# Livestock market and auction news

**Lancaster Market** Monday, Nov. 14 Report Supplied By USDA **Cattle Calves Hogs Sheep** 

Today 1044 172 1224 Last Monday 1616 186 1246 460 Last Year 1205 179 703 Monday's Auction 1046 **229** 1102 Last Monday's Auction

1406 202 1240 CATTLE: Compared to last Monday slaughter steers weak to 50 lower, instances 1.00 lower; heifers 1.00-1.50 lower; cows 1.00-1.50 higher; bullocks steady; bulls uneven, yield grade 1 firm to 1.00 higher, yield grade 2 mostly steady. Supply included 52% slaughter steers, 15% heifers, 21% cows, and 12% bulls.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Few mixed Choice and Prime 3-4 1200-1350 lb. 62.85-63.60, couple lots 64.10-64.50; Choice 2-4 1100-1350 lb. 61.00-63.00, couple loads 1250-1450 lb. with weight condition favoring the seller 58.00-60.75; few Choice 2-3 1050-1100 lb. 60.50-61.50; high Good and low Choice 2-3 1050-1325 lb. 58.00-62.00; Good 2-3 1000-1250 lb. 52.50-57.00; few Good and Choice 1200-1350 lb. Holsteins 48.75-52.75; Standard 1-2 42.00-47.00.

**SLAUGHTER HEIFERS:** Choice 2-3 900-1150 lb. 57.00-59.25, few 59.25-60.75; Good 2-3 850-1050 lb. **52.00-57.00**.

COWS: Breaking Utility and Commercial 2-4 37.50-41.00, few 41.00-42.50; Cutter and Boning Utility 1-3 35.50-39.50, few 39.50-40.00; Canner and low Cutter 33.00-35.75

BULLOCKS: Choice 1075-1275 lb. 57.50-60.00, Good 53.75-57.00.

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1200-2000 48.50-53.25, few 53.25-56.00, individual 59.25; yield grade 2 1000-1500 lb. 44.00-47.50, few 42.75-44.00.

**VEAL CALVES: Vealers weak** to 5.00 lower; slaughter calves steady to 5.00 lower. Demand fair for Holstein bulls to return to farm. Supply included 12 head Prime special fed 280-340 lb. bought to arrive at 117.00-119.00.

VEALERS: Choice 100-350 lb. 85.00-100.00, few 100.00-105.00; high Good and low Choice 160-300 lb. 70.00-85.00, 120-160 lb. 50.00-70.00, 90-115 lb. 44.00-53.00, 70-90 lb. 35.00-45.00.

**SLAUGHTER CALVES: Choice** 250-500 lb. 45.00-55.00, few 200-250 lb. 55.00-70.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: Holstein bulls, 85-115 lb. 50.00-82.00, bulk 100-115 lb. 70.00-80.00.

SHEEP: Wooled lambs weak to 1.00 lower; slaughter ewes steady. Supply included around 100 goats.

WOOLED LAMBS: Choice and Prime 95-110 lb. 53.00-56.00, few 56.00-58.00; Choice 90-110 lb. 48.00-54.00, 50-70 lb. 45.00-53.00 few 53.00-65.00; Good 50-90 lb. 44.00-48.00.

SLAUGHTER EWES: Utility and Good 10.00-23.00, mainly 15.00-20.00

GOATS: All goats sold by the head, mainly 30.00-45.00, few big billies 45.00-62.00, kid goats 20.00-

> Vintage Auction Tuesday, Nov. 15 Report supplied by USDA **Cattle Calves Sheep Goats**

Today 725 893 Last Tuesday 960 31 948 Last Year 892 972 14

CATTLE: Compared to last Tuesday, small supply slaughter steers 1.00-2.00 higher; slaughter heifers not tested; cows 1.00-1.50 higher, instances 2.00 higher; bulls fully steady, instances 1.00 higher on yield grade 1. Supply included 30 percent slaughter steers and 62 percent cows.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Choice 2-4 1050-1325 lb. 62.25-65.25, few 65.25-66.00, 10 head mainly Good and Choice 1-2 1190-1275 lb. 66.00-67.50; high Good and low Choice 2-3 950-1275 lb. 59.00-62.00; Good 2-3 850-1250 lb. 55.00-59.00; few Good and Choice 1240-1575 lb. Holsteins 49.00-53.00, couple 55.50-57.75; few Standard 44.00-48.75.

