

Livestock market and auction news

Lancaster Market

Monday, November 16
Report supplied by USDA

	Cattle	Calves	Hogs	Sheep
Today	959	103	1294	139
Last Mon.	989	105	1005	159
Last Year	856	99	798	159
Monday's Auction	820	137	1289	165
Last Monday's Auction	739	105	980	150

CATTLE: Compared to last Monday slaughter steers 1.00-2.00 higher, instances 2.50 higher; slaughter heifers 1.00-2.00 higher; cows steady to 1.00 higher; bullocks fully steady; bulls weak to 1.00 lower. Supply included 51% slaughter steers, 26% bulls, 12% heifers, and 11% cows.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Few mixed Choice and Prime 2-4 1200-1300 lb. 65.00-65.25; Good and Choice 1-2 1050-1325 lb. 64.50-65.85; Choice 2-4 1050-1380 lb. 63.00-64.85; high Good and low Choice 2-3 950-1275 lb. 61.75-63.60; Good 2-3 900-1225 lb. 58.00-62.25; few Good and Choice 1100-1425 lb. Holsteins 57.00-58.25, couple 59.25-60.00; couple lots Standard 1-2 1000-1070 lb. 52.75-53.00

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2-3 875-1050 lb. 59.00-62.50, couple yield grade 2 64.60-64.75; Good 2-3 800-1050 lb. 53.00-59.50.

COWS: Utility and Commercial 1-3 39.50-41.50, few 41.50-42.50; Cutter 1-2 37.50-39.50, few 39.50-40.50; Canner and low Cutter 35.00-38.00.

BULLOCKS: Choice 1050-1300 lb. 60.50-64.50, couple 66.10-67.00; Good 1000-1300 lb. 52.75-58.25; couple 950-1000 lb. 48.75-52.50.

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1350-1900 lb. 51.50-54.50, few 54.50-57.10; yield grade 2 1000-1450 lb. 48.00-2.00, few 900-1000 lb. 44.00-48.00.

VEAL CALVES: Vealers firm to mostly 5.00 higher.

VEALERS: Prime special fed 280-340 lb. 115.00-123.00, including 18 head lot 315-340 lb. at 120.00; choice 140-280 lb. 92.00-105.00, few 105.00-115.00; high Good and low Choice 130-250 lb. 72.00-90.00, 80-130 lb 45.00-55.00, few 55.00-65.00, 65-80 lb. 40.00-50.00.

SLAUGHTER CALVES: Several Choice 180-250 lb. 75.00-85.00.

SHEEP: Woolled lambs 3.00-6.00 higher; slaughter ewes steady, instances 5.00 lower.

WOOLED LAMBS: Few head Choice 55-60 lb 62.00-68.00, 15 head Choice 100-106 lb. 61.00, bulk Choice 80-105 lb. 55.00-59.00; Good 60-95 lb. 48.00-52.00.

SLAUGHTER EWES: Utility and Good 17.00-29.00.

Vintage Livestock

Tuesday, November 17
Report supplied by USDA

	Cattle	Calves	Sheep
Today	907	874	18
Last Tuesday	819	857	10
Last Year	715	759	58

CATTLE: Compared to last Tuesday slaughter steers 50-1.00 higher, instances 1.50 higher, although Good and Choice 1-2 to retail outlets weak to 1.00 lower; slaughter heifers 1.00-1.50 higher; cows 50-1.00 lower; bulls weak to 1.00 lower. Supply included 59% slaughter steers, 34% cows, 5% slaughter heifers and 3% bulls. Slaughter steer supply mainly Good to low Choice with very few high Choice and Prime on offer.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Few head Choice and Prime 3-4 1200-1300 lb. 64.50-66.85; Good and Choice 1-2 1075-1425 lb. 64.50-66.75; Choice 2-4 1050-1425 lb. 62.75-64.75, 10 head early 65.25-65.85, high Good and low Choice 2-3 60.00-63.25; Good 2-3 58.00-61.50; Good and Choice 1150-1375 lb. Holsteins 54.50-58.25, few Standard 1-2 900-1050 lb. 49.00-53.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2-3 895-1095 lb. 59.75-61.75, six head 1210-1365 lb. 61.75-63.50; Good 2-3 850-1000 lb. 56.00-60.00.

