

# Hog Markets

## Lancaster Feeder Pigs

Tuesday, March 23  
Report supplied by USDA

Today 677  
Last Tuesday 762  
Last Year 1043  
TREND: Compared to last Tuesday, feeder pigs 10.00-20.00 higher. All pigs weighed on arrival and sold by the hundred weight.  
US 1-2: 35 head 23-28 lbs. 135.00-150.00; 105 head 30-39 lbs. 138.00-145.00; 156 head 40-49 lbs. 129.00-137.00; (one consignor) 82 head 43 lbs. 140.00; 86 head 50-59 lbs. 113.00-120.50; 56 head 67-80 lbs. 87.00-100.00; 10 head 93 lbs. 75.00.  
US 2-3: 12 head 21-28 lbs. 135.00; 12 head 33-38 lbs. 118.00-121.00; 9 head 44 lbs. 107.00; 21 head 51-59 lbs. 96.00-111.00; 5 head 72 lbs. 85.00.

## St. Louis Hogs

Thursday, March 25  
Report supplied by USDA

HOGS: 5000. Trading moderate, barrows and gilts .25-50 lower.  
BARROWS AND GILTS: US 1-2 225-250 lbs. 51.25-51.75; 200-225 lbs. 50.50-51.25; US 1-3 230-260 lbs. 50.50-51.25.  
Sows uneven, weights under 500 lbs. steady to .50 lower, over 500 lbs. mostly 1.00 higher. Us 1-3 300-500 lbs. 46.50-48.00; over 500 lbs. 51.00-53.00; some over 600 lbs. 53.50-54.00.  
Boars over 300 lbs. 44.50-45.00, 200-300 lbs. 45.00-45.50.

## New Holland Feeder Pigs

Wednesday, March 24  
Report supplied by USDA

Today 753  
Last Wednesday 745  
Last Year 652  
TREND: Compared to last Wednesday, feeder pigs 15.00-25.00 higher. All pigs weighed on arrival and sold by the hundred weight.  
US 1-2: 44 head 24-31 lbs. 140.00-150.00; 123 head 40-49 lbs. 110.00-134.00; 84 head 50-59 lbs. 104.00-118.00; 47 head 62-63 lbs. 98.00-102.00; 7 head 79 lbs. 92.00.  
US 2-3: 90 head 23-39 lbs. 102.00-136.00; 60 head 41-55 lbs. 100.00-114.00; 25 head 65-69 lbs. 94.00-102.00; 50 head 70-79 lbs. 83.00-87.00; 6 head 90 lbs. 70.00.  
US 3: 29 head 37-53 lbs. 88.00-98.00.  
Utility: 78 head 28-39 lbs. 90.00-100.00.

## New Holland Hogs

Monday, March 22  
Report supplied by USDA

Today 1046  
Last Monday 1214  
Last Year 1154  
TREND: Compared to last Monday, barrows and gilts 1.00 higher, some early sales 1.50 higher.  
BARROWS AND GILTS: US 1-2 205-240 lbs. 52.25-52.75, some early 52.75-53.25; US 1 210-245 lbs. 53.25-54.00; US 1-3 200-260 lbs. 52.00-52.35, few early 52.50-52.75.

## Lancaster Hogs

Lancaster Stockyards

Monday, March 22

Report supplied by USDA

HOGS: Compared to last Wednesday, barrows and gilts 1.00-1.25 higher.  
BARROWS AND GILTS: US 1-2 205-245 lbs. 53.00-53.75; US 1 210-245 lbs. 53.75-54.75; US 1-3 200-250 lbs. 52.75-53.25.

SOWS: US 1-3 350-450 lbs. 47.00-49.00, few 49.00-49.50; 450-650 lbs. 50.00-52.50, few 52.50-53.50.

Tuesday, March 23

Report supplied by USDA

Today 346  
Last Tuesday 331  
HOGS: Compared to Monday, barrows and gilts steady to firm.  
BARROWS AND GILTS: US 1-2 205-245 lbs. 53.35-53.75; US 1 210-250 lbs. 54.00-54.75; US 1-3 200-260 lbs. 52.65-53.35.

Wednesday, March 24

HOGS: Compared to Tuesday, barrows and gilts .25, instances .50 higher.  
BARROWS AND GILTS: US 1-2 210-245 lbs. 53.50-54.00; US 1 210-245 lbs. 54.25-55.10; US 1-2 190-205 lbs. 51.00-52.50; US 1-3 210-260 lbs. 53.00-53.50.