COWS: Breaking Utility and Commercial 2-4 37.50-41.75, few 42.00-42.50; Cutter and Boning Utility 1-3 35.00-39.50, few 39.50-41.50; Canner and low Cutter 32.25-

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1300-1800 lb. 48.00-53.00, couple 53.00-55.00; yield grade 2 1000-1450 lb. 43.25-48.50, few 41.75-43.00.

**VEAL CALVES: Vealers 5.00-**10.00 lower, instances 1.20 lower on high Good and low Choice 60-90 lb. Supply included 473 in traded sale of which 68 percent sold to return

VEALERS: Few Choice 200-240 1b. 78.00-87.00; high Good and low Choice 140-220 lb. 60.00-75.00, 120-

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140 lb. 50.00-60.00, 90-115 lb. 35.00-42.00 few 42.00-49.00, 70-90 lb. 30.00-

**RETURNED TO FARM: 65 head** 80-115 lb. Holstein heifers 43.50-48.00. 140 head 100-115 lb. Holstein bulls 80.00-81.50; 35 head 90-95 lb. 66.00-67.50; 30 head small frame 110-115 lb. 73.00-74.00, 60 head 100-105 lb. 48.00.

SHEEP: No market test. Few Utility slaughter ewes 11.00-20.00. GOATS: No test.

Lancaster Auction Wednesday, Nov. 16 Report supplied by USDA **Cattle Calves Hogs Sheep** 

Today 544 21 812 **Last Wednesday** 606 35 844 3 Last Year 290 81 779 0 Wednesday's Auction

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Last Wednesday's Auction

183 35 736 CATTLE: Small supply mainly slaughter steers and cows: steers fully steady; cows mostly steady; heifers, bulls and bullocks not fully

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SLAUGHTER STEERS: Few Choice 2-3 1060-1250 lb. 62.00-63.25; high Good and low Choice 2-3 61.00-61.50; Good 2-3 950-1325 lb. 53.00-58.75; few Good and Choice 1250-1500 lb. Holsteins 49.00-52.00.

COWS: Breaking Utility and Commercial 2-4 38.50-40.75; Cutter and Boning Utility 1-3 34.75-38.75, couple 38.74-40.50; Canner and low Cutter 31.50-34.50.

BULLS: Yield grade 1-2 1185-1650 lb. 45.00-49.75.

**VEAL CALVES: Insufficient** volume for a market test. Few high Good and low Choice 80-115 lb. 35.00-45.00.

SHEEP: No market test.

#### New Holland Livestock

Thursday, November 17 CATTLE: 1330. Compared to last Thursday slaughter steers firm to 50 higher, instances 1.00 higher on Good to low Choice; slaughter heifers not fully tested; cows weak to mostly 1.00 lower; bullocks firm to 1.00 higher; bulls 1.00 higher. Supply included 42 percent slaughter steers, 46 percent cows and 9 percent bulls.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Few

high Choice and Prime 3-4 1235-1450 lb. 63.25-66.00; Good and Choice 1-2 1150-1500 lb. 64.25-65.25; Choice 2-4 1050-1425 lb. 61.00-64.00, few 64.00-64.35; high Good and low Choice 2-3 58.00-61.50; Good 2-3 55.00-58.00; Good and Choice 1200-1350 lb. Holsteins 49.50-54.00, few Choice 1365-1680 lb. 55.00-58.50; Standard 1-2 46.75-49.50.

HEIFERS: SLAUGHTER Couple lots Choice 2-3 940-1005 lb.

COWS: Breaking Utility and Commercial 2-4 35.50-40.00, few 40.00-41.25; Cutter and Boning Utility 1-3 34.25-39.00, few 39.00-40.00; Canner and low Cutter 31.00-

BULLOCKS: Choice 1000-1350 lb. 57.75-62.00, couple 62.00-64.50; Good 975-1200 lb. 52.50-57.75.

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1300-1750 lb., couple 1900-2100 lb. 48.50-53.50, few 54.00-55.00; yield grade 2 1000-1350 lb. 46.00-48.50, few 43.00-46.00.

