

Hog Markets

Lancaster Hogs

Lancaster Stockyards
Monday, April 26
Report supplied by USDA
HOGS: Compared to Wednesday barrows and gilts 1.00-1.25 higher; sows 1.50-2.00 higher.
BARROWS AND GILTS: US 1 210-245 lbs. 56.50-57.10, few 57.25-58.25; US 1-2 210-250 lbs. 55.35-56.10, few 55.10-55.35; 190-205 lbs. 53.75-54.85; US 1-3 210-270 lbs. 53.50-55.00.
SOWS: US 1-3 300-450 lbs. 51.00-52.00, few 52.00-53.00; 450-650 lbs. 55.00-55.50, few 54.00-55.00.

Tuesday, April 27
Report supplied by USDA

Today 547
Last Tuesday 124
HOGS: Compared to Monday barrows and gilts firm to 1.00 higher; sows 1.00-2.00 lower.
BARROWS AND GILTS: US 1-2 210-250 lbs. 56.35-57.10; Few US 1 210-250 lbs. 57.25-58.00; US 1-2 200-210 lbs. 55.50-56.25; US 1-3 210-260 lbs. 55.75-56.25.
SOWS: US 1-3 350-500 lbs. 48.70-51.50, few 51.50-52.00; 500-650 lbs. 52.50-53.75.

Wednesday, April 28

HOGS: Barrows and gilts firm to 50 higher.
BARROWS AND GILTS: US 1-2 210-245 lbs. 56.75-57.25, few 57.25-57.50; US 1 205-245 lbs. 58.00-58.75; US 1-3 200-270 lbs. 55.75-56.75; US 2-3 300-350 lbs. 47.00-49.00.

New Holland Hogs

Monday, April 26
Report supplied by USDA

Today 1528
Last Monday 1615
Last Year 1338
TREND: Barrows and gilts 1.50 higher, some early sales 2.00 higher.
BARROWS AND GILTS: US 1-2 205-250 lbs. 55.35-55.75, few 56.00; US 1 210-250 lbs. 57.00-58.00; US 1-3 210-270 lbs. 53.75-55.00.

Vintage Hogs

Vintage Sales Stables
Saturday, April 24
Report supplied by auction

U.S. 1&2 210-235 lbs. 55.00-57.00; U.S. 2&3 200-245 lbs. 53.00-55.00; Sows 300-500 lbs. 45.00-49.00; Boars 200-250 lbs. 42.00-43.00.

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Peoria Hogs

Thursday, April 29
Report supplied by USDA

HOGS: 3000 - Barrows & gilts moderate, opening weak-50 lower, closing mostly steady. US 1-2 220-250 lbs. 55.50-56.00, 100 head 56.25; 200-220 lbs. 55.00-55.50; US 1-3 250-270 lbs. 55.00-55.50; 270-290 lbs. 53.00-55.00.
SOWS: Under 500 lbs. steady; over 500 lb. 1.00-1.50 lower. (12%). US 1-3 350-450 lbs. 51.00; 450-500 lbs. 52.00-55.50; 500-650 lbs. 55.50-56.50.
BOARS: Under 300 lb. 44.00-47.00; over 300 lb. 49.00.

New Holland Feeder Pigs

Wednesday, April 28
Report supplied by USDA
Feeder Pigs

Today 918
Last Wednesday 636
Last Year 1028
TREND: Compared to last Wednesday feeder pigs mostly 10.00 higher. All pigs weighed on arrival and sold by the hundred weight.
US 1-2: 27 head 22-26 lbs. 164.00-176.00; 10 head 31 lbs. 162.00; 171 head 30-39 lbs. 133.00-148.00; 296 head 40-49 lbs. 123.00-141.00; 122 head 50-59 lbs. 107.00-113.00; 51 head 64-65 lbs. 100.00-105.00; 30 head 70-77 lbs. 94.00-104.00; 23 head 90-115 lbs. 74.00-82.00.
US 2-3: 22 head 25-27 lbs. 127.00-136.00; 18 head 33 lbs. 140.00.

Lancaster Feeder Pigs

Tuesday, April 27

Report supplied by USDA

Today 1305
Last Tuesday 899
Last Year 1251

TREND: Compared to last Tuesday feeder pigs mostly 10.00 higher. All pigs weighed on arrival and sold by the hundred weight.

