

HOG PRICES

Lancaster Market

Monday, Sept. 16
HOGS: Barrows and Gilts and Sows 1.00-1.50 lower.
BARROWS AND GILTS: Few US 1-2 220-245 lb. 37.75-38.00; Bulk US 1-3 210-240 lb. 35.35-35.75.
SOWS: US 1-3 400-550 lb. 24.00-25.25.

Vintage Auction

Saturday, Sept. 14, 1974
HOGS 593: Compared with last Saturday's market. Barrows & Gilts \$1.25 to \$2 lower. 84 head US No. 1-2 200-230 lbs 36.10-36.50, No. 1-3 195-230 lbs. 35.75-36.00, No. 2-3 195-265 lbs. 34.60-35.60, No. 2-4 255-295 lbs. 30.00-34.50, No. 2-4 170-190 lbs. 31.00-33.50. **SOWS:** US No. 1-3 390-575 lbs. 25.00-28.00. **Boars:** 18.50-20.00 (2 light weights at 25.00).

Wednesday, Sept. 18
HOGS 450: Compared with last Wednesday's market. Barrows & Gilts 75c to \$1 lower. US NO. 1-2 200-240 pounds 35.75-36.25, No. 1-3 200-250 lbs. 35.00-35.75. **SOWS:** US No. 1-3 300-500 lbs.

U.S. Inspected Livestock Slaughter

Estimated Daily Livestock Slaughter Under Federal Inspections

	CATTLE	HOGS	SHEEP
Week to Date	509,000	1,275,000	164,000
Same Period Last Week	528,000	1,285,000	166,000
Same Period Last Year	479,000	1,178,000	161,000

24.00-26.00, few 22.00-24.00. **Boars** 23.50-24.50, light weights to 30.00.

Leb. Valley Auction

HOGS 392: Barrows & Gilts \$1.75 lower. 1-3 195-240 pounds barrows & gilts 35.60-36.00, few lots 2-3 230-240 35.50. 1-3 275-340 sows 24.50-28.00, 2-3 350-600 22.00-25.00. **Boars** 19.00-31.50.
FEEDER PIGS 29: Few Lots Utility 30-60 pounds feeder pigs 10.50-19.00 per head.

Lancaster Auction

Wednesday, Sept. 18
HOGS: Barrows and Gilts and Sows mostly 50 higher.
BARROWS AND GILTS: US 1-2 200-240 lb. 38.00; US 1-3 200-250 lb. 35.50-36.10.
SOWS: US 1-3 400-550 lb. 24.00-25.25.

Peoria Auction

HOGS: 3500. Barrows and gilts uneven opening 1.00-1.50 higher, active.
 U.S. 1-3 200-240 lbs. 36.00-36.50.

New Holland Auction

Monday, Sept. 16, 1974
HOGS 1386: Compared with last Monday's market. Barrows & Gilts mostly \$2 lower. US No. 1-2 190-220 lbs. 35.75-37.00, No. 1-3 200-235 lbs. 35.25-35.75, No. 2-3 220-250 lbs. 34.50-35.25, No. 2-4 165-185 lbs. 34.00-35.25. **SOWS:** US No. 1-3 350-600 lbs. 23.00-28.00. **Boars:** Light Weights 28.00-34.50; heavy weights 20.50-25.00.

Indianapolis Auction

HOGS: 1500. Barrows and gilts active 1.00 higher.
 U.S. 1-2 210-235 lbs. 36.00-36.25; 1-3 200-250 lbs. 35.50-36.00.

St. Louis Auction

HOGS: 6000. Barrows and gilts, 50-75 cents higher.
 U.S. 1-2 210-240 lbs. 35.75-36.00.
 U.S. 1-3 210-250 lbs. 35.50-35.75.

Feeder Pig Sale Lancaster Stockyards

Lancaster Stockyards, Lancaster, Penna.
Tuesday, Sept. 17
FEEDER PIGS: All sales per hundred weight. US No. 1-2 - 35-50 lbs. 40.00-48.00 (2 lots 50.00); 50-65 lbs. 37.00-44.00; 65-75 lbs. 31.00-38.00; 75-110 lbs. few 28.00. US No. 2 35-50 lbs. 34.00-42.00; 50-65 lbs. 32.00-38.50. US No. 2-3 25-35 lbs. 31.00-35.00; 35-50 lbs. 33.00-46.00; 65-75 lbs. lot 26.50. US No. 3 25-35 lbs. 21.00-33.00; 35-50 lbs. 22.00-34.00; 50-65 lbs. 24.00-25.50. US Utility 25-35 lbs. 20.00-27.00.

New York Dressed Meats

Thursday, Sept. 19
 Compared with Wednesday: steer and heifer beef mostly 50 cents lower for second day's running. Small stock classes weak, listed pork cuts unchanged for week.

Supplies mostly moderate for all fresh meat classes. Beef under hardest pressure for some time past as wholesalers meeting widespread price resistance and sellers yielding to clear product with lower prices for primal and fabricated cuts shipped into New York area also a weakening influence.

Steer Beef:
 Prime 600-900 lb. 73.00-74.50; Choice 600-700 73.00-74.50; 700-800 71.50-73.00; 800-900 70.50-72.00; Good 500-800 lb. 67.00-69.00.

Heifer Beef:
 Choice 500-700 71.50-73.00.
Calf (skin off)
 Choice 150-350 lb. 70.00-73.00; Good 150-350 58.00-63.00; Standard 150-350 53.00-58.00.

Veal (skin off)
 Choice 90-150 lb. 96.00-102.00; Good 60-90 85.00-90.00; Standard 60-120 70.00-75.00.

