

# Livestock market and auction news

## Lancaster Market

Monday, Jan. 23  
Report Supplied By USDA  
Cattle Calves Hogs Sheep

Today	992	104	633	219
Last Monday	1303	113	953	356
Last Year	858	139	998	144
Monday's Auction	1097	113	651	241
Last Monday's Auction	1245	158	951	391

**CATTLE:** Compared to last Monday slaughter steers 50-1.00 higher; heifers 50-1.00 higher; cows mostly steady; bullocks fully steady, instances 1.00 higher; bulls uneven, bulk of the supply yield grade 2 steady, small supply yield grade 1 50-1.00 higher. Supply included 62% steers, 12% heifers, 17% cows, and 9% bulls.

**SLAUGHTER STEERS:** Few high Choice and Prime 1180-1325 lb. 72.85-73.50, 12 head 73.60-74.25; Choice 2-4 1100-1375 lb. 69.00-72.00, few 72.00-72.50; high Good and low Choice 2-3 66.00-69.00; Good 2-3 62.75-67.00; Holsteins, Choice 1200-1400 lb. 56.00-59.00, Good 1200-1460 lb. 52.25-55.75, Standard 48.00-52.00.

**SLAUGHTER HEIFERS:** Choice 2-3 900-1220 lb. 68.00-71.00; couple Choice and Prime mostly 3 1050-1200 lb. 72.00-73.75; Good 2-3 850-1050 lb. 61.25-65.50.

**COWS:** Breaking Utility and Commercial 2-4 39.00-41.50, few 41.50-43.00; Cutter and Boning Utility 1-3 35.50-39.00, few 39.00-41.00; Canner and low Cutter 33.00-36.00.

**BULLOCKS:** Choice 1075-1300 lb. 60.50-64.50; Good 1000-1200 lb. 53.00-58.50, few 59.00-61.00.

**BULLS:** Yield grade 1 1400-2000 lb. 51.00-55.00, couple 55.00-55.75, four head 2150-2465 lb. 50.25-54.75; yield grade 2 1100-1700 lb. 44.00-49.50.

**VEAL CALVES:** Vealers firm, few sales high Good and low Choice 90-115 lb. 2.00-5.00 higher; slaughter calves steady. Demand fair for Holstein bulls to return to farm. Supply included one lot Prime special fed 340 lb. bought to arrive at 124.00.

**VEALERS:** Choice 140-300 lb. 95.00-110.00; high Good and low

Choice 160-300 lb. 75.00-95.00, 140-160 lb. 65.00-75.00, 115-140 lb. 55.00-70.00, 90-115 lb. 50.00-58.00, 70-85 lb. 35.00-50.00.

**SLAUGHTER CALVES:** Good and Choice 150-600 lb. 50.00-55.00, few 150-300 lb. 55.00-60.00.

**RETURNED TO FARM:** Bulk 90-120 lb. Holstein bulls 75.00-90.00.

**SHEEP:** Woolled lambs firm to 5.00 higher; slaughter ewes steady. Supply included around 100 goats.

**WOOLED LAMBS:** High Choice and Prime 90-110 lb. 68.00-70.00; Choice 80-105 lb. 60.00-68.00; Good 60-90 lb. 55.00-60.00, few 60-85 lb. sold as feeders 50.00-55.00; around 25 head Choice 45-60 lb. new crop lambs 70.00-85.00.

**SLAUGHTER EWES:** Utility and Good 15.00-32.00, mainly 20.00-30.00.

**GOATS:** All goats sold by the head; large mature goats 50.00-60.00, couple 60.00-65.00; medium 35.00-50.00; kid goats 25.00-30.00.

## Vintage Auction

Tuesday, Jan. 24  
Report supplied by USDA  
Cattle Calves Sheep Goats

Today	841	711	12	0
Last Tuesday	1059	749	9	0
Last Year	930	786	5	2

**CATTLE:** Compared to last Tuesday slaughter steers 1.00-2.00 higher, slaughter heifers not fully tested; cows firm to mostly 1.00 higher, although late sales only steady; bullocks and bulls 1.00-2.00 higher. Supply included 42 percent slaughter steers and 50 percent cows.

**SLAUGHTER STEERS:** High Choice and Prime 3-4 1200-1450 lb. 72.75-74.50, few 74.50-75.50; Good and Choice 1-2 1100-1400 lb. 72.00-74.50, few 74.50-75.85; Choice 2-4 1100-1470 lb. 68.75-73.25, mainly 70.00-72.75; high Good and low Choice 2-3 67.50-70.00; few Good 2-3 64.00-67.00.

**SLAUGHTER HEIFERS:** Few Choice 2-3 1100-1165 lb. 70.25-71.75; Good 2-3 940-1225 lb. 62.00-68.50.

**COWS:** Breaking Utility and Commercial 2-4 39.50-43.50, few 43.50-44.25; Cutter and Boning

Utility 1-3 36.75-41.50, several 41.75-42.75, couple 43.00-44.00; Canner and low Cutter 33.00-37.00.

