

## HOG **MARKETS**

### Lancaster Hogs

Lancaster Stockyards Sat., Apr. 15, 1989 Report supplied by auction

696 HEAD. FEW US 1 215-245 LBS. 40.00-41.75. US 1-2 215-245 LBS. 37.75-39.00. US 1-3 210-250 LBS. 36.25-37.50, LATE SALES 39.75-40.25.

US 2-4 215-255 LBS. 35.00-36.00. SOWS: ALL WEIGHTS 27.00-29.50, WITH BETTER SOWS 30.00-32.00. BOARS: ALL WEIGHTS 27.00-30.75.

### New Holland Feeder Pigs

New Holland, PA April 19, 1989 Report Supplied by Auction 1840 HEAD.

US 1-2 30-39 LBS. 62.00-75.00; 40-49 LB. 60.00-80.00; 50-59 LB. 49.00-70.00. 2's AND 3's 30-39 LBS. 48.00-50.00.

#### Peoria Hogs Peoria, IL April 20, 1989

HOGS: 1600 TRADING MODERATE. RECEIPTS CURRENTLY 400 HEAD OVER COMPARED WITH WEDNES-DAY. SUPPLY MAINLY US 1-3 230-260

US 1-3 220-250 LBS. 38.50-39.00 2-3 240-260 LBS. 37.50-38.50

SOWS: STEADY TO 1.00 LOWER MOST DECLINE ON WEIGHTS OVER

US 1-3 325-400 LBS. 31.50 400-600 LBS. 32.00-32.50

### **New Holland** Hogs April 17, 1989

TODAY LAST MONDAY LAST YEAR

TREND: Compared to last Monday barows and gilts 1.00-1.50 higher, instances 2.00 higher.

BARROWS AND GILTS: US 1-2 210-250 lb 39.00-40.00, Few early 38.00-39.00.

US 1 210-245 lb 42.00-42.75. US 1-3, 210-260 lb 36.00-38.00.

### State Graded Feeder Pig Sale

at Carlisle Livestock Auction Friday, April 14, 1989

RESULTS ON 2,146 PIGS. TREND: COMPARED TO MARCH 24, STATE GRADED SALE PIGS WERE 15.00-30.00 LOWER. ALL PIGS WERE WEIGHED ON ARRIVAL AND SOLD BY THE HUNDREDWEIGHT.

US#1 AND 2: 1,246 HEAD. 29 HEAD, 31-39 LBS. 75.00-89.00; 251 HEAD 43-49 LBS. 60.00-77.00; 461 HEAD, 50-59 LBS. 50.00-74.50; 358 HEAD, 60-69 LBS. 46.50-65.00; 147 HEAD, 70-79 LBS. 45.00-49.00.

US#2'S: 681 HEAD. 14 HEAD, 25-29 LBS. 37.00-41.00; 121 HEAD, 32-39 LBS. 41.00-65.00; 285 HEAD, 41-49 LBS. 37.00-50.00; 170 HEAD, 51-59 LBS. 35.00-45.50; 91 HEAD, 64-90 LBS. 31.00-43.00.

US#2 AND 3: 159 HEAD. 30 HEAD, 21-29 LBS. 32.00-41.00; 99 HEAD, 30-39 LBS. 35.00-45.00; 30 HEAD 44-55 LBS. 21.00-38.00.

UTILITIES: 18 HEAD, 21-47 LBS. 13.00.

AS IS: 39 HEAD, 30-100 LBS. 10.00-15.00.

NEXT STATE GRADED SALE: FRI-DAY, APRIL 28, 1:30 P.M. (GRADING 7:30-11:30 A.M.).

### Peoria Hogs

Thursday, April 20, 1989 HOGS: 1600. TRADING MOD-ERATE. RECEIPTS CURRENTLY 400 HEAD OVER THE EARLY ESTIMATE. BARROWS AND GILTS OPENING .25 TO .50 LOWER COMPARED WITH WEDNESDAY. SUPPLY MAINLY US 1-3 230-260 LBS.

US 1-3 220-250 LBS. 38.50-39.00, 2-3 240-260 LBS. 37.50-38.50.

SOWS: STEADY TO 1.00 LOWER. MOST DECLINE ON WEIGHTS OVER 500 LBS. 16%.

US 1-3 325-400 LBS. 31.50, 400-600

LBS. 32.00-32.50.