US 1-2: 24 head 21-29 lbs. 142.00-154.00; 323 head 30-39 lbs. 135.00-147.50; 307 head 40-49 lbs. 116.00-137.00; 4 lots reputation 150 head 40-43 lbs. 141.00-144.00; 180 head 50-59 lbs. 106.00-118.00; 20 head 59 lbs. 101.50; 40 head 60-65 lbs. 96.00-106.00.

US 2-3: 20 head 23-26 lbs. 149.50-151.00; 48 head 32-39 lbs. 119.00-136.00; 10 head 53-58 lbs. 99.00-105.00; 11 head 89 lbs. 85.50.

Indianapolis Hogs

Thursday, April 29

HOGS: 1400 - Barrows & gilts active, unevenly steady-50 lower compared Wednesday's uneven market. US 1-2 215-250 lbs. 55.75-56.00, 25 head 56.25; US 1-3 215-255 lbs. 55.50-56.00.

SOWS: Slow, steady-2.00 lower in light test, most declines on wts. over 500 lb. (4%). US 1-3 Few 500-550 lbs. 500-550 lbs. 56.00; US 3 lot near 500 lb. 53.00.

BOARS: 200-350 lb. 46.00-46.50; over 350 lb. 48.00.

St. Louis Hogs

Thursday, April 29

Report supplied by USDA

HOGS: 4000 - Barrows & gilts moderate, steady-50 higher, advance on wts. over 260 lb. US 1-2 200-250 lb. 55.00-55.50; US 1-3 220-260 lb. 54.00-55.00.

SOWS: Uneven, wts. under 500 lb. steady-50 lower, over 500 lb. steady-1.00 higher. US 1-3 300-500 lbs. 49.00-50.50; (About 9%). Over 500 lb. 57.00-59.00.

BOARS: Over 300 lb. 48.50; 200-300 lbs. 48.50-49.00.

Lancaster Hogs

Lancaster Stockyards

Saturday, April 24

Report supplied by auction

970 head.
U.S. 1 210-245 lbs. 56.50-58.25, few to 58.75; U.S. 1 & 2 210-245 lbs. 55.75-56.25; U.S. 2 & 3 200-250 lbs. 55.25-55.50; heavyweights 260-275 lbs. 53.50-55.50; Sows 350-450 lbs. 45.00-49.00, 450 lbs. and up 49.50-53.85; Boars 200-300 lbs. 46.50-49.00, 300 lbs. and up 41.75-42.25.

U.S. Inspected Livestock Slaughter

Thursday, Apr. 29

Report supplied by USDA Estimated Daily Livestock Slaughter

	CATTLE	CALVES	HOGS	SHEEP
This Week	485,000	36,000	1,301,000	89,000
Last Week	459,000	43,000	1,332,000	99,000
Last Year	483,000	31,000	1,421,000	77,000

Market courtesy of USDA.

Chicago Grain Futures

(Closing Bids as of Thursday Apr. 29)

	Corn	Wheat	Soybeans	Soybean Meal
May	2.75 1/4	3.66 1/4	6.62	193.30
July	2.86 1/2	3.80 1/2	6.76	194.80
Oct.				196.50
Nov.			6.87 1/2	
Dec.	2.95 1/4	4.14 1/4		

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

Market Provided by Commodity Department
Dean Witter Reynolds, Inc.

Futures Trading

(Closing Bids as of Thursday Apr. 29)

	Chicago Cattle	Chicago Hogs	New York Maine Potatoes
June	68.97	58.82	
July		59.77	
Aug.	64.55		
Oct.	63.17	56.95	
Nov.			7.95

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

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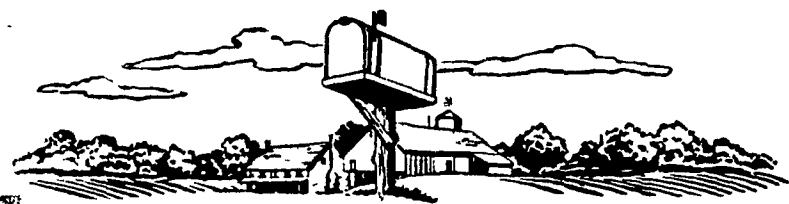
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