

# HOG PRICES

## Lancaster Market

Monday, Sept. 2  
No market conducted due to Holiday.

## Vintage Auction

Saturday, August 31, 1974  
HOGS 650: Compared with last Saturday's market. Barrows & Gilts 75c to \$1 lower. US No. 1-2 200-230 lbs. 39.60-40.10, No. 1-3 195-240 lbs. 38.85-39.50, No. 2-4 160-180 lbs. 34.50-36.75. SOWS: US No. 1-3 400-625 lbs. 25.75-27.00. Boars: 21.00-22.25.

Wednesday, Sept. 4  
HOGS 700: Compared with last Wednesday's market. Barrows & Gilts steady to 75c lower. US No. 1-2 200-235 lbs. 38.50-39.25, No. 1-3 200-245 lbs. 37.50-38.50. SOWS: US No. 1-3 300-550 lbs. 24.00-27.00. Boars 19.50-20.50, light weights up to 25.00.

## Leb. Valley Auction

HOGS 333. Barrows & Gilts 50 cents to \$1.50 lower. Few Lots 1-2 210-215 pounds barrows & gilts 39.25-39.35, 1-3 185-230 38.50-39.10, 2-3 185-235 38.35-38.50. 1-3 300-450 sows 28.25-31.25. Few Boars 20.00-22.25.

FEEDER PIGS 75. 1-3 35-50 feeder pigs 18.00-21.50 per head.

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## Lancaster Auction

Market not available from the USDA Market News Service.

## New Holland Auction

Monday, Sept. 2, 1974  
HOGS 1581: Compared with last Monday's market. Barrows & Gilts steady to 50c higher, spots \$1.25 higher. US No. 1-2 200-230 lbs. 41.00-42.00, No. 1-3 200-245 lbs. 39.75-40.50, No. 2-4 160-190 lbs. 38.00-39.75. US No. 1-3 300-575 lbs. Sows 22.00-27.00. Few Boars 20.00-22.00.

## Indianapolis Auction

HOGS: 2000  
Barrows and Gilts moderately active, mostly 25 lower.  
BARROWS AND GILTS: US 1-2 200-230 37.75-37.85; US 1-3 200-240 37.50-37.75

## U. S. Inspected Livestock Slaughter

Estimated Daily Livestock Slaughter Under Federal Inspections

|                       | CATTLE  | HOGS      | SHEEP   |
|-----------------------|---------|-----------|---------|
| Week to Date          | 393,000 | 930,000   | 121,000 |
| Same Period Last Week | 505,000 | 1,172,000 | 132,000 |
| Same Period Last Year | 322,000 | 814,000   | 123,000 |

## St. Louis Auction

HOGS: 6500  
Barrows and Gilts 50 lower.  
BARROWS AND GILTS: US 1-3 200-250 37.00-37.25.

## Peoria Auction

HOGS: 4000  
Barrows and Gilts opening steady.  
BARROWS AND GILTS: About 100 head US 1-2 37.75; US 1-3 200-240 37.00-37.50.

## New Holland Horse Auction

Wednesday, Sept. 4  
Reported receipts of 704 horses, mules and ponies. Market steady. Load of Kansas riding horses 120-335, load of Ohio driving horses 155-300, load of Tennessee riding horses 185-305 and load of Tennessee riding horses 180-200.

Local work horses 260-370, mules 175-210, driving horses 135-360, riding horses 165-275, better horses 245-420. Lightweight killers 16-18, heavyweight killers 21-23, mare ponies 15-40, colts 5-15, geldings 15-30 and larger ponies 55-110.

## New York Dressed Meats

Thursday, Sept. 5  
Compared with Wednesday: Prices fully \$1.50 lower for steer and heifer beef. Veal and calf weak throughout. Lamb mostly \$1.00 lower, pork loins firm to \$2.00 higher, picnics, butts, spareribs and hams steady.

Downward price pressure prevalent for beef and sellers adjusting prices to conform with trend for livestock and dressed beef. Pork movement generally fair, however, demand for red meats relatively poor.

Steer Beef  
Prime 600-900 lb. 74.00-75.50; Choice 600-700 74.00-75.50; 700-800 73.00-74.50; 800-900 71.50-73.50. Good 500-800 68.50-70.50.

Heifer Beef  
Choice 500-700 lb. 72.50-74.50.

Calf (Skin Off)  
Choice 150-350 lb. 72.00-75.00. Good 150-350 60.00-65.00. Standard 150-350 55.00-60.00.

Veal (Skin Off)  
Choice 90-150 lb. 97.00-103.00. Good 60-90 88.00-95.00. Standard 60-120 72.00-77.00.

Spring Lamb  
Choice and Prime 30-55 82.00-83.00; 55-65 81.00-83.00.

Choice Beef Cuts  
Hinds (Steer) 145-190 lb. 86.00-88.00; Arm Chucks 90-105 55.00-58.00; Ribs (7-Rib) 34-40 102.00-106.00; Loins (Trmd) 50-70 120.00-125.00; Rounds (Steer) 70-95 82.00-83.00; Full Plates 39.00-40.00; Hinds (Heifer) 120-170 85.00-87.00.

