

# Livestock market and auction news

## Lancaster Market

**Monday, Sept. 2**  
Report Supplied by USDA  
Cattle Calves Sheep Goats

Today	1174	84	759	
Last Monday	1244	123	627	
Last Year	885	78	516	
Monday's Auction	1141	86	466	284
Last Monday's Auction	1204	130	379	253

Auction not covered - Federal Holiday.

## Vintage Market

**Tuesday, Sept. 3**  
Report Supplied by USDA  
Cattle Calves Sheep Goats

Today	1347	963	15	4
Last Tuesday	1287	1021	22	2
Last Year	899	857	14	1

**CATTLE:** Compared to last Tuesday slaughter steers 50-1.00 higher, with early sales mostly 1.50 higher; slaughter heifers 50-1.00 higher; cows weak to 50 lower, with early sales mostly 1.00 lower; bulls not fully tested. Supply included 72 percent slaughter steers and 24 percent cows.

**SLAUGHTER STEERS:** High Choice and Prime 2-4 1150-1470 lb. 53.50-55.35, few 55.50-56.60, couple 57.00-58.00, 4-5 1280-1530 lb. 48.50-52.25; Good and Choice 1-2 1100-1400 lb. 55.50-58.25; Choice 2-4 52.50-54.75, several 55.00-55.75, 4-5 1130-1415 lb. 48.00-52.00; high Good and low Choice 2-3 1050-1325 lb. 49.00-52.00; few Good and Choice 1170-1500 lb. Holsteins 43.50-48.00.

**SLAUGHTER HEIFERS:** Few Choice 2-3 975-1140 lb. 49.35-52.35; few Good 2-3 900-1150 lb. 44.00-48.50.

**COWS:** Breaking Utility and Commercial 2-4 34.75-36.25, few 36.50-38.00; Cutter and Boning Utility 1-3 32.75-34.75, few 35.00-37.00; Canner and low Cutter 31.00-

33.25.  
**BULLS:** Couple yield grade 1 1550-1965 lb. 44.85-47.75; yield grade 2 1250-1960 lb. 40.50-43.85.

**VEAL CALVES:** Vealers mostly steady, although Choice not fully tested. Supply included 735 in graded sale of which 57 percent sold to return to farm.

**VEALERS:** Couple Choice 180-250 lb. 77.00-85.00; high Good and low Choice 140-225 lb. 60.00-76.00, 115-140 lb. 48.00-60.00, 105-115 lb. 43.00-46.00, 80-105 lb. 37.00-43.00, 70-80 lb. 32.00-39.00, few 55-70 lb. 28.00-32.00.

**RETURNED TO FARM:** 320 head 90-125 lb. Holstein bulls 69.50-74.00; 30 head small frame 110-120 lb. 58.00-59.00 and 75 head small frame 100-105 lb. 45.00.

**SHEEP:** Insufficient volume for a market test; few Good 70-110 lb. spring lambs 52.00-61.00.

**GOATS:** Couple Large 42.00-46.00 per head.

## Lancaster Auction

**Wednesday, Sept. 4**  
Report Supplied by USDA  
Cattle Calves Hogs Sheep

Today	413	50	469	6
Last Wednesday	289	3	254	5
Last Year	389	35	903	0
Wednesday's Auction	231	46	437	0
Last Wednesday's Auction	251	12	232	5

**CATTLE:** Trends not comparable because market not reported on Monday. Supply included 75 percent slaughter steers.

**SLAUGHTER STEERS:** Choice 2-4 1060-1365 lb. 51.75-52.60; Choice 3-4 1165-1440 lb. 50.35-50.75, couple 4-5 1400-1650 lb. 43.50-48.25; few Good 1100-1250 lb. Holsteins 40.50-42.25.

**COWS:** Cutter and Boning Utility 1-3 32.75-35.50, couple 35.50-37.25; Canner and low Cutter 30.00-33.00.

**VEAL CALVES:** Supply mainly high Good and low Choice 80-115 lb.

selling at 40.00-50.00; few 95-120 lb. Holstein bulls 55.00-65.00.  
**SHEEP:** No market test.

## New Holland Livestock

New Holland, Pa.  
**Thursday, Sept. 5**  
**CATTLE:** 1408. Compared to last Thursday slaughter steers fully steady, after early sales being steady to 50 lower; slaughter heifers not tested; cows 50-1.00 higher, instances 2.00 higher; bullocks scarce; bulls steady, although yield grade 1 not fully tested. Supply included 74 percent slaughter steers and 21 percent cows.

