

Livestock market and auction news

Lancaster Market

Monday, Dec. 8
Report Supplied by USDA
Cattle Calves Hogs Sheep Goats
Monday's Receipts
 1123 127 543 629 426
Monday's Auction
 1204 164 507 624 520
Last Monday's Auction
 957 125 606 219 284
Last Year's Auction
 1121 168 772 369 260

CATTLE: Compared to last Thursday slaughter steers steady to 1.00 lower; slaughter heifers fully steady; cows 50-1.00 higher; bullocks steady; bulls fully steady. Supply included 56% slaughter steers, 15% slaughter heifers, 19% cows with the balance bulls.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Choice 2-3, few 4 1100-1425 lb. 62.75-64.25, few 64.25-64.75; few Choice 2 1150-1225 lb. 65.00-67.00; high Good and low Choice 2-3 1000-1400 lb. 58.75-62.75; Good 2-3 1000-1350 lb. 54.75-59.75; Good and Choice 1200-1485 lb. Holsteins 48.75-54.00, Standard and low Good 1100-1450 lb. 44.00-48.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2-3 900-1225 lb. 55.50-59.85, few Choice 2 61.00-63.00; Good 2-3 900-1150 lb. 52.00-55.50.

COWS: Breaking Utility and Commercial 2-4 37.50-40.25, several 40.75-42.00; Cutter and boning Utility 1-3 36.00-39.00, few 39.00-40.00; Canner and low Cutter 33.50-36.00.

BULLOCKS: Choice 1-3 1150-1325 lb. 50.50-55.00, couple 55.50-60.00; Good 1-2 900-1200 lb. 45.00-49.50.

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1325-1950 lb. 48.50-51.50, few 53.00-56.00; yield grade 2 1050-1550 lb. 44.00-48.00, few 950-1050 lb. 42.50-45.00.

VEAL CALVES: Vealers mostly steady; slaughter calves fully steady. Demand Good for Holstein bulls to return to farm.

VEALERS: Few high Choice and Prime 250-350 lb. 95.00-110.00; Choice 160-325 lb. 78.00-90.00; high Good and low Choice 140-320 lb. 65.00-80.00, 120-140 lb. 45.00-60.00, 80-110 lb. 35.00-45.00.

SLAUGHTER CALVES: Good and Choice 250-450 lb. 45.00-55.00, few Choice 55.00-60.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: Bulk 95-125 lb. Holstein bulls 75.00-90.00, few small frame 90-110 lb. 60.00-75.00.

SHEEP: Woolled lambs 1.00-2.00 higher, supply included several new crop lambs weighing from 25-80 lb; slaughter ewes steady.

WOOLED LAMBS: High Choice and Prime 80-110 lb. 69.00-72.00; Choice 75-105 lb. 64.00-70.00; few Good 65-90 lb. 62.00-65.00; Choice 25-50 lb. new crop lambs 130.00-165.00, 50-70 lb. 90.00-135.00, 70-80 lb. 70.00-90.00.

SLAUGHTER EWES: Utility and Good 25.00-35.00.

GOATS: All goats sold by the head, Large mature 50.00-65.00, few 65.00-70.00; Medium 35.00-50.00; Good and Choice kids 30.00-40.00, Plain 15.00-30.00.



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Vintage Cattle

Tuesday, Dec. 9
Report Supplied by USDA
Cattle Calves Sheep Goats
Today 1182 995 10 8
Last
Tues. 824 1016 10 1
Last Year 936 995 8 4

CATTLE: Compared to Monday slaughter steers 2.00-3.00 lower, with some late sales 4.00 lower; cows 1.00-2.00 lower; slaughter heifers and bulls not fully tested. Supply included 50% slaughter steers and 45% cows.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Few head high Choice and Prime 2-3 1200-1350 lb. 67.25-68.60; several Choice 2 1150-1325 lb. 64.00-67.00; Choice 2-4 1090-1460 lb. 59.75-62.50, few 62.50-64.00, several late sales mostly 3 few 4 58.50-59.75; high Good and low Choice 2-3 1050-1425 lb. 57.75-60.75; few Good 2-3 55.00-58.00; Good and Choice 1320-1725 lb. Holsteins 46.00-49.25.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Couple Choice 2-3 970-1320 lb. 53.00-54.00.

