

Livestock market and auction news

Lancaster Market

Monday, Oct. 31

Report Supplied By USDA
Cattle Calves Hogs Sheep

Today	1007	166	1156	558
Last Monday	1334	140	1163	273
Last Year	1240	135	862	258
Monday's Auction	1006	161	1128	597
Last Monday's Auction	1236	164	1095	311

CATTLE: Compared to last Monday Choice and Prime slaughter steers 1.00 lower, instances 1.50 lower, Standard to low Choice steady to weak; heifers mostly steady; cows 2.00-4.00 lower; bullocks weak to 1.00 lower; bulls steady. Supply included 42% steers, 18% heifers, 27% cows, and 13% bulls.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Few mixed Choice and Prime 3-4 1300-1400 lb. 63.00-65.10, couple head 65.35-66.00; Choice 2-4 1050-1425 lb. 60.75-64.00, mainly 61.75-63.75; high Good and low Choice 2-3 57.50-61.50; Good 2-3 54.50-58.00; Good and Choice 1175-1450 lb. Holsteins 50.00-51.50; Standard 1-2 45.25-50.25.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2-3 800-1100 lb. 56.25-59.00, few mainly yield grade 2 59.50-60.00; Good 2-3 850-1050 lb. 52.00-56.00; few Good 900-1150 lb. heiferettes 38.00-42.00.

COWS: Breaking Utility and Commercial 2-4 35.00-38.50, few 38.50-40.00; Cutter and Boning Utility 1-3 33.00-38.00, couple 38.00-39.00; Canner and low Cutter 32.00-33.50.

BULLOCKS: Choice 1050-1250 lb. 55.25-58.75, couple 59.00-60.00; Good 1000-1250 lb. 52.00-56.00.

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1300-1800 lb. 48.50-52.25, few 52.75-55.75, couple 58.50-59.50; yield grade 2 1000-1500 lb. 52.75-58.50.

VEAL CALVES: Vealers firm to 5.00 higher; slaughter calves fully steady. Demand fair for Holstein bulls to return to farm. Supply included about 15 head Prime special fed 280-350 lb. bought to arrive at 124.00-125.00.

VEALERS: Choice 160-350 lb. 90.00-105.00, few 105.00-115.00; high Good and low Choice 160-300 lb. 70.00-90.00, 120-160 lb. 52.00-72.00, 90-115 lb. 48.00-53.00, few 80-95 lb. 37.00-48.00.

SLAUGHTER CALVES: Good and Choice 450-600 lb. 45.00-55.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: Bulk

95-125 lb. Holstein bulls 60.00-81.00, few 50.00-60.00.

SHEEP: Woored lambs 2.00-3.00 higher; slaughter ewes fully steady. Supply included around 75 goats.

WOOLED LAMBS: Choice and Prime 90-110 lb. 57.00-60.00, around 25 head 50-80 lb. 60.00-80.00; Choice 70-110 lb. 53.00-58.00; Good 60-90 lb. 45.00-53.00, around 100 head 40-70 lb. sold as feeders 38.00-45.00.

SLAUGHTER EWES: Utility and Good 15.00-25.00.

GOATS: All goats sold by the head, mainly 30.00-50.00, few big billies 50.00-55.00, with five head 60.00-68.00; kid goats mainly 25.00-40.00.

Vintage Auction

Tuesday, Nov. 1

Report supplied by USDA
Cattle Calves Sheep Goats

Today	816	957	33	4
Last Tuesday	1222	962	15	5
Last Year	958	886	17	10

CATTLE: Compared to last Tuesday slaughter steers steady to 1.00 lower; slaughter heifers steady; cows 1.00-1.50 lower; bullocks steady; bulls steady. Supply included 43 percent slaughter steers and 47 percent cows.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Few mixed Choice and Prime 3-4 1150-1350 lb. 63.35-65.75, couple head 66.75-67.50; Good and Choice 1-2 1075-1300 lb. 64.50-66.25, couple 66.50-67.10; Choice 2-4 1050-1350 lb. 61.50-64.00, few 64.00-64.00; high Good and low Choice 2-3 58.75-61.00; Good 2-3 55.25-58.00; Good and Choice 1150-1400 lb. Holsteins 50.50-52.00; few Standard 1-2 47.50-50.75.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2-3 900-1075 lb. 55.75-58.75; Good 2-3 850-1050 lb. 52.00-54.75.