**SLAUGHTER STEERS:** High Choice and Prime 2-4 1115-1425 lb. 52.60-55.25, few head mainly yield grade 3 56.50-57.25; Good and Choice 1-2 1175-1525 lb. 54.50-56.85, few 57.25-57.75; Choice 2-4 1050-1350 lb. 51.00-54.60, mostly 51.50-54.00, 4-5 1140-1400 lb. 48.00-51.00; high Good and low Choice 2-3 48.50-51.75; Good 2-3 44.50-49.25; Few Good and Choice 1100-1350 lb. Holsteins 44.00-45.75.

**COWS:** Breaking Utility and Commercial 2-4 34.75-37.75; Cutter and Boning Utility 1-3 34.00-36.50, few 36.50-37.25; Canner and low Cutter 31.75-34.00, few 31.00-31.75.

**BULLOCKS:** Couple Choice 2-3 1100-1300 lb 48.25-51.00; few Good 1-2 1050-1250 lb. 44.50-48.00.

**BULLS:** Yield grade 1 1500-1900 lb. 48.25-51.00, couple 1700-1880 lb. 46.50-46.75; yield grade 2 1000-1500 lb. 43.25-46.75, few 850-1000 lb. 41.50-43.00.

**VEAL CALVES 643.** Vealers uneven, few Prime special fed 10.00-15.00 higher, Choice steady to 5.00 lower, high Good and low Choice 4.00-6.00 lower. Demand fair for Holstein bulls to return to farm.

**VEALERS:** Few Prime special fed 230-360 lb. 104.00-115.00; Choice 180-325 lb. 75.00-92.00, few 92.00-97.00; high Good and low Choice 160-350 lb. 60.00-70.00, few 70.00-81.00, 120-160 lb. 47.00-65.00, 80-115 lb. 40.00-45.00, few 45.00-48.00.

Some markets not covered by PDA or USDA due to holiday

**SLAUGHTER CALVES:** Good and Choice 300-485 lb. 48.00-60.00.

**RETURNED TO FARM:** Bulk 100-130 lb. Holstein bulls 63.00-75.00, few 75.00-79.00, several 90-105 lb. including small frame 58.00-65.00.

**SHEEP:** 73. Spring lambs mostly steady; slaughter ewes steady, instances 5.00 higher.

**SPRING LAMBS:** Couple high Choice and Prime 90-115 lb. 71.00-79.00, few Choice 60-70 lb. 70.00-79.00, Choice 75-110 lb. 60.00-68.00; Good 60-90 lb. 50.00-58.00.

**SLAUGHTER EWES:** Utility and Good 18.00-29.00, few Yearlings and 2 year olds 30.00-37.00.

**GOATS:** 82. All goats sold by the head mostly steady, Couple large billies 55.00-63.00, couple large nannies 41.00-48.00; medium 26.00-38.00, small 16.00-25.00.

**SLAUGHTER HEIFERS:** Few Choice 2-3, 975-1140 lb. 49.25-52.50; few Good 2-3, 900-1150 lb. 44.00-48.50.

**COWS:** Breaking Utility & Commercial 2-4, 34.75-37.50; few 37.50-38.00; Cutter & Boning Utility 1-3, 32.75-36.50; few 36.50-37.25; Canner & Low Cutter 31.00-34.00; few 30.00-31.00.

**BULLOCKS:** Couple Choice 2-3, 1100-1300 lb. 48.25-51.00; few Good 1-2, 1050-1250 lb. 44.50-48.00.

**BULLS:** Yield Grade 1, 1500-1900 lb. 47.50-51.00, Couple 1700-1965 lb. 45.50-46.75; Yield Grade 2, 1000-1500 lb. 42.50-46.75; few 850-1000 lb. 41.50-43.00.

**VEAL CALVES:** Vealers very uneven; small supply Prime Special Fed, 10.00-15.00 higher than last week's Low close; Choice steady to 5.00 lower; High Good & Low Choice 4.00-6.00 lower. Demand fair for Holstein bulls to return to farm.

**VEALERS:** Few Prime Special Fed 230-360 lb. 104.00-115.00; Choice 180-325 lb. 75.00-92.00, a few 92.00-97.00; High Good & Low Choice 160-350 lb. 60.00-70.00, few 70.00-81.00; 115-160 lb. 47.00-65.00; 80-115 lb. 37.00-45.00, few 45.00-48.00; 55-80 lb. 28.00-40.00.

**SLAUGHTER CALVES:** Few Good & Choice 350-485 lb. 48.00-60.00.

**RETURNED TO FARM:** Bulk 90-125 lb. Holstein bulls 63.00-75.00, few 75.00-85.00; several mainly small frame 90-120 lb. 45.00-65.00.

