

Hog Markets

Lancaster Market

Monday
April 11, 1977
HOGS: Barrows and gilts 2.00-2.25 higher than last Wednesday.
BARROWS AND GILTS: US 1 200-235 lb. 39.25-40.00; US 1-3 200-245 lb. 38.00-38.85, few 170-190 lb. 30.00-35.00.
SOWS: US 1-3 400-550 lb. 29.00-32.25.

St. Louis

Thursday
April 14, 1977
HOGS: 5000 Barrows and gilts moderate, steady to 25 higher. US 1-2 200-240 lb. 38.25-38.50; US 1-3 200-250 lb. 38.00-38.25.

Peoria Auction

Thursday
April 14, 1977
HOGS: 3500 Barrows and gilts fairly active, opening weak to 50 lower. US 1-2 200-230 lb. 38.00-38.50; US 1-3 200-240 lb. 37.50-38.00.

Lancaster Auction

Wednesday
April 13, 1977
HOGS: Barrows and gilts 25-50 higher.
BARROWS AND GILTS: Few US 1 200-235 lb. 39.00-39.50; US 1-3 200-245 lb. 38.50-39.00, 170-190 lb. 30.00-36.00.
SOWS: US 1-3 400-550 lb. 30.00-32.50.

New Holland Feeder Pig

Feeder Pig Sale
Wednesday, April 13
SHOATS: 710 head. No. 1 and 2 45-57 pounds 84.00-99.50; No. 2 32-41 pounds 99.00-100.00; No. 2 and 3 32-41 pounds 91.00-105.00; 43-51 pounds 87.50-100.00; No. 3 29-44 pounds 61.00-102.00; 45-67 pounds 63.00-81.00; Utility 21-46 pounds 45.00-87.00.



Lancaster Feeder Pig

Tuesday
April 12, 1977
Feeder Pigs
Today 1534
Two Weeks Ago 902
TREND: Feeder pigs firm to 7.00 higher, mostly 2.00-5.00 higher. All prices on a per hundred weight basis.
US 1-2 30-50 lb. 85.00-100.00; 86 head 30-41 lb. 101.00-106.00; 36 head 36 lb. 109.00-50-58 lb. 79.00-92.00; one lot 54 lb. 95.00, 62-65 lb. 77.00-79.00; one lot 61 lb. 83.50.
US 2-3 31-47 lb. 87.00-96.50; two lots 40-47 lb. 82.00, 50-66 lb. 71.00-85.00.
US 3 25-36 lb. 75.00-92.00. 42-55 lb. 67.00-80.00; two lots 65-70 lb. 57.50.

New Holland

New Holland
Monday, April 11
HOGS: 1017 head. retail 38.25-39.00; heavyweight, 36.50-37.25; lightweight, 35.50-37.25; wholesale, 37.25-38.25; sows, 27.00-30.00; boars 22.50-29.00.

Indianapolis

Thursday
April 14, 1977
HOGS: 1500 Barrows and gilts active, mostly steady, instances 25 higher. US 1-2 200-240 lb. 38.00-38.25, near 30 head 38.50; US 1-3 200-250 lb. 37.50-38.00.



Carlisle Auction

April 12, 1977
CATTLE 246. Compared with last Tuesday's market, slaughter cows \$2.50 to \$3 higher. Good slaughter steers 34.35-36.25, Standard 30.00-34.75, Utility 26.25-29.75. Good slaughter heifers 32.25-33.10, Standard 29.00-32.00, Utility & High Dressing Cutter slaughter cows 29.50-32.25, Cutters 27.00-29.75, Canners 25.50-27.50, Shells down to 21.50. Good slaughter bullocks 31.25-34.00, Standard 28.10-29.50.
CALVES 148. Vealers highly uneven Prime vealers 62.50-73.00, Choice 57.50-65.00, Good 44.50-55.00, Standard & Good 110-130 lbs. 32.50-45.50, 90-110 lbs. 24.00-33.50.

HOGS 357. Barrows — Gilts 50 cents to \$1 higher. US No. 1-2 200-240 lbs. barrows & gilts 36.00-38.60, No. 1-3 200-240 lbs. 34.50-36.25, No. 2-3 200-250 lbs. 29.00-33.75, No. 2-4 240-260 lbs. 24.00-30.00. US No. 1-3 300-500 lbs. sows 28.00-30.00, No. 2-3 270-310 lbs. 21.00-27.50. Boars 19.50-20.50.

FEEDER PIGS 119. US No. 1-3 25-35 lbs. feeder pigs 14.00-19.50 per head, No. 1-3 30-45 lbs. 23.00-29.00, No. 1-3 40-60 lbs. 28.00-32.00 per head.

Lancaster Grain Prices

April 14
These prices are made up of the average prices quoted by a number of participating area feed and grain concerns. It should be noted, however, that not every dealer or broker handles each commodity. All prices are per bushel except ear corn and soybean meal which are per ton.
The average prices quoted Thursday, April 14 are as follows:

	Bid + Offered +	
Ear Corn	60.33	69.00
Shelled Corn	2.58	2.77
Barley	2.42	2.60
Oats		
Local	1.65½	1.85½
Western	2.07	2.25
Wheat		
Millers	2.64	2.83
Soybeans	9.45	
Soybean Meal		320.50

Futures Trading

(Closing Bids as of Thursday, April 14)

	Chicago Cattle	Chicago Hogs	New York Maine Potatoes	Chicago Fresh Eggs
April	41.47	37.72		48.20
May			10.15	48.05
June	44.55	42.15		51.30
July			44.05	53.25
Aug.	44.50	43.00		
Sept.				59.00
Oct.	44.35	39.30		
Nov.			5.65	
Dec.	45.32	39.07		

Trend - Cattle are lower, Hogs are lower, Potatoes are higher, and Eggs are lower.
Market Provided by Commodity Department Reynolds Securities, Inc.

CHICAGO GRAIN FUTURES

(Closing Bids as of Thursday, April 14)

	Wheat	Corn	Soybeans	Soybean Meal
May	2.67½	2.56¼	9.63½	277.50
July	2.75¾	2.61½	9.64	280.50
Aug.			9.46½	276.00
Sept.	2.84	2.65¾	8.00	229.00
Oct.				203.00
Nov.			7.25	
Dec.	2.94½	2.69¾		194.50

Trend - Corn is higher, Wheat is lower, Soybeans are higher and Soybean Meal is higher.
Markets Provided by Commodity Department Reynolds Securities, Inc.

U.S. Inspected Livestock Slaughter

Estimated Daily Livestock Slaughter Under Federal Inspection

	CATTLE	HOGS	SHEEP
Week to date	544,000	1,138,000	101,000
Same period last week	569,000	1,281,000	112,000
Same period last year	574,000	1,109,000	120,000

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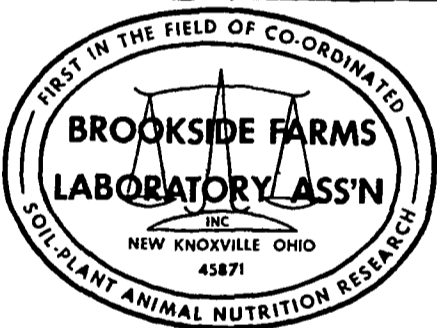
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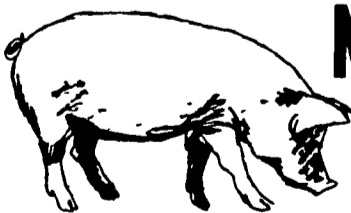
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