

# Livestock market and auction news

## Lancaster Livestock

Monday, Oct. 3, 1988  
Cattle Calves Hogs Sheep Goats

Monday's Receipts	943	122	322	619	384
Monday's Auction	989	127	328	664	498
Last Monday's Auction	1117	82	464	671	539
Last Year's Auction	1149	113	374	529	672

**CATTLE:** Compared to Thursday slaughter steers very uneven, mostly steady to firm, instances as much as 1.00 higher; slaughter heifers steady to 50 lower; bullocks scarce; bulls steady. Supply included 70% slaughter steers.

**SLAUGHTER STEERS:** Small supply High Choice and Prime 2-4 1225-1375 lb 70.60-72.25, few head Choice and Prime 2-3 1225-1350 lb 72.00-73.35; Choice 2-3, few 4 1090-1450 lb 68.25-71.50; few head Choice 4 1150-1450 lb 65.60-69.00; Select and low Choice 2-3 1000-1450 lb 65.00-68.75; Choice and Prime 1260-1485 lb Holsteins 62.50-67.00; few Select and low Choice 1050-1300 lb 56.75-61.00.

**SLAUGHTER HEIFERS:** Choice 2-3 975-1250 lb 64.50-67.50; Select 2-3 900-1100 lb 60.00-64.50.

**COWS:** LO DRESSING BULK HI DRESSING Breaking Utility and Commercial 2-3 48.00-50.75 50.75-51.50 Commercial 3-4 45.50-48.50 Cutter and Breaking Utility 1-2 44.50-46.00 46.00-50.00 50.00-51.50 Canner and low Cutter 39.00-41.50 41.50-45.50

**BULLOCKS:** Couple Choice 1-3 1150-1375 lb 63.50-65.25.

**BULLS:** Yield grade 1 1350-2150 lb 60.00-63.75, few 64.50-67.25; yield grade 2 1050-1500 lb 56.00-60.50.

**VEAL CALVES:** Vealers fully steady; slaughter calves steady, instances 5.00 higher on Choice. Demand good for Holstein bulls to return to farm.

**VEALERS:** Couple high Choice and Prime 240-350 lb 110.00-120.00; Choice 170-320 lb 88.00-102.00, couple 103.00-110.00; high Good and low Choice 120-300 lb 80.00-90.00, 80-115 lb 78.00-88.00; Standard and low Good 70.00-75.00.

**SLAUGHTER CALVES:** Good and Choice 300-450 lb 65.00-75.00, few Choice 75.00-80.00.

**RETURNED TO FARM:** Bulk 100-125 lb Holstein bulls 125.00-140.00, few 140.00-148.00; small frame 90-120 lb 92.00-120.00.

**HOGS:** Compared to last Wednesday barrows and gilts 1.00-1.50 lower; sows steady.

**BARROWS AND GILTS:** US 1-2 220-250 lb 40.50-41.25. US 1 215-245 lb 41.50-42.50. US 1-3 210-265 lb 39.50-40.25. US 2-4 235-270 lb 38.50-39.25.

**SOWS:** US 1-3 300-650 lb 28.00-31.50. US 2-3 few 500-650 lb 25.00-28.00.

**SHEEP:** Woolled lambs steady to weak; slaughter ewes steady to 5.00 lower.

**WOOLED LAMBS:** Choice and Prime 80-110 lb 58.00-62.00, few 62.00-65.00; Choice 50-75 lb 65.00-90.00, few 40-50 lb 90.00-110.00; Good to low Choice 70-90 lb 54.00-58.00.

**SLAUGHTER EWES:** Utility and Good 20.00-30.00, few Yearlings and two-year 30.00-40.00.

**GOATS:** All Goats sold by the head, Large fleshy 50.00-70.00, with around 25 head 70.00-90.00; Thin 40.00-50.00; Medium fleshy 35.00-40.00, Thin 30.00-35.00; Small fleshy 30.00-40.00, thin 20.00-30.00.

**ANGORA GOATS:** Large 35.00-45.00; Medium 25.00-35.00; Small 15.00-25.00.

## Vintage Livestock Auction

Tuesday, Oct. 4, 1988  
Report Supplied by USDA  
Cattle Calves Sheep Goats

Today	881	918	15	2
Last	867	986	15	0
Last Year	738	922	8	0

**CATTLE:** SLAUGHTER STEERS 50 TO 1.00 HIGHER; SLAUGHTER HEIFERS NOT TESTED; COWS STEADY TO 1.00 HIGHER, WITH EARLY SALES FULLY 1.00 HIGHER; BULLS AND BULLOCKS SCARCE. SUPPLY INCLUDED 45% SLAUGHTER STEERS AND 50% COWS.

