

# Livestock market and auction news

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## Lancaster Market

Monday, Jan. 6

Report Supplied by USDA

Cattle Calves Hogs Sheep Goats  
Monday's Receipts

1249	123	738	481	184
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Last Monday	1234	141	746	207	124
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Last Year	1014	160	822	365	221
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Monday's Auction	1174	129	684	403	262
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Last Monday's Auction	1229	150	732	230	123
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**CATTLE:** Compared to last Monday slaughter steers uneven, Choice .50 lower instance 1.00 lower, Good to low Choice 1.00-2.00 lower; slaughter heifers steady to 1.00 lower; cows .50-1.00 lower; bullocks scarce; bulls 1.00-2.00 lower. Supply included 67% slaughter steers, 11% slaughter heifers, 13% cows, with the balance bulls.

**SLAUGHTER STEERS:** Few head mixed Choice and Prime 2-4 1135-1375 lb. 65.00-66.10; Choice 2-4 1100-1450 lb. 61.50-64.00, few 64.00-64.50; high Good and low Choice 2-3 1050-1350 lb. 58.00-61.50; Good 2-3 1000-1250 lb. 53.00-58.50; Good and Choice 1200-1550 lb. Holsteins 42.00-46.25, few Choice 47.00-49.25, Standard and low Good 39.50-41.50.

**SLAUGHTER HEIFERS:** Choice 2-3 950-1260 lb. 58.00-61.50, few head 61.50-63.50, with a couple yield grade 2 1385-1400 lb. 64.00-64.25; Good 2-3 53.00-58.00.

**COWS:** Breaking Utility and Commercial 2-4 36.50-39.50, few 39.50-41.00; Cutter and Boning Utility 1-3 34.50-37.00, few 37.50-38.00; Canner and low Cutter 32.00-34.50, few 31.00-32.00.

**BULLOCKS:** Good 1-2 950-1200 lb. 46.50-50.00; few Choice 1-3 1050-1300 lb. 51.00-53.75.

**BULLS:** Yield grade 1 1300-1900 lb. 47.50-50.50, couple 51.00-55.25; yield grade 2 1000-1350 lb. 43.00-47.50.

**VEAL CALVES:** Vealers mostly steady. Demand good for Holstein bulls to return to farm. Supply included 12 head Prime special fed bought to arrive at 125.00.

**VEALERS:** Few head Choice and Prime 225-325 lb. 95.00-110.00; Choice 160-300 lb. 75.00-95.00; high Good and low Choice 140-320 lb. 55.00-75.00, 110-140 lb. 48.00-60.00, 80-110 lb. 35.00-45.00.

**SLAUGHTER CALVES:** Good and Choice 350-475 lb. 45.00-55.00.

**RETURNED TO FARM:** Bulk 100-120 lb. Holstein bulls 70.00-90.00.

**SHEEP:** Woolled lambs firm to 2.00 higher; slaughter ewes 10.00-15.00 higher.

**WOOLED LAMBS:** High Choice and Prime 85-110 lb. 72.00-78.00, few 80.00; Choice 80-105 lb. 70.00-75.00; Good 80-110 lb. 68.00-72.00, 60-80 lb. 70.00-85.00; few Choice 40-50 lb. New crop lambs 95.00-115.00.

**SLAUGHTER EWES:** Utility and Good 40.00-50.00, few 30.00-40.00.

**GOATS:** All goats sold by the head; firm to 5.00 higher, instances 10.00 higher on Large; Large mature 60.00-70.00, with about 20 head 75.00-90.00; Medium 45.00-65.00; Small 35.00-45.00.

## Vintage Market

Tuesday, Jan. 7

Report Supplied by USDA

Cattle Calves Sheep Goats

Today	965	909	2	4
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Last Tuesday	780	752	1	0
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Last Year	1106	963	2	2
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**CATTLE:** Compared to last Tuesday slaughter steers 1.00-2.00 lower; slaughter heifers not fully tested; cows weak to 1.00 lower, instances 2.00 lower mainly on Commercial; bulls steady. Supply included 31 percent slaughter steers and 65 percent cows.

**SLAUGHTER STEERS:** Few head mixed Choice and Prime 2-3 1175-1325 lb. 64.75-66.25, couple head 87.00-87.25; Choice 2-4 1050-1375 lb. 60.75-62.75, few head 63.00-

64.25; high Good and low Choice 2-3 1000-1350 lb. 58.00-61.00.

