

Livestock market and auction news

Lancaster Market

Monday, Apr. 7
Report Supplied by USDA
Cattle Calves Hogs Sheep Goats
Monday's Receipts
1372 108 892 516 361
Monday's Auction
1343 114 942 535 361
Last Monday's Auction
1598 144 794 250 339
Last Year's Auction
1168 106 741 1752 644

CATTLE: Compared to last Monday slaughter steers 1.00-2.00 lower; slaughter heifers 4.00-5.00 lower; cows 4.00-5.00 lower, or 2.00-3.00 lower than last Wednesday; bullocks 2.00-3.00 lower; bulls 1.00-2.00 lower. Supply included 57% slaughter steers, 16% slaughter heifers, 18% cows, and 9% bulls.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 2-4 1120-1400 lb. 53.60-55.00, few head 55.00-55.50; Choice 2-4 1100-1450 lb. 51.75-54.25, few 54.25-54.85; few Choice 2-3 1000-1100 lb. 50.50-52.75; high Good and low Choice 2-3 1050-1325 lb. 47.00-52.50; few Good 2-3 950-1225 lb. 43.00-48.00; Good and Choice 1150-1415 lb. Holsteins 41.00-45.50, Standard and low Good 1000-1300 lb. 36.75-41.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2-3 950-1200 lb. 46.25-50.00, couple 50.00-51.00, few 850-950 lb. 45.00-47.25; Good 2-3 900-1150 lb. 41.75-46.75.

COWS: Breaking Utility and Commercial 2-4 31.00-34.00, few 34.00-35.00; Cutter and Boning Utility 1-3 29.75-32.50, few high dressing 34.50-37.00; Canner and low Cutter 27.50-30.00, around 120 head 700-1100 lb. on BOP 23.50-27.50.

BULLOCKS: Choice 1-3 1050-1300 lb. 47.00-48.75; Good 1-2 950-1200 lb. 43.00-47.00.

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1400-2050 lb. 44.50-48.75, few 49.25-51.00, couple high yielding 1470-1505 lb. 53.00-55.00; yield grade 2 975-1450 lb. 40.00-45.00.

VEAL CALVES: Vealers mostly steady; slaughter calves fully steady. Demand fair for Holstein bulls to return to farm. Supply included 15 head Prime special fed 330-375 lb. bought to arrive at 125.00-127.00.

VEALERS: Choice 160-320 lb. 80.00-100.00, few 100.00-105.00; high Good and low Choice 160-300 lb. 65.00-80.00, 110-160 lb. 48.00-65.00, 80-110 lb. 35.00-45.00.

SLAUGHTER CALVES: Good and Choice 350-500 lb. 50.00-60.00; few Choice 350-425 lb. 60.00-70.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: Bulk 95-120 lb. Holstein bulls 70.00-93.00.

SHEEP: Slaughter lambs mostly steady; slaughter ewes fully steady.

SPRING LAMBS: High Choice and Prime 80-110 lb. 75.00-82.00.

WOOLED LAMBS: Choice 90-130 lb. 65.00-73.00; Good 75-105 lb. 63.00-65.00.

SLAUGHTER EWES: Utility and Good 15.00-25.00, few 25.00-30.00.

GOATS: All goats sold by the head, generally 5.00-10.00 lower. Large mature 40.00-50.00, few 50.00-60.00; Medium 30.00-40.00; Small 20.00-30.00.

Vintage Cattle

Tuesday, Apr. 8
Report Supplied by USDA
Cattle Calves Sheep Goats
Today
973 747 10 3
Last Tuesday
1085 759 8 1
Last Year
1020 720 109 23

CATTLE: Compared to last Tuesday slaughter steers 1.00-2.00 lower; slaughter heifers steady to 1.00 lower; cows 1.00-3.00 lower; bulls 2.00-3.00 lower. Supply included 62 percent slaughter steers, 4 percent slaughter heifers, 31 percent cows, with the balance bulls.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 2-4 1250-1425 lb. 54.00-55.75, few 56.00-56.50; 10 head Prime 2-3 and Choice 2 1150-1350 lb. 57.00-58.10; Choice 2-4 1100-1425 lb. 51.00-55.50, mainly 52.00-54.00, 10 head 1450-1650 lb. 53.75-56.00; high Good and low Choice 2-3 1000-1350 lb. 47.00-50.75; few Good and Choice 1160-1475 lb. Holsteins 42.00-42.25, five head 1680-1990 lb. 42.00-45.75.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2-3 1050-1150 lb. 47.00-52.00; couple Choice 2 1105-1145 lb. 52.00-55.25; Good 2-3 975-1100 lb. 42.25-47.00.

