



# HOG MARKETS

## Lancaster Hogs

Lancaster Stockyards  
Sat., Mar. 25, 1989  
Report supplied by auction  
575 HEAD.  
FEW US 1 215-245 LBS. 40.25-41.00.  
US 1-2 215-250 LBS. 49.50-40.10.  
US 1-3 215-250 LBS. 38.75-39.50.  
US 2-4 215-250 LBS. 38.00-38.75; FEW  
205-210 LBS. 36.00-38.00.  
SOWS: OVER 500 LBS. 30.00-33.50;  
UNDER 500 LBS. 28.00-30.50.  
BOARS: UNDER 270 LBS.  
28.00-30.50; OVER 270 LBS.  
25.00-26.50.

## Greencastle Feeder Pigs

Saturday, March 25, 1989  
926 HEAD. 776 HEAD OF GRADE 1  
AND 2. 118 HEAD, 29-39 LBS.  
60.00-91.00; 362 HEAD, 40-49 LBS.  
66.00-93.50; 124 HEAD, 50-59 LBS.  
75.00-88.50; 118 HEAD, 60-69 LBS.  
56.00-83.00; 15 HEAD, 70 LBS. AND UP,  
60.00-68.50.  
93 HEAD OF GRADE 2. 18 HEAD,  
30-39 LBS. 54.00-74.00; 27 HEAD, 40-49  
LBS. 58.00-60.00; 14 HEAD, 50-59 LBS.  
70.00; 24 HEAD, 60 LBS. AND UP,  
44.00-65.50.  
41 HEAD GRADE 2 AND 3,  
40.00-45.00.

## New Holland Feeder Pigs

Lancaster, Pa.  
Wednesday, March 29, 1989  
Today 1031  
Last Wednesday 893  
Last Year 1276  
TREND: Compared to last Wednesday  
feeder pigs 5.00-10.00 lower, instances  
15.00 lower. All pigs weighed on arrival  
and sold by the hundred weight.  
GRADE HEAD WEIGHT PRICE US  
1-2 34 23-29 102.00-108.00. 31 37-39  
80.00-97.00. 112 40-49 70.00-81.00. 158  
50-59 67.00-73.00. 60 61-65 60.00-61.00.  
11 73 57.00.  
US 2 69 26-35 77.00-90.00. 84 40-49  
63.00-69.00. 105 50-57 63.00-69.00. 19  
80-82 53.00-55.00.  
US 2-3 76 44-78 52.00-57.00.

## New Holland Hog Auction

Lancaster, Pa.  
Monday, March 27, 1989  
Hog Receipts:  
Today 809  
Last Monday 1056  
Last Year 1327  
TREND: Compared to last Monday bar-  
rows and gilts steady to 50 lower.  
BARROWS AND GILTS: US 1-2  
210-255 lb 39.25-39.75, Few 40.00.  
US 1 210-245 lb 43.00-44.50.  
US 1-3 210-260 lb 38.50-39.50.

## State Graded Feeder Pig Sale

at Carlisle Livestock Auction  
Thursday March 23, 1989  
RESULTS ON 1372 PIGS.  
COMPARED TO MARCH 10, STATE  
GRADED SALE PIGS UNDER 50 LBS.  
WERE FULLY STEADY TO SPOTS  
10.00 HIGHER WHILE PIGS OVER 50  
LBS. WERE STEADY TO SPOTS 10.00  
LOWER. ALL PIGS WERE WEIGHED  
ON ARRIVAL AND SOLD BY THE  
HUNDREDWEIGHT.  
US#1 AND 2: 987 HEAD. 96 HEAD,  
28-39 LBS. 95.00-105.00; 454 HEAD  
40-49 LBS. 83.00-96.00; 292 HEAD, 50-59  
LBS. 77.00-91.00; 144 HEAD, 62-79 LBS.  
66.00-77.00.  
US#2'S: 252 HEAD. 25 HEAD, 22-28  
LBS. 88.00-100.00; 85 HEAD, 30-39 LBS.  
75.00-92.00; 64 HEAD, 41-49 LBS.  
65.00-86.00; 17 HEAD WITH TAILS,  
39-46 LBS. 60.00; 33 HEAD, 52-59 LBS.  
70.00-74.00; 27 HEAD, 62-80 LBS.  
60.00-63.00.  
US#2 AND 3: 100 HEAD. 3 HEAD,  
26-39 LBS. 62.00-75.00; 67 HEAD,  
SMALL LOTS 41-79 LBS. 38.00-58.00.  
LATE CUTS: 3 HEAD, 45-67 LBS.  
40.00-49.50.  
UTILITIES AND AS IS: 31 HEAD,  
31-90 LBS. 10.00-19.00.  
NEXT STATE GRADED SALE: FRI-  
DAY, APRIL 14, 1:30 P.M.; GRADING  
7:30-11:30 A.M.

