

Livestock market and auction news

Lancaster Market

Monday, Aug. 22
Report Supplied By USDA
Cattle Calves Hogs Sheep

Today	1492	104	1358	505
Last Monday	1575	117	1215	384
Last Year	1230	121	862	319
Monday's Auction	1496	122	1360	533
Last Monday's Auction	1677	151	1229	374

CATTLE: Compared to last Monday, Choice and Prime slaughter steers firm to .50 higher, Good to low Choice steady; slaughter heifers steady, although Choice not fully tested; cows .50-1.00 lower; bullocks 1.00-2.00 higher; bulls uneven, yield grade 1 1.00-2.00 higher, yield grade 2 fully steady. Supply included 72 percent slaughter steers, 12 percent cows, 10 percent bulls, and 6 percent slaughter heifers.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 3-4 1160-1450 lbs. 63.00-65.00, few 65.75-66.85; Good and Choice 1-2 1150-1350 lbs. 63.50-65.85; Choice 2-4 1050-1350 lbs. 60.50-63.00, couple lots Choice 2-3 950-1050 lbs. 58.00-60.50; high Good and low Choice 2-3 1025-1250 lbs. 57.00-60.50; Good 2-3 950-1225 lbs. 54.50-58.00; Good and Choice 1180-1500 lbs. Holsteins 50.35-53.25; Standard 1-2 45.00-50.50.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Few Choice 2-3 990-1075 lbs. 55.75-57.75, couple yield grade 2 58.75-60.75; Good 2-3 850-1100 lbs. 50.00-55.75.

COWS: Utility and Commercial 1-3 39.00-41.00, few 41.00-42.00, with a couple 42.00-42.75; Cutter 1-2 37.75-39.00, few 39.00-39.50; Canner and low Cutter 34.00-37.00.

BULLOCKS: Choice 1050-1300 lbs. 54.00-56.50, couple 57.57-59.75; Good 1000-1250 lbs. 49.00-52.00.

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1350-2250 lbs. 49.50-54.10, few 55.00-56.75; yield grade 2 1000-1350 lbs. 47.00-50.50, several 800-1050 lbs. 44.00-47.00.

VEAL CALVES: Vealers firm to 5.00 higher; slaughter calves steady to 5.00 lower. Demand good for Holstein bulls to return to farm. Supply included one lot Prime special fed 300-325 lbs. bought to arrive at 120.00.

VEALERS: High Choice and Prime 150-350 lbs. 95.00-110.00; Choice 150-320 lbs. 80.00-95.00; high Good and low Choice 150-200 lbs. 60.00-80.00, 120-150 lbs. 52.00-60.00, 70-115 lbs. 48.00-55.00.

SLAUGHTER CALVES: Good and Choice 150-450 lbs. 50.00-60.00, few 60.00-70.00, 450-650 lbs. 38.00-45.00, few 45.00-50.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: Bulk 95-120 lb. Holstein bulls 70.00-85.00.

SHEEP: Compared to last Monday, spring lambs 1.00-3.00 higher; slaughter ewes 3.00-5.00 higher. Supply included around 100 goats sold by the head.

SPRING LAMBS: Choice and Prime 80-110 lb. 58.00-60.00; Choice 70-105 lbs. 53.00-58.00, few 35-50 lbs. 65.00-80.00; Good 50-80 lbs. 48.00-53.00.

SLAUGHTER EWES: Utility and Good 10.00-27.00, mainly 20.00-25.00.

GOATS: All goats sold by the head mainly 20.00-35.00, few 40.00-50.00.

Vintage Auction

Tuesday, Aug. 23
Report supplied by USDA
Cattle Calves Sheep Goats

Today	1355	933	27	3
Last Tuesday	1683	938	27	1
Last Year	1117	802	19	20

CATTLE: Compared to last Tuesday, Choice and Prime slaughter steers .50-1.00 higher, Standard to low Choice steady; slaughter heifers not tested; cows 1.00-2.00 lower, instances 3.00 lower; bulls steady to 1.00 lower. Supply included 74 percent slaughter steers and 22 percent cows.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 3-4 1130-1400, few 1400-1600 lbs. 64.00-66.75, four head 67.00-67.25; Good and Choice 1-2 1100-1350 lbs. 64.00-66.85; Choice 2-4 1050-1350 lbs. 60.00-64.00, few 64.00-64.60; high Good and low Choice 2-3 950-1175 lbs. 57.00-60.50; Good 2-3 925-1200 lbs. 54.00-57.50; Good and Choice 1200-1470 lb. Holsteins 50.00-51.50, few Choice 51.75-55.00; Standard 1-2 47.00-50.50.

