

# Livestock market and auction news

## Lancaster Market

Monday, September 14  
Report supplied by USDA  
Cattle Calves Hogs Sheep

Today	972	105	1034	156
Last Monday	824	27	1382	252
Last Year	1090	97	1030	68
Monday's Auction	978	109	1140	132
Last Monday's Auction	886	27	1511	63

**CATTLE:** Compared to last Wednesday slaughter steers 50-75 higher; slaughter heifers fully steady; cows uneven, Utility and Commercial steady to weak, Canner and Cutter firm; bullocks 1.00-2.00 higher; bulls uneven, yield grade 1 50-1.00 higher, yield grade 2 mostly steady.

**SLAUGHTER STEERS:** High Choice and Prime 3-4 1235-1400 lb. 70.00-72.35, part load 1290-1390 lb. 73.85-74.10, few 1190-1225 lb. 68.50-69.00; Good and Choice 1-2 1050-1375 lb. 69.25-70.50, few head 72.00-74.00; Choice 2-4 1050-1425 lb. 66.00-69.00, around 25 head 69.00-70.00; few Choice 2-3 925-1050 lb. 65.00-66.25; high Good and low Choice 2-3 62.00-65.75; Good 2-3 56.00-62.00; Good and Choice 1150-1400 lb. Holsteins 56.75-59.50; few Standard 1-2 50.50-56.50.

**SLAUGHTER HEIFERS:** Choice 2-3 860-1100 lb. 59.25-63.00, few head yield grade 2 63.25-66.00, couple 68.75-72.75; few Choice 2-3 800-840 lb. 56.75-57.50; Good 2-3 850-1025 lb. 55.00-58.50.

**COWS:** Utility and Commercial 1-3 43.50-44.50, few 44.75-46.50; Cutter 1-2 41.50-44.00; Canner and low Cutter 38.00-41.50.

**BULLOCKS:** Choice 1000-1400 lb. 57.50-61.50, few 61.50-63.75; Good 1000-1250 lb. 53.75-58.50.

**BULLS:** Yield grade 1 1350-1800 lb. 54.00-59.50, few 59.50-61.75; yield grade 2 1000-1400 lb. 50.00-54.50, few 55.00-58.50.

**VEAL CALVES:** Vealers mostly steady. Demand fair for Holstein bulls to return to farm.

**VEALERS:** One lot Prime 315 lb. 125.00; Choice and Prime 180-350 lb. 100.00-112.00; Choice 160-280 lb. 85.00-106.00; high Good and low Choice 120-250 lb. 63.00-80.00, 85-110 lb. 52.00-62.00, 60-85 lb. 40.00-50.00.

**RETURNED TO FARM:** Few 90-125 lb. Holstein bulls 80.00-95.00.

**SHEEP:** Small supply Choice spring lambs fully steady, Good 1.00-2.00 lower; slaughter ewes fully steady.

**SPRING LAMBS:** Few Choice 75-105 lb. 58.00-60.50; mixed Good and Choice 70-100 lb. 50.00-55.00; Good 50-85 lb. 38.00-48.00.

**SLAUGHTER EWES:** Utility and Good 20.00-28.00.

## Vintage Livestock

Tuesday, September 15  
Report supplied by USDA  
Cattle Calves Hogs Sheep

Today	1077	922	19
Last Tuesday	928	947	23
Last Year	807	779	43

**CATTLE:** Compared to last Tuesday slaughter steers uneven, few early sales Choice and Prime steady with later sales mostly 1.00 lower, Good to low Choice 50-1.00 lower with some late sale 1.50 lower; slaughter heifers not tested; cows steady, instances 1.00 higher; bulls not fully tested. Supply included 70 per cent slaughter steers and 25 per cent cows.

**SLAUGHTER STEERS:** High Choice and Prime 3-4 1150-1350 lb. 70.00-72.00, 15 head 72.25-73.50, few late sales 1100-1300 lb. 68.50-70.50; Good and Choice 1-2 1100-1350 lb. 69.25-72.25; Choice 2-4 1050-1125 lb. 65.50-69.50, around 65 head 69.50-70.75, few sales 975-1050 lb. 64.75-66.50; high Good and low Choice 2-3 62.25-66.25; Good 2-3 57.00-62.25; few head Choice 1250-1450 lb. Holsteins 59.00-59.85; Standard 1-2 48.00-52.50.

