

# HOG **MARKETS**

#### Lancaster Hogs **Lancaster Stockyards** Sat., May 16, 1987 Report supplied by auction

953 head. US #1 205-250 lbs., 59.00-59.75, 12 head 60.00-60.50; US #1&2 210-250 lbs., 58.00-58.85; US #1&3 200-260 lbs. 57.00-58.00; US 2&4 210-255 lbs. 56.00-56.75.

Sows: 300-500 lbs. 45.00-47.25; 500-625 lbs. 47.00-48.75.

Boars: Under 300 lbs. 42.00-48.25; over 300 lbs. 37.00-39.75.

### New Holland Hogs

Lancaster, Pa Monday, May 18, 1987

Hog Receipts Today Last Monday Last Year
TREND COMPARED TO LAST MONDAY
BARROWS AND GILTS 2 25 2 50 HIGHER
BARROWS AND GILTS US 1 2 120-245 LB

US 1 210-245 LB 59 60-61 50 US 1 3 200-255 LB 56 25 57 50 US 3 4 240-255 LB 52 00-54 00 ONE LOT 297

#### Peoria Hogs Thursday, May 21, 1987

FLASH HOGS 1800 TRADING FAIRLY ACTIVE BARROWS AND GILTS OPENING WEAK TO 50 LOWER SUPPLY MAINLY US 1 3 200-250 LBS US 1 2 200-250 LBS 57 50-58 00 FEW 57 00 1 3 200-250 LBS 57 00-57 50 FEW 56 50 SOWS UNDER STEADY OVER 500 LBS MOSTLY 50 LOWER 12% US 1 2 350-500 LBS 47 50 1 3 500-650 LBS 45 00-45 50

#### Indianapolis Hogs

Thursday, May 21, 1987

FLASH HOGS 500 BARROWS & GILTS
MODERATELY ACTIVE BELOW 250 LBS 25
LOWER SUPPLY US 1 3 220-270 LBS
US 1 3 225 250 LBS 57 75 58 00
SOWS MODERATELY ACTIVE STEADY 7%

US 1 3 375 625 LBS 45 00-48 00 BOARS OVER 400 LBS 42 00

#### Westminster Livestock Auction

**State Graded Feeder Pig Sale** Friday, May 15, 1987

730 Pigs, 2 weeks ago 569 compared to last sale prices were mostly steady. All pigs weighed on arrival and sold per hundredweight.

1&2 119 hd. 30-39 lbs. 130.00-145.00; 222 hd. 40-49 lbs. 127.00-141.00; 38 hd. 43-49 lbs. 111.00-116.00

199 hd. 52-54 lbs. 117.00-123.00. 1&2 146 hd. 51-57 lbs. 106.00-

1&2 58 hd. 60-68 lbs. 96.00-105.00. 1&2 15 hd. 72-73 lbs. 92.00-95.00. 1&2 12 hd. 85 lbs. 81.00. 2 14 hd. 32-40 lbs. 122.00-132.00.

Next Sale June 5, at 1:30 PM.

Vintage Hogs Paradise, PA Saturday, May 16, 1987 Report supplied by Auction 1's and 2's, 220-260 lbs., 56.00-58.00; Sows, 355-570 lbs., 43.00-47.00; Boars, 765 lbs., 38.00.

#### New Holland Feeder Pig

Lancaster, Pa. Wednesday, May 20, 1987

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Feeder Pigs		
Today		1577
Last Wed		1662
Last	Year	1055
TREND COM	APARED TO LAST	WEDNESDAY
FEEDER PIGS 3	00-10	
LOWER WITH	US 23 AS MU	

LOWER ALL PIGS WEIGHED ON ARRIVAL AND SOLD BY THE HUNDRED WEIGHT GRADE & HEAD WEIGHT PRICE US 1 2 204 20 39 129 00-140 00 361 40-49 116 00-126 00, 50 40-44 140 00-141 00 102 50-59 117 00-128 00 40 60-63 102 00-105 00 17 73-85 75 00-85 00 US 2 126 40-49 102 00-110 00 161 50-59 96 00-

112 00 163 60-69 92 00 100 00 US 2 3 41 35 38 116 00 128 00 62 40 49 94 00 105 00 1258-61 84 00 89 00

#### Chambersburg Livestock

Chambersburg, Pa. Thursday, May 21 Report supplied by PDA

CATTLE: 249. Sl. cows unevenly steady; one Choice 1120 lb. sl. steer 69.00; 1 Good 62.75; Good holsteins 54.85-57.85; few Standard 52.25-53.00; one Good hol. heifer 57.00; few Standard 50.00-54.00; Breaking Utility & Commercial sl. cows 47.00-51.50, few to 53.00; Cutter & Boning Utility 44.00-49.25; Canner & Low Cutter 39.85-43.85; shells down to 35.00; few YG 1, 1050-1875 lb. sl. bulls 56.50-62.00.

CALVES: 383. Few Choice vealers 86.00-98.00; few Good 75.00-80.00; Standard & Good 75-95 lb. 88.00-98.00; Utility 60-90 lb. 72.00-

FARM CALVES: Hol. bulls 95-125 lb. 100.00-136.00, mostly 110.00-125.00; 85-90 lb. 90.00-10.00; hol. heifers 90-120 lb. 90.00-100.00.