COWS: Utility and Commercial 1-3 39.75-41.75, few 42.00-42.75; Cutter 1-2 37.00-39.75, few 40.00-42.75; Canner and low Cutter 34.00-37.00, few 32.00-34.00.

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1300-1800 lbs. 51.00-54.25, individual 2505 lbs. 54.00; yield grade 2 1000-1350 lbs. 48.00-51.00; couple Choice bullocks 57.75-59.85.

VEAL CALVES: Vealers mostly steady. Supply included 699 in graded sale of which 66 percent sold to return to farm.

VEALERS: Few Choice 160-250 lbs. 80.00-84.00; high Good and low Choice 120-260 lbs. 54.00-70.00; 80-115 lbs. 46.00-54.00, 55-70 lbs. 35.00-45.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: 35 head 100-115 lb. Holstein heifers 54.00-54.50; 325 head 90-125 lb. Holstein bulls 70.00-79.00, 30 head 110-115 lb. small frame 63.00-68.00, 100 head 90-105 lb. 51.50-58.50.

SHEEP: Insufficient volume for a market test. Few Choice 85-95 lb. spring lambs 47.00-54.00, few Good 65-90 lbs. 35.00-45.00; couple Utility slaughter ewes 12.00-16.00.

GOATS: No market test.

Lancaster Auction

Wednesday, Aug. 24
Report supplied by USDA
Cattle Calves Hogs Sheep

Today	358	43	766	39
Last Wednesday	175	48	713	11
Last Year	246	36	801	1
Wednesday's Auction	210	40	664	29
Last Wednesday's Auction	161	54	746	8

CATTLE: Insufficient volume of any one class to fully test trends.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Few Choice 2-3 990-1320 lbs. 59.75-62.00; high Good and low Choice 2-3 950-1350 lbs. 58.00-60.00; few Good 1160-1300 lb. Holsteins 47.25-49.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Few Choice 2-3 890-1125 lbs. 56.75-61.75; Good 2-3 750-950 lbs. 53.00-56.75; around 50 head Good and Choice 2-4 950-1200 lb. heiferettes 40.50-43.50.

COWS: Utility and Commercial 1-3 38.50-41.50, couple 42.50-44.00; Cutter 1-2 37.25-39.50, few 40.50-41.00; Canner and low Cutter 34.00-37.50.

BULLOCKS: Couple Choice 975-1200 lbs. 53.50-55.75.

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1350-1800 lbs. 49.00-51.50; yield grade 2 1100-1500 lbs. 44.50-49.00.

VEAL CALVES: Insufficient volume for a market test. Few high Good and low Choice 80-115 lbs. 40.00-50.00, couple 50.00-54.00.

SHEEP: One lot Utility slaughter ewes 20.00.



LANCASTER COUNTY MARKETS

New Holland Livestock

Thursday, August 25
Report supplied by USDA

CATTLE: 1779. Compared to last Thursday slaughter steers, uneven Choice and Prime firm to 50 higher, instances 1.00 higher; Standard to low Choice mostly steady; slaughter heifers not tested; cows 1.00-2.00 lower; bullocks steady; bulls steady to 1.00 lower. Supply included 75 percent slaughter steers and 19 percent cows.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 3-4 1175-1400, couple lot 1400-1490 lb. 63.75-66.80, couple lots 67.25-67.35; Choice 2-4 1050-1375 lb. 60.00-64.00, Choice 2-3 950-1050 lb. 58.50-60.50; high Good and low Choice 2-3 1050-1450 lb. 57.25-60.75; Good 2-3 54.00-58.00; few Choice 1200-1400 lb. Holsteins 52.25-55.00; Standard and low Good 1150-1350 lb. 45.75-50.00.

COWS: Utility and Commercial 1-3 38.75-41.50, few 41.50-43.50; Cutter 1-2 37.00-39.50, few 40.50-41.75; Canner and low Cutter 34.00-37.50, few 32.50-34.00.

BULLOCKS: Choice 1050-1300 lb. 53.50-58.00; Good 1000-1250 lb. 50.50-53.50.

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1300-1900 lb. 49.00-53.00; yield grade 2 1000-1375 lb. 44.50-48.50.