**SLAUGHTER HEIFERS:** 12 head Choice 2 995-1165 lb. 63.75-67.25, individual 1210 lb. 68.00.

**COWS:** Utility and Commercial 1-3 42.75-46.50, few 46.75-47.75, couple 48.00-48.75; Cutter 1-2 40.50-44.50, few 45.00-47.00; Canner and low Cutter 38.00-41.50.

**BULLS:** Few yield grade 1 1300-1800 lb. 51.60-54.00, couple 54.00-56.00; yield grade 2 1000-1400 lbs. 48.50-51.00.

**FEEDER STEERS:** Around 40 head Medium Frame #1 885-1050 lb. 57.50-60.75.

**VEAL CALVES:** Vealers steady to 5.00 lower. Supply included 579 in graded sale of which 65 per cent sold to return to farm.

**VEALERS:** Choice 140-230 lb. 82.00-94.00; high Good and low Choice 140-210 lb. 70.00-85.00, 110-130 lb. 63.00-75.00, 90-110 lb. 52.00-62.00, 70-85 lb. 40.00-52.00; around 50 head Standard 60-105 lb. 30.00-45.00.

**RETURNED TO FARM:** 40 head 100-115 lb. Holstein heifers 180.00-182.00, 25 head 90-95 lb. 134.00-16 head small frame 100-105 lb. 150.00, 25 head small frame 80-90 lb. 80.00-100.00; 30 head 120-125 lb. Holstein bulls 77.00-79.00, 170 head 100-115

lb. 64.00-73.00, 55 head 90-95 lb. 60.00, and 30 head small frame 110-125 lb. 55.00-60.00.

**SHEEP:** Insufficient volume for a market test; few 65-90 lb. Choice spring lambs 56.00-62.00, couple 65.00-66.00.

## Lancaster Auction

Wednesday, September 16  
Report supplied by USDA  
Cattle Calves Hogs Sheep

Today	395	68	768	6
Last Wednesday	508	59	1249	29
Last Year	743	39	1044	4
Wednesday's Auction	312	69	780	7
Last Wednesday's Auction	429	59	1226	19

**CATTLE:** Compared to Monday slaughter steers very uneven, small supply high Choice and Prime weak to 50 lower, bulk of Good to average Choice steers fully steady; slaughter heifers not tested; cows mostly steady; bullocks steady to 1.00 lower; bulls 1.00-1.50 lower. Supply included 59% slaughter steers, 8% slaughter heifers, 14% cows, and 19% bulls.

**SLAUGHTER STEERS:** Few high Choice and Prime 3-4 1140-1225 lb. 68.50-70.35, few head Choice 2 1175-1325 lb. 69.25-71.25; Choice 2-4 1050-1300 lb. 66.00-68.00, few head 68.00-68.75; high Good and low Choice 2-3 1025-1250 lb. 62.75-65.50; few head Good and Choice 1200-1565 lb. Holsteins 57.00-60.60.

**SLAUGHTER HEIFERS:** Few head Choice 2-3 875-1050 lb. 59.25-62.00; Good 2-3 850-1050 lb. 55.00-59.00.

**COWS:** Utility and Commercial 1-3 43.25-45.50, couple 45.75-46.25; Cutter 1-2 41.00-43.75, couple 44.00-45.00; Canner and low Cutter 38.00-41.00.

**BULLOCKS:** Few Choice 1150-1400 lb. 59.25-60.00; few Good 1000-1250 lb. 53.50-57.75.

**BULLS:** Yield grade 1 1300-1800 lb. 52.00-56.00, couple 56.75-62.00; yield grade 2 1000-1350 lb. 48.00-52.50.

**VEAL CALVES:** Supply mainly high Good and low Choice 50-115 lb.

vealers selling steady. Demand only fair for Holstein bulls returned to farm.

**VEALERS:** High Good and low Choice 80-105 lb. 45.00-55.00, few 105-115 lb. 56.00-62.00, few 60-85 lb. 38.00-45.00.

**RETURNED TO FARM:** Few 80-110 lb. Holstein bulls 58.00-61.00.

**SHEEP:** No market test.

## New Holland Livestock

Thursday, September 17  
Report supplied by USDA

**CATTLE:** 1121. Compared to last Thursday slaughter steers mostly steady; slaughter heifers not fully tested; cows 1.00-2.00 higher; bullocks not fully tested; bulls 1.00-3.00 higher. Supply included 56 per cent slaughter steers, 25 per cent cows, 10 per cent bulls and 4 per cent slaughter heifers.

