

Livestock market and auction news

Lancaster Market
Monday, November 2
Report supplied by USDA

	Cattle	Calves	Hogs	Sheep
Today	854	115	1189	232
Last Monday	962	108	1431	167
Last Year	890	95	869	148
Monday's Auction	729	117	1140	232
Last Monday's Auction	590	119	1447	173

CATTLE: Compared to last Monday slaughter steers mostly 1.00 lower; slaughter heifers steady to 1.00 lower; cows 1.00-2.00 lower; bullocks steady; bulls fully steady, instances 1.00 higher on yield grade 1.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Few head high Choice and Prime 3-4 1150-1325 lb. 61.25-63.50; few head Choice 2 1100-1250 lb. 63.50-64.75, couple 68.50; Choice 2-4 1025-1325 lb. 61.50-62.85, couple 63.00-63.50; high Good and low Choice 2-3 950-1300 lb. 58.00-61.75; Good 2-3 55.00-58.50; Good and Choice 1175-1465 lb. Holsteins 54.50-56.50; few Standard 1-2 52.00-54.75.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2-3 900-1175 lb. 58.50-60.50, couple yield grade 2 62.25; Good 2-3 850-1025 lb. 54.00-57.50.

COWS: Utility and Commercial 1-3 37.00-39.00, few head 39.00-40.00; Cutter 1-2 36.00-38.50; Canner and low Cutter 34.00-37.00.

BULLOCKS: Choice 1050-1325 lb. 61.50-63.25, couple 63.25-65.75; Good 1000-1350 lb. 51.50-58.75.

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1275-2000 lb. 51.60-55.75, several 56.50-59.85; yield grade 2 1000-1450 lb. 48.50-53.00, few 900-1025 lb. 44.50-48.25.

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

VEALERS: 15 head lot Prime special fed 290 lb. bought to arrive at 130.00; Choice 140-280 lb. 95.00-106.00, couple 106.00-110.00; high Good and low Choice 130-250 lb. 65.00-90.00, 80-120 lb. 45.00-55.00 few 55.00-62.00, 65-80 lb. 40.00-45.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: Bulk 85-115 lb. Holstein bulls 80.00-90.00.

SHEEP: Woolled lambs mostly steady, instances 3.00 lower on Choice; slaughter ewes scarce.

WOOLED LAMBS: Few head Choice 90-105 lb. 61.00-63.00; bulk Choice 80-105 lb. 52.00-54.00; Good 60-95 lb. 45.00-50.00.

Vintage Livestock
Tuesday, November 3
Report supplied by USDA

	Cattle	Calves	Sheep
Today	822	848	34
Last Tuesday	1023	915	37
Last Year	600	745	21

CATTLE: Compared to last Tuesday slaughter steers weak to 50 lower, instances 75 lower, slaughter heifers weak to 1.00 lower; cows 50-1.00 lower, instances 2.00 lower; bulls 1.00-2.00 higher on small supply. Supply included 58% slaughter steers, 36% cows, 3% bulls and 3% slaughter heifers.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 3-4 1100-1425 lb. 63.35-65.25; Good and Choice 1-2 64.50-66.50, ten head 66.75-69.00; Choice 2-4 1025-1350 lb. 61.50-63.75, few 63.75-64.25; high Good and low Choice 2-3 60.00-62.75; Good 2-3 58.00-61.00; Good and Choice 1125-1460 lb. Holsteins 54.00-57.00; Standard 1-2 51.00-52.25.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Few head Choice 2-3 850-1025 lb. 58.00-58.75; couple Good 2-3 825-975 lb. 54.00-57.50.

COWS: Utility and Commercial 1-3 39.00-40.50, few 40.50-41.25; Commercial 3-4 37.00-39.00; Cutter 1-2 36.50-38.75, few 39.00-39.50; Canner and low Cutter 32.75-36.25.

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1450-2040 lb. 52.75-54.50, individual 1550 lb. 60.75; yield grade 2 1100-1675 lb. 48.60-51.00.

VEAL CALVES: Vealers weak to 5.00 lower. Supply included 608 in graded sale of which 70% sold to return to farm.

VEALERS: Choice 210-300 lb. 78.00-88.00, couple 140-160 lb. 94.00-95.00; high Good and low Choice 140-260 lb. 60.00-80.00, 80-120 lb. 50.00-55.00, 70-80 lb. 40.00-45.00; several Standard 55-95 lb. 30.00-45.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: 55 head 90-115 lb. Holstein heifers 127.00-135.00; 25 head 80-85 lb. 90.00; 20 head small frame 80-110 lb. 68.00-100.00. 190 head 100-120 lb. Holstein bulls 89.00-97.00; 70 head 90-95 lb. 61.00; 25 head small frame 110-125 lb. 74.00-76.00 and 45 head small frame 100-105 lb. 60.00-61.00.

SHEEP: Woolled lambs 3.00-8.00 lower.

WOOLED LAMBS: Few Choice 75-100 lb. 42.00-44.00; Good 50-100 lb. 35.00-41.00.

Lancaster Auction
Wednesday, November 4
Report supplied by USDA

	Cattle	Calves	Hogs	Sheep
Today	599	40	1252	5
Last Wednesday	769	20	1163	21
Last Year	825	108	1290	19
Wednesday's Auction	252	40	1264	5
Last Wednesday's Auction	259	22	1199	41

CATTLE: Compared to Monday small supply slaughter steers mostly steady; slaughter heifers not tested; cows steady; bullocks not tested; bulls weak to mostly 1.00 lower with yield grade 2 fully 1.00 lower. Supply included 68 percent slaughter steer, 14 per cent cows, 12 per cent bulls and 6 per cent slaughter heifers.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Few head Prime 3-4 1150-1325 lbs. 63.00-63.75; Choice 2-3 few 4 1050-1325 lb. 61.00-62.75; high Good and low Choice 2-3 950-1225 lb. 58.50-61.50; Good 2-3 55.00-58.00; Good and Choice 1200-1475 lb. Holsteins 54.00-56.25; few Standard 1-2 50.00-54.50.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Few head Choice 2-3 900-1025 lb. 59.00-61.50.

