

HOG MARKETS

Lancaster Hogs Lancaster Stockyards Monday, October 22 Report supplied by USDA

HOGS: Compared to last Wednesday barrows and gilts steady to .50 lower.

BARROWS AND GILTS: US 1-2 210-250 lb. 45.00-46.00. US 1 210-250 lbs. 47.00-48.00, few head 48.25-48.85. US 1-3 210-270 lb. 44.50-45.25.

SOWS: US 1-3 330-500 lb. 38.00-41.00; 500-650 lb. 40.00-42.00.

Tuesday, October 23

Today 137
Last Tuesday 104
Last Year 325

TREND: Insufficient volume to fully test trends, small supply barrows and gilts 1.00-1.50 higher.

BARROWS AND GILTS: US 1-2 210-250 lb. 47.50-48.50. US 1-3 One lot 253 lb. 46.00.

Wednesday, October 24

HOGS: Compared to Monday barrows and gilts 1.00-1.50 higher.

BARROWS AND GILTS: US 1-2 210-250 lb. 46.50-47.75. US 1 210-250 lb. 47.75-48.50, few 49.00-49.50. US 1-3 210-265 lb. 45.75-46.50.

New Holland Hogs

New Holland Sales Stables
Monday, October 22
Report supplied by USDA

Today 1533
Last Monday 1533
Last Year 1975

TREND: Compared to last Monday barrows and gilts 25-50 lower.

BARROWS AND GILTS: US 1-2 210-250 lb. 45.25-47.00, mainly 45.50-45.75. US 1 Few 210-250 lb. 48.00-50.00. US 1-3 210-260 lb. 44.75-45.25. US 2-3 Couple lots 270-280 lb. 42.00-42.50.

Lancaster Feeder Pigs

Tuesday, October 23
Report supplied by USDA

Today 921
Last Tuesday 697
Last Year 967

TREND: Compared to last Tuesday feeder pigs mainly weak, although 40-50 lb. firm to 5.00 higher. All pigs weighed on arrival and sold by the hundred weight.

US 1-2: 21 head 20-24 lbs. 100.00-110.50; 52 head 25-29 lbs. 80.00-94.00; 65 head 30-39 lbs. 70.00-85.50; 261 head 40-49 lbs. 70.00-80.00; 36 head 56 lbs. 73.00; 58 head 50-59 lbs. 60.00-65.00; 90 head 60-75 lbs. 57.00-68.00.

US 2: 60 head 40-49 lbs. 60.00-69.00.

US 2-3: 6 head 22 lbs. 105.00; 27 head 31-35 lbs. 69.00-74.00; 27 head 47-63 lbs. 54.00-57.00.

New Holland Feeder Pigs

Wednesday, October 24
Report supplied by USDA

Today 742
Last Wednesday 717
Last Year 732

TREND: Compared to last Wednesday feeder pigs 2.00-5.00 higher. All pigs weighed on arrival and sold by the hundred weight.

US 1-2: 60 head 22-29 lbs. 89.00-102.00; 84 head 30-39 lbs. 84.00-90.00; 194 head 40-49 lbs. 76.00-84.00; 26 head 45 lbs. 89.00; 21 head 47 lbs. 70.00; 115 head 59-59 lbs. 69.00-75.00; 87 head 60-69 lbs. 61.00-68.00.

US 2-3: 6 head 21 lbs. 102.00; 44 head 34-37 lbs. 70.00-84.00; 23 head 50 lbs. 50.00-58.00.

Lancaster Hogs

Lancaster Stockyards
Saturday, October 20
Report supplied by auction

950 head.
US 1 220-260 lbs. 47.25-49.00; US 1&2 220-260 lbs. 46.00-47.25; US 1&3 220-260 lbs. 45.00-46.00.

SOWS: All weights, 38.75-42.75; Boar Hogs 400 pounds and over 32.00-33.00; under 400 lbs. 33.00-38.00.

Indianapolis Hogs

Thursday, October 25
Report supplied by USDA

700. Barrows & gilts moderately active, 1.00 lower.
BARROWS & GILTS: US 1-2 210-250 lb. 45.00-45.50.

SOWS: Moderately active, not well tested. (1%) US 1-3 Few 375-475 lb. 37.00-39.00; Few 575-625 lb. 43.00-45.00.

BOARS: None quoted.

St. Louis Hogs

Thursday, October 25
Report supplied by USDA

4500. Barrows & gilts moderately active, .50-1.00 lower, with most decline on weights under 250.

BARROWS & GILTS: US 1-2 210-250 lb. 44.50-45.00; 250-260 lb. 44.00-44.50, some up to 45.00. US 1-3 200-230 lb. 44.00-44.50, Few 250-270 lb. 43.50.

