

# Livestock market and auction news

## Eight-Four Livestock

Monday, April 6  
Report supplied by PDA

**CATTLE** 247. Compared with last Monday's market, slaughter cows mostly 50 cents higher, instances \$1 higher. Few Choice slaughter steers 59.00-61.00, few Good 57.50-58.75, few Standard 52.00-56.25. Few Choice slaughter heifers 58.50-59.50, few Good 56.00-57.25, one Standard at 50.00. Utility & Commercial slaughter cows 43.00-46.00, one at 46.75, Cutters 40.00-43.00, Canner & Low Cutter 37.00-41.50, Shells down to 30.00. Few Utility slaughter bullocks 47.00-49.75. Few Yield Grade #1-2 1000-1785 lbs. slaughter bulls 47.50-57.25. Medium & Large Frame #1 300-500 lbs. feeder steers 54.50-68.50, few 70 00-72.50; Medium & Large Frame #1 290-500 lbs. feeder heifers 50.75-62.50, one at 68.50, Medium & Large Frame #2 500-650 lbs 42.00-48.50; few Medium & Large Frame #2 500-650 lbs feeder bulls 45.00-61.50.

**CALVES** 245. One Prime vealer at 117.00, few Choice 96.00-113.00, few Good 79.00-97.00, Standard &

Good (few) 90-120 lbs 68.00-79.00, 70-90 lbs. 55.00-69.00, Utility 55-130 lbs. 45.00-58.00. Farm calves, holstein bulls 85-120 lbs. 70.00-90.00; holstein heifers 75-125 lbs. 77.00-137.50; beef cross bulls & heifers 70-100 lbs. 72.00-96.00.

**HOGS** 119. Barrows & gilts \$1 to \$1.50 lower. One lot US No. 1-2 200 lbs. barrows & gilts 41.95, No. 1-3 200-250 lbs. 37.25-41.00, few No. 2-3 250-300 lbs. 36.75-40.00, No. 1-3 130-170 lbs. 37.75-38.00. US No. 1-3 300-500 lbs. sows 30.00-34.50. Boars 26.00-31.00.

**FEEDER PIGS** 33. US No. 1-3 30-45 lbs. feeder pigs 18.00-22.00 per head, No. 1-3 55-85 lbs. 23.50-34.50, one lot No. 1-3 90 lbs. 37.00 per head.

**SHEEP** 1592. Bulk of supply sold to the Easter trade. Choice 20-30 lbs. spring slaughter lambs 90.00-130.00, two lots 132.00, 35-45 lbs. 80.00-120.00, 45-55 lbs. 75.00-95.00, 55-65 lbs. 72.00-85.00, 60-75 lbs. 70.00-80.00, Good 30-50 lbs 70.00-80.00, Choice 55-65 lbs. woolled slaughter lambs 60.00-64.50 lbs. clipped lambs 65.00-66.00, Good 55.70 lbs. woolled slaughter lambs 48.00-55.00, one lot clipped lambs 70 lbs. at 54.00. Slaughter ewes 18.00-30.00

## Dewart Auction

Dewart, Pa.  
Monday, April 6

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**CATTLE** 181 Compared with last Monday's market, slaughter steers 75 cents higher. Slaughter cows steady to \$1.50 lower. Choice No. 2-4 1100-1325 lbs. slaughter steers 61.85-63.85, Good 54.75-57.75, couple to 61.00, few Standard 52.00-54.60. Few Choice slaughter heifers 56.75-61.50, few Good 52.00-54.25. Utility & Commercial slaughter cows 42.75-46.75, couple to 48.25, Cutters 40.00-43.00, few Canner & Low Cutter 36.00-39.35. One Choice slaughter bullock at 59.25. Few Yield Grade #1 1060-2130 lbs. slaughter bulls 54.50-60.50; few yield grade #2 1320-1650 lbs. 51.25-53.75. Few Large Frame #2 360-610 lbs. feeder steers 55.00-68.50; few Large Frame #2 440-560 lbs. feeder heifers 54.00-58.00, few holsteins 43.00-52.00 lbs. 70.00-73.50.

**CALVES** 164 Vealers about steady. Few Choice vealers 92.00-112.00, Good 74.00-91.00, Standard & Good 70-95 lbs. 55.00-64.00. Farm calves, holstein bulls 85-125 lbs 75.00-90.00, couple to 94.00; holstein heifers 80-130 lbs 120.00-152.50

**HOGS** 605. Barrows & gilts 25 cents to 50 cents lower. US No. 1-2 200-235 lbs. barrows & gilts 41.60-42.00, couple lots to 42.20, No. 1-3 195-250 lbs. 39.00-41.40, no. 2-3 240-270 lbs. 35.00-38.00, few lots No. 1-3 170-185 lbs. 36.00-37.50. US No. 1-3 300-500 lbs. sows 33.00-37.00 Boars 29.00-32.00.