VEAL CALVES: 630. Vealers mostly steady; slaughter calves 2.00-3.00 lower. Demand fair for Holstein bulls to return to farm.

VEALERS: Choice 160-300 lb. 84.00-99.00, few high Choice and Prime 260-320 lb. 105.00-112.00; high Good and low Choice 140-300 lb. 60.00-85.00, 120-140 lb. 46.00-60.00, 80-115 lb. 35.00-46.00, few 46.00-49.00, few 60-85 lb. 30.00-35.00.

SLAUGHTER CALVES: Good and Choice 250-500 lb. 33.00-45.00, few Choice 45.00-55.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: Bulk 100-120 lb. Holstein bulls 58.00-84.00, few 84.00-89.00; several 85-95 lb. 48.00-60.00.

SHEEP: 136. Wooled lambs steady to 2.00 lower; slaughter ewes steady.

WOOLED LAMBS: Choice and Prime 90-120 lb. 51.00-53.00; Choice 70-90 lb. 46.00-51.00; Good 40-80 lb. 35.00-44.00.

SLAUGHTER EWES: Utility and Good 11.00-17.00.

GOATS: 5. Few goats sold by the head at 15.00-21.00.

#### Lancaster Co. Weekly Friday, November 18

**Cattle Calves** 4400 1725 This Week 4945 1878 Last Week 1747 4482 Last Year

CATTLE: Slaughter steers firm to .50 higher, some sales midpart of week as much as 2.00 higher; slaughter heifers 1.00-1.50 lower; cows weak to mostly 1.00 lower;

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bullocks and bulls firm to 1.0 higher. Supply included 323 slaughter steers, 5% slaughter heifers, 31% cows, 6% bulls, with the balance feeders.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 3-4 1200-1450 lbs 63.25-66.00; Good and Choice 1.4 1150-1500 lb. 64.50-66.00, few head 66.00-67.50; Choice 2-4 1050-1425 lbs 61.00-64.50, few early part of week 64.50-66.00; high Good and low Choice 2-3 1050-1300 lbs. 58.00-62.00 Good 2-3 55.00-59.00; Good and Choice 1200-1400 lb. Holsteins 48.75. 53.00, few Choice 54.00-58.50, Standard 1-2 42.00-48.75.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS Choice 2-3 900-1150 lb. 56.75-59.25 few 59.25-60.75; Good 2-3 850-1050 lb. 52.00-57.00.

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BULLOCKS: Choice 1000-1350 lb 57.50-62.00, couple 62.00-64.50, Good 975-1200 lb. 52.50-57.75.

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VEALERS: Choice 160-350 lb 84.00-99.00; few high Choice and Prime 100.00-112.00; high Good and low Choice 140-300 lb. 60.00-85.00, 120-140 lb. 46.00-60.00, 80-115 lb 35.00-46.00 few 46.00-50.00, 60-80 lb 30.00-38.00.

SLAUGHTER CALVES: Good and Choice 250-500 lb. 33.00-45.00, few Choice 45.00-55.00 with some Choice 200-250 lb. 55.00-70.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: Bulk 100-120 lb. Holstein bulls 58.00-84.00, few 84.00-90.00; several 85-% 48.00-70.00. Pew 80-115 lb Holstein heifers 44.00-55.00.

#### New Holland Feeder Pigs

Wednesday, November 16 Report supplied by USDA

TREND: Compared to last Wednesday feeder pigs under 50 lb. firm to 5.00 higher instances 10.00 higher, weights over 50 lb. mostly steady. All pigs weighed on arrival and sold by the hundred weight. US 1-2: 152 head 29-39 lbs. 62.00

70.00; 159 head 40-49 lb. 52.00-62.00; 49 head 53-55 lbs. 45.00-50.00; 121 head 60-89 lbs. 42.00-47.00. US 2: 102 head 30-39 lbs. 50.00

57.00; 36 head 49 lbs. 45.00; 31 head 101 lbs. 39.00.

US 2-3: 84 head 24-39 lbs. 49.00 55.00; 54 head 42-64 lbs. 41.00-55.00.

#### New Holland Horse

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