HOGS: 42. Two lots 1-3, 217 and 235 lb. barrows & gilts 56.00 and 56.50; lot 2-3, 220 lb. 52.75; few 1-3, 315-600 lb. sows 43.75-46.50; one boar 33.00.

FEEDER PIGS: 16. Not enough on any one grade to establish a market.

SHEEP: No sales offered.

GOATS: 3. One Large 32.00; 2 kids 24.00 per head.

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# **GRAIN, CATTLE AND HOG FUTURES MARKETS**

(Daily closing bids: Friday, May 15 through Thursday, May 21)

#### CORN

FRI.	MON.	TUES.	WED.	THURS.
1881/2	1803/4	1811/2		
195¾	1853/4	1863/4	184¾	1883/4
199¾	1893/4	190	187	190¾
2071/2	1971/2	1951/4	1901/2	1941/2
2133/4	2033/4	2021/4	1971/2	2013/4
216	206	204	200	2041/4
	188½ 195¾ 199¾ 207½ 213¾	188½     180¾       195¾     185¾       199¾     189¾       207½     197½       213¾     203¾	188½     180¾     181½       195¾     185¾     186¾       199¾     189¾     190       207½     197½     195¼       213¾     203¾     202¼	188½     180¾     181½     —       195¾     185¾     186¾     184¾       199¾     189¾     190     187       207½     197½     195¼     190½       213¾     203¾     202¼     197½

#### SOYBEANS

FRI.	MON.	TUES.	WED.	THURS.
5731/4	5421/2	5491/2	_	
581	551	5541/2	549	5593/4
5863/4	5563/4	5583/4	552½	564
5883/4	5583/4	5601/4	552	565
599	569	5681/2	558	571
6081/2	578½	5761/4	5653/4	5783/4
618	588	5851/2	5743/4	587
	573½ 581 586¾ 588¾ 599 608½	573¼ 542½ 581 551 586¾ 556¾ 588¾ 558¾ 599 569 608½ 578½	573¼         542½         549½           581         551         554½           586¾         556¾         558¾           588¾         558¾         560¼           599         569         568½           608½         578½         576¼	573¼         542½         549½         —           581         551         554½         549           586¾         556¾         558¾         552½           588¾         558¾         560¼         552           599         569         568½         558           608½         578½         576¼         565¾

#### **CHICAGO HOGS**

55.75	55.32	56.60	56.50	56.80
			00.00	00.00
52.00	51.87	53.37	53.15	53.82
48.17	48.00	49.15	48.97	49.27
43.52	43.50	44.10	43.77	43.70
43.20	43.17	43.60	43.65	43.35
42.30	42.15	42.27	42.22	42.37
	48.17 43.52 43.20	48.17 48.00 43.52 43.50 43.20 43.17	48.17     48.00     49.15       43.52     43.50     44.10       43.20     43.17     43.60	48.17     48.00     49.15     48.97       43.52     43.50     44.10     43.77       43.20     43.17     43.60     43.65

#### WHEAT

	FRI.	MON.	TUES.	WED.	THURS.
MAY	305	298	2951/2	_	_
JUL.	301	2871/2	2891/2	2901/2	290
SEPT.	3033/4	2903/4	2913/4	293	2931/2
DEC.	3091/4	2963/4	2991/2	3001/4	301
MAR 88	3101/2	298	301	3011/2	3021/2
MAY	3051/2	290	292	2911/2	_

#### **SOYBEAN MEAL**

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_	_		168.00	165.00	175.70	MAY
7.20	167	162.90	165.20	164.60	174.60	JUL.
3.20	168	163.20	166.20	166.20	176.20	AUG.
9.50	169	164.50	168.00	168.00	178.00	SEPT.
1.00	171	165.50	169.90	169.70	179.70	OCT.
2.00	172	167.20	171.70	172.00	182.00	DEC.
3.00	173	168.50	173.40	173.70	183.70	JAN 88
3.50	176	173.50	178.00	178.00	188.00	MAR
		173.50	178.00	178.00	188.00	MAR

#### CHICAGO CATTLE

	FRI.	MON.	TUES.	WED.	THURS.
JUN.	66.85	66.85	66.92	65.52	66.32
AUG.	61.55	61.92	61.50	60.12	61.00
OCT.	60.92	61.47	61.32	60.25	60.80
DEC.	62.10	62.72	62.50	61.40	61.85
FEB 88	63.20	62.75	62.57	61.50	61.90



ACRES CORN UPDATE: Corn futures settled sharply higher and near the day's highs supported by rumors that the Soviets might be interested in making a 1.0 MMT purchase. Short covering in advance of the upcoming 3-day weekend was also supportive to the trade. Paring further gains were the lowerprecious metals and foreign currency futures. Generic certificates are steady at

105-106.50%.

### **FUTURES MARKET TRENDS** GRAIN AND LIVESTOCK

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ACRES SOYBEAN UPDATE: us for this week. Soybean settled sharply higher near session highs on heavy professional buying. During the session rumors that a Brazilian processor had defaultJ?P?K meal export business encourged ideas that this could happen again. Rumors also circulated that the Soviets were interested in US corn and meal which added to the bullish tone. It looks like the weather related losses are behind

ACRES WHEAT UPDATE: Wheat futures settled mixed in a directionless trading day with no fresh fundamentals. Casting a bearish tone to todays trading session were the lower precious metals and foreign currency markets. Bullishness came from ideas that the Soviets might be interested in futher purchases of

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