## Peoria Hogs

Peoria, Illinois  
Thursday, March 30, 1989  
FEDERAL-STATE MIDSESSION  
AND CLOSE HOGS: 2000 TRADING  
MODERATE. BARROWS AND GILTS  
WEAK TO .75 LOWER, COMPARED  
WITH WEDNESDAY. SUPPLY MAIN-  
LY US 1-3 230-260 LBS.  
US 1-3 220-250 LBS. 39.00-39.50 2-3  
240-260 LBS. 38.50-39.00, SOME 38.00  
260-280 LBS. 36.50-38.50.  
SOWS: UNDER 500 LBS MOSTLY  
STEADY; OVER 500 LBS 1.00 HIGHER.  
14%  
US 1-3 325-500 LBS. 32.50 500-650  
LBS. 35.50-36.00.  
BOARS: OVER 350 LBS 31.50-31.75;  
UNDER 350 LBS 30.00-32.00  
HC 3900-3950 HD 3900-3950 HE  
3900-3950 HI 3900-3950 HJ 3900-3950  
HK 3900-3950 HQ 3800-3900 HR  
3750-3800 VV 3250-3250 WW  
3250-3250 XX 3550-3600 YY 3550-3600  
ZZ 3150-3175

# GRAIN, CATTLE AND HOG FUTURES MARKETS

(Daily closing bids: Monday, March 27 through Thursday, March 30)

## CORN

	FRI.	MON.	TUES.	WED.	THUR.
MAY 89	C	271%	273%	273%	265
JUL	L	274%	276%	275%	266%
SEPT.	O	264%	265%	265	256%
DEC.	S	262%	262%	261	255%
MAR.	E	268%	269%	267%	261%
MAY 90	D	270%	271%	269%	263%

## SOYBEANS

	FRI.	MON.	TUES.	WED.	THUR.
MAY	C	768%	762%	761	737
JUL.	L	779%	772%	770%	745%
AUG.	O	776%	769%	767%	740%
SEPT.	S	752	749	747	725%
NOV.	E	736%	735	732%	713
JAN.90	D	743%	742%	740%	719%
MAR.		753	751%	749	728%

## CHICAGO CATTLE

	FRI.	MON.	TUES.	WED.	THUR.
APR. 89	C	78.15	77.77	78.52	78.27
JUN.	L	74.32	73.95	74.12	73.47
AUG.	O	71.57	71.25	71.35	70.90
OCT.	S	71.67	71.50	71.77	71.42
DEC.	E	72.75	72.60	72.77	72.65
FEB.90	D	73.00	72.85	73.15	72.82

## WHEAT

	FRI.	MON.	TUES.	WED.	THUR.
MAY 89	C	427%	428%	428%	409
JUL	L	403%	405%	406%	387%
SEP.	O	412	413%	414	397%
DEC.	S	423%	425	426	410
MAR.	E	429	429%	429%	415

## SOYBEAN MEAL

	FRI.	MON.	TUES.	WED.	THUR.
MAY	C	236.10	235.00	234.80	227.20
JUL	L	235.10	234.00	233.40	225.30
JUL	O	223.70	232.10	231.70	223.20
AUG.	S	229.20	229.20	228.00	221.00
OCT.	E	223.70	224.00	223.50	215.70
DEC.	D	221.40	222.20	221.70	213.70

## CHICAGO HOGS

	FRI.	MON.	TUES.	WED.	THUR.
APR.	C	42.27	42.12	41.67	40.87
JUN.	L	46.80	46.97	47.05	46.42
JUL.	O	47.17	47.10	47.15	46.72
AUG.	S	46.35	46.20	46.15	45.77
OCT.	E	43.65	43.55	43.52	43.35
DEC.	D	45.55	45.50	45.42	45.12
FEB.90		44.65	45.85	45.85	45.77



## FUTURES MARKET TRENDS GRAIN AND LIVESTOCK

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**ACRES CORN UPDATE:**  
Corn futures prices ended today's session lower from 1/2 to 2 cents after yesterday's announcement that the Soviets had purchased 550,000 metric tonnes of corn, which was less than anticipated. Selling was held at a minimum of ideas that further sales would be announced. The USDA announced after today's close a sale of 450,000 metric tonnes of corn to the USSR, which now brings their purchases over the last two days to 1.0 million metric tonnes. New crop months were weaker relative to the old crop months on ideas that recent rainfall will improve soil moisture conditions. Pre-release estimates for Friday's planting report were quoted today at 75.4 million acres

which compares with last year's acreage of 67.619. May corn closed 1/2 cent lower at \$2.73-1/4 while the December option lost 2 cents at \$2.61.

**ACRES SOYBEAN UPDATE:** Soybean futures prices continued their downturn and settled from 1-3/4 to 5 cents lower today. Professional long liquidation continued today in advance of Friday's reports with many traders sidelined awaiting the news. Pre-release estimates put the crop at 62.1 million acres which compares with 58.87 last year. The 10/25 program attracted 2.8 million acres. Further pressure today was attributed to ongoing favorable weather conditions and news of improving moisture conditions.

The harvest in Brazil is progressing nicely with hints of record yields. May closed out today 1-3/4 cents lower at \$7.61 while November lost 2-1/2 cents at \$7.32-1/2.

from 1/2 cent lower to 1 cent higher in quiet trading with many participants sidelined in advance of Friday's USDA Grain Stocks and Planting Intentions Reports. Support was attributed to ideas of increased export interest while gains were held in check by the possibility of rainfall in parts of Kansas today. Some long liquidation was featured early in the session. Pre-release estimates for spring wheat were reported today

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# PIGS

STATE GRADED SALE  
FRI., APR. 7  
1:30 P.M.

# Carlisle

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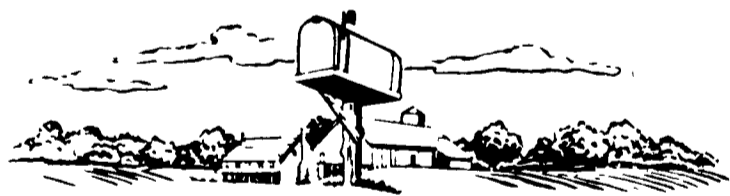
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