

FROME LIVESTOCK

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MONDAY 20<sup>TH</sup> JANUARY

**SALE OF 309  
TB RESTRICTED CATTLE**

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**STORES (175)**

**STEERS TO £2070 HEIFERS TO £1930**

Our first TB orange market for 2025 got off to a flying start! A super entry of 175 stores produced trade just as bright as any weekly Friday Market. A good compliment of buyers were all vying to purchase these quality sorts.

**CONTINENTAL**

A number of quality Blues forward today ranging from 7 – 24mo. Strong well conformed steers 20-24mo were keenly fought for by the bidders seeing LP Shackell & Son to £1900 and RC Few & Son to £1690. Younger 15-16mo well-shaped Dairy bred Blue steers from Matthew Sawyer to £1390 - £1500. Well presented 7-8mo steers and heifers from GB Turner & Son were wanted at £885, heifers at £710 and 12mo steers from the same good home to an excellent £1260. Thicker Blue heifers were more scarce but well-shaped tidy sorts £1200 - £1500. Holstein Friesian as dear as all the other cattle topping at £1500 with non-breeding heifers at £1590 all from PJ Phillips & Son.

**NATIVE**

Traditional breeds continuing to see prices at premium levels and as the finish prices increase demand is quite staggering. Angus and Hereford made up 65% of this sales entries. Viv Doggrell & family saw their deep bodied Angus steers to £1950, closely followed by RJ Phillips & Son, RJ Hopkins and Martin & Paul Few all seeing steers to £1800, £1770 and £1700. Matthew Sawyer was well rewarded seeing his 14-16mo Angus steers at £1450. Angus heifers were equally sought with older types almost topping steers for this sale. Angus for Viv Doggrell produced top sorts at £1930 and £1900. Younger types from Martin & Paul Few and K & R Hickery to £1400 and £1590. It was an amazing entry from the Doggrell's as their strong deep bodied Herefords surpassed £2000 at £2070 and saw a new record at our Orange market for traditional breeds. Heifers from the same home at £1920. Very few 16mo+ animals under £1500 again this week.

STEERS				HEIFERS			
BREED	£ HEAD	AGE	VENDOR	BREED	£ HEAD	AGE	VENDOR
Hereford	2070	30mo	VI & GR Doggrell, Wincanton	Angus	1930	28mo	VI & GR Doggrell, Wincanton
Angus	1950	28mo	VI & GR Doggrell, Wincanton	Brown Swiss	1920	33mo	RJ Phillips & Sons, Coleford
Blue	1900	24mo	LP Shackell & Son, Tadwick	Hereford	1920	27mo	VI & GR Doggrell, Wincanton
Friesian	1500	28mo	RJ Phillips & Sons, Coleford	Friesian	1590	35mo	RJ Phillips & Sons, Coleford
South Devon	1500	24mo	RJ Hopkins, Lacock	Simmental	1110	19mo	K & R Hickery, Stowey

### **CALVES / REARED CALVES (117)**

Another good entry with a very firm trade for all grades.

#### **REARED CALVES**

Best Angus bulls flying to £420 6mo, tidy Blue bulls 4mo to £388. Blue heifers, slightly younger 3-4mo to £370. Hereford heifers wanted to £305 3-4mo.

#### **CALVES**

Blue bulls 1mo to £258 and Blue heifers to £172, same age. Medium Blue heifers to £172 and £150. Hard 4-6w/o Angus bulls to £182 and Angus heifers to £177. Tidy Hereford bulls trading at £135 - £148 and heifers £120 - £160. Smaller end calves all generally trading from £70 - £100. Only the very plainest, youngest calves £20 - £30. Please remember calves need to be fit and healthy for orange market.

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### **CULL COWS (17)**

Top pence per kilo 262p/kg

Top price per head £1968

Average 202.80p/kg and £1539 overall.

Some well finished cows consigned met a rising trade looking dearer than last Wednesday. Young Angus cows to 262p/kg and £1448 and heavier Angus grossing £1968 at 206p/kg from RC Few & Son. Heavy Friesians with good cover to 224p/kg, 217p/kg, 216p/kg, 215p/kg, 214p/kg and others over 200p/kg mark grossing £1866, £1857, £1766, £1671 and £1638.

### **NEXT ORANGE RESTRICTED SALE**

**MONDAY 17<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY**

**BARREN COWS, PRIME & STORE CATTLE, STIRKS & CALVES**

**LICENCES MUST BE OBTAINED FROM APHA BY MONDAY 13<sup>TH</sup> JANUARY**

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