COWS: Breaking Utility and Commercial 2-4 36.25-39.75, few 40.00-41.00; Cutter and Boning Utility 1-3 33.00-37.00, few 37.00-39.25; Canner and low Cutter 31.00-33.50.

BULLOCKS: Choice 1050-1300 lb. 53.00-56.35; Good 1000-1350 lb. 50.50-54.00.

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1500-2060 lb. 48.75-52.00; few yield grade 2 1200-1600 lb. 45.00-48.50.

VEAL CALVES: Vealers mostly steady. Supply included 569 in graded sale of which 63 percent sold to return to farm.

VEALERS: Choice 160-290 lb. 83.00-91.00, individual 195 lb. 97.00; high Good and low Choice 140-300 lb. 60.00-85.00, 120-140 lb. 55.00-78.00, 80-115 lb. 51.00-55.00, 60-85 lb. 43.00-51.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: 40 head 100-115 lb. Holstein heifers 54.00-55.00. 250 head 90-125 lb. Holstein bulls 77.00-83.00; 25 head small frame 110-125 lb. 68.00-70.00 and 45 head 100-105 lb. 53.00-54.00.

SHEEP: Small volume woored lambs firm to 3.00 higher; slaughter ewes firm to 5.00 higher.

WOOLED LAMBS: Choice 70-115 lb. 49.00-51.00; Good 45-80 lb. 42.00-45.00.

SLAUGHTER EWES: Utility and Good 13.00-26.00.

GOATS: All goats sold by the head at 21.00-31.00.

Lancaster Auction

Wednesday, Nov. 2

Report supplied by USDA
Cattle Calves Hogs Sheep

Today	713	38	785	166
Last Wednesday	509	47	808	1
Last Year	761	45	616	0
Wednesday's Auction	148	38	780	1
Last Wednesday's Auction	233	47	812	1

CATTLE: Insufficient volume steers, heifers, and bulls to test trends; cows mostly steady. Supply included 73 percent cows. Bulk of supply feeders held for Thursday's special sales.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Couple Choice 2-3 1200-1325 lb. 60.25-61.75; few mixed Good and Choice 2-3 1050-1150 lb. 57.00-58.75; Good and Choice 1150-1300 lb. Holsteins 49.00-51.75; Standard 1-2 42.50-46.00.

COWS: Breaking Utility and Commercial 2-4 36.00-37.50, couple 39.00-41.00; Cutter and Boning Utility 1-3 34.00-36.50, couple 37.00-38.00; Canner and low Cutter 30.00-33.50.

VEAL CALVES: High Good and low Choice 80-115 lb. vealers mostly steady. Demand fair for Holstein bulls to return to farm.

VEALERS: High Good and low Choice 80-115 lb. 35.00-50.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: Few 90-115 lb. Holstein bulls 50.00-65.00.

SHEEP: Woored lambs weak to 2.00 lower; slaughter ewes fully steady.

WOOLED LAMBS: Good and Choice 70-110 lb. 48.00-52.00.

SLAUGHTER EWES: Utility and Good 17.00-20.00.

New Holland Livestock

Thursday, Nov. 3

Report supplied by USDA

CATTLE: 816. Compared to last Thursday small supply slaughter steers 3.00-4.00 higher; slaughter heifers not fully tested; cows firm to 1.00 higher, instances 1.50 higher on Cutter and Boning Utility; bullocks .50-1.00 higher; bulls mostly steady. Supply included 29 percent slaughter steers and 53 percent cows.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Few mixed Choice and Prime 2-4 1200-1425 lbs. 66.00-67.85; Choice 2-4 1100-1350 lb. 62.75-65.25, few 65.50-66.25; high Good and low Choice 2-3 1000-1300 lb. 58.75-62.50; Good 2-3 55.00-58.50; Good and Choice 1200-1450 lb. Holsteins 49.25-51.00, few Choice 53.00-55.00; Standard 1-2 45.00-48.50.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Few Good 2-3 850-1050 lbs. 46.00-50.75

COWS: Breaking Utility and Commercial 2-4 36.25-40.74, few 41.00-42.85; Cutter and Boning Utility 1-3 34.75-39.75, few 34.00-34.75; Canner and low Cutter 32.00-34.00, few 30.00-32.00.

BULLOCKS: Choice 1050-1350 lbs. 58.00-61.50; Good 1000-1275 lbs. 52.25-57.00.

