

# HOG **MARKETS**

### Lancaster Hogs

Lancaster Stockyards Sat., Mar. 4, 1989 Report supplied by auction

1004 HEAD. US 1 215-245 LBS. 43.50-46.00. US 1-2 210-250 LBS. 42.25-43.25. US 1-3 210-255 LBS. 41.00-42.00. US 2-4 210-255 LBS. 40.00-41.00. SOWS: ALL WEIGHTS 29.00-34.00.

BOARS: UNDER 270 LBS. 27.00-28.50; OVER 270 LBS.

25.00-27.00.

### New Holland Feeder Pigs

New Holland, PA March 8, 1989

Report Supplied by Auction 390 HEAD.

US 1-2 30-39 LBS. 93.00-96.00; 40-49 LB. 66.00-84.00; 50-59 LB. 75.00-81.00

#### St. Louis Hogs Thursday, Mar. 9, 1989

HOGS: 3500 - BARROWS & GILTS MODERATELY ACTIVE, 50 LOWER. US 1-3 230-260 LB. 41.25-41.50, FEW 200-230 LB. 39.00-41.25.

US 2-3 250-270 LB. 40.50-41.25, MOSTLY 41.00-41.25; 270-300 LB. 38.50-40.50.

SOWS: 300-500 LB. STEADY-50 HIGHER; OVER 500 LB. 1.00 HIGHER. (AROUND 6%)

US 1-3 300-500 LB. 34.50 TO MOST-LY 35.00; OVER 500 LB. 39.00-41.00. BOARS: OVER 300 LB. 36.50, PACK-AGE 37.00; UNDER 300 LB. 33.50-35.00.

### "EASTER"

## LAMB/GOAT SALE

Friday, March 17 12:30 P.M.

This is the big one! This is the sale YOU have made the best attended Spring Lamb Sale in the east!

We appreciate your business! Lambs Sold In Order

Received... Rabbits & Poultry Sale 9:00 A.M.

# (Sorry No Eggs)

Livestock Market, Inc. Just off I-81 at Exit 12, (717) 249-4511 or Evenings, Jim 249-2359 New Holland Hog Auction Lancaster, Pa.

Monday, March 6, 1989

Hog Receipts: Today Last Monday 1076 Last Year 1101

TREND: Compared to last Monday barrows and gilts 50-1.00 higher. BARROWS AND GILTS: US 1-2

215-250 lb 42.00-43.60. US 1 One lot 225 lb 46.00. US 1-3 210-260 lb 40.00-41.50. US 2-4 Few 240-270 lb 39.00-39.50.

#### Peoria Hogs Peoria, Illinois

Thursday, March 9, 1989

**OPENING HOGS: 2000 TRADING** SLOW. BARROWS AND GILTS OPEN-ING FULLY .50 LOWER COMPARED WITH WEDNEDSDAY SUPPLY MAIN-LY US 1-3 230-260 LBS.

US 1-3 220-250 LBS. 42.00-42.50 2-3 240-260 LBS. 41.00-42.00 SOWS: WEAK TO 1.00 LOWER 17%

US 1-3 325-400 LBS. MOSTLY 34.00, FEW 34.50 400-500 LBS. 34,00-35.00 500-650 LBS. 39.00-39.50, FEW 40.00.

#### State Graded Feeder Pig Sale

at Westminster Livestock Auction

Fri., March 3, 1989 PIGS, 2 WEEKS AGO 1022. COMPARED TO LAST SALE PRICES WERE STEADY TO 5.00 HIGHER ON PIGS WEIGHING 45-65 LBS. WHILE 30-45 LBS. AND 65-85 LBS. SOLD FUL-LY 5.00-15.00 HIGHER. ALL PIGS WEIGHED ON ARRIVAL DNS OLD BY THE HUNDREDWEIGHT.

US NO. 1: 58 HD. 33-34 LBS. 99.00-105.0.

US NO. 1 AND 2: 30 HD. (TAILS) 34 LBS. 91.00; 432 HD 39-49 LBS. 84.00-96.00; 203 HD. 52-58 LBS.

80.00-87.50. US NO. 1: 27 HD. 64 LBS. 86.00-92.00. US NO. 1 AND 2: 130 HD. 59-68 LBS.

**75.00-81.00.** US NO. 1: 83 HD. 75-77 LBS.

77.00-83.00. US NO. 1 AND 2: 46 HD. 69-73 LBS. 74.00; 24 HD. 84 LBS. 71.00; 9 HD. 119 LBS. 51.00.

US NO. 2: 36 HD. 42-49 LBS. 77.00-78.00; 8 HD. 64 LBS. 65.00. NEXT SALE FRIDY, MARCH 17.

