

Market Report for Wednesday 14th October 2026

“Cockermouth causing a cast cow conundrum, another week sees numbers increasing and trade definitely best out west!”
Beef cows to 348ppk, Dairy cows top at 308ppk and Holstein cows TOP OF THE TREE at £2619.24.

Prime Bulls (per head - £)– Holstein – 2041.80, 1727.10 Lowca Cottage Farm.

Prime Bulls (per kilo)– Holstein – 332, 285 Lowca Cottage Farm.

Cast Cows (per head - £)– Holstein Friesian – 2619.24, 2162.58, 2094.40 Burton House Farm, 1915.90 Greencroft, 1763.44, 1292.50 Threaplends Farm, 1455.30 Waverbank, 1358.50 Row Hall, 1316.70 Streetgate. **Limousin** – 2533.44, 1542.24 Crakeplace Hall, 2393.60 Town Head Farm, 2357.04 Crooklands Farm, 2085.46, 2067.24, 2001.64 High Loanthwaite Farm, 1995.84, 1969.04 Barnfield, 1938.60 East House, 1576.26 Swallowdene. **Aberdeen Angus** – 2449.02 Harrot Hill Farm, 1812.20 Pasture House. **Blonde d’Aquitaine** – 2439.72, 2310.40 Eirintalla. **British Blue** – 2134.08, 2083.52, 1782, 1710.80, 1700 Pasture House, 2018.04, 1347.80 Overcroft. **Hereford** – 2129.48 Harrot Hill Farm, 1321.08, 1235 Southwaite Farm. **Fleckvieh** – 2024.40 Threapland Lees. **British Friesian** – 1910.84, 1522.60 Stainburn Hall, 1893.92, 1855, 1686.40, 1520.40 Grange Farm, 1418.28 Harrington Parks, 1217.30 Row Hall.

Cast Cows (per kilo)– Limousin – 348, 272 Crakeplace Hall, 338, 326, 322 High Loanthwaite Farm, 322 Crooklands Farm, 320 Town Head Farm, 308, 302 Barnfield, 278 Swallowdene, 270 East House. **Blonde d’Aquitaine** – 324, 320 Eirintalla. **British Blue** – 304, 272(2), 270, 260 Pasture House, 268, 230 Overcroft. **Aberdeen Angus** – 294 Harrot Hill Farm, 260 Bolton Low Houses. **Fleckvieh** – 280 Threapland Lees. **British Friesian** – 280, 266, 250, 248 Grange Farm, 268, 230 Stainburn Hall Farm, 212 Harrington Parks, 200 Streetgate. **Hereford** – 278 Harrot Hill Farm, 218, 198 Southwaite Farm. **Holstein Friesian** – 276, 272, 266 Burton House Farm, 268, 235 Threapland Lees, 245 Greencroft, 210 Waverbank, 210 Streetgate, 208 Waites Farm.

OTM Heifers (per head - £)– British Friesian – 2073.20 Harrington Parks. **Holstein Friesian** – 1866.48 Waverbank.

OTM Heifers (per kilo)– Holstein Friesian – 308 Waverbank. **British Friesian** – 292 Harrington Parks.

OTM Bulls (per head - £)– Limousin – 1368.96 Southwaite Farm.

OTM Bulls (per kilo)– Limousin – 192 Southwaite Farm.

Prime Sheep

“New Sale Order, Same old Mitchells, a sharper trade on the week, 60p a kilo better than last year, and miles ahead of prices posted earlier in the week was certain to send vendors home with a spring in their step, ewes followed on in the same fashion being £45 up on the year, with Continental and Suffolk ewes a flier throughout, more of the same next week!!”

Andrew Kirkbride, Flimby Hall stays west and when he heads east he can puff out his chest selling Beltex ewes to £300. Texel ewes also hit £300 from M/s Wilkinson, Arkleby.

Steven and Elaine Wigham, Park Burnfoot hit the top spot in the lambs selling to £224 and 533.3ppkg.

12 lots of Lambs sold over £200, 31 lots sold over £190, 45 lots sold over £180 and 85 lots sold over 360ppk with the overall average at 336p SQQ 351p

Top Consignment Averages:-

K Hodgson, Parsonage Farm	4	Av	£186.00
J & A Moralee, Hardriding Farm	67	Av	£185.46
M Fell, Harley Croft	16	Av	£182.00
J Blackburn, Greenbank Close	8	Av	£181.00
Mr & Mrs I Fisher, Croft End Farm	54	Av	£175.11
M/s Fraser, High Flatts	16	Av	£174.75
S & E Wigham, Park Burnfoot	29	Av	£172.48
S & J L Sanderson, Swallowdene	30	Av	£172.00
ST Milligan, Greenhouse Farm	14	Av	£168.29
J & JK Spedding, Salter Hall	11	Av	£168.00
W W & D Boow, Corney Hall	21	Av	£167.62
W Nixon, Willows Farm	13	Av	£166.92
D & MA Wilson, Lamplugh Hall	61	Av	£166.46
R & E Campbell, Highfield House	4	Av	£166.25
M A Nixon, Hundith Hill Farm	25	Av	£166.20

