



HOG MARKETS

US No. 2: 244 head. 30 head 24-25 lbs. 73.00-81.00; 95 head 32-39 lbs. 68.00-92.00 (mostly 75.00-92.00); 73 head 41-49 lbs. 83.00-89.00; 43 head 51-59 lbs. 76.00-82.50; 3 head 70 lbs. 60.00.

US No. 2&3: 92 head. 40 head 25-34 lbs. 61.00-75.00; 52 head 43-51 lbs. 78.00-84.50.

UTILITIES: 23 head. 25-50 lbs. 31.00-50.00.

AS IS: 30 head. 30-56 lbs. 25.00-37.00.

New Holland Feeder Pigs

New Holland Hogs

New Holland Sales Stables
Monday, October 15
Report supplied by USDA

Wednesday, October 17
Report supplied by USDA

Today 717
Last Wednesday 548
Last Year 789
TREND: Compared to last Wednesday feeder pigs unevenly steady. All pigs weighed on arrival and sold by the hundred weight.

US 1-2: 8 head 18 lbs. 98.00; 96 head 30-39 lbs. 74.00-88.00; 170 head 40-49 lbs. 70.00-77.00; 102 head 50-59 lbs. 64.00-71.00; 106 head 60-95 lbs. 51.00-61.00; 10 head 111-113 lbs. 48.00-49.00.

US 2-3: 5 head 29 lbs. 76.00; 41 head 35-38 lbs. 52.00-65.00; 19 head 41-42 lbs. 56.00-66.00; 52 head 50-80 lbs. 51.00-55.00.

Lancaster Feeder Pigs

Lancaster Hogs

Lancaster Stockyards
Monday, October 15
Report supplied by USDA

RETURNED TO FARM: Bulk 95-120 lb. Holstein bulls 60.00-85.00.
HOGS: Compared to last Wednesday barrows and gilts 1.00-1.50 lower.

BARROWS AND GILTS: US 1-2 210-250 lb. 45.50-46.25. US 1 210-250 lb. 47.00-48.00, few 48.50-49.00. US 1-3 210-280 lb. 44.75-45.50.

Tuesday, October 16

Today 104
Last Tuesday 48
Last Year 136
TREND: Small supply barrows and gilts fully steady.

BARROWS AND GILTS: US 1-2 210-250 lb. 45.50-46.50. US 1 Few 210-240 lb. 46.50-47.00.

Wednesday, October 17

HOGS: Compared to Monday barrows and gilts mostly steady.

BARROWS AND GILTS: US 1-2 210-250 lb. 45.50-46.50, 200-210 lb. 44.00-44.50. US 1 215-250 lb. 46.50-47.50, few 47.75-48.00. US 1-3 210-270 lb. 44.50-45.50.

Carlisle Graded Pigs

Carlisle, Pa.

Friday, October 12, 1984

Report supplied by auction

TREND: Compared to September's State Graded Pig Sale pigs were 10.00 to 12.00 lower; extremes 20.00 lower. All pigs weighed on arrival and sold by the hundred weight. Total headage 907 pigs.

US NO. 1 & 2: 518 head. 37 head 27-29 lbs. 82.00-89.00; 151 head 31-39 lbs. 80.00-87.00 (mostly 85.00-87.00); 125 head 43-49 lbs. 77.00-87.50 mostly (80.50-87.50); 153 head 50-59 lbs. 77.00-81.00; 11 head 50 lbs. 72.00; 41 head 60-65 lbs. 66.00-69.00.

St. Louis Hogs

Thursday, October 18

Report supplied by USDA

5500. Barrows & gilts traded moderately active early, slow late; 50 lower.

BARROWS & GILTS: US 1-2 210-260 lb. 43.50-44.00, around 500 head 44.25. US 1-3 200-230 lb. 42.50-43.50; 260-270 lb. 43.00-43.25.

SOWS: Under 500 lb. 1.00 lower; over 500 lb. steady. (About 10%). US 1-3 300-500 lb. 36.50; Over 500 lb. 42.00-44.00.

BOARS: Over 250 lb. 35.00; under 250 lb. 35.50.

Indianapolis Hogs

Thursday, October 18

Report supplied by USDA

900. Barrows & gilts moderately active, 50-75 lower.

BARROWS & GILTS: US 1-2 210-255 lb. 44.25-44.50. US 1-3 220-270 lb. 43.00-44.00.

SOWS: Moderately active; compared to Tuesday, steady-50 lower (10%).

US 1-3 375-500 lb. 37.00-40.00; 525-625 lb. 42.00-46.00.

BOARS: Over 450 lb. 34.00.

Jersey Shore Livestock

Thursday, October 11

Report supplied by auction

Good Veal: 65.00-89.00.
Common Veal: 45.00-64.00.
Good Steers: 58.00-64.00.
Common Steers: 42.00-58.00.
Commercial Cows: 38.00-42.25.
Canners-Cutters: 32.00-37.75.
Heifers: 42.00-59.00.
Feeder Cattle: 28.00-50.00.
Bulls: 42.00-49.00.
Good Hogs: 44.25.
Heavies: 44.25.
Sows: 37.00-38.50.
Lambs: 58.00-61.00.
Eggs: 45.00-64.00.

U.S. Inspected Livestock Slaughter

Week To Date (Est.)	Estimated Daily Livestock			
	CATTLE	CALVES	HOGS	SHEEP
569,000	49,000	1,392,000	102,000	
Same Pd. Lt. Wk. (Est.)	566,000	50,000	1,331,000	103,000
Same Pd. Lt. Yr. (Act)	556,000	49,000	1,462,000	103,000

Chicago Grain Futures

(Closing Bids as of Thursday, October 18)

Mo.	Corn	Wheat	Soybeans	Soybean Meal
Oct.				150.84
Nov.			6.22 ¹ / ₂	
Dec.	2.78 ¹ / ₄	3.49 ¹ / ₂		155.60
Jan. '85			6.32 ³ / ₄	158.90
Mar. '85	2.85 ¹ / ₄	3.56 ³ / ₄	6.48	165.00
May '85	2.90 ³ / ₄	3.54 ¹ / ₄	6.59 ³ / ₄	170.50
July '85	2.93 ¹ / ₂	3.41 ¹ / ₄	6.67 ¹ / ₄	175.30
Sept. '85	2.88 ³ / ₄	3.45 ³ / ₄		

Trends - Corn - weaker; Wheat - steady; Soybeans - weaker, Soybean Meal - stronger

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Futures Trading

(Closing Bids as of Thursday, October 18)

Mo.	Chicago Cattle	Chicago Hogs	NY Maine Potatoes
Oct.	62.62	45.05	
Nov.			3.03
Dec.	64.17	46.65	
Feb. '85	64.75	48.92	
April '85	66.05	46.05	
May '85			3.96
June '85	66.30		
July '85		50.50	
Aug. '85	64.17		

Trends - Cattle - weaker; Hogs - weaker; Potatoes - stronger

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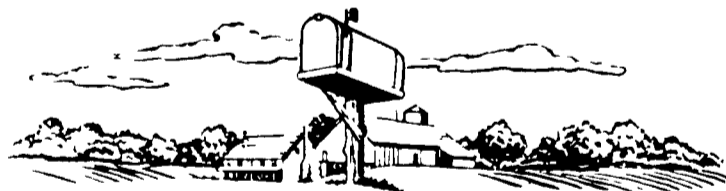
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