Hog Markets

Lancaster Hogs

Saturday, May 10 Report supplied by auction and PDA

US 1 200-235 lbs. 34.00-35.75, few to 37.50; US 1 & 2 200-240 lbs. 33.00-33.85; US 2 & 3 200-250 lbs. 32.60-33.00; few Sows 350-500 lbs. 24.50-28.00.

Monday, May 12 **HOGS:** Barrows and gilts mostly 50 higher.

BARROWS AND GILTS: US 1-2 200-245 lbs. 32.50-33.50; Around 80 head US 1 205-245 lbs. 34.00-35.00; US 1-3 220-265 lbs. 31.50-32.50; Few US 2-3 260-275 lbs. 29.35-31.00.

Wednesday, May 14 HOGS: Barrows and gilts mostly 50 lower.

BARROWS AND GILTS: US 1-2 200-255 lbs. 32.00-33.00; Few US 1 205-245 lbs. 34.25-34.50; US 1-3 220-260 lbs. 31.25-32.00.

New Holland Feeder Pigs

Wednesday, May 14 Report supplied by USDA 1639

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Today Last Wednesday Last Year

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

US 1-2: 27 head 34 lbs. 56.00; 226 head 26-39 lbs. 45.00-51.00: 320 head 40-49 lbs. 40.00-50.00; 217 head 50-59 lbs. 41.00-48.00; 72 head 60-83 lbs. 37.00-41.00.

US 2-3: 279 head 27-39 lbs. 36.00-45.00: 125 head 40-66 lbs. 33.00-44.00.

US 3: 25 head 33-46 lbs. 26.00-32.00; Utility 88 head 30-42 lbs. 22.00-34.00.

Lancaster Feeder Pigs

Tuesday, May 13 Report supplied by USDA

Today Last Tuesday 1617 Last Year

Compared to last Tuesday feeder pigs uneven, steady to firm instances 8.00 higher. All pigs weighed on arrival and sold by the hundred weight.

US 1-2 - 181 head 27-39 lb. 51.00-57.00; 127 head 42-46 lb. 54.00-59.00, 473 head 40-49 lb. 45.00-53.00; 82 head 50-59 lb. 36.00-45.00; 77 head 60-118 lb. 35.00-45.50.

US 2-3 - 74 head 20-39 lb.

50.00-59.00; 137 head 40-49 lb. 41.00-46.00; 15 head 53-54 lb. 33.00-36.00.

US 3 - 17 head 30-39 lb. 39.00-42.00.

New Holland Hogs

Monday, May 12 Report supplied by USDA Today

Last Monday 1555 Last Year TREND: Compared to last

50-75 higher. BARROWS AND GILTS: US 1-2 200-245 lb. 32.50-33.00, few 33.10-33.25.; US 1 205-240 lb. 33.50-34.25; US 1-3 220-265 lb. 31.50-32.50.

Monday barrows and gilts

Indianapolis Hogs

Thursday, May 15 Report supplied by USDA HOGS: 1500 - Barrows & gilts active, 50 higher against bulk of Wednesday's sales. US 1-2 210-250 lbs.

31.00-31.50. SOWS: Active, weak to 1.00 lower, instances 1.50 off. (6%). US 1-3 350-500 lbs. 25.25-25.75; Over 500 lbs. 25.75-26.50.

BOARS: All weights 22.00.

St. Louis Hogs

Thursday, May 15 Report supplied by USDA

HOGS: 6000 - Barrows & gilts moderate; uneven, weights under 240 lbs. 25-75 higher, over 240 lbs. weak to 25 lower. US 1-2 200-240 lbs. 30.25-31.00, mostly 30.50-30.75; US 1-3 230-250 lbs. 29.25-30.25.

SOWS: 50-1.00 higher. (About 9%). US 1-3 300-650 lbs. 25.00-25.50.

BOARS: Over 350 lbs. 23.00; under 250 lbs. 21.00-22.00.

Peoria Hogs

Thursday, May 15 Report supplied by USDA

HOGS: 3500 - Barrows & gilts moderate, mostly steady. US 1-2 200-240 lbs. 30.50-31.00, 300 head 31.25; US 1-3 200-240 lbs. 29.50-30.50.

SOWS: Steady to 1.00 lower. (19%). US 1-3 350-500 lbs. 25.00-25.50; Few 600 lbs.

BOARS: Over 350 lbs. 25.00; under 350 lbs. 20.00-

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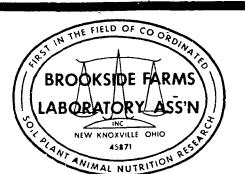
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Vintage Hogs

Paradise, Pa. Saturday, May 10

Report supplied by auction Total 873 head. All prices per hundredweight.

US No. 1 210-240 lbs. 34.00-35.00; US 2 & 3, 205-240 lbs. 32.00-33.50; Boars 300-500 lbs. 27.00-28.00; Sows 300-500 lbs. 23.00-25.00.