BULLS: Yield Grade 1 1350-2100 lb. 48.00-51.50; yield grade 2 1000-1400 lbs. 45.00-48.75.

VEAL CALVES: 633. Vealers fully steady. Demand only fair for Holstein bulls to return to farm.

VEALERS: Choice 160-320 lb. 87.00-105.00, few high Choice and Prime 220-340 lb. 106.00-112.00; high Good and low Choice 140-300 lb. 65.00-88.00, 120-140 lbs. 55.00-65.00, 80-115 lb. 40.00-52.00, few 60-85 lb. 30.00-40.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: Bulk 90-120 lb. Holstein bulls 55.00-74.00, few 75.00-81.00.

SHEEP: 46. Woored lambs mostly steady; slaughter ewes steady.

WOOLED LAMBS: Choice 75-115 lb. 47.00-50.00, couple 57.00-59.00; Good 40-105 lb. 38.00-47.00.

SLAUGHTER EWES: Utility and Good 14.00-20.00.

GOATS: 17. All goats sold by the head, mainly 24.00-37.00, couple 43.00-48.00

Lancaster Co. Weekly

Friday, Nov. 4

Report supplied by USDA

	Cattle	Calves
This Week	4200	1850
Last Week	5504	1761
Last Year	5530	1599

CATTLE: Slaughter Steers 1.00-2.00 higher during the week, with small supply late as much as 4.00 higher; slaughter heifers steady; cows mostly steady during the week with closing sales firm to 1.00

higher; bullocks closed .50-1.00 higher; bulls mostly steady, supply included 25 percent slaughter steers, 6 percent slaughter heifers, 28 percent cows, 7 percent bulls with the balances feeders.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 3-4 1100-1400 lbs 63.00-66.00, few late 66.00-67.85, Good and Choice 1-2 1100-1350 lbs 64.50-66.50, few 66.50-67.10; Choice 2-4 1050-1450 lbs. 60.75-65.25, late 62.75-65.25 few to 66.25; high good and low Choice 2-3 1000-1350 lbs 57.50-62.50; Good 2-3 54.25-58.50; Good and Choice 1150-1475 lbs Holsteins 49.75-52.00, few Choice 52.50-55.00; Standard 1-3 45.00-50.7

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2-3 860-1100 lb. 55.75-59.00, few yield grade 2 59.50-60.00; Good 2-3 850-1050 lb. 52.00-56.00; several Good 900-1150 lb. heiferettes 38.00-43.00.

COWS: Breaking Utility and Commercial 2-4 36.00-41.00, few 41.00-42.85; Cutter and Boning Utility 33.00-39.75, mainly 34.00-38.50; Canner and low Cutter 31.00-33.50, few 30.00-31.00.

BULLOCKS: Choice 1050-1350 lb 55.25-59.00, several 59.00-61.50, Good 1000-1275 lb. 50.50-56.50.

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1300-2100 lb. 48.00-52.25, few 52.75-55.75; yield grade 2 1000-1450 lb. 45.00-48.75, few 42.75-45.00.

VEAL CALVES: Vealers mostly steady. Demand fair for holstein bulls to return to farm.

VEALERS: Choice 160-340 lbs. 85.00-105.00, few high Choice and Prime 200-350 lbs. 105.00-115.00; high Good and low Choice 160-350 lbs. 65.00-90.00, 120-160 lbs. 55.00-78.00, 80-115 lb. 45.00-55.00, 60-80 lbs. 35.00-45.00.

SLAUGHTER CALVES: Good and Choice 450-600 lb. 45.00-55.00

RETURNED TO FARM: Bulk 90-120 lb. Holstein bulls 68.00-83.00, several 85-100 lb. 53.00-65.00 Few 100-115 lb. Holstein heifers 53.00-60.00

North Jersey Livestock

Hackettstown, N.J.

Tuesday, November 1

Report supplied by auction

1164 head.
Calves 30.00-80.00; Cows 23.25-41.00; Easy Cows 20.75-55.50; Heifers 37.00-47.25; Bulls 32.00-60.00; Steers 31.00-57.00; Hogs, Str 30.00-35.00; Roasting Pigs, each 12.00-38.00; Kids 7.00-44.00; Boars (seed) 29.00; Sows 30.00-31.00; Sheep 10.00-49.00; Lambs, each 7.00-42.00; Lambs, per lb. 35.00-76.00; Goats, each 15.00-73.00; Hides 15.00.

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