**SLAUGHTER STEERS:** CHOICE AND PRIME 3-4 1200-1375 LB. 70.75-72.50, EIGHT HEAD 73.00-74.10; CHOICE AND PRIME 2-3 1150-1350 LB. 72.25-73.75, EIGHT HEAD 74.00-74.75; CHOICE 2-3, FEW 4 1050-1450 LB. 59.35-72.00, FEW 72.00-72.75; CHOICE 1 1200-1560 LB. 66.00-70.00; SELECT AND LOW CHOICE 2-3 1000-1375 LB. 56.00-69.75; SELECT AND LOW CHOICE 1130-1450 LB. HOLSTEINS 57.25-60.75.

**COWS:** BREAKING UTILITY AND COMMERCIAL 2-3, BULK 48.50-51.00, HI DRESSING 51.00-52.50; COMMERCIAL 3-4, BULK 44.00-47.50; CUTTER AND BONING UTILITY 1-2, LO DRESSING 45.00-47.50, BULK 47.50-50.75, HI DRESSING 50.75-53.75; CANNER AND LOW CUTTER LO DRESSING 39.75-42.75, BULK 42.75-45.50.

**BULLS:** YIELD GRADE 1 1450-2005 LB. 60.25-63.50; YIELD GRADE 2 1200-1450 LB. 55.50-60.00; COUPLE CHOICE 1-2 1150-1325 LB. BULLOCKS 52.50-62.75.

**VEAL CALVES:** VEALERS WEAK TO 5.00 LOWER. SUPPLY INCLUDED 75 IN GRADED SALE OF WHICH 74% SOLD TO RETURN TO FARM.

**VEALERS:** COUPLE CHOICE 250-370 LB. 90.00-91.00; HIGH GOOD AND LOW CHOICE 200-435 LB. 72.00-85.00, 80-110 LB. 77.00-86.00; STANDARD AND LOW GOOD 60-85 LB. 60.00-75.00.

**RETURNED TO FARM:** 20 HEAD 120-125 LB. HOLSTEIN BULLS 128.00, 25 HEAD 95-115 LB. 137.00-140.00 AND 70 HEAD 80-90 LB. 83.00-90.00; 70 HEAD SMALL FRAME 100-115 LB. 110.00-126.00; 65 HEAD 90-115 LB. HOLSTEIN HEIFERS 139.00-148.00, 20 HEAD 90-95 LB. 154.00 AND 35 HEAD SMALL FRAME 80-95 LB. 82.00-85.00.

**SHEEP:** INSUFFICIENT VOLUME FOR A MARKET TEST.

**GOATS:** NO MARKET TEST.

## Lancaster Auction

Wednesday, Oct. 5  
Report Supplied by USDA  
Cattle Calves Hogs Sheep Goats

Wed's Receipts	101	4	502	37	99
Wed's Auction	38	1	398	0	0
Last Wed's Auction	23	4	410	0	0
Last Year's Auction	59	21	214	0	0

**CATTLE:** INSUFFICIENT VOLUME FOR A MARKET TEST.

**VEAL CALVES:** NO MARKET TEST.

**HOGS:** COMPARED TO MONDAY BARROWS AND GILTS 1.50 HIGHER; SOWS MOSTLY STEADY.

**BARROWS AND GILTS:** US 1-2 220-250 LB. 42.00-42.75; US 1 220-250 LB. 42.75-43.50; US 1-3 210-265 LB. 41.25-42.00; US 2-4 230-270 LB. 40.00-41.00.

**SOWS:** US 1-3 300-650 LB. 28.00-30.75; US 2-3 FEW 500-650 LB. 26.00-28.00.

## Peoria Cattle

Peoria, Ill.  
Thursday, Oct. 6, 1988

**TRADING RATHER SLOW.** COMPARED WITH LAST WEEK'S CLOSE SLAUGHTER STEERS AND HEIFERS FIRM TO 1.00 HIGHER. SLAUGHTER COWS CLOSED STEADY TO 2.00 HIGHER. BULLS SOLD FIRM TO 2.00 HIGHER. ALL SALES MONDAY WITH NO CLASS WELL TESTED LATER. SUPPLY MAINLY SELECT TO AVERAGE CHOICE SLAUGHTER STEERS AND HEIFERS WITH ABOUT 5% COWS. ESTIMATED RECEIPTS THIS WEEK ABOUT 1400 AS COMPARED WITH ACTUAL RECEIPTS OF 1055 A WEEK AGO AND 1542 A YEAR AGO.

**SLAUGHTER CLASSES:** STEERS: CHOICE 2-4, MOSTLY 3, 1100-1350 LBS. 68.50-70.00 950-1100 LBS. 67.00-69.00 SELECT & CHOICE 2-3, 1000-1200 LBS. 65.00-68.00

**HEIFERS:** CHOICE 2-4, MOSTLY 3, 1000-1200 LBS. 68.00-69.25 850-1000 LBS. 66.00-68.00 SELECT & CHOICE 2-3, 900-1100 LBS. 64.00-67.00

**COWS:** BREAKING UTILITY AND COMMERCIAL 2-3 46.00-49.00 CUTTER AND BONING UTILITY 1-2 45.00-53.75 CANNER AND LOW CUTTER 1-2 40.00-45.00

**BULLS:** YIELD GRADE 1-2 1200-1500 LBS. 57.50-62.00 1500-1850 LBS. 61.00-63.00.

## New Holland Livestock

New Holland, Pa.  
Thursday, Oct. 6  
Cattle Calves Sheep Goats

Today	1151	607	225	120
Last Thursday	1040	602	170	42
Last Year	979	723	207	144

**CATTLE:** SLAUGHTER STEERS STEADY, INSTANCES 1.00 LOWER; SLAUGHTER HEIFERS NOT TESTED; COWS 50-1.00 LOWER, INSTANCES 1.50 LOWER; BULLOCKS FULLY STEADY; BULLS STEADY. SUPPLY INCLUDED 54% SLAUGHTER STEERS AND 36% COWS.