## Lancaster County Weekly

**Friday, September 6**  
Report Supplied by PDA

	Cattle	Calves
This Week	4400	1720
Last Week	3916	1774
Last Year	4399	1757

**CATTLE:** This week's report does not include Lancaster's Monday auction. Market not reported because of holiday. Slaughter steers mostly steady, instances 1.00 high early; slaughter heifers not fully tested; cows 50-1.00 higher, instances 2.00 higher than last week's low close; bullocks scarce; bulls mostly steady. Supply included 70 per cent sl. steers; 3 per cent sl. heifers; 17 per cent cows; 4 per cent bulls; balance feeders.

**SLAUGHTER STEERS:** High Choice & Prime 2-4, 1115-1470 lbs. 52.60-55.25, few 55.50-57.25; 4-5, 1280-1530 lb. 48.50-52.25; Good & Choice 1-2, 1100-1525 lb. 54.50-58.25; Choice 2-4, 1050-1375 lb. 51.00-54.75; mostly 51.50-54.00, with a few 55.00-55.75; 4-5, 1100-1450 lb. 48.00-51.50; few head mostly 5, 1400-1650 lb. 43.50-48.00; High Good & Low Choice 2-3, 1000-1325 lb. 48.50-52.00; few Good 2-3, 44.50-49.25; few Good & Choice 1100-1500 lb. Holsteins 43.50-46.00; few Low Good 40.00-42.25.

## Indiana Livestock

Homer City, Pa.  
**Thursday, September 5**  
Report supplied by PDA  
**CATTLE:** 193. Compared with last week's market: Steers 1.00 higher, sl. cows steady to strong. Few high Choice & Prime sl. steers 53.00-53.50, few low dressing 50.25-51.00, Choice 50.00-53.00, Good 46.50-50.50, Standard 42.00-45.00, few Utility 39.50-42.00. Heifers few high Choice 52.00-53.00, one at 55.00, few Good and low Choice 44.50-48.00, Standard 39.50-43.50. Cows Brking Utility & Commercial 36.00-38.75, few 39.75-40.00, one 43.75; Yield Grade 3-4 39.25-45.75, Cutter & Boning Utility 32.50-36.75, Canner & low Cutter 26.50-33.00, shells down to 22.25. Bullocks one Good 46.75, Utility 40.00-44.25. Bulls Yield Grade 1 1185-1970 lbs. 44.00-45.00, 2 48.50 and 50.00; few Yield Grade 2 1390-1960 lbs. 42.00-44.00.

**FEEDER CATTLE:** Steers Medium Frame 1 700-900 lbs. 42.00-46.75; Heifers Medium Frame 1 540-735 lbs. 43.50-44.75.

**CALVES:** 176. Vealers steady. Few Choice 64.00-66.50, Good 57.50-64.00, Standard 44.50-55.50; Standard & Good 90-125 lbs. 45.50-51.00, 60-85 lbs. 44.00-48.00; Utility 45-80 lbs. 37.50-44.00; few Good & Choice 195-275 lb. sl. calves 52.25-60.00.

**FARM CALVES:** Hol. bulls 95-130 lbs. 60.00-80.00, one at 83.00, few 47.50-60.00; Beef Cross Bulls & Heifers 75-125 lbs. 47.50-52.00.

**HOGS:** 81. Barrows & Gilts steady. 1-2 215-240 lbs. 43.25-43.50; No. 2-3 215-260 lbs. 42.00-43.50; lot 2-4 228 lbs. 41.50; lot 1-3 174 lbs. 36.50; 1-3 Sows one head 515 lbs. 37.00; one Boar 28.25.

**FEEDER PIGS:** 23. 1-3 25-40 lbs. 16.00-26.00 per head.

**SHEEP:** 78. High Choice & Prime 80-100 lb. sl. lambs 63.50-70.00; Choice 70-85 lbs. 60.00-64.00; lot Utility and Good 55 lbs. 40.00; Sl. Ewes 14.50-22.00.

**GOATS:** 13. 11.00-40.00 per head.

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**AUCTIONS**

**MONDAY**  
9:00 A.M. — Slaughter Bulls, Heifers, Steers, Cows  
10:00 A.M. — Goats, Veal Calves, Lambs  
12 Noon — Slaughter Hogs

**TUESDAY**  
9:00 A.M. — Slaughter Hogs  
1:00 P.M. — Feeder Pigs

**WEDNESDAY**  
8:00 A.M. — Slaughter Hogs  
10:00 A.M. — Slaughter Bulls, Heifers, Steers, Cows  
11:00 A.M. — Veal Calves, Lambs

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

**SATURDAY**  
8:00 A.M. — Slaughter Hogs


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