

Hog Markets

Lancaster Market

Monday, Jan. 30, 1978
Lancaster, Pa.

HOGS: Barrows and gilts 75-1.00 higher.

BARROWS AND GILTS: US 1-2 200-240 lb. 48.50-49.00; 10 head US 1 210-230 lb. 49.50-50.00; US 1-3 200-245 lb. 47.75-48.50; US 2-3 230-250 lb. 47.50-48.00; 255-265 lb. 45.00-46.50.

Indianapolis Hog

Thursday, Feb. 2, 1978
HOGS: 1200

Receipts currently 300 under. Barrows & gilts moderately active steady to 75 higher w/weights under 250 lb. mostly 50-75 higher.

35 Head US 1-2 230 lb. 49.25; US 1-3 200-240 lb. 48.50-49.00; Couple lots US 2-3 265 lb. 47.00.

Sows: Moderately active, mostly steady.

Few US 1-3 450-600 lb. 46.00-47.00; Few US 1-2 & Medium 300-350 lb. 39.00-40.00.

Peoria Hog Auction

HOGS: 3500 - Barrows & gilts slow, opening steady.
US 1-2 210-240 lb. 48.50-49.00, 37 head 49.50; US 1-3 200-240 lb. 48.00-48.50.

Sows: Steady to 2.00 lower.
US 1-3 350-500 lb. 42.00-43.00, few 43.00-44.00; 500-650 lb. 47.00-49.00, few 46.50.

Lancaster Auction

Lancaster, Pa.
Wednesday, Feb. 1, 1978

HOGS: Barrows and gilts 1.25-1.50 higher.

BARROWS AND GILTS: US 1-2 200-240 lb. 50.00-50.75; 10 head US 1 200-235 lb. 51.00-51.50; US 1-3 200-250 lb. 49.00-49.75; US 2-3 250-275 lb. 47.50-49.00.

New Holland Hog

New Holland, Pa.
Monday, Jan. 30, 1978

Hog Auction 2047
Last Monday 1839

TREND: Compared to last Monday barrows and gilts steady to 50 lower.

BARROWS AND GILTS: 30 head US 1 220-230 lb. 49.00-49.50; US 1-2 205-235 lb. 48.35-48.75; One lot 255 lb. 48.50.

US 1-3 200-240 lb. 47.75-48.35; One lot US 2-3 275 lb. 42.25.

New Holland Feeder Pig

New Holland, Pa.
Wednesday, Feb. 1, 1978

Feeder Pigs 1042
Last Wednesday 750

TREND: Compared to last Wednesday feeder pigs 15.00 lower, instances 20.00 lower. All prices on a per hundred wight basis.

US 1-2 30-60 lb. 61.00-73.00; 60-86 lb. 56.00-63.00.
US 2-3 30-60 lb. 48.00-64.00.
Utility 30-65 lb. 30.00-45.00.

St. Louis Hog Market

Thursday, Feb. 2, 1978
HOGS: 5500

Early trade moderate, later & closing slow; barrows & gilts under 250 lb. opened mostly 50 higher, later steady to 25 higher, weights over 250 ob. 50-1.00 higher.

US 1-2 200-240 lb. 48.75-49.25, latter price paid early. US 1-3 200-250 lb. 48.25-48.75.

Sows: 50-2.00 higher, most advance on weights over 450 lb.

US 1-3 300-450 lb. 42.50-43.50, mostly 43.00-43.50; 450-500 lb. 46.00-47.00; Over 500 lb. 46.00-48.00.

Vintage Hog

Saturday, Jan. 28
Reported 1426 head.

No. 1-2 200 to 250 lbs. 49.00-49.85; No. 2, 200 to 235 lbs. 48.00-49.00, 23 head 50.00-51.25; late sales 46.00-47.50; sows 35.00-39.50; boars 32.25-33.50; heavystraights, 260 to 310 lbs. 40.00-48.75; lightweights, 135-175 lbs. 36.00-39.25.

Wednesday, Feb. 1
Reported 520 head.

No. 1-2, 200 to 235 lbs. 50.25-51.00; No. 2-3, 210 to 240 lbs. 49.35-50.10; sows 36.00-40.75; boars 32.00-33.00; heavystraights, 265 to 300 lbs. 44.00-48.50; lightweights, 135-170 lbs. 35.25-40.00.

