



# Lewis & Harris Auction Mart

Stornoway - Isle of Lewis

## SALE REPORT

WEDNESDAY 13th SEPTEMBER 2017

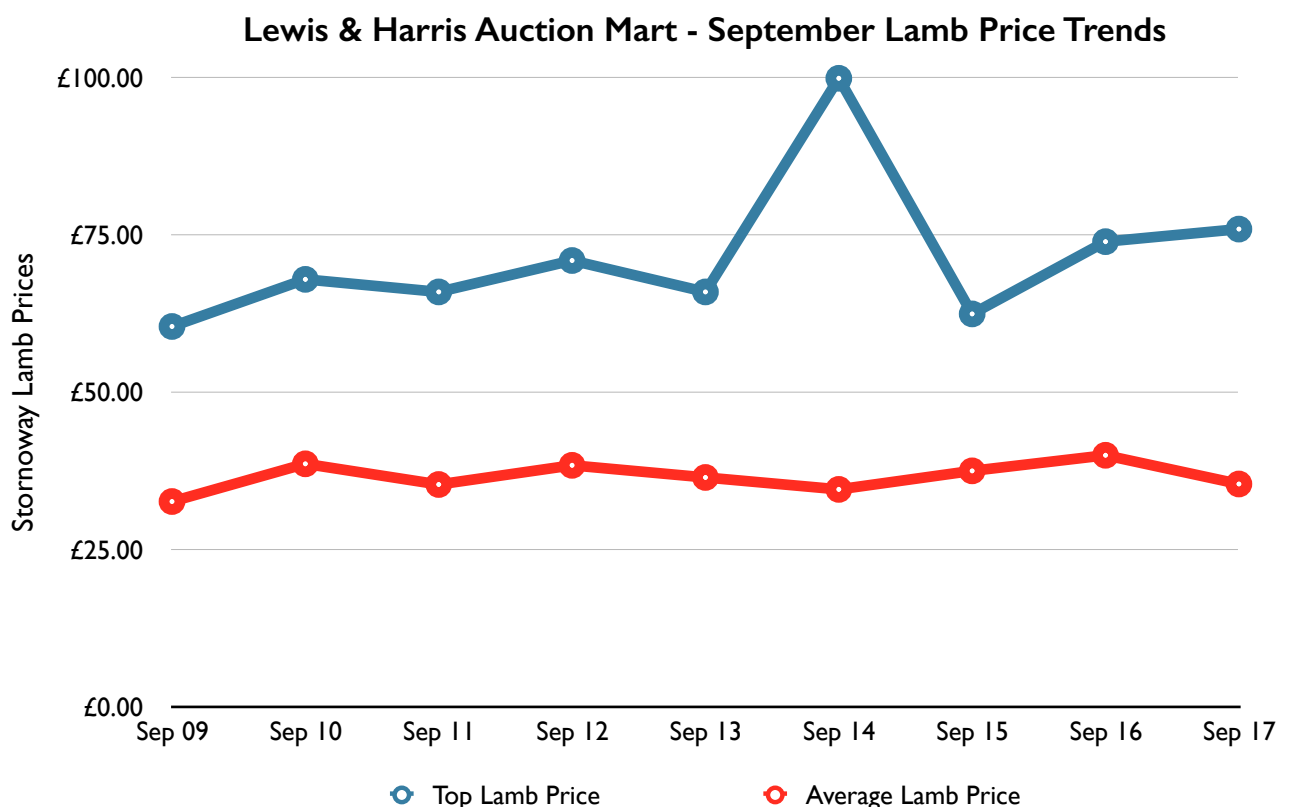
### • INTRODUCTION

Lewis and Harris Auction Mart in Stornoway held their second sale of the 2017 season on Wednesday 13th September.

The sale, saw the auction of 2594 store lambs and 1013 sheep of which 55 were gimmers. A good show of lambs and sheep saw steady demand. Although the top price achieved was in line with last season, the overall average price was down. The sale average for lambs saw a decrease of £4.57 on the same sale last year.

The top lamb price was £76.00 for a pen of mules from 14A West Tarbert. Glimmers peaked at £88.00 for cheviots from 47 Back and other sheep classes reached £66.00 for cheviots, also from 47 Back.

### • SALE COMPARISON AND TRENDS



- **Historic Sale Prices**

	Lambs Sold	Top Lamb Price	Average Lamb Price	Sheep Sold	Top Sheep Price
<b>Sep 2017</b>	2594	£76.00	£35.43	1013	£88.00
<b>Sep 2016</b>	3020	£74.00	£40.00	809	£92.00
<b>Sep 2015</b>	2794	£62.50	£37.52	852	£105.00
<b>Sep 2014</b>	3391	£100.00	£34.57	672	£84.00
<b>Sep 2013</b>	3466	£66.00	£36.47	683	£90.00
<b>Sep 2012</b>	3248	£71.00	£38.40	693	£79.00
<b>Sep 2011</b>	3221	£66.00	£35.35	654	£75.00
<b>Sep 2010</b>	3680	£68.00	£38.64	324	£48.00
<b>Sep 2009</b>	3964	£60.50	£32.64	317	£70.00

- **Other Leading Prices:**

**Lambs:**

TexX – 1B Lower Sandwick, Stornoway, £67, 8 Sand Street, Stornoway, £61, 11 New Shawbost, Isle of Lewis, £58.50; Chev – 1A Lower Sandwick, £55, 1B Lower Sandwick, £54.50, 50 Newmarket, Stornoway, £53.50; SuffX – 11A Kershader, South Lochs, £53.50, 30 Gravir, South Lochs, £48, 20B Newmarket, Laxdale, £45.50; Cross – 40 Cross Skigersta Road, Ness, £49.50, 42 South Bragar, Barvas, £49, 2 Scaladale, Isle of Harris, £48.50; BF – 48 Knock, Point, £44, 10 Vatisker, Back, £42, 7 Mangersta, Uig, £40.50; BeltX – 8 Maryhill, Stornoway, £39.

**Gimmers:**

BF – No. 3 Shieldinish, Lochs, £54, 7B Shader, Point, £51, 8 Dalmore, Isle of Lewis, £48; Chev – 8B Shader, Point, £52.

**Feeding sheep:**

Chev ewe – 50 Upper Coll, back, £60, 43 Swainbost, Isle of Lewis & 8 Sand Street, £49, 30 Gravir, South Lochs, £47; BF wdr – No 1 Ardhasaig, Isle of Harris, £55; Cross ewe – 6 Glen Kyles, Leverburgh, £53, 26 Lower Bayble, Point, £52; Cross wdr – Ensay Farm, Leverburgh, £48; BeltX ewe – 11 New Shawbost, £44; Chev wdr – 26 Lower Bayble, £43; SuffX ewe – 7 North Bragar, Isle of Lewis, £41

*Sale data kindly provided by Dingwall & Highland Marts LTD*