



# Livestock market and auction news

## Shenandoah Valley Livestock

Harrisonburg, Va.  
 Saturday, Oct. 31, 1987  
 Report supplied by auction  
**FEEDER CATTLE TREND:**  
 STEERS: M&L-1 300-500 LBS. 79.00-88.00; 500-700 LBS. 68.00-78.00; 700-1000 LBS. 62.00-71.50; HOLSTEIN 300-1000 LBS. 65.50-DOWN.  
 FEEDER BULLS: M&L-1 300-500 LBS. 68.00-76.50; 500-700 LBS. 54.00-61.50.  
 HEIFERS: M&L-1 300-500 LBS. 67.00-73.50; 500-700 LBS. 60.00-66.50; 700-1000 LBS. 59.00-DOWN. S-L&M&L-2 500-700 LBS. 60.00-DOWN.  
 STOCK COWS: BEEF: 597 50-DOWN; BABY CALVES 35.00-117.00.  
 SLAUGHTER COWS TREND: UTILITY & COMMERCIAL 2-4 37.00-47.75;

CANNER & CUTTERS 1-3 29.00-36.00.  
 SLAUGHTER BULLS 1&2 46.00-54.50.  
 LAMBS: TREND: BLUE O HIGH CHOICE & PRIME 65.00; RED O CHOICE 68.50; FEEDER LAMBS CHOICE 80.00-82.50; SLAUGHTER EWES 20.00-30.25.  
 HOGS: SOWS 1-3 34.00-35.00.  
 VEALS: GOOD 74.00.

## Virginia Weekly Livestock

Richmond, Va.  
 Thursday, Nov. 5, 1987  
 WEEKLY REVIEW IN VIRGINIA. MARKETS IN REVIEW; OCT. 29.-NOV. 4, 1987. FEEDER STEERS AND HEIFERS IN VIRGINIA AUCTIONS SOLD STEADY TO \$5.00 LOWER WHILE MIDWEST PRICES WERE

STEADY TO \$2.00 LOWER. SLAUGHTER STEERS AND HEIFERS WERE STEADY AT VIRGINIA AUCTIONS WHILE MIDWEST MARKETS WERE STEADY TO \$2.00 LOWER. BOXED BEEF PRICES WERE \$1.85 LOWER LAST WEEK AS THE BOXED BEEF CUT-OUT VALUE REACHED \$102.00/CWT MONDAY.  
 COWS AND BULLS IN VIRGINIA AUCTIONS WERE MOSTLY STEADY TO \$1.50 LOWER WHILE MIDWEST PRICES WERE STEADY TO \$4.00 LOWER. BEEF PRODUCTION LAST WEEK WAS .8% BELOW THE PREVIOUS WEEK AND 1.5% BELOW A YEAR AGO. AVERAGE WEIGHTS WERE 2 LBS. HEAVIER THAN LAST YEAR.  
 VEAL AND CALF PRICES IN VIRGINIA AUCTIONS WERE STEADY LAST WEEK, FOLLOWING MIDWEST PRICES WHICH WERE STEADY TO AS MUCH AS \$2.00 LOWER. SLAUGHTER