SOWS: Mostly steady. About

10%) US 1-3 300-500 lb. 30.00, over 500 lb. 42.00-44.00.

BOARS: Over 250 lb. 35.50; under 250 lb. 36.50.

Peoria Hogs

Thursday, October 25
Report supplied by USDA

2000. Barrows & gilts fairly active, opening 75-to mostly 1.00 lower.

BARROWS AND GILTS: US 1-2 220-250 lb. 44.50-45.00, 100 head 45.25-45.50. US 1-3 200-250 lb. 44.00-44.50.

SOWS: Firm to 2.00 higher, most advance on weights over 500 lb. (9%) US 1-3 350-450 lb. 38.00, few 38.50; 450-500 lb. 40.00-43.00; 500-650 lb. 43.50-45.00.

Belleville Livestock

Belleville, Pa.
Wednesday, Oct. 24
Report supplied by PDA

CATTLE 195: Compared with last Wednesday's market, Slaughter Cows are .25-1.25 higher. Few Good Steers 50.25-58.00, Few Standard 42.75-51.10. Few Standard sl. heifers 40.00-44.00, Breaking Utility and Commercial Slaughter Cows 36.10-38.85 Few to 41.35, Cutter and Boning Utility 33.50-37.00, Couple to 38.50, Canner and Low Cutter 29.00-33.75, Shells down to 25.25. Few Yield Grade No. 1 1290-1800 lbs. Slaughter Bulls, 42.60-46.85.

CALVES 206: Individual Choice 71.00, Few Standard and Good 110-125 lbs. 58.00-63.00, 70-105 lbs. 49.00-59.00, Utility 60-90 lbs. 42.00-50.00.

HOGS 237: Barrows & gilts mostly steady .50 higher. US No. 1-2 210-245 lbs. barrows and gilts 45.25-46.50, No. 1-3 205-260 lbs. 43.85-45.35. Sows: US No. 1-3 420-660 lbs. sows 42.00-46.50. Boars 28.00-34.00.

FEEDER PIGS 293: US No. 1-3 20-35 lbs. feeder pigs 14.00-21.00 per head, No. 1-3 35-50 lbs. 20.00-32.00, No. 1-3 60-100 lbs. 29.50-37.50, Utility 40-60 lbs. 15.00-25.00 per head.

SHEEP 15: Good to Low Choice Wool Slaughter Lambs 45-100 lbs. 54.00-63.00. Few Slaughter Ewes 10.50-19.00.

GOATS 18: Large 18.00-39.00 per head, Kids 10.00-23.00 per head. HOLSTEIN DAIRY COWS 470.00-1000.00, couple \$1110 per head.

U.S. Inspected Livestock Slaughter

	CATTLE	Estimated Daily Livestock CALVES	HOGS	SHEEP
Week To Date (Est.)	545,000	49,000	1,370,000	101,000
Same Pd. Lt. Wk. (Est.)	569,000	49,000	1,392,000	102,000
Same Pd. Lt. Yr. (Act)	553,000	49,000	1,432,000	108,000

Chicago Grain Futures

(Closing Bids as of Thursday, October 25)

Mo.	Corn	Wheat	Soybeans	Soybean Meal
Nov.			6.30	
Dec.	2.78 1/4	3.63		158.40
Jan. '85			6.40 1/4	161.60
Mar. '85	2.84 3/4	3.67	6.53 1/4	167.50
May '85	2.90	3.62	6.68	172.60
July '85	2.93 1/4	3.45 1/4	6.75 1/2	177.20
Aug. '85				177.30
Sept. '85	2.87 1/2	3.50		

Trends - Corn - weaker; Wheat - sideways; Soybeans - sideways to lower; Soybean Meal - sideways.

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Futures Trading

(Closing Bids as of Thursday, October 25)

Mo.	Chicago Cattle	Chicago Hogs	NY Maine Potatoes
Nov.			3.20
Dec.	63.20	46.50	
Feb. '85	64.05	48.92	
April '85	66.07	46.52	
May '85			4.00
June '85	66.47		
July '85		51.02	
Aug. '85	64.05	49.10	
Oct. '85	62.15		

Trends - Cattle - weaker; Hogs - sideways; Potatoes - sideways.

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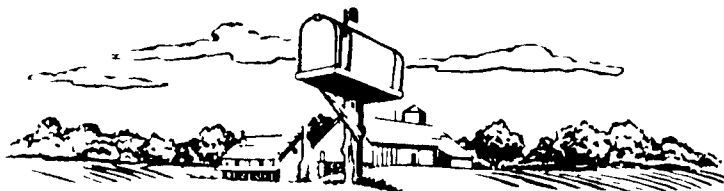
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