



EXETER LIVESTOCK CENTRE

MARKET REPORT DECEMBER 2024

Monday 16th December – Prime Stock Market



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PRIME & CULL CATTLE – 10:45 AM

Auctioneer: *Simon Alford – 07789 980203*

Prime Cattle to 290ppk & £2040 Cull Cows to 230ppk & 1716

A much reduced entry of prime and cull cattle still met strong demand here at Exeter this Monday. Finished steers rose to a top of £2098 (730kg x 288ppk) given for a strong British Blue from J Tucker Farm Partnership of Bigbury on Sea whilst heifers reached a top of £1741 (632kg x 276ppk) for the better of a smart run of South Devon's from John and Andrew Ball up from Stoke Gabriel. Other prime heifer realised £1731 (598kg x 290ppk) for a British Blue from David Slade of Chagford with his best of three. Cull cow topped out at £1716 (748kg x 230ppk) for a grand Charolais sold for Michael Vooght of Hennock.

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1937 SHEEP – 09.30 AM
Auctioneer: Russell Steer 07788 318701

Prime Lambs to £194 & 349ppk Spring Lambs to £151 & 333ppk
Cull Ewes to £270 & Rams to £170

1212 PRIME LAMBS & 48 NEW SEASON LAMBS

Another good number of prime lambs taking us to nearly 5000 sold in the first three weeks of December and trade stronger yet again with an SQQ of 319ppk, overall average of 309ppk and £146.63 per head.

Overweights fewer in number and seeing an increase in demand with Mark Harvey of Slapton taking the top spot this week with a 58kg single Texel x lamb at £194 or section topping 334ppk, whilst his larger pens of 55 & 56kg continental sorts sailed to £179 & £178.50. Julian Rice of North Tawton sold a single Dorset lamb at £188 as Denis Jones and family of Heasley Mill sold their best penful's at £179, £175.50 & £174.50 twice as Jonny Bell of Diptford had a 54kg Texel x single at £175, a price matched by John Mills of Chulmleigh with a Ryeland and Richard & Jill Trace of Sheepwash had heavy Dorset's at £174.50. Some smart pens of 53's rose to £170 for Derek Arnold of Morchard Road and £169.50 for Phil & Richard Coaker of Postbridge as the best of the 52's reached £160 for both Jonny Bell and Phil Lee of Tedburn St Mary. 52kg Suffolk x Mules to £157.50 for David & Lynda Pellow of Sourton, with three further vendors achieving £157 of that weight and 51's peaked at £156.50 for Raymond Jones and family of Heasley Mill and 50kgs reached £155 again for Derek Arnold. Some

PRIME LAMBS					
Weight	No.	Top Hd	Top ppk	Av. Hd	Av.ppk
33-39	66	132.50 (-15.50)	349 (-30)	117.51 (+1.14)	315 (+2)
40-45	491	150.00 (-190.00)	338 (-428)	137.09 (+3.90)	319 (+8)
46-52	444	160.00 (-80.00)	328 (-120)	149.57 (+3.78)	306 (+6)
53+	259	194.00 (+4.00)	334 (+23)	168.88 (+6.44)	298 (+12)
		Top		Average	
EWES	659	270.00 (-28.00)		116.11 (-5.63)	
RAMS	18	170.00 (+2.00)		109.97 (-7.60)	

great pens of continental bred and well finished lambs weighing 46kgs sold to £151 for Paul Bowden of Drewsteignton, £150.50 for CB Partners of Chevithorne and £148 for both Josh Sibley of Beaminster and the Snell family of Burrington. 45's to £147 for Colin & David Smallacombe of Bow and £146.50 again for Josh Sibley with six further pens £144 to £146 and the best of the 44's made £143.50 for Andrew Hendy of Diptford. Handyweight lambs seeing the biggest jump in trade with 43's to £141.50 twice for the Burrough family of Hawkchurch as 42's climbed to £139.50 for Michael Bowden of Tedburn St Mary, £139 again for CB Partners and a smart pen of 41kg Texel crosses from Alan & Jimmy Prouse of Ogwell flew to £138.50 or 338ppk. Fewer lightweights this week and the best were keenly contested with 39's to £128.50 for Ben Cullen of Upton Pyne as Paul Bowden parted with a pair of shapely 38kg Beltex sorts for £132.50 or a sale topping 349ppk with other 38kg Cheviots from Will & Anne Willcocks of Ivybridge at £125. 36kg keeping lambs to £119 for WM Woodcock of Tavistock and 35kg Scotch ram lambs from Peter Heard and family of Okehampton reached £101 and all are included in the overall averages.

Two consignments of New Season lambs saw John Cowell and Family of Black Dog sell a trio of 49kgs at £151, pen of 47's make £148 and 41's at £134 whilst Steve Harris and family of Littlehempston sold smart 45kg Charollais x Dorset's at £150 (333ppk) and both vendors had 43's at £139.50.

