & Son, Walden, and £158 from R. & E. Cowperthwaite, Settle. Many more pens of Mules sold in excess of £150.

Handy-weighted export hoggs sold to a top of 380p/kg for 40kg Beltex hoggs from B.C. Gregg, Masham, grossing £152. The horned hogg trade topped at £155 for heavy-weighted Swaledale tups from W.A. Dinsdale & Son, Grinton. Dalesbred hoggs from H. & E.M. Tiplady, West Burton, topped at £139, with a pen of 45kg Dalesbreds from the same home selling to £135.50.

Beltex to	380p	BC Gregg, Ellingstring	Av. 326p/kg
Texel x to	348p	JW & JH Burton & Son, Hawes	Av. 309p/kg
Suffolk to	322p	G Barraclough, Rosedale	Av. 311p/kg
Mule to	321p	RW & RA Booth, Wharfe	Av. 304p/kg
Swales to	290p	J Scarr & Sons, Askrigg	Av. 264p/kg

Overall Average: 298p/kg

Leading Prices: Texel – RW & MR Cooper, £180, Bainbridge Bros, £179.50, T Dent & Son, £175, £142, WS & EM Hartle, £174, ME & LE Rukin, £172, £147, J Rukin & Son, £161, £144, CJ & AJ Owen, £160, WA Dinsdale & Son, £160, Taylor Bros, £159, £158, £157.50, £156, £154, WS & EM Hartle, £158 x2, J Scarr & Sons, £158, GM Sedgwick & Son, £156, GJ & ME Walker & Sons, £155, TG & B Todd, £154, Whyte & Percival, £154, JW & JH Burton & Son, £153, DA & AM Brown & Son, £152, £138, S Reynoldson & Son, £151.50, £136, RW & RA Booth, £150.50, AD Coates & Son, £147, J Sunter & Sons, £147, RW & MR Cooper, £145, £136, M Bell & Son, £144, Booth Brothers, £144, B & J Aconley, £142, £138, £137.50, £130.50, A & H Watson, £138, RW & MA Sutill & Son, £136, H Kirkbride & Son, £136, £135, RMS Livestock Ltd, £134, R & JM Harper, £133, T Metcalfe & Son, £131, A & H Watson, £130.

Beltex - D Hodgson, £186, BC Gregg, £152, £138, £132, R Mudd & Sons, £149, £145, £137, £133, £130, R & JM Harper, £133.50, DA & MA Brown & Son, £131, PE & TJ Wilson, £131.

Mules – Bainbridge Bros, £162.50, R & PR Banks & Son, £158.50, R & E Cowperthwaite, £158, 154.50, £147.50, GJ & ME Walker & Sons, £157, £146.50, Bainbridge Bros, £156, DA & MA Brown & Son, £155, £139, WA Dinsdale & Son, £154 x2, £150, RW & RA Booth, £154, ME Bainbridge, £153.50, T Dent & Son, £152, £137.50, GJ & ME Walker & Sons, £150.50, M Bell & Son, £150, J Allison & Sons, £145, JW & JH Burton & Son, £145, R & RM Dent, £143, T Metcalfe, £140, RW & MA Sutill & Son, £139.50, S Bell & Sons, £139, GM Sedgwick & Son, £139, RMS Livestock Ltd, £139, JH Pedley, £138.50, J Scarr & Sons, £136, J & JA Burrow, £135, SJ & AK Hirst, £134, PE & TJ Wilson, £132, B & J Aconley, £131, A & H Watson, £128, H & EM Tiplady, £128, J Sunter & Sons, £122.

Suffolk- Taylor Bros, £162, DA & MA Brown & Son, £154.50, M Bell & Son, £154, £128, T Dent & Son, £141.50, R & JM Harper, £133.50, PE & TJ Wilson, £130, A & H Watson, £127.

Swaledales- WA Dinsdale & Son, £155, £140.50, H & EM Tiplady, £133.50, MR & LE Rukin, £133.50, £122, ME Allison, £132.50, J Rukin & Son, £131.50, £130.50, £130, T Metcalfe & Son, £131, S Reynoldson & Son, £130, B & J Aconley, £126, J Sunter & Sons, £125.50, D Hodgson, £125, RW & RA Booth, £125, AD Coates & Son, £122.50, ME Waggett, £120.50, JH Pedley, £120, JR Blades, £120.

BFL- JW & ME Taylor & Sons, £144, H Kirkbride & Son, £136, RMS Livestock, £131.

Romney- JW & JH Burton & Son, £140.

Dalesbred- H & EM Tiplady, £139, £135.50, BD & PM Gill & Son, £130, RW & MA Sutill & Son, £120.

Roughfell- A & H Watson, £133, LA Booth, £127, GM Sedgwick & Son, £125, £111, £107.50, JJ & E Labbate, £125, A & H Watson, £115, £103.50.

Cheviot- DA & MA Brown & Son, £130, LA Booth, £122.50.

Blackface - P Turnbull, £128.

Masham- PD Bowdin, £119.

CAST EWES & RAMS

Less Ewes forward today but trade was very good in all sections. Topping the trade came PJ Broughton with two Texel x Ewes at £192 and another at £155. Suffolks from HB Farms made £178 and £168 for nice fit Ewes. Mules were topped with a big Ewe from R Wood & Sons at £174 followed by B Spence & Sons at £168 with only one lot under 3128. Only 3 BFLs both from P Turnbull made £159 & £154. Well fleshed Romneys from JW & JH Burton

& Son were £145 & £140. Pen of the day was 20 Blackface's from P Turnbull topping with a massive ewe at £152 with further lots at £135 & £128. Swaledales were topped at £128 for B Spence & Sons followed by P Broughton at £120 and S bell & Sons at £110 with 10 lots above £90 and other just under.

Rams topped at £172 for BFL from H & EM Tiplady followed by £162 for HB Farms and a big Roughfell from JJ & E Labbate achieving £158.

CAST EWES

Texel to	£192 PJ Broughton, Bransdale
Suffolk to	£178 HB Farms, Fadmoor
Mules to	£174 R Wood & Son, Aysgarth
BFL to	£159 P Turnbull, Kildale
Blackface to	£152 P Turnbull, Kildale
Beltex to	£150 K Calvert Ltd, Bainbridge
Romney to	£145 JW & JH Burton & Son, Hawes
Swaledale to	£128 B Spence & Sons, Thornton Rust
Cheviot to	£120 A Hollings, Whitby

RAMS

BFL to	£172 H & EM Tiplady, Walden
Roughfell to	£158 JJ & E Labbate, Sedbergh
Swaledale to	£135 D & DR Alderson, Gunnerside