### **FEEDER** CATTLE Tuesday, March 14 7:00 P.M. Bring a Load-Buy a Load

Livestock Market, inc. Just off I-81 at Exit 12 (717) 249-4511 or Evenings, Jim 249-2359

Walter M. Dunlap and Sons offers all cattle feeders two marketing days — Give us a call for advice and marketing conditions.

### MONDAYS OR WEDNESDAYS

Consign With Us — For the Marketing Edge

We are buying feeder pigs  $\star$   $\star$  Direct off the farm  $\star$   $\star$ Give us a call whether you are buying or selling

Next Feeder Cattle Sale Fri., March 17 - 11:00 A.M.

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

(Daily closing bids: Friday, March 3 through Thursday, March 9)

CORN						WHEAT					
	FRI.	MON.	TUES.	WED.	THUR.		FRI.	MON.	TUES.	WED.	THU
MAR. 89	2781/4	279%	2781/4	275%	277%	MAR. 89	432%	435	434	430	435%
MAY	2831/4	283%	2821/2	279%	281%	MAY	435%	4381/4	4351/2	432%	435%
JUL.	286	2861/4	2851/2	283	285	JUL.	402%	409	409%	408	4127
SEPT.	276 <del>%</del>	2761/4	276%	2741/2	277%	SEPT.	409%	415%	417%	415%	419%
DEC.	2721/2	270%	2721/4	271%	274%	DEC.	4201/2	428	4281/4	427	430%
MAR. 90	2791/2	مبر 277%	2791/4	2781/4	2811/4	SOYBEAN MEAL					
SOYBE	ANS						FRI.	MON.	TUES.	WED.	THU
	FRI.	MON.	TUES.	WED.	THUR.	MAR.	241.60	245.20	243.50	239.30	241.4
MAR.	767%	770%	764%	7751/2	763%	MAY	238.60	243.00	240.40	237.00	240.2
MAY	7781/2	7831/4	777	7661/2	776%	JUL	235.60	240.20	238.10	235.10	238.2
JUL	786	790	7851/4	775%	785	AUG.	232.50	238.00	236.00	233.00	236.0
AUG.	7811/4	784%	782	771%	782	SEPT.	227.20	231.50	231.20	229.00	233.2
SEPT.	7521/4	761	757	751%	758	OCT.	222.00	226.00	226.00	224.00	227.0
NOV.	7351/4	7431/4	7421/2	737%	7451/2						
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	FRI.	MON.	TUES.	WED.	THUR.	APR.	44.15	43.87	44.10	44.10	43.72
4.00						JUN.	48.47	48.50	48.87	48.72	48.40
APR. 89	77.80	77.80	77.57	77.12	77.07	JUL.	48.87	48.77	49.07	48.87	48.55
JUN.	74.90	75.02	74.60	74.05	73.95	AUG.	47.47	47.50	47.80	47.70	47.30
AUG.	72.65	72.57	72.40	71.97	71.87	OCT	44.25	44.17	44.45	44.50	44.13

OCT

71.17



OCT.

# URES MARKET TRENDS GRAIN AND LIVESTOCK

44.17

45.27

45.47

45.32

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ACRES CORN UPDATE: Corn futures prices closed lower today pressured by weaker cash basis levels and spillover from sharply lower soybeans. Further pressure was linked to the prospects of increased barge traffic as major tributaries begin to open after the thaws. Commercials sold heavy today with sales linked to active corn loan redemption pace. For the week ended February 22, 11.4 million bushels was redeemed from the regular load and 1.8 million was redeemed from the reserve. March ended today's session 2-3/4 cents lower at \$2.75-1/2 while the Dec. option traded 3/4 cents lower at \$2.71-1/2.

71.85

71.67

71.27

SOYBEAN ACRES

**UPDATE:** Soybean futures prices plunged today on technical selling coupled with reports of a drop in the Brazilian basis. Weakness on the opening was in response to follow through selling from yesterday's lower closes and weaker European markets. Reports of favorable weather in Brazil's bean belt added to the pressure with some trades thought to be South American hedge related. March closed 8-3/4 cents lower at \$7.55-1/2 while the November option lost 5 cents at \$7.37-1/2. Losses of 10-1/4 to 10-3/4 cents were recorded on the May through August options.

ACRES WHEAT UPDATE: Wheat futures settled lower from 1-3/4 to 4 cents on late session selling linked to sharply lower soybean prices. Long liquidation throughout the session was thought to be generated by overbought conditions. Further pressure was attributed to the inability of prices to move toward contract highs, which left the market vulnerable for a setback. Additional selling was linked to the fairly active redemption pace of wheat from the regular loan stocks with over 3-1/2 million bushels redeemed during the week ended February 22nd. March closed 4 cents lower at \$4.30 while the July lost 1-3/4 cents at \$4.08.

ACRES CATTLE UPDATE: Live cattle and feeders added to yesterday's losses with selling late (Turn to Page A36)



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