## Hog Markets

#### New Holland Hogs

Monday, January 7 New Holland, Pa.

**Hog Auction** Today-2046 1610 Last Monday Last Year 1619

TREND: Barrows and gilts generally steady with last Monday with later trading both weeks 50-75 lower than early trading.

BARROWS AND GILTS: US 1-2 200-250 lbs. 41.09-42.00, with most early sales 42.00-42.50. US 1 205-245 lbs: 42.60-43.35. Mixed US 1-3 220-260 lbs. 40.50-41.00.

#### New Holland Feeder Pigs

New Holland, Pa. Feeder Pigs

Wednesday, January 9 1264 Today Last Wednesday 2302 Last Year 1365

Compared to last Wednesday feeder pigs firm to 5.00 higher, instances as much as 10.00 higher. All pigs weighed on arrival and sold by the hundred weight.

US 1-2: 148 head 25-39 lbs. 39.00-55.00; 154 head 40-49 lbs. 46.00-49.00; 212 head 50-59 lbs. 46.00-55.00; 120 head 60-100 lbs. 40.00-49.00

US 2-3: 212 head 27-39 lbs. 37.00-46.00; 147 head 40-49 lbs. 37.00-52.00; 143 head 50-85 lbs. 32.00-50.00.

#### Lancaster Hogs

Saturday, January 5 1130 hogs. US 1 200-235 lbs. 43.50-45.25, few to 47.00; US 1 & 2 200-240 lbs. 41.50-42.10; US 2 & 3 200-250 lbs. 40.85-41.50; Heavyweight 255-280 lbs. 38.00-41.25.

Monday, January 7 HOGS: Barrows and gilts mostly steady, few Selected US 150 higher.

BARROWS AND GILTS: US 1-2 200-250 lbs. 40.75-41.50; Around 40 head Selected 210-240 lbs. 41.50-42.50; Around 25 head US 1 210-240 lbs. 44.00-45.00; US 1-3 220-250 lbs. 40.00-40.75; US 2-3 255-270 lbs. 38.50-39.50.

Wednesday, January 9 HOGS: Barrows and gilts 1.00-2.00 lower, extremes 2.50 lower.

BARROWS AND GILTS: US 1-2 210-240 lbs. 39.50-40.50; Few US 1 205-245 lbs. 42.00-42.50; US 1-3 220-260 · lbs. 38.50-39.50.

#### Peoria Hogs

Thursday, January 10 HOGS: 3500 - Barrows & gilts moderate, weak to 25 lower. US 1-2 200-230 lbs. 39.00-39.25, 110 head 39.50; US 1-3 200-240 lbs. 38.50-39.00. SOWS: 50-1.00 instances, 1.50 lower. (13%). US 1-3 350-500 lbs. 32.50-33.25, mostly 33,00; 500-650 lbs. 34.00-34.50.

#### Westminster Feeder Pigs

Friday, December 28

1190 Pigs: Compared to last month, prices were \$3.00 to \$6.00 lower with under 40 lbs. as much as \$12.00 lower. All pigs weighed on arrival and sold by the hundred.

No. 1 & 2 Pigs: 54 head 22-27 lbs. 51.00-57.00; 188 head 33-39 lbs. 50.00-57.00; 62 (#1's) 49 lbs. 63.00; 86 (#2&3's) 40-49 lbs. 54.00-56.50; 17 (small lots) 42-48 lbs. 41.00-46.00; 136 head 53-56 lbs. 51.00-59.00; 37 (small lots) 54-59 lbs. 46.00-48.00; 165 head 62-69 lbs. 44.00-46.00; 172 head 71-79 lbs. 35.00-43.00; 71 head 84-94 lbs. 38.50-41.50.

No. 2 & 3 Pigs: 93 head 29-39 lbs. 46.00-48.00; 15 head 65-67 lbs. 36.00-42.00.

**NEXT SALE: January** 25th 1:30 P.M.

#### Lancaster Feeder Pigs

Tuesday, January 8 Lancaster, Pa. Feeder Pigs

1415

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Today Last Sale (1/28/79) Last Year

Compared to last feeder pig sale 10.00-15.00 lower, although US 2-3 mostly steady. All pigs weighed on arrival and sold by the hundred weight.

US 1-2: 60 head 32-38 lbs. 55.00-59.00; 76 head 30-39 lbs. 41.00-54.00; 386 head 40-49 lbs. 45.00-59.00; 228 head 50-59 lbs. 45.00-54.00; 150 head 60-80 lbs: 39.00-49.00.

US 2-3: 70 head 27-39 lbs. 39.00-51.00; 168 head 40-60 lbs. 31.00-51.00; 39 head 60-80 lbs. 32.00-37.00.

#### St. Louis Hogs

Thursday, January 10 HOGS: 7500 - Barrows & gilts fairly active, weak to 25 lower. US 1-2 200-240 lbs. 38.25-38.50; US 1-3 230-250

lbs. 37.75-38.25. SOWS: 50-1.00 lower. (About 10%). US 1-3 300-500 lbs. 32.00-32.50; Over 500 lbs. 33.00-33.50.