**SLAUGHTER STEERS:** High Choice and Prime 3-4 1130-1450 lb. 70.50-73.85, around 20 head 74.00-74.75; few 1050-1175 lb. 69.50-71.00; Good and Choice 1-2 1050-1400 lb. 70.00-72.50, few 72.50-74.00; Choice 2-4 1050-1425 lb. 66.00-69.00, few 69.50-71.00; Choice 2-3 975-1050 lb. 65.00-66.50; mixed Good and Choice 2-3 63.00-66.00; Good 2-3 60.00-64.50; Good and Choice 1150-1500 lb. Holsteins 57.25-61.60; Standard 1-2 51.50-57.00.

**SLAUGHTER HEIFERS:** Few Choice 2-3 900-1000 lb. 61.00-62.85; Good 2-3 825-1025 lb. 53.25-58.00.

**COWS:** Utility and Commercial 1-3 44.75-48.85, several 49.35-51.50; Cutter 1-2 42.00-47.00, few 47.00-47.75; Canner and low Cutter 38.00-42.25.

**BULLOCKS:** Few Choice 1050-1325 lb. 59.50-62.60; Good 1000-1300 lb. 54.00-57.50.

**BULLS:** Yield grade 1 1300-1900 lb. 55.00-59.75, few 60.00-62.25; yield grade 2 1000-1350 lb. 51.25-55.50.

**VEAL CALVES:** 652. Vealers mostly steady. Demand good for calves to return to farm.

**VEALERS:** Few Prime 250-320 lb. 107.00-118.00; Choice 140-280 lb. 84.00-100.00, few 100.00-108.00; high Good and low Choice 125-200 lb. 70.00-85.00, 105-125 lb. 58.00-75.00, 80-105 lb. 44.00-60.00, 60-80 lb. 35.00-45.00.

**RETURNED TO FARM:** Bulk

80-125 lb. Holstein heifers 80.00-110.00, several 135.00-158.00; bulk 85-120 lb. Holstein bulls 65.00-75.00, few 75.00-81.00.

**SHEEP:** 26. Small supply spring lambs 2.00-3.00 lower; slaughter ewes 2.00-3.00 higher.

**SPRING LAMBS:** Choice 80-115 lb. 60.00-67.00; few Good 60-85 lb. 49.00-60.00.

**SLAUGHTER EWES:** Utility and Good 25.00-33.00.

**GOATS:** 17. All goats sold by the head mainly 25.00-40.00, few 40.00-49.00.

## Lancaster Co. Weekly

Friday, September 18  
Report supplied by USDA

	Cattle Calves
This Week	4500 1750
Last Week	3939 1621
Last Year	4666 1664

**CATTLE:** Slaughter steers mostly steady after some sales early part of week being fully 1.00 lower; slaughter heifers steady; cows 1.00-2.00 higher; bullocks 1.00-2.00 higher; bulls closed the week 1.00-3.00 higher. Supply included 49 per cent slaughter steers, 15 per cent cows, 8 per cent bulls, 4 per cent heifers, with the balance feeder steers held mainly for Friday's auction.

**SLAUGHTER STEERS:** High Choice and Prime 3-4 1125-1450 lbs. 70.00-73.85, around 25 head 74.00-74.75, few 1050-1175 lbs. 68.50-71.00; Good and choice 1-2 1100-1400 lbs. 69.25-72.50, few head 72.50-74.00; Choice 2-4 1050-1425 lbs. 65.50-69.50, around 100 head 69.50-71.00; Choice 2-3 975-1050 lbs. 64.75-66.50, high Good and low Choice 2-3 62.25-66.25, Good 2-3 57.00-62.50; Good and Choice 1150-1500 lbs. holsteins 56.75-60.00, few 60.00-61.60, Standard 1-2 48.00-57.00.

**SLAUGHTER HEIFERS:** Choice 2-3 850-1100 lbs. 59.25-63.00, few Yield Grade 2 950-1165 lbs. 63.25-67.25, few 2-3 800-840 lbs. 56.25-57.50, Good 2-3 850-1050 lbs. 53.25-58.50.

**COWS:** Utility and Commercial 1-3 44.00-48.50, several 49.00-51.50, Cutter 1-2 41.50-47.00, few 47.00-47.75, Canner and low Cutter 38.00-42.25.

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SLAUGHTER SALES — MON. & WED. 10:00 A.M.  
VEALERS, LAMBS, HOGS — MON. & WED. 11:00 A.M.  
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### WEDNESDAY'S AUCTION

12:00 Noon - Dairy Sale  
1:30 P.M. - Feeder Pig Sale

### THURSDAY'S AUCTION

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