Wednesday, May 14 Total 534 head. All prices

per hundredweight. U.S. No. 1210-240 lbs. 31.50-32.50; US 2 & 3 205-240 lbs. 30.50-31.50; Sows 300-500 lbs. 27.00-28.00; Boars 300-500 lbs.

Special Tel-o-Auction Feeder Pig Sale

Marion, Va. Wednesday, May 7 Report supplied by VDA

There were 455 head sold. All pigs were graded by Representatives of the VDACS's Division of Markets, Livestock Section on USDA standards and sold by the hundred weight.

US 1-2's: 40-60 lbs. 38.00-41.00; 61-80 lbs. 35.00-36.00; 81-130 lbs. 33.00.

US 3's: 40-60 lbs. 36.00-38.00; 61-80 lbs. 33.00-34.00; 81-130 lbs. 31.00.

Utility & US 4's: 40-60 lbs. 28.00-31.00.

Special Feeder Pig Sale

Courtland, Va. Thursday, May 8 Report supplied by VDA

There were 1,950 head sold. All pigs were graded by Representatives of the VDACS's Division of Markets, Livestock Section on USDA standards and sold by the hundredweight.

US 1-2's: 30-49 lbs. 45.50-49.50; 50-69 lbs. 40.50-41.00; 70-99 lbs. 39.50-40.00; 100-130 lbs. 35.50.

US 3's: 30-49 lbs. 38.50-45.50; 50-69 lbs. 34.50-37.50; 70-99 lbs. 37.00; 100-130 lbs.

Utility: 30-49 lbs. 28.00-30.00; 50-69 lbs. 25.00-28.00; 70-99 lbs. 25.00.

US 4's: 30-49 lbs. 28.00-30.00; 50-69 lbs. 25.00-28.00; 70-99 lbs. 25.00.

New Holland Dairy

New Holland, Pa. Wednesday, May 14 Report supplied by auction

Reported receipts of 100 cows, 60 heifers, and 8 bulls. Market steady.

Load of PA fresh cows, 1150.00-1300.00; Load of PA fresh cows, 1090.00-1400.00; 2 Loads of NY purebred & grade fresh cows, 1050.00-

Chicago Grain Futures

(Closing Bids as of Thursday, May 15)

	Corn	Wheat	Soybeans	Soybean Meal
May	2.731/4	4.16	6.121/2	169.70
July	2.813/4	4.24	6.25	173.90
Aug.			6.34	176.40
Sept.	2.92	4.361/2	6.401/2	178.80
Oct.				181.50
Nov.			6.521/2	
Dec.	2.98¾	4.531/2		185.20
				

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

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Futures Trading

Closing Bids as of Thursday, May 15

	Chicago Cattle	Chicago Hogs	New York Maine Potatoes	Chicago Fresh Eggs
May			6.94	
June	64.82	33.37		44.50
July		35.25		48.00
Aug.	65.02	34.95		54.25
Oct.	63.45	35.60		
Nov.		·····	7.00	
Dec.	64.05	38.80		

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

Market Provided by Commodity Department Dean Witter Reynolds, Inc.

U.S. Inspected Livestock Slaughter

Estimated Daily Livestock Slaughter

Under Federal Inspection						
-	CATTLE	CALVES	HOGS	SHEET		
Week	to Date		-			
	451,000	32,000	1,493,000	81,000		
Same	Period Last V	Veek				
	449,000	33,000	1,491,000	84,000		
Same	Period Last Y	ear	, .			
	454,000	32,000	1,283,000	75,000		
Maı	ket courtesy o	of USDA.		•		

1650.00, springers 1070.00-1800.00; Load of Canadian springers, 1200.00-2350.00; Locally consigned cows, 850.00-1450.00; Springing heifers grade 850.00-1200.00, purebred 1250.00-1400.00; Open Heifers 350.00-535.00; Bulls 420.00-570.00.

Hunter's Auction

Rising Sun, Md Monday, May 12 Report supplied by auction

HEIFERS: Good to Choice 52.00-58.00. BULLS: 1430 lbs. 58.50;

500-800 lbs. 52.00-69.00.

COWS: High Choice and Prime 47.00-48.25; Good to Standard 45.75-46.75; Utility 44.50-46.00; Cutters 43.75-45.00; Canners 42.00-46.00.

CALVES: Prime 240-330 lbs. 90.00-105.00; High to Choice 140-220 lbs. 90.00-110.00; Good to Choice 120-140 lbs. 90.00-100.00; Standard to Good 90-115 lbs. 80.00-100.00; Utility 75-85 lbs. 70.00-90.00; Low Utility 55-75 lbs. 65.00-72.00.

FEEDER PIGS: 25-30 lbs. 12.00 to 15.00; 35-45 lbs. 15.00 to 18.00 by hd.; few 20.00 to 23.00 by hd.

HOGS: 120-150 lbs. 23.00-28.00; 180-200 lbs. 31.00-36.00.

SOWS: 22,00-25,50. BOARS: 23.00-25.00. GOATS: Kids 28.00 to 35.00; Nannies 25.00 to 40.00; Billies 30.00 to 38.00 by hd.

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