BOARS: Over 350 lbs. 29.00-29.50; under 350 lbs. 24.00-26.00.



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#### **Indianapolis L**ogs

Thursday, January 10 HOGS: 1500 - Barrows & gilts' active, firm to 25 higher. US 1-2 210-245 lbs. 39.25-39.50; US 1-3 230-255 lbs. 38.50-39.00.

SOWS: Active, under 450 lbs. steady-50 higher, over 450 lbs. weak. (8%). US 1-3 325-450 lbs. 31.50-32.00; 475-600 lbs. 34.00-34.25, 6 head

BOARS: Under 250 lbs. 24.50; over 300 lbs. 26.00.

#### Pa. Grain

Monday, January 7

Due to the uncertain conditions in the grain market, some grain buyers were off the market until the Administration announces its policy.

Compared with last Monday's market for Southeastern, Central and South Central Pa. Corn steady, instances 20 cents lower. Wheat steady to 15 cents lower. Barley and Oats steady to weak. Ear Corn steady.

Prices paid delivered to dealers dock. (All prices per bushel, except Ear Corn per

#### Southeastern Pa.

Corn No. 2-y range 2.80-3.10, average 2.94; Wheat 2 range 4.00-4.55, average 4.21; Barley No. 3 range 1.80-2.30, average 2.05; Oats No. 2 range 1.50-1.85, average 1.67; Soybeans No. 1 range 5.85-6.00, average 5.94; Grain Sorghum No. 2 range 2.35, average 2.35; Ear Corn range 64.00-75.00, average

#### Central Pa.

Corn No. 2-y range 2.65-3.00, average 2.82; Wheat No. 2 range 3.75-4.15, average 3.96; Barley No. 3 range 1.80-2.00, average 1.90; Oats No. 2 range 1.40-1.65, average 1.44; Grain Sorghum No. 2 range 2.45-2.60, average 2.52; Ear Corn range 54.00-70.00, average

#### South Central Pa.

Corn No. 2-y range 2.60-2.75, average 2.65; Wheat 2 range 3.80-4.20, average 3.92; Barley No. 3 range 1.85-2.00, average 1.90; Oats No. 2 range 1.50-1.80, average 1.63; Ear Corn range 58.00-70.00, average 62.88.

#### Western Pa.

Corn No. 2-y range 2.60-2.90, average 2.73; Wheat No. 2 range 3.75, average 3.75; Barley No. 3 range 1.60, average 1.60; Oats No. 2 1.53; Ear Corn range few reported 55.00-60.00, average 57.50.

Southeastern, Central & South Central Summary Corn No. 2-y range 2.65- 65.76.

lambs, feeder pigs. Suppliers of feeder cattle.

# **Chicago Grain Futures**

(Closing Bids as of Thursday, January 10)

	Corn	Wheat	Soybeans	Soybean Meal
Jan.			6.31	177.00
Mar.	- 2.65	4.15	6.511/2	181.00
May	2.783/4	4.26	6.75	186.20
July	2.891/4	4.361/2	6.95	191.80
Aug.			7.04½	194.50
Sept.	2.951/4	4.481/2		
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Trend - Corn is lower, Wheat is lower, Soybeans are higher, Soybean Meal is higher

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## **Futures Trading**

Closing Bids as of Thursday, January 10

	Chicago Cattle	Chicago Hogs	New York Maine Potatoes	Chicago Fresh Eggs
Jan.				50.50
Feb.	68.40	42.00		49.75
Mar.			5.92	53.20
Apr.	70.90	40.00	6.52	
May			7.58	52.10
June	72.60	43.75		
July -		44.50		
Aug.	72.45	<del></del>		

Trend - Cattle are higher, Hogs are higher. Potatoes are steady. Eggs are lower.

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### **U.S.** Inspected **Livestock Slaughter**

**Estimated Daily Livestock Slaughter** 

Under Federal Inspection .					
CATTLE	CALVES	HOGS	SHEEF		
Week to Date					
473,000	40,000	1,486,000	78,000		
Same Period Last We	eek		·		
345,000	30,000	991,000	57,000		
Same Period Last Ye	ear	•			
570,000	50,000	1,292,000	75,000		
Market courtesy of	USDA.		·		

#### Sechrist Auction

Stewartstown, Pa. Monday, January 7

CATTLE 77. Steers Good Choice 65.00-68.00; Holsteins Good 61.50-63.50; Standard to Good 58.00-61.00. Heifers High Choice and Prime 62.00-65.00; Good to Choice

3.00, average 2.85; Wheat range 1.40-1.80, average No. 2 range 3.80-4.40, average 4.05; Barley No. 3 range 1.80-2.25, average 1.96; Oats No. 2 range 1.45-1.80, average 1.55; Ear Corn range 58.00-75.00, average

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and Prime 115.00-130.00; Good and Choice 105.00-115.00; Standard and Good 95.00-105.00. Back to Farm Good 90-120 lbs. 95.00-120.00; Hfrs:80-130 lbs. 85.00-125.00: Culls 50.00-80.00.

HOGS 347. Sows 250-375 lbs. 31.50-34.00; 400-500 lbs 27.00-31.00. Boars 300-500 lbs. 25.00-28.50.

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