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Introduction

Lewis and Harris Auction Mart in Stornoway held their second sale of the 2011 season on Wednesday 14th September.

The sale, held in conjunction with Dingwall & Highland Marts Ltd., saw the auction of 3221 store lambs and 654 feeding sheep. There was a broad show of lambs on offer and all classes continued to sell at recent high rates. .

Sale Summary and Comparisons:

	Sep 2011	Sep 2010	Sep 2009
Lambs Sold	3221	3680 (-459)	3964 (-743)
Top Lamb Price	£66.00	£68.00 (-£2.00)	£60.50 (+£5.50)
Average Lamb Price	£35.35	£38.64 (-£3.29)	£32.64 (-£2.71)
Sheep Sold	654	324 (+330)	317 (-337)
Top Sheep Price	£75.00	£48.00 (+£27.00)	£70.00 (+£5.00)

* Data shown in brackets indicate how the 2011 figures compare with previous years.

Top lamb prices by breed:

- Cheviot lambs

£66.00 from Dell Farm, Ness.

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£61.00 from 9 Coll, Back

£57.00 from 7 Ivorhill, Stornoway and Dell Farm, Ness

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- Blackface lambs

£58.00 from 4 Borve, Isle of Harris.

£53.00 from 46 North Shawbost

£51.00 from 19 Lower Shader, Point

£50.00 from 43 Swainbost, Ness and 8 Dalmore and 4 Borve, Harris

£45.00 from Steishal, Park Barvas

- Suffolk lambs

£56.50 from Cloverdale, Lower Barvas.

£49.00 from Atlantic View, Isle of Harris

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- Suffolk cross lambs

£56.00 from Ensay, Sandwick and 45 Arnol.

- Texel cross lambs

£53.50 from 7 Keose, Lochs and Cloverdale, Lower Barvas.

£46.50 from 10A Holm, Stornoway

£45.00 from 12 Doune, Carloway

£43.00 from 46 North Shawbost

£40.50 from 8 Sand Street, Stornoway

- Beltex cross lambs

£58.50 from 52 Newmarket, Stornoway.

£55.00 from 1 Gress, Back

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£49.00 from 52 Newmarket, Stornoway

£46.00 from 1 Gress, Back

- Cheviot cross lambs

£52.00 from 45 Arnol

£41.00 from 2 Scaladale, Harris

- Blackface cross lambs

£50.00 from Park House, South Dell

- Cross lambs

£60.00 from 7 Arnol.

£56.50 from Steishal, Park Barvas

£54.50 from 20B Newmarket, Stornoway.

£51.50 from 52 Newmarket, Stornoway

£51.00 from 45 Arnol

Top sheep prices by breed:

- Cross Ewes

£75.00 from 7 Hacklett, Uig

£54.00 from 5B Achmore

£52.00 from 2A Maraig, Harris

£45.00 from 7 Hacklett, Uig
£44.00 from Glebe Farm, Barvas and 7 Arnol

- Blackface Ewes

£72.00 from 5A Knock, Point
£68.00 from 7 Hacklett, Uig
£56.00 from 19 Lower Shader, Point
£53.00 from 8B Shader, Point
£52.00 from 19 Lower Shader, Point

- Texel Ewes

£61.00 from 15 Vatisker, Back

- Cheviot Ewes

£54.00 from 1 Upper Shader, Barvas
£51.00 from 43 Swainbost, Ness
£50.00 from 25 Garrabost
£48.00 from Ensay, 22 North Street
£43.00 from 1 Stewartfield, Stornoway

- Texel Cross Ewes

£50.00 from 15 Vatisker, Back
£46.00 from 10A Holm, Stornoway
£44.50 from 19 Skigersta, Ness
£27.00 from 27 Cross, Ness

- Blackface Cross Ewes

£45.00 from 10 Tong, Back

Top prices by district:

- Stornoway

Lambs - £57.00 for cheviots from 7 Ivorhill
Sheep - £48.00 for cheviots from 22 North Street

- Uig & Bernera

Lambs - £44.00 for cheviots from 1 Carishader
Sheep - £75.00 for crosses from 7 Hacklett

- Harris

Lambs - £49.00 for crosses from 6 Glen Kyles
Sheep - £51.00 for crosses from 2A Maraig

- Westside

Lambs - £60.00 for crosses from 7 Arnol
Sheep - £52.00 for crosses from 46 Lower Barvas

- Lochs

Lambs - £53.50 for texel crosses from 7 Keose
Sheep - £54.00 for crosses from 5B Achmore

- Point

Lambs - £50.00 for cheviots from 15 Swordale

Sheep - £72.00 for blackfaces from 5A Knock

- Ness

Lambs - £66.00 for cheviots from Dell Farm, Swainbost

Sheep - £51.00 for cheviots from 43 Swainbost

- Back

Lambs - £61.00 for cheviots from 9 Coll

Sheep - £61.00 for texels from 15 Vatisker