COWS: Utility and Commercial 1-3 39.00-41.50, several 41.75-43.00; Cutter 1-2 36.75-40.00, few 40.00-41.50; Canner and low Cutter 33.50-37.00.

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1400-1900 lb. 51.00-54.00; yield grade 2 1000-1400 lb. 49.00-51.00.

VEAL CALVES: Vealers weak to 5.00 lower, although Choice not tested. Supply included 578 in graded sale of which 74% sold to return to farm.

VEALERS: Individual Choice 140 lb 94.00; high Good and low Choice 120-190 lb. 52.00-85.00, 90-115 lb. 44.00-56.50, 80-90 lb. 40.00-50.00, 60-80 lb. 22.00-40.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: 75 head 90-120 lb. Holstein heifers 130.00-150.00; one lot small frame 80-90 lb. 88.00 and lot lot 81 lb. 50.00. 215 head 100-125 lb. Holstein bulls 81.00-89.00; 50 head 90-95 lb. 60.00-62.00; and 70 head small frame 100-125 lb 55.00-63.00.

SHEEP: Insufficient volume for a market test; individual Choice 70 lb. woolled lamb 56.00, few Utility and Good slaughter ewes 11.00-18.00.

Lancaster Auction

Wednesday, November 18

Report supplied by USDA

	Cattle	Calves	Hogs	Sheep
Today	462	21	1157	12
Last Wednesday	774	16	1251	4
Last Year	489	62	1050	13
Wednesday's Auction	257	21	1147	12
Last Wednesday's Auction	232	23	1256	4

CATTLE: Compared to Monday small supply slaughter steers 1.00-1.50 lower; slaughter heifers steady to weak; cows 50-1.00 lower; bullocks not fully tested; bulls fully steady. Supply included 55% slaughter steers, 19% slaughter heifers, 16% cows, and 10% bulls.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Few head Good and Choice 1-2 1100-1275 lb. 63.00-65.00; Choice 2-4 1100-1400 lb. 61.75-63.10, couple 63.35-63.85, one lot 1030 lb. 61.00; high Good and low Choice 2-3 59.00-62.00; few Good and Choice 1100-1450 lb. Holsteins 54.25-55.25; Standard 1-2 50.00-53.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Couple Choice 2 975-1000 lb. 63.25-63.75; couple Choice 3 930-1050 lb. 57.00-59.00; few Good 2-3 800-1000 lb. 53.50-56.00.

COWS: Utility and Commercial 1-3 38.50-41.50; few Commercial 3-4 37.00-38.50; Cutter 1-2 36.00-39.25, couple 40.00-41.00; Canner and low Cutter 32.75-35.75.

BULLOCKS: Couple Choice 1100-1300 lb. 64.25; few Good 1150-1350 lb. 52.60-59.85, few 900-1050 lb. 49.00-51.00.

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1350-1870 lb. 50.75-56.25; few head yield grade 2 1200-1600 lb. 48.25-51.00.

VEAL CALVES: Insufficient volume for a full market test. Few head 80-110 lb. Holstein bulls returned to farm at 60.00-90.00; balance high Good and low Choice 80-105 lb. 45.00-55.00.

SHEEP: Insufficient volume for a market test; one lot Choice 125 lb. woolled lambs 45.00

New Holland Livestock

Thursday, November 19
Report supplied by USDA

	Cattle	Calves	Sheep	Goats
Today	898	562	21	6
Last Thursday	948	605	25	13
Last Year 823	650	21	3	

CATTLE: Compared to last Thursday Slaughter Steers .50-1.00 lower instances 1.50 lower on Good to low Choice; Slaughter Heifers .75-1.50 lower; Cows 1.00-2.00 lower with early sales 2.00-3.00 lower; Bullocks steady; Bulls steady to weak Supply included 43 per cent Slaughter Steers, 41 per cent Cows, 8 per cent Bulls, 6 per cent Slaughter Heifers with the balance Feeder Steers

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Good and Choice 1-2 1050-1300 lb. 63.50-64.75, couple head 65.00-66.25; few head high Choice 3-4 1200-1350 lb. 63.35-63.75; Choice 2-4 1050-1350 lb. 61.50-63.35; High Good and low Choice 2-3 975-1325 lb. 59.75-61.50; Good 2-3 56.00-60.50; few Good and Choice 1150-1350 lb. Holsteins 54.25-55.50, few Standard 1-2 49.50-54.50.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2-3 875-1050 lb. 58.00-59.75; Good 2-3 825-1000 lb. 54.50-58.25.