Spring Lamb:
 Choice and Prime 30-55 78.00-80.00; 55-65 77.00-80.00.

Choice Beef Cuts:
 Hinds (steer) 145-190 lb. 84.00-86.00; Arm Chucks 90-105 61.00-63.00; Ribs (7-rib) 34-40 96.00-100.00; Loins (trmd) 50-70 115.00-122.00; Rounds (steer) 70-95 80.00-83.00; Full Plates 30.00-32.00; Hinds (heifer) 120-170 82.00-84.00.

New Holland Dairy Auction

Wednesday, Sept. 18
 Reported receipts of 178 cows, 8 cows and 2 bulls. Market lower than last week.
 Load of New York State springers 525-645.
 Load of Wisconsin cows, fresh 565-700.
 Load of Pennsylvania cows, fresh 850-1470.
 Load of Luzerne County cows, fresh 530-645.
 Herd dispersal of 40 head from Maryland in all stages of production. 330-850.
 Herd dispersal of 27 head from New Jersey in all stages of production 375-850.
 Herd dispersal of 30 head from Lebanon 180-595.
 Locally consigned cows 275-840, springing heifers 440-550 and bulls 310-440.

Futures Trading

(Closing bids as of Thursday, September 19)

	Chicago Cattle	Chicago Hogs	New York Maine Potatoes	Chicago Fresh Eggs
October	38.50	36.45		
November			3.90	61.85
December	39.70	39.70		66.20
January			4.30	62.10
February	42.70	43.47		59.25
March			4.50	61.25
April	43.62	43.55	4.90	61.00
May			5.86	
June	44.90	45.85		
July				
August	44.40	46.00		

Trend — Cattle are Mixed, Hogs are Stronger, Potatoes are Weaker.

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Chicago Grain Futures

(Closing bids as of Thursday, September 19)

	Corn	Wheat	Soybeans	Soybean Meal
October				147.75
November			7.54	
December	3.43½	4.52½		154.75
January 1975			7.62	158.50
March	3.52¾	4.66½	7.73	162.50
May	3.58	4.65	7.82	165.00
July	3.62	4.44½	7.86	171.50

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

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Omaha Cattle

Thursday, Sept. 19

Weekly 51 - Cattle - compared with the previous weeks close.

Average - Good to Prime slaughter steers and all heifers 1.50 - 2.00 lower, standard and low-Good steers 1.00 lower. Utility and Commercial cows 1.00-1.50 lower, Canner and Cutter 2.00-3.00 lower. Bulls weak to 1.00 lower.

Four day receipts 14,300 as compared 14,800 previous week and 19,400 a year ago. Slaughter steers approximately 30 percent, heifers 22 percent, cows 11 percent, and feeders 33 percent.

STEERS: High-Choice and Prime 1019-1304 pounds 3-4 42.00-42.50, two loads at latter price on T-Bone Special, several loads choice with end prime 1061-1200 41.50-41.65. Choice 975-1325 lbs. yield grade 2-4 40.00-41.50, load 1150 lbs. yield grade 2-3 42.00, three loads 1425-1436 3-5 38.00-39.00, 950-1225 39.00-40.00, occasionally 40.25. Good 37.00-39.00, several loads 1200-1400 lb. Holsteins 2-3 37.50-38.50. Standard and Low-Good 34.50-37.00.

Average cost slaughter steers first three days 39.68 average weight 1079 lbs. as compared 42.28 and 1094 lbs. previous week and 44.86 and 1143 lbs a year ago.

HEIFERS Early, a few

load High-Choice and Prime 925-1041 pounds yield grade 3-4 41.50-41.75. At close, several loads same grade 950-1022 lbs. 3-4 41.00, load 1100 4 40.50. Choice 850-1025 2-4 39.50-40.75. Mixed Good and Choice 750-975 38.00-39.50. Good 35.00-38.00. Standard and Low-Good 33.00-35.00.

COWS: Utility and Commercial 20.50-22.00, few utility dairy breeds 22.50. Canner and Cutter 16.50-20.50, Mixed Cutter and Low-Utility 20.75-21.00.

BULLS: 1400-1800 pounds 26.00-30.00.

Local Grain

Thursday, September 19

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 19, 1974 are as follows:

	Bid	Offered
Ear Corn	93 00	102.50
Shelled	3.46	3.85
Oats, Local	1.72	1.97
Western	1.99	2.22
Barley	2.23	2.53
Wheat	3.40	3.95
Soybeans	7.25	7.75

+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.

NEXT FEEDER PIG SALE

TUESDAY, OCT. 1

AT LANCASTER STOCKYARDS

CONSIGN YOUR FEEDER PIGS TO

J. M. Hooper Inc.

All pigs must be tagged. Consignors can save 25 cents per pig expense if tagged on the farm. Tags may be obtained at office of J. M. Hooper Inc. Serving You Since 1895

For further information call J. M. Hooper Inc.

Phone (717) 397-6191. 569-2084, 626-5659.

IMPORTANT NOTICE LET US HANDLE YOUR FEEDER PIGS NEXT FEEDER PIG SALE TUES. OCT. 1

As a result of increased receipts and popular demand on the part of both buyers and seller, Bi-monthly Feeder Pig Sales will be held at the Lancaster Stockyards.

Feeder pigs consigned to Walter M. Dunlap and Sons must arrive at the stockyards between 7 A.M. and 11 A.M. the day of the sale. Upon arrival they will be inspected by a veterinarian, tagged, and state graded.

The two sales scheduled for October will be held on Tuesday, the 1, and Tuesday, the 15, starting a 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.

Consign all your feeder pigs to Walter M. Dunlap & Sons where they will be handled by a capable and experienced staff, and for further information call 717-397-5136.

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