Pork Cuts (Fresh)  
Loins (Regular 8-14 lb. 82.00-84.00; 14-17 81.00-83.00; Picnics (Regular) 4-8 47.00-50.00; Boston Butts 4-8 67.00-70.00; Spareribs 3 lbs. down 86.00-89.00; Hams (Skinned) 14-17 65.00-68.00; 17-20 64.00-67.00.

## New Holland Dairy Auction

Wednesday, Sept. 4  
Reported receipts of 127 cows and 3 bulls. Market steady. Load of Wisconsin cows, fresh 710-800; load of Pa. cows, fresh 650-890. Load of Franklin County cows, fresh 410-1100. Load of Vermont springers 700-900. Herd dispersal of 25 cows from Chester County in all stages of lactation 175-670. Locally consigned cows 490-870, springing heifers 470-610 and bulls 225-340.

## Futures Trading

(Closing bids as of Thursday, September 5)

|           | Chicago Cattle | Chicago Hogs | New York Maine Potatoes | Chicago Fresh Eggs |
|-----------|----------------|--------------|-------------------------|--------------------|
| September |                |              |                         | 55.40              |
| October   | 39.65          | 34.27        |                         | 56.70              |
| November  |                |              | 4.08                    | 63.00              |
| December  | 38.30          | 35.07        |                         | 65.10              |
| January   |                |              |                         | 61.60              |
| February  | 38.87          | 37.92        |                         | 59.25              |
| March     |                |              | 4.79                    |                    |
| April     | 39.62          | 37.90        | 5.25                    |                    |
| May       |                |              | 6.30                    |                    |
| June      | 40.90          | 40.07        |                         |                    |
| July      |                | 41.80        |                         |                    |
| August    | 41.50          | 40.52        |                         |                    |

Trend — Cattle are Stronger, Hogs are Stronger, Potatoes are Steady, and Eggs are Stronger.

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Reynolds Securities, Inc.

## Chicago Grain Futures

(Closing bids as of Thursday, September 5)

|              | Corn  | Wheat | Soybeans | Soybean Meal |
|--------------|-------|-------|----------|--------------|
| September    | 3.30  | 4.23½ | 7.18     | 152.00       |
| October      |       |       |          |              |
| November     |       |       | 7.24½    |              |
| December     | 3.34½ | 4.42  |          | 162.50       |
| January 1975 |       |       | 7.32½    |              |
| March        | 3.42¾ | 3.52½ | 7.41½    | 168.50       |
| May          | 3.37¾ | 4.50  | 7.45     | 171.00       |

Trend — Corn is Stronger, Wheat is Steady, Soybeans are Stronger, and Soybean Meal is Stronger.

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## Peoria Cattle Local Grain

Thursday, Sept. 5  
CATTLE: Receipts this week 4300 compared to last week 6644, and to a year ago 3367.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Choice and Prime 1235-1300 pounds 3-4, 44.00-45.50; late 44.00-44.50; couple loads 1470-1480 4-5, 42.00-45.00; three loads 1412-1420 5, 40.00. Choice 900-1260 2-4, 41.00-45.00; late 41.00-43.00. Load 1050 43.75; 800-950 lbs. 37.00-41.00. Mixed Good and Choice 900-1300 40.00-42.00. Good 37.50-40.00. Tuesday, couple loads Standard and Good Holstein 1427-1480 37.50-38.50.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 800-1050 2-4, 40.00-43.00; late 40.00-42.00; couple loads early 43.25-43.50. Choice 700-800 36.00-40.00 Mixed Good and Choice 750-1150 38.50-40.50; 600-750 lbs. 33.50-38.50. Good 35.00-38.50.

COWS: Utility and Commerical 21.00-23.50; High Dressing Utility 24.00 Cutter 20.00-22.00. Canner 18.00-20.00.

BULLS: 1-2, 1100-1900 pounds 28.00-30.00; 1, early 31.00.

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For Full  
Market Reports

Thursday, September 5  
These prices are made up of the average prices quoted by five participating local feed and grain concerns. It should be noted, however, that not every dealer handles each commodity. All prices are per bushel except ear corn which is per ton.

The average local grain prices quoted Thursday, September 5, 1974 are as follows:

|               | Bid+  | Offered+ |
|---------------|-------|----------|
| Ear Corn      | 98.00 | 108.00   |
| Shelled Corn  | 3.70  | 3.99     |
| Oats, Local   |       |          |
|               | 1.77  | 2.04     |
| Oats, Western |       |          |
|               | 2.05  | 2.28     |
| Barley        | 2.25  | 2.51     |
| Wheat         | 3.46  | 3.86     |
| Soybeans      | 7.05  | 7.35     |

+Bid is the price the dealer will buy from the farmer delivered to the mill. Offered is the price the dealer will sell for at his mill.

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Many of the State Civil Service Commission's informational materials and several examination announcements are now available in Spanish translations. One Spanish-language booklet offers tips on test-taking and is useful to persons who are taking civil service examinations for the first time.

## NEXT FEEDER PIG SALE

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The two sales scheduled for September will be held on Tuesday, the 3rd, and Tuesday, the 17th, starting at 1 P. M. Consignors wishing to tag their pigs on the farm can get the tags at the state office at the stockyards, not later than 4 P. M. any day preceding the sale, thereby saving 25 cents per pig

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