

Livestock market and auction news

Central U.S. Carlot

Wednesday, May 11
Report supplied by USDA
Compared to Tuesday's 4:00 P.M. report: Steer and Heifer carcasses steady. Demand and trading light to moderate early on moderate supplies but turned slow late.

The gross boxed beef carcasses cutout value declined .43 to and estimated 110.44 per cwt.

Sales reported on 59 loads of steer and heifer carcasses.

STEER BEEF

35 Loads

FOB Omaha Basis

Choice 3 600-900 lbs. 106.00, steady; 600-700 lbs. 105.50.

Choice 2 600-700 lbs. 106.00-106.50.

Choice 4 600-900 lbs. 95.00, steady.

Good 2-3 600-900 lbs. 104.00, steady.

Good 2 & Low 3 600-700 lbs. 103.00; 600-700 lbs. 103.25 late Tues.

Choice 2-3 600-900 lbs. 98.00 Hols type, steady.

Good 2-3 600-900 lbs. 93.00 Hols type, steady.

FOB Amarillo Basis

Choice 3 600-900 lbs. 106.00, steady.

Good 2-3 600-900 lbs. 104.00, steady.

HEIFER BEEF

24 Loads

FOB Omaha Basis

Choice 3 550-700 lbs. 104.00, steady; 600-700 lbs. 105.00; 500-550 lbs. 102.00, steady; 400-500 lbs. 100.00, steady.

Choice 4 500-700 lbs. 95.00, steady.

Good 2-3 550-700 lbs. 102.00, steady.

Good 2 & Low 3 600-700 lbs. 101.00-101.50.

FOB Amarillo Basis

Choice 3 550-700 lbs. 104.00.

Good 2-3 550-700 lbs. 102.00.

COW BEEF

4 Loads

FOB Amarillo Basis

Market not established. Demand light, offerings firm.

Bkrg Uilty 3-4 450/up lbs. 76.50.

PRIMAL BEEF CUTS

16 Loads

FOB Omaha Basis

Choice 3 Hinds (S) 145-190 lbs. 126.00; Hinds (H) 120-170 lbs. 124.00; Fores 130-210 lbs. 83.00.

Good and Choice 2-3 Short Plates 57.00-60.00.

BONELESS PROCESSING/ BEEF TRIMMINGS

99 Loads

FOB Omaha Basis

90% Chem Lean Fresh 114.00-117.00.

50% Chem Lean Fresh 55.00-56.00.

FOB Amarillo Basis

90% Chem Lean Fresh 116.00-116.50.

90% Chem Lean Frozen 117.00-117.50.

85% Chem Lean Fresh 109.00.

85% Chem Lean Fresh 110.00.

50% Chem Lean Fresh 56.00-57.00.

Compared to Tuesday's 4:00 p.m. report: Fresh pork loins very irregular 14-17 lbs. unevenly steady to 1.50 higher, 17-22 lbs. .50 lower than Monday. Picnics unchanged.

Ribs steady to 1.00 higher. Skinned Hams 17-20 lbs. mostly steady, other weights untested. Sdls bellies



steady to 1.00 lower. Demand, trade and offerings light to moderate.

Sales reported on 46 loads and 5 loads of trimmings.

FRESH PORK CUTS

LOINS: (Regular) - 14/down lbs. 104.00; 14-17 lbs. 102.00-103.00, few scattered lds 98.00-101.00, unevenly steady to 1.50 higher; 17-22 lbs. 94.50-95.00, .50 lower than Monday.

(Retail Trim) 14-17 lbs. 109.00-110.00.

PICNICS: 4-8 lbs. 50.50, unchanged.

SPARERIBS: 3.5/down lbs. 134.00, 1.00 higher; 3.5-5.5 lbs. 117.00-117.50, steady.

SKINNED HAMS: 14-17 lbs. 65.00, load 66.00, mostly steady.

BELLIES: (Sdls, Skin On): 16-18 lbs. 61.50, 1.00 lower; 18-20 lbs. 56.00-57.50, steady; 20-25 lbs. 50.00.