Discoloration

Some fruits — apples, peaches, pears and bananas — turn brown if allowed to stand after they have been cut or peeled. To minimize discoloration, dip these fruits into citrus fruit juice — lemon, lime, orange or grapefruit — or pineapple

Lancaster Feeder Pig

Lancaster, Pa.
Tuesday, Jan. 31, 1978

Feeder Pigs 1183 -
Today 884
Last Tuesday 884

TREND: Compared to last Tuesday feeder pigs firm to 5.00 higher. All prices on a per hundred weight basis

US 1-2 75 head 30-40 lb 100.00-100.50; 30-50 lb. 79.50-90.00; 50-60 lb. 72.00-85.00; 60-70 lb. 64.00-72.00; 70-75 lb. 59.00-64.50.

US 2-3 40 head 30-40 lb. 86.00-88.50; 35-50 lb. 66.00-79.00; lb. 64.00-76.00; One lot 70 lb. 61.00.

US 3 30-50 lb. 49.00-56.00; couple lots 60-70 lb. 42.50-44.00.

Lancaster Grain

Friday, Feb. 3, 1978

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 Friday, Feb. 3 are as follows:

	Bid+	Offered+
Ear Corn	51.00	61.00
Shelled Corn	2.30	2.52
Barley	1.99	2.17
Oats		
Local	1.27	1.55
Western	1.84	2.03
Wheat	2.48	—
Soybeans	5.27	—
Soybean Meal		216.00

Sale Report

The Hall and Love Farm equipment dispersal sale was held on January 26 near Shippensburg, Pa.

Some of the prices included a J.D. 4020 diesel for \$9200; a J.D. 4010 diesel for \$8300; Oliver 880 gas, \$3000; Oliver baler \$2100; Fox harvester \$1600; International four row planter, \$1520; and an International blower, \$710.

Ralph Horst, Marion, Pa., auctioneer.

Futures Trading

(Closing Bids as of Thursday, February 2, 1978)

	Chicago Cattle	Chicago Hogs	New York Maine Potatoes	Chicago Fresh Eggs
Feb.	43.35	47.60		
March			4.30	44.40
April	43.85	43.50	4.70	42.10
May			5.54	42.50
June	45.25	44.60		43.35
July		44.95		
Aug.	45.75	41.65		
Oct.	45.65			
Nov.			5.27	

Trend - Cattle are higher, Hogs are lower, Potatoes are lower, and eggs are higher.

Market Provided by Commodity Department
Reynolds Securities, Inc.

Chicago Grain Futures

(Closing Bids as of Thursday, February 2, 1978).

	Corn	Wheat	Soybeans	Soybean Meal
March	2.26 $\frac{3}{4}$	2.68 $\frac{3}{4}$	5.71 $\frac{1}{2}$	151.70
May	2.30 $\frac{3}{4}$	2.74 $\frac{1}{4}$	5.79 $\frac{3}{4}$	155.70
July	2.31	2.78 $\frac{1}{2}$	5.84 $\frac{3}{4}$	158.60
Sept.	2.27 $\frac{1}{2}$	2.83 $\frac{3}{4}$	5.77	160.50

Trend - Corn is higher, Wheat is higher, Soybeans are higher, and Soybean Meal is higher.

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U.S. Inspected Livestock Slaughter

Estimated Daily Livestock Slaughter Under Federal Inspection

	CATTLE	CALVES	HOGS	SHEEP
Week to Date	571,000	72,000	1,192,000	86,000
Same Period Last Week	587,000	68,000	1,042,000	80,000
Same Period Last Year	581,000	70,000	1,104,000	97,000

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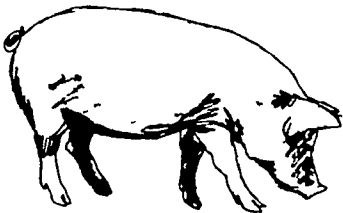
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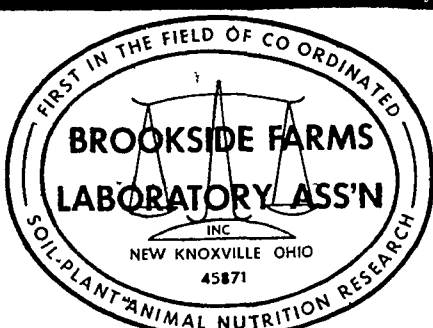
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