COWS: Utility and Commercial 1-3 38.75-40.25; couple Commercial 3-4 37.00-37.75; Cutter 1-2 36.25-39.50; Canner and low Cutter 33.00-36.25.

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1450-2000 lb. 51.00-53.50; yield grade 2 950-1300 lb. 45.75-51.00.

VEAL CALVES: Insufficient volume for a market test, small supply mainly high Good and low Choice 75-105 lb. selling at 45.00-55.00.

SHEEP: No market test.

NEW HOLLAND LIVESTOCK
Thursday, November 5
Cattle Calves Sheep Goats

Today	728	606	46	16
Last Thursday	851	574	51	

CATTLE: Compared to last Thursday slaughter steers mostly steady; slaughter heifers scarce, few sales 1.00-1.50 lower; cows 50 to mostly 1.00 higher, instances 2.00 higher; Bullocks not well tested; Bulls 1.00-2.00 lower. Supply included 40 per cent slaughter steers, 4 per cent slaughter heifers, 41 per cent cows, 8 per cent bulls with the balance feeder steers.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Few High Choice and Prime 3-4 1125-1275 lbs. 65.00-65.75; Good and Choice 1-2 1025-1275 lbs. 65.00-66.00, couple 66.50-67.50; Choice 2-4 1025-1325 lbs. 61.50-64.00, few 64.00-64.75; High Good and Low Choice 2-3 59.50-61.75; Good 2-3 56.50-60.00; few Good and Choice 1150-1400 lbs. holsteins 55.00-56.75; few Standard 1-2 52.00-54.25.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Good to low Choice 2-3 850-1025 lbs. 53.50-55.50, individual Choice 2 1025 lbs. 59.75.

COWS: Utility and Commercial 1-3 39.25-41.75, few 42.00-44.00; Commercial 3-4 36.50-40.00; Cutter 1-2 38.00-41.00, few 41.00-42.25; Canner and Low Cutter 34.75-38.50.

BULLOCKS: Good 1000-1350 lbs. 52.25-55.25, few Choice 1050-1350 lbs. 59.25-64.50.

BULLS: Yield Grade 1 1300-1800 lbs. 49.50-53.25, few 55.00-57.75. Yield Grade 2 950-1350 lbs. 43.50-49.25.

VEAL CALVES: Vealers mostly steady, instances 3.00 lower on high Good and low Choice 60-115 lbs. demand good for calves to return to farm.

VEALERS: Few Prime Special Fed 270-330 lbs. 112.00-118.00; Choice 140-290 lbs. 88.00-100.00, few 100.00-105.00; High Good and Low Choice 140-300 lbs. 65.00-85.00, 115-140 lbs. 60.00-72.00, 80-115 lbs. 45.00-56.00, few 56.00-63.00, several 60-80 lbs. 35.00-48.00.

SLAUGHTER CALVES: Good and Choice 320-530 lbs. 43.00-55.00, few Choice 285-350 lbs. 55.00-62.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: Bulk 90-120 lbs. holstein heifers 88.00-115.00, few 115.00-129.00; bulk 90-

120 lbs. holstein bulls 82.00-99.00, several 70-100 lbs. 60.00-80.00.

SHEEP: Woolled lambs 5.00-8.00 lower; slaughter ewes weak to 3.00 lower.

WOOLED LAMBS: Few Choice 90-110 lbs. 46.00-48.00; Good 60-90 lbs. 31.00-41.00.

SLAUGHTER EWES: Utility and Good 17.00-27.00, few 27.00-31.00.

GOATS: All goats sold by the head mainly 21.00-38.00, couple 40.00-47.00.

Lancaster Weekly

Friday, November 6

	Cattle	Calves
This Week	4000	1610
Last Week	4555	1622
Last Year	4081	1462

CATTLE: Slaughter steers 1.00 lower during the week although small supply on Thursday sold mostly steady; slaughter heifers weak to 1.00 lower; cows 1.00-2.00 lower during the week although this decline erased on Thursday with closing sales fully 1.00 higher; bullocks scarce, weak to 1.00 lower; bulls 1.00-2.00 lower. Supply included 32 per cent slaughter steers, 18 per cent cows, 6 per cent bulls, 5 per cent heifers with the balance feeder steers held for Thursday and Friday's auction.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 3-4 1150-1350 lbs. 63.35-65.75; Good and Choice 1-2 1050-1325 lbs. 64.50-66.50, 15 head 66.75-69.00; Choice 2-4 1000-1350 lbs. 61.50-64.00, few 64.00-64.75; high Good and low Choice 2-3 950-1300 lbs. 58.00-61.75, Good 2-3 55.00-60.50; Good and Choice 1125-1460 lb. holsteins 54.00-57.00, few Standard 1-2 51.00-54.75.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2-3 900-1175 lbs. 58.00-61.50, couple Yield Grade 2 62.25; Good 2-3 825-1025 lbs. 53.50-57.50.

COWS: Utility and Commercial 1-3 closed the week at 39.25-41.75, few 42.00-44.00, Cutter 1-2 38.00-41.00, few 41.00-42.25, Canner and low Cutter 34.00-38.50.

BULLOCKS: Choice 1050-1325 lbs. 59.25-63.25, few 63.25-65.75; Good 1000-1350 lbs. 51.50-58.75.

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