**FEEDER PIGS** 165. US No. 1-3 20-35 lbs. feeder pigs 12.00-22.50 per head, No. 1-3 50-65 lbs. 27.50-35.00 per head, No. 1-3 100-150 lbs. 34.50-40.50 cwt.

**SHEEP** 16. Bulk of supply sold to the Easter trade. Few Choice 18-36 lbs. spring slaughter lambs 108.00-160.00. Slaughter ewes 28.00-24.00.

## Middleburg Auction

Middleburg, Pa.  
Tuesday, April 7

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**CATTLE** 223 Compared with last Tuesday's market, slaughter cows 50 cents to \$1.50 lower. Choice No. 2-4 1050-1280 lbs slaughter steers 60.00-62.35, Good 54.75-58.00, couple to 61.00, Standard 48.25-53.75 Few Choice slaughter heifers 58.25-60.25, few Good 53.00-56.00 Utility & Commercial slaughter cows 42.25-45.85, couple to 47.00,

Cutters 40.50-43.75, Canner & Low Cutter 36.50-40.00 Few Choice slaughter bullocks 55.50-56.00, one at 63.85. Yield Grade #1 930-1810 lbs. slaughter bulls 47.50-54.10. Few Medium Frame #1 400-500 lbs. feeder steers 66.00-68.00, few Large Frame #2 300-500 lbs. 59.00-62.00; holstein heifers 350-750 lbs. 53.00-93.00

**CALVES** 176. Couple Prime vealers 106.00 and 116.00, few Choice 95.00-110.00, Good 80.00-90.00, Standard & Good 70-95 lbs. 56.00-60.00. Farm calves, holstein bulls 85-125 lbs. 60.00-85.00; holstein heifers 80-140 lbs. 80.00-170.00, mostly 125.00-150.00; few beef cross bulls 77.00-101.00.

**HOGS** 719. (MONDAY, APRIL 6, 1981) Barrows & gilts steady. US No 1-2 210-235 lbs. barrows & gilts 42.00-43.10, No 1-3 190-250 lbs. 41.25-42.00, No 2-3 190-270 lbs. 38.00-41.25. US No 1-3 330-480 lbs sows 37.00-39.50, No 2-3 300-600 lbs. 28.25-36.00 Boars 30.50-32.00. (TUESDAY 106 HEAD). One lot US No 1-2 230 lbs 41.35, No 1-3 220-240 lbs 40.85-41.00, No. 1-3 180-195 lbs 38.00-40.10.

**FEEDER PIGS** 180. US No 1-3 20-35 lbs feeder pigs 19.50-28.00 per head, No. 1-3 35-50 lbs 27.00-33.00 per head, one lot No. 1-3 137 lbs 36.50 cwt.

**SHEEP** 6 Bulk of supply spring slaughter lambs sold to the Easter trade. Few Choice 20-25 lbs spring slaughter lambs 125.00-170.00 Few Slaughter ewes 19.50-26.50

## Thomasville Livestock

Wednesday, April 8

Steers: Choice 62.25-64.00; Good 59-61.00; Holsteins 53-59; Heifer, good 55-60; Bulls 54-60.25.

Cows: Utility and Good 43-46.35; Cannors and Cutters 39-42.00; Low Cutters 35-38.

Calves: 31 head, Choice 1.10-1.28; Good 95-1.05.

Feeder Cattle: Choice 65-70; Good 55-65.

Lambs: Good 90-132

Goats 25-40.

Pigs 72 head. 25-30 lbs 19-25, 35-40 lbs. 28-33

Hogs: 305 head. Private Treaty 200-230 lbs 39.50-40

Sows: 375-600 lbs 30.50-38.50; 300-400 lbs. 28-35.

Boars: 28 50-30.25.

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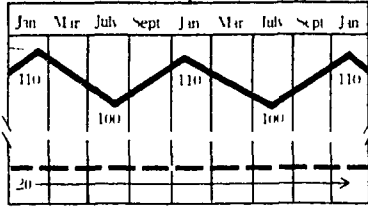


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Agway Poultry Enterprise specialists are available to help you set up a DNI program for your operation. You'll find that DNI is simple. All you do is watch your birds' feed intake and adjust feeds accordingly.

So contact your local Agway today for more details on the DNI program — the system that makes sure your birds get the nutrients they need without wasting dollars.

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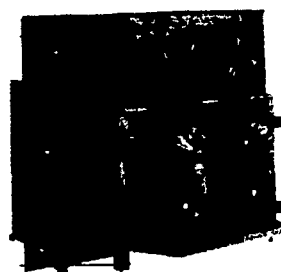
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