

# Stanfords

## Colchester Livestock Market Report

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In 2018 we gave out  
£2.2m, including:

£132k in Suffolk

£102k in Norfolk

£11k in Essex



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Unaudited figures (rounded up) cover the period January 1- December 31, 2018



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### Tuesday 19 March 2019

We are an Assured Market under the ABM Scheme



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**WE ARE A 6 DAY RESTRICTED MARKET**  
**CATTLE**

**66 Cattle** forward selling to a selective trade with breaking cattle continuing to be difficult to place. Wholesalers continue to report large volumes of cheap imported beef available. Limousin steers 224.50, 220.50, 219.50pkg, Limousin X heifers 225.50, 209.50pkg. Hereford steers 187.50pkg, Sussex steers 190.50pkg, British Blue X steers 214.50pkg, British Blue X heifers 225.50, 216.50pkg, Blonde Aquitaine X heifers 205.50pkg, Aberdeen Angus X heifers 199.50pkg. Aberdeen Angus steer sold to £1,043 from H H Cawston & Son Ltd, Simmental X heifer sold to £1,113 from R G Manning, Saler steer sold to £1,163 from E R Ling & Sons Ltd, Limousin X steer sold to £1,238 from B F & E T Lumber, British Blue X steer sold to £1,214 from A & W Bentall, British Blue Young Bull sold to £1,214 from A & W Bentall.

	TOP PKG	AVG PKG	CONSIGNOR	BUYER	TOP £ PER HEAD	AVERAGE £ PER HEAD
<b>34 STEERS</b>						
19 Light 370-550kg	224.50	189.74	P T Warne	G Debman	1,177.61	942.78
10 Medium 551-650kg	214.50	172.78	A & W Bentall	R Lennox & Son	1,214.07	1,032.16
6 Heavy 651kg+	179.50	167.37	B F & E T Lumber	H G Blake	1,238.55	1,142.00
<b>25 HEIFERS</b>						
14 Light 330-500kg	225.50	189.32	A & W Bentall	R Lennox & Son	1,009.79	877.86
10 Medium 501-590kg	205.50	184.16	M Bloomfield	R Lennox & Son	1,181.63	997.95
2 Heavy 591kg+	174.50	171.60	R G Manning	R Lennox & Son	1,113.31	1,058.79
<b>1 BULLS</b>						
1 Medium 551-650kg	199.50	199.50	A & W Bentall	R Lennox & Son	1,214.96	1,214.96
<b>4 AOTM</b> Hereford steer £943, 149.5pkg. Limousin cow £827, 117.50pkg.						
3 Beef Cows	117.50	112.44	A & W Bentall	G Hinsley	827.15	769.43
1 Steer	149.50	149.50	B K Harvey	G Hinsley	943.35	943.35

**PRELIMINARY NOTICE**  
**THURSDAY 11<sup>TH</sup> APRIL**  
**CLEARANCE SALE OF 42 CONTINENTAL COWS & CALVES**  
**OTHER ENTRIES OF STORE CATTLE REQUESTED**

## S H E E P

**920 Sheep** A good entry of mainly medium weight hoggs sold to average 201.8pkg. Texel X hoggs sold to £95, £93, 216pkg. Charollais X hoggs sold to £97.50, 217pkg. Suffolk X hoggs sold to £92.50, 210pkg. Bleu du Maine hoggs sold to £85, 205pkg. Dorset hoggs sold to £75, 200pkg. Badger faced hoggs sold to £75, 200pkg. Beltex X hoggs sold to £85, 224, 220pkg. Cheviot hoggs sold to £90.50, £87.00, 210pkg. Romney Marsh hoggs sold to £86, 190pkg.

	TOP PKG	CONSIGNOR	AVERAGE PKG	TOP £ PER HEAD	AVERAGE £ PER HEAD
<b>804 OLD SEASON LAMBS</b>					
187 Standard 32.1-39kg	235	C A Clay	204.56	86.50	76.46
388 Medium 39.1-45kg	224	P D Eagle	200.63	90.00	85.22
229 Heavy 45.6 kg+	207	C A Clay	177.48	97.50	86.32
<b>73 EWES</b> Av 64.19. North Country Mule ewes £68, Texel X ewes £75, Charollais X ewes £80, £75, Half Bred ewes £62.					
<b>2 RAMS</b> Av 57.50. Texel Ram £60.					
<b>34 STORE LAMBS</b> Av 53.94. Texel X hoggs £65.					

### STORE SALE NEXT WEEK

**70 ENTRIES INCLUDE:**  
**6 SOUTH DEVON X STEERS 12 M/O**  
**10 BRITISH BLUE X HEIFERS 11 M/O**  
**29 HEREFORD X STEERS 12 M/O**  
**4 SHORTHORN STEERS**  
**10 CHAROLAIS X STEERS & HEIFERS**  
**FURTHER ENTRIES INVITED**