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659 CULL EWES & 18 RAMS/WETHERS

Nearly 700 cull ewes and rams with the trade up yet another gear, especially for the lighter and leaner sorts with many of those either side of £100 looking very well sold indeed. Top money came at the end of the sale with Richard Turner of Payhembury parting with a tremendous Dutch Spotted ewe for £270 ahead of The Rolle Texel flock of Okehampton with their Texel's selling in pairs at £258 & £238, Paul Bowden sold a neat pair of Dutch Texel sorts for £236 and Merv Hutchings of Launceston sold a Texel at £218 and Charollais x for £204. Continental x ewes to £197 for Mark Harvey as Martin Pearse of North Huish sold a Suffolk at £196 and John Simmons of Poltimore had Suffolk x Mules at £189. Plenty of other business done in the £160's, £170's and £180's and the medium ewes selling from £100-£120 having the biggest jump in trade. Herdwicks to £100, plenty of Welsh in £90's and plain hill ewes in the £60's and £70's all seeing a big jump on the week. Rams to £170 for a solid Charollais from the Shinner family of Ermington and £156 for both a Zwartbles from Martin Pearse and a Suffolk from Tom Havill of Widecombe. Overall of £116 is back £5.50 on last week, but certainly without the quality this week, meaning in truth ewes were most probably £10-£12 dearer.

***** Prime and cull sheep must not be found to be lame or in-lamb, any farmers found breaking these rules may trigger a Trading Standards or APHA on farm inspection.*****



CHRISTMAS SALES OF OVEN READY POULTRY!

THURSDAY 19TH DECEMBER – HALLWORTHY – 11:30AM
FRIDAY 20TH DECEMBER – EXETER – 10:00AM
MONDAY 23RD DECEMBER – HOLSWORTHY – 5:00PM

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Guest Speaker Jonathan Kimber

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TUESDAY 17TH DECEMBER

6:30pm Drinks and mince pies

7:00pm Carol Service



FORTHCOMING SALES

MONDAY 16TH DECEMBER – EXETER LIVESTOCK CENTRE

Weekly Prime Stock Market

TUESDAY 17TH DECEMBER – EXETER LIVESTOCK CENTRE

CHRISTMAS CAROL SERVICE

FRIDAY 20TH DECEMBER – EXETER LIVESTOCK CENTRE

Weekly Store Stock Market to inc. Christmas Sale of Dressed Poultry

MONDAY 23RD DECEMBER – EXETER LIVESTOCK CENTRE

Weekly Prime Stock Market

FRIDAY 27TH DECEMBER – EXETER LIVESTOCK CENTRE

Weekly Store Stock Market

MONDAY 30TH DECEMBER – EXETER LIVESTOCK CENTRE

Weekly Prime Stock Market

FRIDAY 3RD JANUARY – EXETER LIVESTOCK CENTRE

Weekly Store Stock Market to inc January Sale of In Lamb Ewes & Fortnightly Pig Sale

MONDAY 6TH JANUARY – EXETER LIVESTOCK CENTRE

Weekly Prime Stock Market

FRIDAY 10TH JANUARY – EXETER LIVESTOCK CENTRE

Weekly Store Stock Market to inc Sale of Dairy Cattle

MONDAY 13TH JANUARY – EXETER LIVESTOCK CENTRE

Weekly Prime Stock Market

FRIDAY 17TH JANUARY – EXETER LIVESTOCK CENTRE

Weekly Store Stock Market to inc Monthly Catalogued Sale of Beef Breeding Stock & Fortnightly Pigs

MONDAY 20TH JANUARY – EXETER LIVESTOCK CENTRE

Weekly Prime Stock Market

TUESDAY 21ST JANUARY – EXETER LIVESTOCK CENTRE

TB Restricted Sale of Prime, Cull & Store Cattle

FRIDAY 24TH JANUARY – EXETER LIVESTOCK CENTRE

Weekly Store Stock Market to inc Catalogued Show & Sale of Stirks & Suckled Calves plus Sale of Dairy Cattle

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Tregaminion Manor Farm Morvah, Pendeen, Penzance

- Idyllic coastal setting
- Ring fenced farm in an Area of Outstanding Natural Beauty
- Multiple dwellings for income generation or multi-generational living
- Period farmhouse and two cottages
- Range of modern and traditional farm buildings
- Development opportunities with some planning consent in place
- In all some 118 acres
- EPC C, G & G.

