# Livestock market and auction news

Lancaster Market Monday, Oct. 18 Report supplied by USDA **Cattle Calves Hogs Sheep** 

Today 191 833 206 1047 Last Monday 1037 120 983 228 Last Year 97 1059 962 154 Monday's Auction 1174 193 842 247 Last Monday's Auction

916 132 CATTLE: Compared to last Wednesday slaughter steers 2.00-2.50 lower; slaughter heifers not tested last Wednesday; cows steady to 50 higher; bullocks fully steady; bulls weak to 1.00 lower Supply included 64% slaughter steers; 9% heifers, 13% cows, and 14% bulls.

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SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 3-4 1130-1350 lb. 61.25-62.75, few 62.85-63.10; Good and Choice 1-2 61.00-62.50; Choice 2-4 1075-1375 lb. 59.50-62.25, mainly 60.00-62.00; Choice 2-3 975-1050 lb. 58.00-60.50; high Good and low Choice 2-3 1050-1250 lb. 58.00-60.25; Good 2-3 54.50-59.25; Good and Choice 1200-1425 lb. Holsteins 52.50-55.50; Standard and Good 1-2 48.75-52.25.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2-3 950-1150 lb. 54,50-59.00; few Choice 2 1050-1225 lb. 59.50-63.25; Good 2-3 800-1050 lb. 52.00-55.25.

COWS: Utility and Commercial 1-3 40.50-42.50, few 42.50-44.50; Commercial 3-4 39.00-41.00; Cutter 1-2 38.50-41.00; Canner and low Cutter 36.00-38.00, few 34.00-36.00.

BULLOCKS: Choice 1050-1350 lb. 56.00-59.50, few 61.00-63.00; Good 1000-1275 lb. 52.00-55.50.

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1300-2100 lb. 51.50-55.50, few 55.50-58.75; yield grade 2 1000-1375 lb. 48.50-52.00.

VEAL CALVES: Vealers not comparable because of small supply last Wednesday and market not being reported last Monday.

VEALERS: Prime special fed 270-330 lb. 105.00-115.00; Choice 140-280 lb. 95.00-105.00, few 105.00-115.00; high Good and low Choice 160-280 lb. 80.00-95.00, 120-150 lb. 60.00-85.00, 80-115 lb. 48.00-58.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: Few 90-115 lb. Holstein bulls 60.00-75.00.

SHEEP: Trend not comparable. WOOLED LAMBS: Choice and Prime 85-110 lb. 58.00-62.00; Choice 70-100 lb. 54.00-57.00; Good 50-85 lb. 45.00-54.00.

SLAUGHTER EWES: Utility and Good 15.00-20.00, few 20.00-

GOATS: All goats sold by the head, mainly 20.00-35.00, few 40.00-

> Vintage Auction Tuesday, Oct. 19 Report supplied by USDA **Cattle Calves Sheep Goats**

Today 913 789 31 Last Tuesday 1094 897 33 Last Year 790 793 48

CATTLE: Compared to last Tuesday slaughter steers 1.50-2.00 lower; slaughter heifers 1.00-1.50 lower: cows mostly steady; bulls steady to weak. Supply included 51 percent slaughter steers, 40 percent cows, 7 percent slaughter heifers, and 2 percent bulls.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 3-4 1175-1425 lb. 62.60-64.50, few head 65.00-65.50; Good and Choice 1-2 1100-1450 lb. 63.75-64.75, 10 head 65.10-66.35; Choice 2-4 1050-1425 lb. 60.50-63.50; high Good and low Choice 2-3 58.00-61.00; Good 2-3 54.00-58.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2-3 925-1060 lb. 54.00-57.75. few yield grade 2 59.00-61.00; Good 2-3 850-1025 lb. 52.00-55.00.

COWS: Utility and Commercial 1-3 40.75-44.00, few 44.00-45.50; Cutter 1-2 39.25-42.50, few 42.50-43.50; Canner and low Cutter 36.50-39.00, few 34.00-36.50.

BULLS: Yield grade 1-2 1250 1800 lb. 50.00-54.00, couple yield grade 2 48.00-50.00.

VEAL CALVES: Vealers mostly steady, instances 3.00 lower. Supply included 561 in graded sale of which 70 percent sold to return to farm.

**VEALERS: Few Choice 150-280** lb. 86.00-97.00, individual 150 lb. 104.00, couple Choice 105-120 lb. 75.00-83.00; high Good and low Choice 140-260 lb. 70.00-85.00, 115-140 lb. 57.00-70.00, 80-110 lb. 45.00-

RETURNED TO FARM: 37 head 100-115 lb. Holstein heifers 126.00-130.00; 18 head 90-95 lb. 98.00; 26 head small frame 80-105 lb. 51.00-58.00. 21 head 120-125 lb. Holstein bulls 72.00; 178 head 100-115 lb. 78.00-81.00; 39 head 90-95 lb. 69.00-70.00; 18 head small frame 110-120 lb. 66.00-69.50 and 72 head 100-110 1b. 55.00-58.00. SHEEP: Insufficient volume

slaughter lambs for a market test; slaughter ewes steady.