**BULLOCKS:** Few Choice 1200-1350 lb. 58.00-60.00; few Good 1050-1300 lb. 51.60-58.00.

**BULLS:** Yield grade 1 1200-1700 lb. 52.25-57.50, couple 59.85-62.10, individual 2555 lb. 52.00.

**VEAL CALVES:** Vealers firm to 3.00 higher. Supply included 520 in graded sale of which 72 percent sold to return to farm.

**VEALERS:** Few Choice 140-250 lb. 86.00-100.00; high Good and low Choice 140-300 lb. 60.00-85.00, 115-140 lb. 55.00-65.00, 80-115 lb. 54.00-60.00, 60-75 lb. 47.00-51.00.

**RETURNED TO FARM:** 30 head 100-120 lb. Holstein heifers 72.00-73.00; 16 head 90-95 lb. 60.50. 25 head 120-125 lb. Holstein bulls 97.00; 165 head 100-115 lb. 111.00-115.00; 35 head 90-95 lb. 102.00-104.00; 25 head small frame 110-120 lb. 98.00-104.00 and 85 head small frame 90-105 lb. 57.00-72.00.

**SHEEP:** Insufficient volume for a market test; few Utility and Good slaughter ewes 19.00-27.00.

## Lancaster Auction

Wednesday, Jan. 25  
Report supplied by USDA  
Cattle Calves Hogs Sheep

Today	300	27	567	20
Last Wednesday	136	9	605	16
Last Year	220	15	503	0

**Wednesday's Auction**  
254 32 490 9

**Last Wednesday's Auction**  
104 9 653 9

**CATTLE:** Small supply all classes mostly steady

**SLAUGHTER STEERS:** Choice 2-4 1150-1375 lb. 68.75-71.50, couple 72.25-72.50; high Good and low Choice 2-3 1100-1450 lb. 65.75-68.75; Good 2-3 1100-1350 lb. 61.50-66.00; couple Choice 1280-1435 lb. Holsteins 55.75-58.75, few Standard 940-1035 lb. 40.75-45.00.

**COWS:** Breaking Utility and Commercial 2-4 40.00-41.50, couple 42.25-44.00; Cutter and Boning Utility 1-3 36.50-39.75, couple 40.00-41.75; Canner and low Cutter 34.00-36.50.

**BULLS:** Three head yield grade 1 2370-2555 lb. 48.50-51.25, individual 1670 lb. 52.25.

**VEAL CALVES:** Supply mainly high Good and low Choice 80-115 lb. vealers selling at 35.00-55.00; few 95-120 lb. Holstein bulls returned to farm at 75.00-90.00.

**SHEEP:** Few Good 60-90 lb. woolled lambs 50.00-55.00.

## New Holland Livestock

Thursday, January 26  
Report supplied by USDA

**CATTLE:** 1260. Compared to last Thursday slaughter steers uneven, high Choice and Prime not tested, Choice firm, instances .50 higher, Good to low Choice weak to .50 lower; slaughter heifers steady; cows 1.00-2.00 lower, instances 3.00 lower; bullocks steady, yield grade 1 bulls 1.00-2.00 higher; yield grade steady. Supply included 34 percent slaughter steers, 6 percent slaughter heifers, 51 percent cows and 9 percent bulls.

**SLAUGHTER STEERS:** Choice 2-4 1050-1400 lb. 68.50-71.75, few 71.75-72.10, couple high Choice and Prime 3-4 1400-1500 lb. 71.75-73.00; high good and low Choice 2-3 1000-1375 lb. 65.00-68.50; Good 2-3 61.00-65.00; few Choice 1200-1400 lb. Holsteins 55.75-57.75, couple 59.75-62.00; Good 1100-1350 lbs 51.00-55.00.

**SLAUGHTER HEIFERS** Choice 2-3 950-1150 lbs. 61.00-64.00, couple high Choice and Prime 3 1100-1200 lb. 67.25-69.00; few Good 900-1075 lb. 52.00-58.50.

**COWS:** Breaking Utility and Commercial 2-4 39.00-41.50, few 42.00-44.25; Cutter and Boning Utility 1-3 36.50-39.50, several mainly early sales 39.50-41.50; Canner and low Cutter 33.50-37.00, few 30.00-33.50.

**BULLOCKS:** Choice 1050-1400 lb. 60.00-62.00, couple 62.50-64.00; Good 1000-1350 lb. 52.00-58.50.

**BULLS:** Yield grade 1 1300-1800 lb. 52.00-55.00, few 56.00-58.50; yield grade 2 1000-1350 lb. 45.50-50.00.

**VEAL CALVES:** 644. Vealers steady to 3.00 lower; slaughter calves 5.00-8.00 lower Demand good for Holstein bulls to return to farm.