Guide Price: £2,500,000

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Worthen Farm Pyworthy, Holsworthy, Devon

- Grassy ring fenced stock farm with 151 acres
- South facing three bedroom period farmhouse and adjoining two bedroom cottage (suitable for holiday letting)
- Two further traditional barns with potential for conversion, subject to planning
- Range of adaptable farm buildings
- Level and gently sloping pasture land
- EPC D & D

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Higher Norley Farm Northlew, Okehampton

- Just over 93 acres of productive pasture land
- A useful range of farm buildings including 96 cubicles, loose housing, fodder store and workshop
- Wonderful far reaching views to Dartmoor
- For sale by Private Treaty.

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Development Site at Lower Newton Farm Zeal Monachorum, CREDITON, Devon

- Valuable residential development opportunity
- Range of agricultural buildings with planning permission for demolition and creation of three new build, detached four and three bedroom dwellings
- Potential under extension of Permitted Development Rights for retention and conversion of the existing buildings (Clarkson's Law – Maximum 10 dwellings), subject to planning
- Additional land available

Guide Price: £450,000

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Aerial view looking north west

Land For Sale

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Land at Myrtle Cottage Farm

Alverdiscott, Barnstaple | Offers in Excess of £425,000



A cracking run of nearly 43 acres of pasture land, level and gently sloping with road frontage and excellent access.

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Land at Stoke Canon

Exeter, Devon | Guide Price £375,000



A highly productive run of level arable and pastureland with livestock handling pens extending to just under 46 acres.

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Land at Higher Coldrinnick Woods

Near Blisland, Bodmin | Guide Price £150,000



22.28 acres comprising ancient woodland, largely undisturbed for many hundreds of years, with a pretty stream boundary.

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Land at Polzeath

Wadebridge, Cornwall | Guide Price £1,250,000



Just over 15 acres of prime farmland in a stunning location with long term development potential, subject to planning.

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Land at Southcombe

Northlew, Okehampton | Guide Price £130,000



A block of approx. 19.14 acres of peacefully located pretty pasture and woodland, gently sloping and in three good sized enclosures with a natural water supply.

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Land at Pipswell Cross

Morwenstow, Bude | Guide Price £290,000



Just under 35 acres of productive pasture and arable ground in a sought after farming area with road frontage and access and far-reaching views as far as Lundy Island.

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Land at Yollaberry

Hatherleigh | Guide Price £120,000 - £140,000



Just over 9¾ acres of gently sloping pasture land in a stunning location with parish road frontage and lane access.

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Land at Higher Medrose

Delabole | Guide Price £40,000



For Sale by Formal Tender. Approximately 3.10 acres comprising a single enclosure of level pasture land.

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Land for Auction

Wednesday 15th January, 7.00pm

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Venue: Lifton Strawberry Fields, Lifton, Devon PL16 ODE

Land North of Higher Medrose

Delabole | Auction Guide Price £50,000
For sale by public auction - Wednesday 15th January



Pre-application advice received for development with mains services assumed to be close by. Freehold with vacant possession upon completion.

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Land South of Higher Medrose

Delabole | Auction Guide Price £50,000
For sale by public auction - Wednesday 15th January



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Land at Lewdown

Lewdown, Okehampton | Auction Guide Price £100,000
For sale by public auction - Wednesday 15th January



Just over 10 acres of mainly level, south facing pasture land in a rural yet accessible location.

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Land at Bursdon

Hartland, Bideford | Auction Guide Price £275,000
For sale by public auction - Wednesday 15th January



Just over 38 acres of gently sloping south facing pasture land including about 8 acres of conservation land in an accessible location with far-reaching views.

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Land at Spekes Cross

Wembworthy, Chulmleigh | Auction Guide Price £50,000
For sale by public auction - Wednesday 15th January



2.84 acres of land which benefits from direct road access off an unnamed country road. The land, down to permanent grassland also benefits from a small field shelter.

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Dumnonii Wood

Trelaske, Lewannick, Launceston | Auction Guide Price £15,000
For sale by public auction - Wednesday 15th January



Extending to approximately 4.61 acres, Dumnonii Woods comprises a block of gently sloping coniferous woodland, in a quiet rural setting.

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Previous Auction Results

Wednesday 13th November

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Land at West Tosberry

Hartland, Bideford | Auction Guide Price £36,000

SOLD: £85,000



A pretty grass paddock extending to 1.88 acres with a stone and cob barn and far reaching views sea views towards Lundy Island. Possible development potential, subject to planning.

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Land and Buildings at Trebray

Altarnun, Launceston | Auction Guide Price £165,000

SOLD: £255,000



Just under 18 acres of grazing land with parish road frontage and access leading to a level yard with a useful range of agricultural and storage buildings.

