

OCLE HOLSTEIN FRIESIANS AND BROWN SWISS

Four figure prices were recorded on thirty four occasions at the dispersal sale of the Ocle herd of pedigree Holstein Friesian and Brown Swiss cattle for Lyvers Ocle Farm at Ocle Pychard, Hereford.

Top price was 1,380gns for Ocle Dreadnought Thursix, a calved heifer off a Lentonvale Wader dam. Thursix had calved in August 2005 and was sold back in-calf for this October to Cogent Grandstand. When sold she was giving 26.2kgs daily at 5.30%F, 3.48%P. The buyer was D M Riley, Middlewich, Cheshire.

Ocle Pyrex Giselle, a calved heifer sired by Keystone Pyrex sold for 1,350gns to E A & N J Griffiths, Leominster, Giselle had recorded 7,048kgs, 4.71%F, 3.82%P to date and was due in August to Langley Excel.

K & G J Cooper of Tenbury Wells, Worcestershire, paid 1,350gns for Ocle Blackmagic Xanthe 2nd, a calved heifer by Blackmagic.

R Rees of Llandysul, Cardiganshire, purchased Ocle Sailer Mary, a Supplementary Registered Brown Swiss cross calved heifer for 1,320gns.

Non pedigree Brown Swiss served heifers sold to 1,000gns to Farrick Farms, Preston, Lancashire.

The complete 20/40 Waikato Swing Over Parlour and Building sold for £30,100 and the 12,000 litre DX Fullwood Bulk Milk Tank made £7,400.

Averages:

164 cows	£903.77
25 served heifers	£719.88
8 heifer calves	£288.75

Auctioneers: Gwilym Richards & Co