



# HOG MARKETS

## Lancaster Hogs

Lancaster Stockyards  
Monday, April 29  
Report supplied by USDA

HOGS: Compared to last Wednesday barrows and gilts mostly steady, instances 1.00 higher on US 1-2; sows steady, instances 2.00 lower on 500-650 lb. weights.

BARROWS AND GILTS: US 1-2 210-245 lb. 43.00-43.75. US 1 210-245 lb. 44.00-45.00. few 45.50. US 1-3 200-250 lb. 41.75-42.75; US 2-4 200-255 lb. 40.75-41.75, 255-270 lb. 38.50-40.00; 270-300 lb. 3.25-36.50.

SOWS: US 1-2 300-500 lb. 32.00-36.00. US 1-3 500-650 lb. 38.00-45.00, mainly 40.00-42.00.

Tuesday, April 30

Today 318  
Last Tuesday 192  
Last Year 134

TREND: Compared to Monday barrows and gilts .50-.75 higher.

BARROWS AND GILTS: US 1-2 210-245 lb. 43.50-44.00, few 44.00-44.50. US 1-3 210-250 lb. 42.50-43.50. US 2-4 200-260 lb. 41.50-42.50.

Wednesday, May 2

HOGS: Compared to Monday barrows and gilts steady to .25 higher.

BARROWS AND GILTS: US 1-2 210-250 lb. 43.00-44.00. US 1 Few 210-245 lb. 44.00-45.00. US 1-3 200-250 lb. 42.00-43.00. US 2-4 230-275 lb. 38.00-41.00.

## New Holland Feeder Pigs

New Holland, Pa.  
Wednesday, May 1  
Report supplied by USDA

Today 836  
Last Wednesday 782  
Last Year 663

TREND: Compared to last Wednesday feeder steady to 3.00 higher. All pigs weighed on arrival and sold by the hundred weight.

US 1-2: 26 head 22-28 lbs. 111.00-120.00; 108 head 30-39 lbs. 88.00-99.00; 38 head 30-36 lbs. 104.00-108.00; 261 head 40-49 lbs. 83.00-100.00; 27 head 47 lbs. 78.00; 112 head 50-59 lbs. 74.00-90.00; 11 head 50 lbs. 98.00; 33 head 63-39 72.00-78.00; 32 head 72-77 lbs. 66.00-78.00.

US 2-3: 16 head 29 lbs. 94.00; 31 head 36 lbs. 76.00; 58 head 44-66 lbs. 70.00-85.00.

## Lancaster Feeder Pigs

Tuesday, April 30  
Report supplied by USDA

Today 773  
Last Tuesday 740  
Last Year 832

TREND: Compared to last Tuesday feeder pigs 8.00-10.00 lower. All pigs weighed on arrival and sold by the hundred weight.

US 1-2: 120 head 30-39 lbs. 90.00-100.00; 250 head 40-49 lbs. 89.00-96.00; 76 head 50-55 lbs. 86.00-90.00; 30 head 61-62 lbs. 77.00-79.00; 12 head 72-76 lbs. 69.00-75.00.

US 2: 37 head 26-29 lbs. 85.00-88.00; 46 head 40-45 lbs. 80.00-86.00; 25 head 50-55 lbs. 75.00-83.00.

US 2-3: 60 head 36-38 lbs. 75.00-81.00; 23 head 43 lbs. 91.00; 30 head 50-57 lbs. 62.00-84.00.

## New Holland Hogs

New Holland Sales Stables  
Monday, April 29  
Report supplied by USDA

Today 1678  
Last Monday 1519  
Last Year 1844

TREND: Compared to last Monday barrows and gilts 1.00-1.50 lower.

BARROWS AND GILTS: US 1-2 210-245 lb. 42.00-42.75.

US 1 210-245 lb. 43.35-44.00, Couple lots 44.50-44.75.

US 1-3 200-250 lbs. 41.00-42.00. US 2-4 250-265 lb. 39.50-40.60.

## Indianapolis Hogs

Thursday, May 2  
Report supplied by USDA

600. Barrows and gilts moderately active, .50-.75 lower.

BARROWS AND GILTS: US 1-3 220-250 lb. 40.50-41.25.

SOWS: Moderately active, under 50 lb. about steady; over 450 lb. 2.00-4.00 lower than last Thursday when last tested. (12%) US 1-3 Few 400-500 lb. 36.00-36.50; 570-600 lb. 38.00-44.00. US 2-3 lot 680 lb. 47.00.

BOARS: Few under 250 lb. 31.00-32.00.

## Vintage Hogs

Vintage Sales Stables  
Saturday, April 27, 1985  
Report Supplied by Auction

1's and 2's, 210-250 lbs. 41.50-43.00; 2's and 3's, 210-245 lbs. 40.50-41.50; Sows, 32.00-36.00; Boars, 31.00-35.00.