**SLAUGHTER HEIFERS:** Few head Choice 2-3 975-1100 lb. 58.00-59.75.

**COWS:** Breaking Utility and Commercial 2-3 36.00-40.00, few high dressing 40.00-41.75; Commercial 3-4 33.50-37.00; Cutter and Boning Utility 1-3 33.00-36.50, several 36.50-39.50; Canner and low Cutter 31.00-33.50, few 28.00-31.00.

**BULLS:** Yield grade 1 1350-1925 lb. 44.00-45.00, individual 2395 lb. 41.00; few yield grade 2 1050-1350 lb. 40.00-43.50.

**VEAL CALVES:** Vealers mostly steady. Supply included 682 in graded scale of which 66 percent sold to return to farm.

**VEALERS:** Few Choice 140-290 lb. 76.00-85.00; high Good and low Choice 140-300 lb. 57.00-73.00, 110-140 lb. 44.00-60.00, 80-105 lb. 30.00-40.00 few 40.00-43.00, 60-80 lb. 25.00-32.00.

**RETURNED TO FARM:** 50 head 120-125 lb. Holstein bulls 90.00-91.00, 225 head 100-115 lb. 94.00-96.00, 60 head 90-95 lb. 80.00-82.00; 35 head small frame 110-125 lb. 75.00-77.00, 120 head 90-105 lb. 40.00-42.00.

**SHEEP:** No test.  
**GOATS:** All goats sold by the head; couple head Medium 50.00-57.00; individual Large billy 75.00.

## Lancaster Auction

Wednesday, Jan. 8

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Cattle Calves Hogs Sheep

Today	378	14	472	5
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Last Wednesday	HOLIDAY			
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Last Year	231	26	439	0
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Wednesday's Auction	277	14	458	0
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Last Wednesday's Auction	HOLIDAY			
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**CATTLE:** Compared to Monday slaughter steers 1.00-3.00 lower; cows 1.00-1.50 lower; slaughter heifers and bulls not fully tested. Supply included 80 percent slaughter heifers.

**SLAUGHTER STEERS:** Choice 2-4 1175-1350 lb. 59.00-62.00, few head 62.00-63.00; high Good and

low Choice 2-3 1100-1400 lb. 55.75-59.00; few Good 2-3 1000-1250 lb. 53.50-56.00.

**COWS:** Breaking Utility 1-3 35.50-36.00; Cutter and Boning Utility 1-3 33.25-35.75, couple 36.00-36.75; Canner and low Cutter 30.00-33.00.

**BULLS:** Few yield grade 1 1250-1525 lb. 42.75-44.25.

**VEAL CALVES:** Small supply high Good and low Choice 80-110 lb. steady at 35.00-45.00.

**SHEEP:** None.

## New Holland Livestock

New Holland, Pa.

Thursday, Jan. 9

**CATTLE 850:** Compared to last Thursday slaughter steers 1.00-3.00 lower; slaughter heifers 2.00-4.00 lower; cows 1.00-2.00 lower; bullocks scarce; bulls weak to 2.00 lower. Supply included 35 percent slaughter steers and 52 percent cows.

**SLAUGHTER STEERS:** Few head high Choice and Prime 2-4 1200-1375 lb. 63.50-64.00; few Choice 2 1150-1350 lb. 63.75-64.75, couple 66.25-67.00; Choice 2-4 1075-1450 lb. 59.00-63.00, mainly 60.50-63.00; high Good and low Choice 2-3 1050-1325 lb. 57.00-59.75; Good 2-3 53.75-57.50; Good and Choice 1250-1475 lb. Holsteins 44.25-46.75; few low Good 42.50-44.00.

**SLAUGHTER HEIFERS:** Few Choice 2-3 850-1125 lb. 53.50-58.75; Few Good 2-3 925-1150 lb. 48.00-54.50.

**COWS:** Breaking Utility and Commercial 2-4 34.75-38.75, few 39.00-40.40; Cutter and boning Utility 1-3 33.00-36.00, several 36.00-37.50; Canner and low Cutter 30.50-33.00, few 29.50-31.00.

**BULLOCKS:** Good 1-2 1000-1300 lb. 51.00-54.00, couple Choice 2 58.75.

**BULLS:** Yield grade 1 1350-2135 lb. 44.00-46.00, few 46.50-48.75; yield grade 2 1000-1350 lb. 41.00-44.00.

**VEAL CALVES 574:** Vealers mostly steady, instances 4.00 higher on high Good and low Choice 80-110 lb. Demand good for Holstein bulls to return to farm.

**VEALERS:** Few high Choice and Prime 245-335 lb. 104.00-111.00; Choice 1550-300 lb. 83.00-98.00; high Good and low Choice 160-300 lb. 57.00-80.00, 110-160 lb. 45.00-60.00, 80-110 lb. 44.00-51.00, few 65-80 lb. 40.00-45.00.