VEAL CALVES: 590. Choice and Prime vealers firm to 5.00 higher, high Good and low Choice 70-120 lb. mostly steady. Demand good for Holstein bulls to return to farm.

VEALERS: Few high Choice and Prime 195-300 lb. 103.00-110.00; Choice 160-300 lb. 70.00-90.00, couple 90.00-94.00; high Good and low Choice 180-250 lb. 65.00-75.00; Good 140-200 lb. 52.00-65.00; high Good and low Choice 70-120 lb. 36.00-46.00, few 46.00-54.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: Bulk 95-120 lb. Holstein bulls 70.00-86.00, several 88.00-94.00; bulk 80-100 lb. small frame 58.00-75.00.

SHEEP: 47. Spring lambs steady to weak; slaughter ewes not fully tested.

SPRING LAMBS: Choice 70-95 lb. 53.00-65.00, few 100-105 lb. 50.00-56.00; Good 65-90 lb. 48.00-53.00.

SLAUGHTER EWES: Few Utility and Good 8.00-15.00.

GOATS: 26. All goats sold by the head, mainly 26.00-40.00, few 44.00-48.00 with couple 52.00-56.00.

Lancaster Weekly

Friday, August 26

Cattle Calves	5500	1725
This Week	5822	1762
Last Week	4499	1538
Last Year		

CATTLE: Slaughter steers uneven, Choice and Prime firm to

.50 higher, instances 1.00 higher, Standard to low Choice mostly steady; slaughter heifers steady; cows 1.00-2.00 lower; bullocks steady, some early sales 1.00 higher; Yield Grade 1 Bulls 1.00-2.00 higher, Yield Grade 2 steady. Supply included 63 percent slaughter steers, 4 per cent slaughter heifers, 17 per cent cows, 5 per cent bulls, with the balance feeders.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 3-4 1130-1400 lbs., few 1400-1600 lbs. 63.50-66.75, few 67.00-67.35; Good and Choice 1-2 1100-1350 lbs. 64.00-66.85; Choice 2-4 1050-1350 lbs. 60.00-64.00, few 64.00-64.60; Choice 2-3 950-1050 lbs. 58.50-60.50; high Good and low Choice 2-3 1050-1450 lbs. 57.00-60.75, Good 2-3 54.00-58.00; few Choice 1200-1470 lb. holsteins 51.75-55.00, Good 50.00-52.50, Standard 1-2 45.75-50.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2-3 890-1125 lbs. 55.75-57.75, couple Yield Grade 2 58.75-61.75; Good 2-3 750-1100 lbs. 50.00-55.75; around 100 head Good and Choice 2-4 950-1200 lbs. heiferettes 40.50-43.50.

COWS: Utility & Commercial 1-3 38.50-41.75, few 41.75-44.00, Cutter 1-2 37.00-39.50, few 39.50-41.75, Canner and low Cutter 34.00-37.50, few 32.50-34.00.

BULLOCKS: Choice 975-1300 lbs. 53.50-58.00, couple 58.00-59.75; Good 1000-1250 lbs. 49.00-53.50.

BULLS: Yield Grade 2 1350-2250 lbs. 49.00-54.00, few 54.00-56.75; Yield Grade 2 1000-1500 lbs. 44.50-50.50.

VEAL CALVES: Choice and Prime vealers firm to 5.00 higher, high Good and low Choice 70-120 lb. mostly steady.

SLAUGHTER CALVES: Steady to 5.00 lower. Good demand for holstein bulls to return to farm.

VEALERS: High Choice and Prime 150-300 lbs. 95.00-110.00; Choice 150-320 lbs. 70.00-90.00, few 90.00-95.00; high Good and low Choice 180-250 lbs. 60.00-80.00; Good 120-200 lbs. 52.00-65.00; high Good and low Choice 70-120 lbs. 36.00-50.00, few 50.00-55.00.

SLAUGHTER EWES: Good and Choice 150-450 lbs. 50.00-60.00, few 60.00-70.00, 450-650 lbs. 38.00-45.00, few 45.00-50.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: Bulk 95-120 lb. holstein bulls 70.00-86.00, several 88.00-94.00; bulk 80-115 lb. small frame 53.00-68.00, few 68.00-75.00.

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10:00 A.M.— Slaughter Bulls, Heifers, Steers, Cows
11:00 A.M.— Veal Calves, Lambs, Hogs

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