COWS: Breaking Utility and Commercial 2-4 36.00-39.25; Commercial 3-4 34.00-36.50; Cutter and Boning Utility 1-3 34.00-38.50, few 38.50-40.50, couple high dressing 42.00-43.00; Canner and low Cutter 32.00-34.75, few 30.75-32.00.

BULLS: Yield grade 1-2 1315-2210 lb. 44.50-47.50.

VEAL CALVES: Vealers steady, instances 5.00 higher on high Good and low Choice 80-110 lb. Supply included 674 in graded sale of which 72% sold to return to farm.

VEALERS: Choice 170-365 lb. 74.00-80.00; high Good and low Choice 140-300 lb. 59.00-72.00; 110-140 lb. 48.00-60.00, 80-110 lb. 39.00-45.00, 70-80 lb. 34.00-37.00; few Standard 65-85 lb. 30.00-37.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: 300 head 90-125 lb. Holstein bulls 91.00-99.00; 125 head small frame 100-115 lb. 75.00-85.00 and 20 head 90-95 lb. 48.00. 50 head 100-120 lb. Holstein heifers 52.00-60.00 and 30 head small frame 90-105 lb. 47.00-48.00.

SHEEP: Insufficient volume to test trends; few low Choice 60-85 lb. woolled lambs 55.00-60.00, and few Utility slaughter ewes 20.00-28.00.

GOATS: All goats sold by the head; Medium 34.00-40.00; couple Large mature 50.00-53.00.

Lancaster Auction

Wednesday, Dec. 10
Report Supplied by USDA
Cattle Calves Hogs Sheep Goats
Wednesday's Receipts
 345 12 521 79 5
Wednesday's Auction
 123 12 496 0 0
Last Wed.'s Auction
 139 1 435 0 0
Last Year's Auction
 211 20 692 0 0

CATTLE: Insufficient volume to fully test trends; small supply slaughter steers & cows about steady with Tuesday's decline.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Few Choice 3 1150-1250 lb. 59.00-60.50; high Good and low Choice 2-3 1100-1300 lb. 56.75-59.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Few head Good to low Choice 2-3 1050-1210 lb. 53.50-54.25.

COWS: Breaking Utility and Commercial 2-4 37.00-39.50; Cutter and Boning Utility 1-3 34.50-38.00; Canner and low Cutter 31.75-33.50.

VEAL CALVES: No market test.

SHEEP: No market test.

GOATS: No market test.

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 11:00 A.M. — Veal Calves, Lambs
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NEXT FEEDER SALE - FRI., JAN. 9

LANCASTER STOCKYARDS, INC.

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New Holland Livestock

New Holland, Pa.
Thursday, Dec. 11
Cattle Calves Sheep Goats
Today 1026 691 130 45
Last Week 1077 767 101 21
Last Year 925 680 136 29

CATTLE: Compared to Tuesday slaughter steers .50-1.00 higher; slaughter heifers fully steady; cows mostly steady, instances 1.00 lower on canner and low cutter; bullocks and bulls steady. Supply included 39 percent slaughter steers and 47 percent cows.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Choice 2-3, few 4 1100-1400 lb. 59.75-62.75, choice 2 1175-1350 lb. 63.00-65.75, couple 66.25-67.00; couple lots high choice and prime 3-4 1400-1570 lb. 61.75-62.85; high good and low choice 2-3 1050-1375 lb. 57.75-60.75; few good 2-3 1000-1275 lb. 54.00-58.00; few good to low choice 1275-1440 lb. holsteins 45.00-47.75, few standard 1130-1270 lb. 41.00-42.75.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2-3, few 4 1050-1325 lb. 55.75-61.25, few choice 2-3 975-1000 lb. 51.85-53.85.

