

DONCOMBE BLONDES HAVE FLYER AT WORCESTER TO 3,600gns

David & Sue Knight's second Production Sale from their Doncombe and Dodimead herds was a resounding success with a top of 3,600gns for 'Doncombe Giorgia' having won Breed Champion at Bath & West and part of the Interbreed Champion Group of Three at royal Three Counties Show 2013. The heifer by 'Druk Thor' and in calf to 'Blackwater Jockey' was secured by RA Cripps, Lechlade, Gloucestershire

Calved heifers enjoyed a strong and sound following peaking in that section at 3,100gns to 'Doncombe Evanescence' suckling her exceptional bull calf by the French bull 'Aneto' and taken by CR Joyce, Dorchester, Dorset.

Cows and calves were closely followed and some spirited bidding took 'Doncombe Cornucopia' with her heifer calf by 'Doncombe Chevaleir' to 3,000gns to J. Connealy, Kenilworth, Warkwickshire.

Strong interest was maintained throughout the sale to the maiden heifers who were hotly contested and hit the 2,050gns mark to top the section, the heifer 'Doncombe Haleakala' was out of 'Druk Thor' dam and purchased by MT Sweetmore, Buxton, Derbyshire

A small consignment of bull topped at 3,00gns for Doncombe Grolsch, a 2 year old 'Rodleigh Voyaguer' son to C. Thomas, Wokingham, Berkshire.

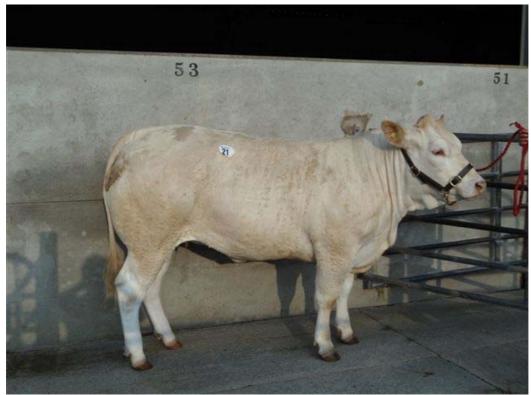
Averages:

Cows in calf or with calf	£1,932.95
Calved Heifers with calves	£2,590.00
Served Heifers	£2,966.25
Maiden Heifers	£1,290.13
Bulls	£2,625.00
	Calved Heifers with calves Served Heifers Maiden Heifers

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Lot 21 - In Calf Heifer, (Doncombe Giorgia) sold for 3,600gns



Lot 15 - Heifer with calf sold for 3,100gns (Doncombe Evanescence with Doncombe Hendrix at foot)