COWS: Utility and Commercial 1-3 38.00-40.50, several 40.50-42.60, few early sales 37.00-38.00; Cutter 1-2 36.00-39.25, few 39.50-40.25, several early 35.00-36.00; Canner and low Cutter 32.50-36.00.

BULLOCKS: Choice 1000-1375 lb. 58.75-61.75, several 62.00-65.25; Good 1000-1250 lb. 53.50-58.50, few 850-1025 lb. 46.50-52.00

BULLS: Yield Grade 1 1350-1900 lb. 50.50-53.75, few 54.50-55.25; Yield grade 2 1000-1400 lb 47.75-51.00, few 45.00-47.75

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

VEALERS: Few Prime special fed 240-320 lb. 100.00-111.00; Choice 140-300 lb 88.00-97.00, few 97.00-100.00; high Good and low Choice 120-280 lb 65.00-90.00, 80-120 lb 45.00-54.00, few 54.00-58.00, 60-80 lb 34.00-45.00.

RETURNED TO FARM. Bulk 80-115 lb Holstein Bulls 70.00-85.00, few 85.00-93.00, few 100-120 lb

Holstein Heifers 85.00-120.00
SHEEP: Insufficient volume for a market test, one lot Choice 75-120 lb woolled Lambs 53.00-56.00; Utility and Good Slaughter Ewes 18.00-35.00
GOATS: All Goats sold by the head mainly 25.00-38.00

Lancaster Weekly

Friday, November 20

	Cattle	Calves
This Week	4000	1560
Last Week	4260	1590
Last Year	3179	1580

CATTLE: Slaughter steers opened the week 1.00-1.50 higher, sales progressively lower each day thereafter, closing .50-1.00 lower with some sales Good to low Choice 1.50 lower; slaughter heifers .75-1.50 lower; cows closed the week 1.00-2.00 lower; bulls and bullocks mostly steady. Supply included 37 per cent slaughter steers, 20 per cent cows, 8 per cent bulls, 6 per cent heifers with the balance feeder steers many held for Friday's auction. Slaughter steer supply mainly Good to Average Choice with high Choice and Prime scarce after Monday.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 2-4 1250-1300 lbs. mainly on Monday 64.50-65.50, couple head 65.50-66.85; Good and Choice 1-2 1050-1425 lbs. 63.50-65.50, few head 65.50-66.75; Choice 2-4 1050-1325 lbs. closed the week at 61.50-63.50, high Good and low Choice 2-3 59.75-62.00, Good 2-3 56.00-60.50; Good and Choice 1150-1425 lbs. holsteins 54.25-58.25; Standard 1-2 900-1100 lbs. 49.00-53.00.


SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2-3 875-1050 lbs. 58.00-62.50, few Yield Grade 2 62.50-64.75; Good 2-3 800-1050 lbs. 53.00-59.00.

COWS: Utility and Commercial 1-3 38.50-40.50, several mainly early part of week 40.50-43.00, Cutters 1-2 36.00-39.50, few 39.50-41.00, Canner and low Cutter 32.50-36.50

BULLOCKS: Choice 1000-1375 lbs. 58.75-61.75, several 62.00-65.25; Good 1000-1300 lbs. 53.50-58.50, few 850-1025 lbs. 46.50-52.50.

BULLS: Yield Grade 1 1350-1900

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LANCASTER STOCKYARDS WEEKLY SALES

SLAUGHTER SALES — MON. & WED. 10:00 A.M.
VEALERS, LAMBS, HOGS — MON. & WED. 11:00 A.M.
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