COWS: Breaking Utility and commercial 2-4 35.75-39.75; commercial 3-4 33.50-36.00; cutter and boning utility 1-3 34.00-38.00, few 38.00-39.50; canner and low cutter 31.50-34.75, several 30.00-31.50.

BULLOCKS: Choice 1-3 1100-1550 lb. 50.50-52.00, couple 52.50-54.00; good 1-2 1000-1325 lb. 46.00-49.75.

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1200-1950 lb. 48.00-50.00, couple 50.00-52.00; yield grade 2 1050-1450 lb. 44.50-48.00, few 950-1050 lb. 41.00-44.50.

VEAL CALVES: Vealers steady; slaughter calves steady to 5.00 lower. Demand good for holstein bulls to return to farm.

VEALERS: High choice and prime 240-360 lb. 94.00-100.00, couple 100.00-105.00; choice 200-385 lb. 74.00-90.00, few 90.00-95.00; high good and low choice 140-300 lb. 62.00-79.00, 110-140 lb. 50.00-65.00, 80-110 lb. 37.00-45.00, few 60-80 lb. 34.00-40.00.

SLAUGHTER CALVES: Good and choice 250-500 lb. 37.00-47.00, few choice 47.00-54.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: Bulk 95-125 lb. holstein bulls 85.00-98.00, several small frame 90-110 lb. 60.00-80.00.

SHEEP: Woolled lambs steady; slaughter ewes mostly steady.

WOOLED LAMBS: Choice 85-105 lb. 64.00-69.00, couple 65-75 lb. 72.00-74.00; Good 80-105 lb. 54.00-63.00; few head choice 45-55 lb. new crop lambs 144.00-145.00.

SLAUGHTER EWES: Utility and good 18.00-29.00, few 30.00-38.00.

GOATS: All goats sold by the head, bulk of supply medium selling at 35.00-49.00, few large 51.00-64.00, individual 81.00, few small 23.00-35.00.



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Lancaster County Weekly

Friday, Dec. 12
Report Supplied by PDA
Cattle Calves
This Week 4300 1825
Last Week 3443 1919
Last Year 4498 1899

CATTLE: Slaughter steers 1.00 to 2.00 lower, with some sales early in the week as much as 4.00 lower; sl. heifers steady to weak; cows opened .50 to 1.00 higher, this advance lost with closing sales 1.00 to 1.50 lower; bullocks steady; bulls fully steady. Supply included 40 per cent sl. steers, 6 per cent sl. heifers, 30 per cent cows, 5 per cent bulls with the balance feeders.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: few head high Choice & Prime 2-3 1200-1350 lbs. 67.25-68.60; several Choice 2 1150-1325 lbs. 64.00-67.00; Choice 2-3 few 4 1100-1400 lbs. 59.75-62.75, few 62.75-64.00, several lots mostly 3 few 4 58.50-59.75; high Good & low Choice 2-3 57.75-60.75; few Good 2-3 1000-1275 lbs. 54.00-58.00; Good & Choice 1275-1725 lb. holsteins 45.00-49.25, few Choice early 50.50-56.00; Standard & low Good 1125-1300 lbs. 41.00-46.50.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2-3 few 4 900-1325 lbs. 55.50-61.25, few Choice 2 61.25-63.00; Good 2-3 950-1150 lbs. 51.75-55.50.

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BULLOCKS: Choice 1-3 1100-1550 lbs. 50.50-55.00, couple 55.50-60.00; Good 1-2 900-1325 lbs. 45.00-49.75.

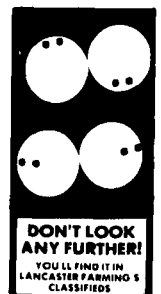
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RETURNED TO FARM: Bulk 90-125 lb. holstein bulls 85.00-99.00, several small frame 90-115 lbs. 60.00-85.00; few 100-120 lb. holstein heifers 52.00-60.00.



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