COWS: Breaking Utility and Commercial 2-4 31.00-34.50; Cutter and Boning Utility 1-3 29.75-34.50, few 35.00-36.75; Canner and low Cutter 26.00-29.75.

BULLOCKS: Good and Choice 1-2 950-1135 lb. 40.50-41.75.

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1400-1765 lb. 40.75-41.75; yield grade 2 1050-1850 lb. 37.00-40.50.

VEAL CALVES: Choice vealers absent, high Good and low Choice weak to 3.00 lower. Supply included 492 in graded sale of which 75 percent sold to return to farm.

VEALERS: Couple high Good and low Choice 120-150 lb. 56.00-61.00; couple Good and Choice 450-520 lb. slaughter calves 40.00-53.00; high Good and low Choice 80-110 lb. 34.00-42.00 few 42.00-46.00, 60-80 lb. 25.00-34.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: Around 175 head 100-125 lb. Holstein bulls 90.00-93.00, 40 head 90-95 lb. 63.00-65.00; 15 head small frame 110-115 lb. 78.00 and 80 head 90-105 lb. 44.00-45.00.

SHEEP: Insufficient volume for a market test.

Lancaster Auction

Wednesday, Apr. 9
Report Supplied by USDA
Cattle Calves Hogs Sheep Goats
Wednesday's Receipts
299 15 554 2 0
Wednesday's Auction
218 16 482 2 0
Last Wednesday's Auction
193 24 589 0 0
Last Year's Auction
256 14 689 1 0

CATTLE: Compared to Monday slaughter steers mostly 1.00 higher; slaughter heifers not fully tested; small supply cows steady to 1.00 lower; bulls and bullocks not fully tested. Supply included 74% slaughter steers.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 2-4 1260-1465 lb. 55.25-56.25, few head 56.50-57.10; Choice 2-4 1150-1450 lb. 52.50-55.35; one lot high Choice 3 948 lb. 52.50; few high Good and low Choice 2-3 1100-1250 lb. 51.00-52.50.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Good 2-3 930-1050 lb. 45.00-47.00; around 15 head Standard and Good 725-930 lb. Holsteins on BOP 27.00-31.25.

COWS: Cutter and Boning Utility 1-3 29.25-32.50; Canner and low Cutter 25.75-27.25.

BULLOCKS: Couple Choice 2-3 1345-1360 lb. 44.25-45.75.

BULLS: Few yield grade 1-2 1285-2095 lb. 38.25-41.00.

VEAL CALVES: Insufficient volume for a market test; individual low Choice 220 lb. vealers 75.00; few high Good and low Choice 85-105 lb. 35.00-45.00.

SHEEP: No market test.

GOATS: None.

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New Holland Livestock

WOOLED LAMBS: Good 70-105 lb. 53.00-58.00.

SLAUGHTER EWES: Utility and Good 20.00-29.00, few 36.00-41.00.

GOATS: 17. All goats sold by the head, bulk of supply small 13.00-24.00, couple medium 35.00-42.00, and couple large 52.00-64.00.

New Holland Livestock

New Holland, Pa.
Thursday, April 10

CATTLE 1162: Compared to last Thursday slaughter steers 50-1.00 higher; slaughter heifers mostly steady; cows 50-1.00 higher; bullocks steady; bulls steady to 50 lower. Supply included 54 percent slaughter steers, 6 percent slaughter heifers, 35 percent cows with the balance mainly bulls.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 2-4 1175-1455 lbs. 55.00-56.75, five head 57.00-57.10; Choice 2-4 1075-1425 lb. 53.00-55.50, few 52.00-53.00; high Good and low Choice 2-3 50.00-53.25; Good 1140-1550 lb. Holsteins 40.75-42.75; couple Choice 45.75-50.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2-3 975-1150 lb. 50.50-52.00; 15 Standard and Good 1-2 870-1085 lb. (BOP) 31.75-38.75 and 30 head 520-530 lb. 20.00-24.50.