SLAUGHTER EWES: Utility and Good 15.00-24.00. GOATS: No market test.

> **Lancaster Auction** Wednesday, Oct. 20 Report supplied by USDA **Cattle Calves Hogs Sheep**

Today 1028 56 817 14 2 Last Wednesday 27 1118 22 722 Last Year 761 40 973 Wednesday's Auction 796 278 40 14 Last Wednesday's Auction 445 27 1108

CATTLE: Insufficient volume to fully test trends; few sales steers mostly steady; heifers firm to 1.00 higher; cows steady; few sales bulls 1.00 higher. Supply included 41 percent slaughter steers, 25 percent heifers, 29 percent cows, and 5 percent bulls.

SLAUGHER STEERS: Choice 2-4 including few lots mixed Choice and Prime 1050-1325 lb. 60.50-63.60; few Choice 2-3 950-1050 lb. 59.50-60.50; high Good and low Choice 2-3 1100-1325 lb. 57.00-59.75; Good 2-3 52.50-57.50.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2 900-1050 lb. 59.00-61.25; Choice 2-3 865-1050 lb. 55.00-59.00; Good 2-3 785-1000 lb. 50.50-54.50.

COWS: Utility and Commercial 1-3 40.50-42.50; Commercial 3-4 37.00-41.50; Cutter 1-2 39.00-42.00; few Canner 33.50-36.00.

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1100-1850 lb. 52.50-56.50; couple yield grade 2 1000-1280 lb. 50.50-52.00.

**VEAL CALVES:** Supply mainly high Good and low Choice 80-115 lb. vealers selling steady at 48.00-

SHEEP: Insufficient volume for a market test; one lot Good 52 lb.

wooled lambs 45.00 and one lot Utility and Good slaughter ewes 22.00.

#### New Holland Livestock

Thursday, October 21

CATTLE: 1040. Compared to last Thursday slaughter steers mostly steady, instances 1.00 lower; slaughter heifers steady to weak; cows steady, instances 1.00 lower on Utility; bullocks steady; bulls steady to 1.00 higher. Supply included 52 percent slaughter steers, 6 percent slaughter heifers, 31 percent cows, 8 percent bulls with the balances feeders.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Few mixed Choice and Prime 3-4 1155-1350 lb. 63.10-64.00, couple 64.00-64.50: Good and Choice 1-2 1100-1350 lb. 63.00-65.00; Choice 2-4 1000-1400 lb. 60.50-63.25, few 63.25-63.85; high Good and low Choice 1000-1275 lb. 58.50-60.75; Good 2-3 56.00-59.00; Good and Choice 1200-1500 lb. 53.50-57.50, few Choice 59.75-60.50; Standard 1-2 50.00-52.50.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2-3 900-1050 lb. 55.00-57.50, few yield grade 257.50-58.50.

COWS: Utility and Commercial 1-3 40.50-43.50, few 43.50-44.75; Cutter 1-2 39.00-42.00, few 42.00-43.25; Canner and low Cutter 37.00-39.00, few 34.00-37.00.

BULLOCKS: Choice 1050-1350 lb. 56.50-59.75; Good 1000-1250 lb. 52.00-

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1300-1800 lb. 51.75-55.50, couple 56.00-58.25; yield grade 2 1000-1350 lb. 49.00-

VEAL CALVES: 549. Vealers mostly steady, instances 5.00 higher on Choice 140-230 lb. Demand good for Holstein bulls and heifers to return to farm.

VEALERS: Choice 160-230 lb. 95.00-110.00, few 111.00-116.00; Choice 240-300 lb. 80.00-95.00, 120150 lb. 75.00-90.00; high Good and low Choice 160-250 lb. 68.00-85.00 120-160 lb. 56.00-70.00, 80-115 lb. 48.00-56.00, several 65-80 lb. 37.00. 50.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: Bulk 95-115 lb. Holstein bulls 70.00-85.00 few 85.00-88.00, several 85-95 lb. 55.00-70.00; Bulk 90-115 lb. Holstein heifers 70.00-85.00, few 85.00-95.00.

SHEEP: 68. Wooled lambs weak to 3.00 lower; slaughter ewes mostly steady.

WOOLED LAMBS: Few Choice 80-110 ib. 53.00-58.00, couple 60.00-62.00; few Good 60-80 lb. 48,00-55,00. SLAUGHTER EWES: Utility and Good 15.00-20.00, couple 23.00-

GOATS: 22. All goats sold by the head, mainly 25.00-36.00, couple 40.00-43.00.

#### Lancaster Co. Weekly Friday, October 22

Cattle Calves This Week 4700 1600 Last Week 6369 1649 Last Year 4671 1523

CATTLE: Slaughter steers steady to 1.00 lower, some sales early part of week 2.00 lower: slaughter heifers steady to .50 lower, although most late sales fully steady; cows steady, in-stances 1.00 lower on Utility; bullocks steady; bulls fully steady, some late sales 1.00 higher. Supply included 40 per cent slaughter steers, 6 per cent slaughter heifers, 20 per cent cows, 6 per cent bulls, balance feeders.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 3-4 1130-1425 lbs. (Turn to Page A14)

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