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Keymelford Farm Buildings & Land Keymelford, Colebrook, Crediton, Devon



Lot 1 - Agricultural buildings and yard area with surrounding extending to 0.41 acres.
Guide Price: £150,000

Lot 2 - Agricultural building with concrete pad and land surrounding extending to 0.41 acres.
Guide Price: £135,000

Lot 3 - A small grassland area extending to approximately 0.14 acres. **Guide Price: £25,000**

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Pheasantry Farm Chawleigh, Chulmleigh



Farm Bungalow, Gardens, Agricultural land, approximately 5.83 acres of land.

Commercial Building together with approximately 5.96 acres of land.
Guide Price: £125,000

Guide Price as a Whole: £750,000

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Dinnabroad Farm Port Isaac, North Cornwall

- In an unrivalled position on the North Cornish Coast
- Breathtaking 180 degree sea views to Port Isaac and Tintagel
- Privately set six bedroom traditional farmhouse with opportunities for renovation
- Attractive three bedroom cottage, used as a popular holiday let
- Range of outbuildings including some stone barns
- Over 140 acres of farmland and cliff



Offer in the region of: £4,000,000

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Land Forming Part Fursdon, Newtake, Foxhole, Waddons & Kingston Staverton, Totnes

For sale by private treaty as a whole or in 7 lots

A rare opportunity to purchase approximately 331.16 acres of immaculate rolling pasture land located on the northern fringes of the popular South Hams. Primarily south facing, the land is of level to sloping in topography, containing principally Grade 3 freely draining, slightly acidic loamy soils. The fields are divided into good sized, easily workable enclosures and complete with stock proof fencing and well-maintained hedgerows.

LOT 1 : 91.73 acres of agricultural land known as Fursdon
Guide: £825,000

LOT 2: 103.83 acres of agricultural land known as Newtake
Guide: £865,000

LOT 2A: Newtake Paddocks totalling 4.63 acres of land.
Guide: £185,000

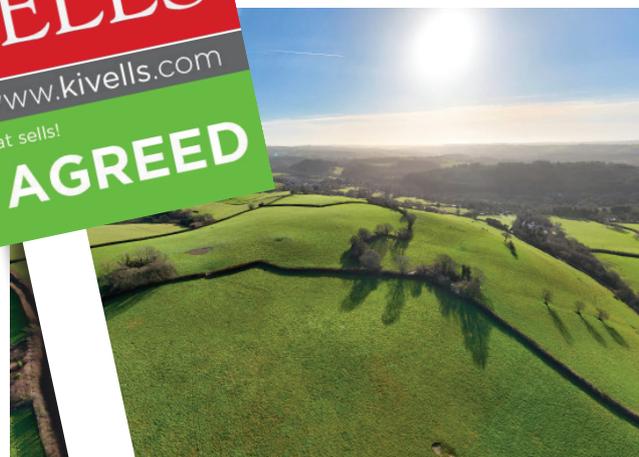
LOT 3: 19.96 acres of agricultural land known as Foxhole.
Guide: £200,000

LOT 4: 60.79 acres of agricultural land known as Waddons.
Guide: £550,000 **SOLD**

LOT 5: 36.09 acres of agricultural land known as Kingston.
Guide: £325,000 **SOLD**

LOT 6: 14.13 acres of agricultural land known as Waddons Meadow.
Guide: £145,000 **SOLD**

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Land at Wooldown

Marhamchurch, Bude | Guide Price £100,000



An attractive and very gently sloping pasture field extending to approx. 4.63 acres, well fenced with road frontage and good access.

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Land At Waterwell Lane

Christow, Exeter | Guide Price £95,000



3.34 acres with a garage and large agricultural building. The land also benefits from direct road access.

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Land at High Ridge Farm

North Tawton, Devon | Guide Price £340,000



A highly productive run of approx. 34 acres of level pasture land with planning permission for a 80ft x 40ft storage shed.

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Land at West Vognacott & Honeycroft (Lot 1)

Chilsworthy, Holsworthy | Guide Price £345,000



Just under 55 acres of pasture and amenity land in a quiet, rural setting. Further land available (lots 2 & 3).

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Land at West Vognacott & Honeycroft (Lot 2)

Chilsworthy, Holsworthy | Guide Price £200,000



Some 29 acres of pasture land in a quiet rural, yet accessible location. Further land available as Lots 1 & 3.

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Land at West Vognacott & Honeycroft (Lot 3)

Chilsworthy, Holsworthy | Guide Price £245,000



Circa 25½ acres pasture land. with excellent amenity and biodiversity appeal. Further land available as Lots 1 & 2.

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Land at Cransworth

St. Wenn, Bodmin | Guide Price £525,000



Approx. 57 acres of productive pasture land, gently sloping and south facing. Located in a rural location with stunning views, road frontage and access and natural water available.

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Part Horralane

Highampton, Beaworthy | Guide Price £180,000



An excellent block of just over 20 acres of productive pasture land contained in three good sized fields, gently sloping and with mains water connected.

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