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## **FEEDER** CATTLE Tuesday, April 25 7:00 P.M. Bring a Load-Buy a Load Livestock Market, Inc. Just off I-81 at Exit 12

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

(Daily closing bids: Friday, April 14 through Thursday, April 20)

#### CORN

CORN						WHEAT	Γ				
	FRI.	MON.	TUES.	WED.	THUR.		FRI.	MON.	TUES.	WED.	THUR.
MAY	270%	276%	2751/2	273	272¾	MAY 89	412%	410%	407	411%	409%
JUL.	273	2791/2	277%	274%	274%	JUL.	399	4001/2	399%	401%	397%
SEPT.	2661/2	2721/4	271	2671/4	2671/4	SEP.	4061/4	4081/2	407	408%	404%
DEC.	2661/4	2721/4	270	266	265%	DEC.	4181/4	420%	4191/2	420%	416%
MAR.	2721/	2781/4	2761/4	2721/4	272	MAR.	4231/2	426	425	425	421
MAY 90	273%	279%	2771/2	2731/4	274				123	724	721
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	FRI.	MON.	TUES.	WED.	THUR.		FRI.	MON.	TUES.	WED.	THUR.
MAY	733	747%	7481/2	745	747%	MAY	226.90	230.20	230.60	227.80	228.60
JUL.	743%	7571/2	7581/2	7521/4	754%	JUL.	225.80	229.30	228.90	226.00	226.50
AUG.	7431/4	757	7561/2	749%	754	AUG.	223.90	227.10	226.70	224.00	223.70
SEPT.	732	7471/2	7441/4	735	740	SEPT.	222.00	225.20	223.70	221.00	221.00
NOV.	730%	7421/2	7391/2	7281/4	727%	OCT.	220.00	222.50	220.70	217.20	217.00
JAN. 90	738%	750%	746%	736%	738	DEC.	219.00	221.70	219.50	215 90	215.60
MAR.	748	758	755	745	746%	JAN.	218.50	222.00	218 00	215.00	215.00
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CIHCIN	FRI.	MON.	TUES.	WED.	THUR.		FRI.	MON.	TUES.	WED.	THUR.
APR. 89	76.30		77.20			APR.	40.75	40.72	40.80	40.42	40.57
		76.92	71.52	77.10	77.05	JUN.	46.22	46.62	46.50	45.90	45.47
JUN.	71.10	71.32		70.50	71.05	JUL.	46.82	47.00	47.00	46.42	46.20
AUG.	67.55	67.85	67.77	66.87	67.27	AUG.	45.70	46.00	46.10	45.30	45.30
oct.	68.97	69.27	69.02	68.27	68.57	OCT.	42.07	42.40	42.57	42.07	41.95
DEC.	70.22	70.50	70.55	69.95	70.00	DEC.	43.85	44.30	44.50	43.82	43.82
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### **FUTURES MARKET TREND** GRAIN AND LIVESTOCK

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Acres Corn Update: com futures prices settled lower again today and posted settlements from 2-1/2 to 4-1/4 cents lower, but off session lows by as much as 4 cents. Pressure throughout the day was exerted by private weather forecasts calling for an increased probability of rainfall this week in the western portions of the belt. Further sales were in response to the heavy rate of producer loan redemptions reported on the latest USDA weekly loan report along with news that the USDA will release an extra \$850 million worth of generic certificates for 1989 deficiency payments. Prices bounced off session lows on late short covering with fast market conditions prevailing in most of the months. May closed 2-1/2 cents lower at \$2.73 after trading in a range from \$2.76-3/4 to \$2.69-1/2. Generic certificate bids remained steady.

Acres Soybean Update: Soybean futures prices settled lower but midrange of the day's trading. May lost 3-1/2 cents, settling at \$7.45 after trading to a high of \$7.58-1/2 and a low of \$7.34. Pressure on the opening was attributed to reports of increased rainfall probability, which dropped new crop substantially lower. Short covering helped to boost prices off session lows with addZWkK+15 pres sure exerted late in the session by ideas that labor disputes among Brazilian dockworkers were nearing a settlement. Yesterday's reports that ADM was declaring a force majeur were denied today along with continued confusion over the status of export

Acres Wheat Update:

Wheat futures closed higher today from 3/4 cents on the deferred December to 4-3/4 cents on the spot option. Today's session was another hectic one with prices actively traded on both sides of yesterday's closes. Strength in the old crop month was maintained by rumors of Soviet and Revotian Export Bonus interest. Ongoing hot and dry conditions in Kansas kept new crop beans on the plus side, while spillover weakness from corn and soybeans pressured midday. May traded in a 6-1/2 cent range, closing up 4-3/4 cents at \$4.11-3/4, while July tranded in a 4-3/4 cent range. from \$3.97 to \$4.01-3/4.

Acres Cattle Update: Live and feeder cattle futures closed lower but off session lows on session-long pressure generated by long liquidation in advance of Friday's 13-State and 7-State Cattle on Feed reports. Additional sales were made on weakening cash market fundamentals with prices lifted late in the session by short-covering. The Cattle on feed reports are expected to show aggressive first quarter placements prompted by "disastrous" winter wheat conditions. Pre-estimates for the 13 State report predicted placements at 106.7%, with on feed numbers at 101.9% and marketings at 97.3%. Should these estimates be confirmed, it will be the first time ever that April on feed number exceeded January inventories.

CME FEEDER CATTLE SETTLE-MENT PRICE - 4/17/89 - \$75.96 dn \$ .16 ACRES NEXT DAY OUTLOOK: CASH - steady to lower FUTURES steady to lower

Acres Hog Update: Live hog futures closed lower but off session lows (Turn to Page A18)



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