COWS: Breaking Utility and Commercial 2-4 31.75-34.75, few 35.00-37.00; Cutter and boning Utility 1-3 30.50-34.25, few 34.50-35.50; Canner and low Cutter 26.50-30.25.

BULLOCKS: Choice 1-3 1050-1325 lb. 47.50-50.25; Good 1-2 950-1250 lb. 41.00-45.50.

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1325-1800 lb., couple 1800-2280 lb. 42.75-46.00 couple 46.00-48.00; yield grade 2 1000-1375 lb. 38.75-42.75.

VEAL CALVES: 573. Vealers mostly steady, instances 3.00 lower on high Good and low Choice 70-115 lb. Demand good for Holstein bulls to return to farm.

VEALERS: High Choice and Prime 270-360 lb. 104.00-111.00, couple 112.00-117.00; Choice 175-325 lb. 77.00-95.00, few 95.00-103.00; high Good and low Choice 160-325 lb. 65.00-75.00, 110-160 lb. 45.00-65.00, 80-110 lb. 36.00-45.00.

SLAUGHTER CALVES: Few Choice 310-400 lb. 53.00-65.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: Bulk 95-120 lb. Holstein bulls 75.00-93.00, few 95.00-100.00; several small frame 90-110 lb. 50.00-75.00.

SHEEP: 76. Spring lambs 5.00-10.00 higher; slaughter ewes fully steady.

SPRING LAMBS: Choice and Prime 25-65 lb. 100.00-118.00, six head 121.00-127.00, Choice 70-95 lb. 95.00-98.00.

Lancaster County Weekly

Friday, April 11
Report Supplied by PDA

Cattle Calves
This Week 4000 1450
Last Week 4182 1415
Last Year 3880 1462

CATTLE: Sl. steers closed the week .50 to 1.00 higher; sl. heifers generally 1.00 to 2.00 lower, although few late sales steady; cows closed .50 to 1.00 higher; bullocks steady to 1.00 lower; bulls .50 to 1.00 lower, instances 2.00 lower. Supply included 54 per cent sl. steers, 9 per cent sl. heifers, 24 per cent cows, 5 per cent bulls with the balance feeders.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice & Prime 2-4 1120-1400 lbs. 55.00-56.75, several early 53.60-55.00 around 25 head Prime 2-3 and Choice Grade 2 1150-1375 lbs. 56.75-58.10; Choice 2-4 1075-1425 lbs. 52.00-55.50; few Choice 2-3 1000-1100 lbs. early 50.50-53.00; high Good & low Choice 2-3 1050-1325 lbs. 47.00-52.50; few Good 2-3 950-1225 lbs. 44.00-48.00; Good & Choice 1100-1550 lb. holsteins 41.00-45.50, few Choice 45.75-50.00; Standard & low Good 1000-1350 lbs. 36.75-41.00.

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COWS: Breaking Utility & Commercial 2-4 31.50-34.75, few 35.00-37.00; Cutter & Boning Utility 1-3 29.75-34.25, few high Dressing 34.50-37.00; Canner & low Cutter 26.50-30.00, around 120 head 700-1100 lbs. (BOP) 23.50-27.50.

BULLOCKS: Choice 1-3 1050-1325 lbs. 47.00-50.25; Good 1-2 950-1200 lbs. 41.75-47.00.

BULLS: YG 1, 1325-2000 lbs. couple 2000-2280 lbs. 42.75-48.00, few 48.00-51.00; YG 2, 1000-1375 lbs. 38.75-43.00, few early 43.00-45.00.

VEAL CALVES: Vealers mostly steady, instances 3.00 lower on high Good & low Choice 70-115 lbs. Sl. calves fully steady. Demand fair for holstein bulls to return to farm.

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SL. CALVES: Good & Choice 350-500 lbs. 50.00-60.00, few Choice 350-425 lbs. 60.00-70.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: Bulk 95-120 lb. holstein bulls 70.00-93.00, few 95.00-100.00, several small frame 95-115 lbs. 50.00-68.00, few 90-95 lbs. 44.00-48.00.

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