Prime Lambs (per head) – Beltex – 224, 195, 187, 180, 176 Park Burnfoot, 221, 213 Greenhouse. 220 Greenbank Close. 211.50, 194, 190, 189, 175 Hardriding, 209, 200 Harley Croft, 196 High Moss, 196 Croft End, 195 Overcroft, 194 Little Swinburne, 185 Haas Side, **Texel** – 212, 208, 200 High Flatts, 210, 196 Greenbank Close, 200 Swallowdene, 197 Corney Hall, 197, 184 Harley Croft, 197 Riggingill, 197 Overcroft, 196, 194(2) Hardriding, 196 Willows Farm, 195(2) Parsonage, 194 Rook Farm, 187 Salter Hall, 182 Croft End. **Suffolk** – 182 Little Swinburne, 167, 150, 149.50, 148.50, 147 Duchra Farm, 165 Greenbank Close, 165 Tarn Bank, 165, 162.50, 153, 151.50, 150(2) Bankhead, 155, 147 Haas Side, 153 Frizington Parks, 148 Westray, 147 Woodbank, 146 Causeway. **Valais Blacknose** – 179, 140 Woodbank. **Charollais** – 165, 158, 154, 152 Hurcomb, 163 Muncaster Head, 160 Frizington Parks, 150 Sun Lea. **Cheviot** – 162 Millstone View. **Dutch Spotted** - 154 Croft End, 133 Dearham Hall. **Mule** – 150, 146.50 Burnside Caravan Park, 144.50 Cockley Gill. **Texel x Herdwick** - 146 Grange Grassings, 136 Low Eskholme, 132 Green Close, 130.50 Dearham Row.

Prime Lambs (pence per kilo) – Beltex – 533.3, 433.3, 415.6, 409.3, 409.1 Park Burnfoot, 466.7 High Moss, 466.7 Croft End, 444.4, 409.8 Harley Croft, 440.9 Little Swinburne, 430.2, 381.4 Haas Side, 426, 425 Greenhouse, 413, 410.9, 407, 399.1, 395.95 Hardriding, 400 Greenbank Close. **Texel** – 435.6, 404.2, 395.7, 391.1 Hardriding, 423.9, 390 Parsonage, 423.3, 395.3 Croft End, 404.7, 397.7, 395.3 Little Swinburne, 403 Rothersyke, 397.7 Parkhouse, 397.5 High Moss, 394 Harley Croft, 389.6 Salter Hall, 388.9 Corney Hall, 387.8 Hundith House, 384.3 Willows Farm, 384.3 Greenbank Close. **Charollais** – 362.2 Muncaster Head, 353.5 Bankhead. 347.8 Frizington Parks. **Texel x Herdwick** – 357.1 Armaside, 333.3 Green Close, 324.4 Grange Grassings, 323.8 Low Eskholme, 310.7 Dearham Row. **Suffolk** – 344.6, 342.3, 311.9 Woodbank, 337, 326.7 Haas Side, 336.7, 325.5, 312.5(3) Bankhead, 332.5 Orchard Farm, 324.4 Causeway Foot, 316, 312.8, 311.5 Duchra Farm, 314.9 Westray, 311.3 Greenbank Close, 311.3 Tarn Bank, 309.8 Scalesmoor, 304.2 Bell House. **Dutch Spotted** – 341 Dearham Hall. **Mule** – 321.1 Cockley Gill.

Top Consignment Averages:-

FA Stockdale, Crosshow Farm	5	Av	£238.20
T J Contracting, Rothersyke Farm	2	Av	£238.00
A M Kirkbride, Flimsy Hall	10	Av	£235.50
L J Haston, Dearham Hall	3	Av	£233.33
J Haston, Dearham Hall	4	Av	£232.00
M A Nixon, Hundith Hill Farm	5	Av	£223.00
S & E Wigham, Park Burnfoot	9	Av	£220.78
G Wilkinson, Arkleby House	12	Av	£205.08
S Palmer, Tarn Bank	2	Av	£203.50
A & M Roberts, Riggingill	2	Av	£200.00
RG & JM Smith, Lake View	4	Av	£199.00
P & J Mitchinson, Ryhola Meadow	3	Av	£195.00

M/s Cartmel Ltd, High Low Hall	10	Av	£194.10
G Hurcomb, Bankhead	28	Av	£185.43

Cast Ewes-

Beltex – 300 Flimby Hall. 250 Dearham Hall. **Texel** – 300, 272, 208 Arkleby House. 295, 285 Dearham Hall. 275, 230, 190 Hundith Hill. 270, 258, 255, 218 Crosshow. 260, 247, 225, 195 Park Burnfoot. 258, 243 High Low Hall. 240 Riggingill. 224 Westray. 220 Parsonage. 220 Tarn Bank. 220, 200 Ryhola Meadow. 211 Bankhead. 199 Lakeview. **Blue Texel** – 256, 244, 236 Flimby Hall. 226 Dearham Hall. **Suffolk** – 231 Highfield House. 210 Arkleby House. 208 Corney Hall. **Dutch Spotted** – 219 Flimby Hall. **Charollais** – 182 Keskadale. **Lleyn** – 177 Lamplugh Hall. 154 Dearham Hall. **Cheviot** – 177 Bankhead. 162 Strudda Bank. 140 The Wreay. **Mule** – 165 Ryhola Meadow. 161, 152 High Low Hall. 160 Riggingill. 158 Duchra Farm. 154 Strawberry How. 150 Parsonage. 150 Keskadale. **Texel x Herdwick** – 128 Ponsonby Old Hall. **Scotch Blackface** – 118, 112 Duchra Farm. **Herdwick** – 110 Keskadale. 108, 88 Ponsonby Old Hall. 98 Stybeck. 98 Calva Farm. 88 Wha House. 86 Grange Grassings. **Swaledale** – 98 East House. 96, 92 Low Beckside. 90 Glencoyne. **Rough Fell** – 95 Millriggs.

Cast Rams-

Beltex – 232, 220 Park Burnfoot. 260, 248, 200 Arkleby House. **Blue Texel** – 244, 232 Rothersyke Farm.