**SLAUGHTER STEERS:** SMALL SUPPLY HIGH CHOICE AND PRIME 2-4 1200-1375 LB 72.50-73.10, COUPLE 73.25-73.85; CHOICE 2-3. FEW 4 1050-1450 LB 69.00-71.75, FEW 71.75-72.50; AROUND 50 HEAD CHOICE 3-4 1435-1670 LB 67.50-71.10; SELECT AND LOW CHOICE 2-3 1000-1400 LB 66.00-69.50, INCLUDING AROUND 40 HEAD 1000-1125 LB RETURNED TO FEED AT 68.75-69.50; FEW SELECT 1250-1450 LB HOLSTEINS 57.00-59.75.

**COWS:** BREAKING UTILITY & COMMERCIAL 2-3 BULK 47.25-49.00, FEW HI DRESSING 49.00-50.00; CUTTER & BONING UTILITY 1-2 LO DRESSING 42.75-45.00, BULK 45.00-49.00, HI DRESSING 49.00-51.00; CANNER & LOW CUTTER LO DRESSING 39.50-41.50, BULK 41.50-43.75.

**BULLOCKS:** CHOICE 1-3 1125-1375 LB 62.75-66.00, COUPLE 66.00-67.75.

**BULLS:** YIELD GRADE 1 1400-1950 LB 60.00-65.00; YIELD GRADE 2 1000-1500 LB 56.75-60.00.

**VEAL CALVES:** VEALERS MOSTLY STEADY; SLAUGHTER CALVES STEADY, INSTANCES 5.00 HIGHER. DEMAND GOOD FOR HOLSTEIN BULLS TO RETURN TO FARM.

**VEALERS:** COUPLE HIGH CHOICE AND PRIME 190-290 LB 103.00-105.00; CHOICE 190-395 LB 88.00-100.00; HIGH GOOD AND LOW CHOICE 80-115 LB 78.00-84.00, STANDARD AND LOW GOOD 65-85 LB 72.00-78.00.

**SLAUGHTER CALVES:** GOOD AND CHOICE 300-430 LB 68.00-83.00.

**RETURNED TO FARM:** BULK 95-125 LB HOLSTEIN BULLS 125.00-150.00, FEW 152.00-158.00; SMALL FRAME 90-110 LB 88.00-120.00.

**SHEEP:** SLAUGHTER LAMBS 2.00-5.00 LOWER; SLAUGHTER EWES STEADY.

**WOOLED LAMBS:** CHOICE 75-110 LB 54.00-60.00, 60-70 LB 70.00-85.00, WITH FEW 40-55 LB 85.00-98.00; GOOD TO LOW CHOICE 65-95 LB 50.00-55.00.

**SLAUGHTER EWES:** UTILITY AND GOOD 18.00-29.00, FEW YEARLINGS AND TWO YEAR OLDS 32.00-39.00.

**GOATS:** ALL GOATS SOLD BY THE HEAD. LARGE 58.00-73.00, EIGHT HEAD 80.00-89.00; MEDIUM 35.00-52.00; SMALL 15.00-30.00.

## Lancaster County Weekly

Lancaster, PA  
October 7, 1988

This Week	Cattle Calves	3300	1650
Last Week		3301	1681
Last Year		3516	1743

**CATTLE:** Slaughter steers 50-1.00 higher; slaughter heifers steady to 50 lower; cows fully steady during the week, although late sales 50-1.00 lower; bullocks fully steady; bulls steady. Supply included 52% slaughter steers, 4% slaughter heifers, 31% cows, 5% bulls, with the balance feeders.

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## New Holland Dairy

New Holland Sales Stables  
Wednesday, Oct. 5, 1988

Report supplied by auction  
REPORTED RECEIPTS OF 49 COWS, 31 HEIFERS, AND 3 BULLS. MARKET STEADY.

LOAD OF WISC. FRESH COWS, 935.00-1285.00.

LOAD OF PA FRESH COWS, 760.00-1150.00.

LOAD OF PA FRESH COWS, 970.00-1060.00.

LOAD OF PA FRESH COWS, 750.00-1100.00.

LOCALLY CONSIGNED COWS 500.00-1275.00.


SPRINGING HEIFERS 590.00-935.00.

OPEN HEIFERS 380.00-550.00.

BULLS 550.00-640.00.



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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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