**VEALERS:** Choice 180-350 lb. 88.00-104.00, few 104.00-109.00, individual Prime 305 lb. 126.00; high Good and low Choice 160-300 lb. 80.00-95.00, 110-160 lb. 60.00-85.00, 80-115 lb. 47.00-55.00, few 60-80 lb. 42.00-50.00.

**SLAUGHTER CALVES:** Good and Choice 250-450 lb. 38.00-50.00, few Standard 170-500 lb. 26.00-38.00.

**RETURNED TO FARM:** Bulk 100-125 lb. Holstein bulls 95.00-106.00, few 107.00-114.00, several 85-105 lb. 65.00-90.00.

**SHEEP:** 9. Insufficient volume for a market test.

**GOATS:** 45. All goats sold by the head, mainly 20.00-45.00, eight heat 48.00-54.00, with few kids 7.00-19.00

## Lancaster County Weekly

Friday, January 27

	Cattle	Calves
This Week	3700	1500
Last Week	3691	1357
Last Year	3302	1425

**CATTLE:** Slaughter steers uneven, Choice and Prime steady although high Choice and Prime not tested late, Good and low Choice weak to .50 lower; slaughter heifers steady; cows closed 1.00-2.00 lower, extremes 3.00 lower; bullocks steady; Yield Grade 1 bulls 1.00-2.00 higher, Yield Grade 2 steady. Supply included 43 per cent slaughter steers, 7 per cent slaughter heifers, 26 per cent cows, 7 per cent bulls, with the balance feeders.

**SLAUGHTER STEERS:** High Choice and Prime 3-4 1180-1450 lbs. 72.75-74.50, few 74.50-75.50; Good and Choice 1-2 1100-1400 lbs. 72.00-74.50, few 74.50-75.85; Choice 2-4 1100-1470 lbs. 68.50-72.00, few mainly early part of week 72.00-73.25, high Good and low Choice 2-3 65.00-69.00, Good 2-3 61.00-67.00; Choice 1200-1400 lb. holsteins 55.75-59.00, couple head 59.50-62.00; Good 1200-1460 lbs. 51.00-55.75, Standard 48.00-52.00.

**SLAUGHTER HEIFERS:** Choice 2-3 900-1220 lbs. 64.00-71.00; few Choice and Prime mostly 3, 1050-1200 lbs. 71.75-73.75; Good 2-3 850-1050 lbs. 58.00-66.00.

**COWS:** Breaking Utility and Commercial 2-4 39.00-43.50, few early part of week 43.50-44.25, Cutter and Boning Utility 1-3 36.50-39.50, several 40.00-42.75, Canner and low Cutter 33.00-37.00, few 30.00-33.00.

**BULLOCKS:** Choice 1050-1400 lbs. 58.00-62.50, couple 62.50-64.50; Good 1000-1350 lbs. 51.50-58.50.

**BULLS:** Yield Grade 1 1300-2000 lbs. 51.00-55.00, few 55.00-58.50, couple 59.00-62.10, 10 head 2150-2555 lbs. 48.50-54.75; Yield Grade 2 1000-1350 lbs. 44.00-50.00.

**VEAL CALVES:** Vealers uneven, closing steady to 3.00 lower, few sales slaughter calves late 5.00-8.00 lower. Demand good for holstein bulls to return to farm.

**VEALERS:** Choice 140-350 lbs. 88.00-104.00, few 104.00-110.00, individual Prime 305 lbs. 126.00; high Good and low Choice 160-300 lbs. 75.00-95.00, 120-160 lbs. 60.00-85.00, 80-115 lbs. 47.00-60.00, 60-75 lbs. 35.00-51.00.

**SLAUGHTER CALVES:** Good and Choice 250-450 lbs. 38.00-55.00, few 150-300 lbs. 55.00-60.00, Standard 170-500 lbs. 26.00-38.00.

**RETURNED TO FARM:** Bulk 100-120 lb. holstein heifers 70.00-73.00; bulk 100-125 lb. holstein bulls 95.00-115.00, several 85-105 lbs. 57.00-90.00.

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**MONDAY**  
9:00 A.M. — Slaughter Bulls, Heifers, Steers, Cows  
11.00 A.M. — Veal Calves, Lambs, Hogs

**TUESDAY**  
10.00 A.M. — Slaughter Hogs  
1.00 P.M. — Feeder Pigs

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

**FRIDAY**  
11 00 A.M. — Stocker and Feeder Cattle

**SATURDAY**  
9 30 A.M. — Slaughter Hogs

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**ANNOUNCEMENT**

Starting Wednesday February 15th The Slaughter Sale Will Be Featuring Weekly A Load Lot Sale (5 or More) At 12 Noon  
A Weekly Gift For The Individual Receiving The Highest Price Per Lot Sold The Regular 10 AM Sale Will Remain The Same

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1 mile North of Ephrata on N. State St.  
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865-2881  
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Also Hay Sale every Tuesday at 12:30