BNLS CT BUTT: 1.5-3 lbs. 124.00; 1.5-4.5 lbs. 124.00.

BONELESS PROCESSING/ PORK TRIMMINGS

(Chemical Lean)

42% Trimmings Fresh 43.00.

42% Trimmings Fresh 45.00.

72% Trimmings Frozen 77.00.

72% Bnls Pics Fresh 78.00.

75% Bnls Pics Fresh 80.50.

East Coast Carlot

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Compared to Tuesday's close: Prime special fed veal firm in narrow test. Good and Choice boning veal steady to 1.00 lower.

Lamb market slow to develop, lower undertone indicated.

Compared to last week, boneless beef 90 Chem Lean 2.50 to 4.00 lower; 85's untested. Beef trimmings steady to weak in narrow test and comparison with last week.

VEAL CARCASS

Prime (Special Fed)

Hide On

110 Head

220-280 lbs. 193.00-195.00, ltd. firm.

Good & Choice

Boning Type

Hide On

Northeastern Suppliers 65-75 lbs. 105.00-108.00, steady to 1.00 lower; 55-64 lbs. 103.00-106.00; 45-54 lbs. 101.00-104.00; 35-44 lbs. 99.00-102.00; 34 lbs. down 97.00-100.00.

Inshipped 71-80 lbs. 108.00 Ltd, all generally steady; 61-70 lbs. 106.00 Ltd; 51-60 lbs. 104.00 Ltd; 41-50 lbs. 102.00 Ltd; 30-40 lbs. 100.00 Ltd.

SPRING LAMB CARCASS

Choice & Prime 3-4

1 Load

55 lbs. down 143.00.

BONELESS BEEF

(US and Canadian Origin)

3 Loads

Compared to last week 90% Chem Lean Fresh 119.50-121.00, 2.50 to 4.00 lower.

BEEF TRIMMINGS

1 Load

50% Chem Lean Fresh 62.00, steady to weak.

Belleville Hay

Belleville, Pa.

Wednesday, May 4

Report supplied by PDA

48 loads hay and 8 loads straw.

Alfalfa 72.50-175.00, mostly 90.00-117.50; Mixed hay 47.50-102.50, mostly 60.00-82.00; clover few 52.50-92.50; Straw 70.00-75.00.

Leinbach's Hay

Shippensburg, Pa.

Tuesday, May 10

Report supplied by auction

32 loads.

Alfalfa 70.00-128.00; Mixed hay 63.00-95.00; Timothy one load 71.00; bromegrass 80.00-90.00; Straw 65.00-95.00; Oats one load 2.10 per bushel; and fire wood 22.00-30.00 per load.

Valley Livestock

Valley Stockyards

Athens, Pa.

Monday, May 9

Report supplied by auction

Total No. of Head 494.

Holstein Hfr. Calves to 120.00; Veal Calves 85.50-105.00; Vealer Bull Calves 84.00-125.00; Slaughter Calves 60.00-78.00; Grassers & Feeders 40.75-55.50; Lambs 31.00-50.00; Sheep 14.00-20.00; Hogs, 200 to 250 44.00-48.50; Sows 37.50-42.50; Boars 38.00-39.50; Pigs each 31.00-45.00; Heifers 46.00-56.00; Steers 47.00-52.00; Bulls 49.25-56.00; Cows, utility 44.25-46.50; Cows, fat 43.00-45.00; Cows, medium 40.00-44.75; Cows, poor or small 32.00-40.50; Cattle Market stronger & active; Calf Market higher; Ponies 40.00; Goats 10.00-53.00; Hay 52.50.

Remarks: Good demand on heavy cattle & back to farm calves.

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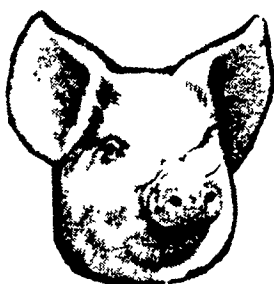
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