## St. Louis Hogs

Thursday, May 2

Report supplied by USDA

4500. Barrows & gilts moderately active, .50 lower.

BARROWS AND GILTS: US 1-2 220-250 lb. 40.75-41.00. US 1-3 210-260 lb. 40.00-40.50. US 2-3 260-270 lb. 39.50.

SOWS: Under 500 lb. mostly steady to weak; over 500 lb. .50 lower (About 9%) US 1-2 300-500 lb. 38.50-39.00. US 1-3 Over 500 lb. 42.50-44.50.

BOARS: Over 300 lb. 36.25; under 300 lb. 33.00, couple lots 34.00-34.50.

## Peoria Hogs

Thursday, May 2

Report supplied by USDA

2500. Barrows & gilts fairly active, weak to .50 lower.

BARROWS AND GILTS: US 1-2 200-240 lb. 41.00-41.50, 100 head 41.75-42.00. US 1-3 200-250 lb. 40.50-41.00.

SOWS: Mostly steady, instances .50 higher. (13%) US 1-2 350-500 lb. 38.00-39.00, bulk 38.50. US 1-3 500-650 lb. 41.50-42.00.

BOARS: Over 350 lb. 37.25-37.50; under 350 lb. 33.50-35.00.

## Chambersburg Livestock

Chambersburg, Pa.  
Thursday, May 2  
Report Supplied by PDA

CATTLE: 246. Compared with last week's market: Sl. cows about steady, .50 higher to .50 lower. Sl. steers: 1 Choice 1285 lbs. at 54.10, few Good holsteins 47.75-50.50. Sl. heifers: few Choice 51.00-54.25, few Good 45.75-50.75. Sl. cows: Breaking Utility and Commercial 40.35-43.60, Cutter & Boning Utility 38.75-41.00, Canner and Cutter 35.50-38.75. Sl. bulls: Yield Grade 1 1210-2065 lbs. 44.25-49.50.

FEEDER CATTLE: Large Frame 2 340-860 lb. steers 45.00-54.00.

CALVES: 375. Few Choice vealers 80.00-90.00, few Good 64.00-75.00, 2 Standard and Good 110-120 lbs. 60.00-63.00, 70-105 lbs. 48.00-58.00.

FARM CALVES: Hol. bulls 90-125 lbs. 60.00-85.00, Hol. heifers 90-120 lbs. 60.00-68.00.

HOGS: 72. US 1-3 210-260 lbs. Barrows and Gilts 39.00-41.50. US 1-3 400-535 lbs. Sows 30.50-36.00.

SHEEP: 3. Few sl. ewes 18.00-18.50.

# U.S. Inspected Livestock Slaughter

	CATTLE	CALVES	HOGS	SHEEP
Estimated Daily Livestock				
Week To Date (Est.)	512,000	48,000	1,321,000	90,000
Same Pd. Lt. Wk. (Est.)	508,000	48,000	1,338,000	92,000
Same Pd. Lt. Yr. (Act)	517,000	40,000	1,291,000	103,000

# Chicago Grain Futures

(Closing Bids as of Thursday, May 2)

Mo.	Corn	Wheat	Soybeans	Soybean Meal
May	2.82 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	3.42 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	5.81 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	121.40
July	2.77 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	3.20 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	5.86 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	127.10
Aug.			5.87 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	130.00
Sept.	2.67 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	3.21	5.89 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	132.70
Nov.			5.97 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	
Dec.	2.62	3.31 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>		140.70
Jan.'86			6.08 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	142.80
Mar.'86	2.70 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	3.36	6.19	147.50
May '86	2.75	3.34	6.27	151.60

Trends - Corn - Weaker, Soybeans - Weaker; Wheat - Weaker; Soybean Meal - Weaker

# Futures Trading

(Closing Bids as of Thursday, May 2)

Mo.	Chicago Cattle	Chicago Hogs	NY Maine Potatoes
May			3.23
June	61.72	45.77	
July		48.65	
Aug.	62.82	49.30	
Oct.	62.10	46.77	
Nov.			3.34
Dec.	63.47	48.40	
Feb. '86	64.25	48.65	
Apr. '86	65.00	65.00	

Trends - Cattle - Weaker; Hogs - Weaker.

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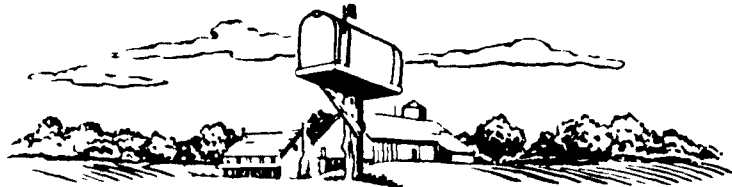
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