WAS 2% ABOVE A WEEK AGO AND 11% BELOW A YEAR AGO AS AVERAGE WEIGHTS WERE 1 LB. HEAVIER THAN A YEAR AGO.  
 LAMB PRICES AT VIRGINIA AUCTIONS WERE STEADY TO \$1.00 LOWER AS MIDWEST PRICES WERE STEADY TO \$3.00 LOWER. SLAUGHTER LAST WEEK WAS 7% ABOVE THE PREVIOUS WEEK AND .6% BELOW A YEAR AGO. AVERAGE WEIGHTS WERE 1 LB. HEAVIER THAN LAST YEAR.  
 HOG PRICES IN VIRGINIA AUCTIONS WERE \$1.00 TO \$4.00 LOWER THIS WEEK. PORK PRICES WERE STEADY TO \$3.00 LOWER EXCEPT HAMS WHICH WERE AS MUCH AS \$4.00 HIGHER DURING THE WEEK. PORK PRODUCTION LAST WEEK WAS 5% ABOVE THE PREVIOUS WEEK AND 10% ABOVE A YEAR AGO. AVERAGE WEIGHTS WERE THE SAME AS LAST YEAR.  
 THE RICHMOND HOG MARKET CLOSED \$3.00 LOWER THAN LAST WEDNESDAY WITH BARROWS AND GILTS US 1-4 200-240 LBS AT \$39.00-39.50 PER CWT. TOTAL RECEIPTS FOR THE WEEK 103 HEAD.  
 THE SOUTHEAST VIRGINIA HOG MARKET CLOSED \$3.00-3.50 LOWER THAN LAST WEDNESDAY WITH BARROWS AND GILTS US 1-4 200-240 LBS 39.00-40.50 PER CWT. TOTAL RECEIPTS FOR THE WEEK 15190 HEAD.  
 AT HARRISONBURG, LYNCHBURG AND TAPPAHANNOCK HOG PRICES WERE \$3.00 LOWER THAN LAST WEDNESDAY AT \$38.00-44.00. SOWS NO PRICES QUOTED. BOARS \$26.00-37.00 PER CWT.  
 SLAUGHTER STEERS AND HEIFERS 1%, SLAUGHTER COWS 17%; SLAUGHTER BULLS 2%; SLAUGHTER CALVES AND VEALERS 1%; FEEDER CATTLE UNDER 600 LBS 67%, OVER 600 LBS 12%.  
 PRICE RANGES FOR VIRGINIA AUCTIONS.  
 SLAUGHTER CATTLE CHOICE STEERS 2-3 1000-1300 LBS 60.00-63.30 CHOICE STEERS 2-3 1300 LBS & OVER 57.50-60.50 CHOICE HEIFERS 2-3 900-1000 LBS 54.75-58.50 CHOICE HEIFERS 2-3 1100 LBS & OVER 59.50-61.75 UTILITY & COMMERCIAL COWS 37.00-47.00 BULLS 1-2 900-1300 LBS 41.75-55.00; 1-2 1300-1600 LBS 44.00-54.00 1-2 1600 LBS & OVER 46.00-56.75.  
 SLAUGHTER CALVES AND

VEALERS - HIGH CHOICE & PRIME 100-250 LBS 73.00-83.00 FEW 65.50 GOOD AND CHOICE 100-250 LBS 62.00-77.50 CALVES - GOOD AND CHOICE 250-500 LBS 55.00-65.00 FEW 80.00.  
 SLAUGHTER LAMBS HIGH CHOICE AND PRIME 95-125 LBS 62.50-67.00.  
 SLAUGHTER HOGS US 2-4 200-250 LBS 40.00-43.75 SOWS US 1-3 300-500 LBS 30.00-41.25 500 LBS & OVER 33.00-42.00.  
 FEEDER CATTLE STEERS; MEDIUM 1 300-500 LBS 80.00-90.00 FEW 72.00 500-700 LBS 71.50-82.00 FEW 66.00.  
 HEIFERS; MEDIUM 1 300-500 LBS 64.00-77.00 500-700 LBS 61.00-72.00.

## Grantsville Livestock

Grantsville, Maryland  
 Saturday, Oct. 31, 1987  
 LARGE: 55-70; MEDIUM: 45-50.  
 HOGS: TOP BARROWS & GILTS 41.00-44.00; HEAVY BUTCHER 40.00-42.50; LIGHT BUTCHER 33.00-40.00; BUTCHER SOWS 35.00-39.50; FEEDER SHOATS 15.00-51.00.  
 VEAL: GOOD 85.00-90.00; STANDARD 75.00-80.00; UTILITY 60.00-70.00; BULL CALVES 1.00-1.23.  
 SHEEP & LAMBS: CHOICE FEEDER LAMBS 75.00-82.00; GOOD 70.00-74.00; UTILITY 58.00-64.00; SLAUGHTER EWES 20.00-32.00.  
 SLAUGHTER CATTLE: STEERS GOOD 62.00-66.00; STANDARD 58.00-60.00; UTILITY 48.00-54.00.  
 HEIFERS: GOOD 58.00-61.50; STANDARD 52.00-55.00; UTILITY 40.00-48.00.  
 COWS: COMMERCIAL 40.00-46.50; UTILITY 38.00-39.00; CANNER AND CUTTER 30.00-35.00.  
 BULLS: COMMERCIAL & GOOD 52.00-58.50; CUTTER & UTILITY 42.00-50.00.  
 STOCK-FEEDER CATTLE: (YEARLING STEERS) GOOD 65.00-75.00; MEDIUM 55.00-60.00; INFERIOR & COMMON 45.00-50.00.  
 STEER CALVES: GOOD 70.00-78.00; MEDIUM 60.00-65.00; INFERIOR & COMMON 50.00-55.00.  
 HEIFER CALVES: GOOD 62.00-70.00; MEDIUM 55.00-58.00; INFERIOR & COMMON 48.00-50.00.

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