**RETURNED TO FARM:** Bulk 95-120 lb. Holstein bulls 85.00-100.00,

several late 101.00-108.00; few small frame 90-110 lb. 65.00-85.00.

**SLAUGHTER CALVES:** Few Good and Choice 315-500 lb. 45.00-58.00, couple Choice 60.00-62.00.

**SHEEP 16:** Insufficient volume for a market test, few Choice 65-100 lb. woolled lambs 72.00-85.00; few Utility and Good slaughter ewes 25.00-35.00.

**GOATS 11:** All goats sold by the head, bulk of supply medium at 43.00-49.00 with a couple large at 62.00.

## Lancaster County Weekly

Friday, January 10

Report Supplied by PDA

This Week	Cattle	3700	1625
Last Week		3378	1541
Last Year		3577	1770

**CATTLE:** Sl. steers 1.00 to 3.00 lower, sl. heifers 1.00 to 2.00 lower, cows closed 1.00 to 2.00 lower, bullocks scarce, bulls 1.00 to 2.00 lower. Supply included 44 per cent sl. steers, 5 per cent sl. heifers, 34 per cent cows, 5 per cent bulls, with the balance feeders.

**SLAUGHTER STEERS:** Few head high Choice & Prime 2-4 1135-1375 lbs. 63.50-64.25; few Good & Choice 1-2 1150-1350 lbs. 64.00-65.00, couple head 66.25-67.25; Choice 2-4 1075-1450 lbs. 59.00-64.00, mainly 60.50-63.00; high Good & low Choice 2-3 1000-1325 lbs. 57.00-60.00, several early 60.00-61.50; Good 2-3 53.75-59.00; Good & Choice 1200-1550 lb. holsteins 44.00-46.75, few Choice 47.00-49.25, Standard & low Good 39.50-44.00.

**SLAUGHTER HEIFERS:** Choice 2-3 950-1260 lbs. 58.00-61.50, few head 61.50-63.50, few sales 850-950 lbs. late 53.50-58.00; Good 2-3 925-1150 lbs. 48.00-55.00, few early 55.00-58.00.

**COWS:** Breaking Utility & Commercial 2-4 34.75-38.75, few 39.00-41.00; Cutter & Boning Utility 1-3 33.00-37.00, few early 37.00-39.50; Canner & low Cutter 30.50-33.00, few 28.00-31.00.

**BULLOCKS:** Good 1-2 950-1300 lbs. 46.50-51.00; few Choice 1-3 1050-1300 lbs. 51.00-54.00, with a couple at 58.75.

**BULLS:** YG 1, 1300-2100 lbs. 44.00-50.50, couple early 51.00-55.25; YG 2, 1000-1350 lbs. 41.00-46.00.

**VEAL CALVES:** Vealers mostly steady, instances 4.00 higher on late sales of high Good and low Choice 80-110 lbs. Demand good for holstein bulls to return to farm.

**VEALERS:** Few high Choice & Prime 225-335 lbs. 95.00-111.00, Choice 155-300 lbs. 75.00-98.00; high Good & low Choice 140-320 lbs. 55.00-80.00, 110-160 lbs. 44.00-60.00, 80-110 lbs. 38.00-51.00 with uncertified 30.00-40.00, 60-80 lbs. 35.00-45.00 with uncertified 25.00-32.00.

**SLAUGHTER CALVES:** Good & Choice 315-500 lbs. 45.00-58.00, couple Choice 60.00-62.00.

**RETURNED TO FARM:** Bulk 90-125 lb. holstein bulls 80.00-100.00, several late 101.00-108.00; small frame 100-125 lbs. 75.00-85.00, with about 120 head 90-95 lbs. 40.00-42.00.

## Weekly Summary

Harrisburg, PA

Friday, January 10

Report supplied by PDA

15 Livestock Markets

**CATTLE:** 6254. Compared with 3856 head last week and 2010 head a year ago. Steers uneven; mostly steady to 2.50 lower; heifers steady to 1.00 lower; cows mostly .50-1.00 lower; bulls weak to 2.00 lower; High Choice & Prime 3-4, 63.50-66.25; Choice 2-4, 59.00-63.50; Good 53.00-59.50; Standard 45.00-53.00; Choice heifers 57.00-61.50; Good 49.00-57.00; Standard 42.00-50.00; Breaking Utility & Commercial cows 35.00-39.50; Cutter & Boning 32.50-36.50; Canner & Cutter 28.00-33.00; shells 17.00; Good bullocks 46.50-54.00; Standard 43.00-46.25; YG 1 bulls 100-

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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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