## Lancaster Hogs

Lancaster Stockyards

Saturday, March 20

Report supplied by auction

1321 head.  
U.S. 1 210-235 lbs. 53.50-54.25, few 54.50-55.10; U.S. 1 & 2 210-245 lbs. 52.85-53.25; U.S. 2 & 3 210-255 lbs. 52.25-52.75; Sows 300-400 lbs. 44.50-47.00; Sows 400 lbs. and up 48.00-51.00; Boars 200-300 lbs. 42.00-45.00; Boars 300 lbs. and up 38.00-38.75.

## Indianapolis Hogs

Thursday, March 25

HOGS: 1500. Barrows and gilts moderately active, 25-50 lower, instances 75 lower.

BARROWS AND GILTS: US 1-2 215-250 lbs. 51.75-52.00; couple lots 210-215 lbs. 51.50.

Sows moderately active, unevenly steady. US 1-3 400-450 lbs. 46.00-46.50; 490-580 lbs. 51.00-53.50, mostly 52.00-53.50; lot 610 lbs. 55.00.  
Boars under 300 lbs. 40.00; over 300 lbs. 42.00-43.00.

# U.S. Inspected Livestock Slaughter

Thursday, Mar. 25  
Report supplied by USDA Estimated Daily Livestock Slaughter Under Federal Inspection

CATTLE	CALVES	HOGS	SHEEP
This Week			
467,000	43,000	1,365,000	101,000
Last Week			
475,000	44,000	1,321,000	101,000
Last Year			
468,000	39,000	1,468,000	88,000

Market courtesy of USDA.

# Chicago Grain Futures

(Closing Bids as of Thursday Mar. 25)

	Corn	Wheat	Soybeans	Soybean Meal
May	3.03½	3.66½	6.36½	184.80
July	2.84¾	3.72½	6.41½	186.80
Sept.		3.84½		
Oct.				190.00
Nov.			6.50	
Dec.	2.89½			

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

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## Vintage Hogs

Vintage Sales Stables

Saturday, March 20

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U.S. 1 & 2 210-235 lbs. 53.00-54.75; U.S. 2 & 3 200-245 lbs. 51.50-53.00; Sows 300-500 lbs. 43.00-49.00; Boars 200-500 lbs. 38.00-43.00.

Wednesday, March 24

U.S. 1 & 2 210-235 lbs. 52.50-54.00; U.S. 2 & 3 51.50-52.50; Sows 300-500 lbs. 43.00-46.25; Boars 200-500 lbs. 40.00-45.00.

## Peoria Hogs

Thursday, March 25

Report supplied by USDA

HOGS: 3500. Trading moderate, barrows and gilts mostly .50 lower than the bulk of Wednesday's sales.

BARROWS AND GILTS: US 1-2 210-250 lbs. 51.50-52.00; US 1-3 200-250 lbs. 51.00-51.50.

Sows 1.00-3.00 lower. US 1-3 350-450 lbs. 46.50 to mostly 47.00; 450-500 lbs. 47.50-48.50; 500-650 lbs. 49.00-50.50.

# Futures Trading

(Closing Bids as of Thursday Mar. 25)

	Chicago Cattle	Chicago Hogs	New York Maine Potatoes
Apr.	67.62	51.00	7.70
June	65.37		
July		51.12	
Oct.	60.82	55.50	

Trend - Cattle are lower, Hogs are higher.. Potatoes are lower.

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With Easter April 11th and the Greek Easter April 18th we recommend that your lambs be consigned on either Monday, March 29th, Monday April 5th or Monday, April 12th. All lambs will be sold at auction beginning at noon and will be sorted and weighed upon arrival.

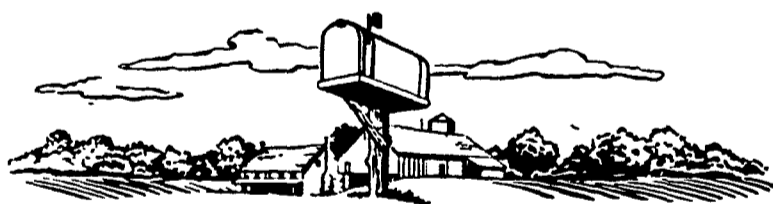
Keep in mind these 3 Mondays for consigning your lambs — March 29th, April 5th and April 12th, and your consignments are respectfully solicited. Sorting and weighing will begin at 5 A.M.

For further information contact either Ken Smoker area 215-593-2123 (residence) or Glenn Kulp area 717-665-4614 (residence) or area 717-397-5136 (office).

**NEXT FEEDER PIG SALE**  
**Tuesday, March 30 at 1:00 PM**

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