

# Livestock Market and Auctions

## Lancaster Livestock Auction

Monday, April 24, 1989  
Report Supplied by USDA

Cattle	Calves	Hogs	Sheep	Goats	
Monday's Auction	890	83	374	2444	744
Last Monday's Auction	1442	73	254	1556	339
Last Year's Auction	1639	84	355	602	431

**CATTLE:** SLAUGHTER STEERS STEADY; SLAUGHTER HEIFERS STEADY, INSTANCES 50 HIGHER THAN LATE LAST WEEK; COWS FIRM TO 1.00 HIGHER; BULLOCKS AND BULLS STEADY WITH LAST WEEK'S CLOSE. SUPPLY INCLUDED 52% SLAUGHTER STEERS, 17% SLAUGHTER HEIFERS, 19% COWS, AND 12% BULLS.

**SLAUGHTER STEERS:** FEW HIGH CHOICE AND PRIME 2-4 1225-1375 LB. 74.75-75.50, EIGHT HEAD 76.75-77.75; CHOICE 2-3 FEW 4 1050-1425 LB. 73.00-75.25; SELECT AND LOW CHOICE 2-3 1000-1450 LB. 70.00-73.00; CHOICE 1250-1575 LB. HOLSTEINS 63.00-68.50, FEW HEAD HIGH CHOICE AND PRIME 68.50-70.25.

**SLAUGHTER HEIFERS:** CHOICE 2-3 1050-1250 LB. 68.00-72.25, FEW CHOICE 2 72.25-72.75; SELECT 2-3 950-1225 LB. 66.00-68.50; LOAD MOSTLY SELECT 2-3 740-825 LB. MANY SOLD AS FEEDERS 59.85-61.25.

**COWS:** BREAKING UTILITY AND COMMERCIAL 2-3 49.75-51.50, HIGH DRESSING 1285-1700 LB. BEEF BREED 53.00-56.00; COMMERCIAL 3-4 BEEF BREED 45.00-50.50; CUTTER AND BONING UTILITY 1-2 48.50-51.00, LOW DRESSING 46.50-48.50.

**BULLOCKS:** CHOICE 1-3 1100-1350 LB. 60.00-62.00, COUPLE 64.00-64.75; SELECT 1-2 1050-1300 LB. 58.50-60.50.

**BULLS:** YIELD GRADE 1 1350-2475 LB. 59.00-63.00, FEW 63.50-64.75; YIELD GRADE 2 1100-1450 LB. 54.75-59.00.

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

**VEALERS:** CHOICE 160-280 LB. 100.00-112.00, INDIVIDUAL 260 LB. 121.00; GOOD TO LOW CHOICE, 200-260 LB. 80.00-100.00, 80-110 LB. 75.00-91.00.

**SLAUGHTER CALVES:** GOOD AND CHOICE 300-600 LB. 65.00-85.00.

**RETURNED TO FARM:** BULK 90-125 LB. HOLSTEIN BULLS 135.00-150.00.

**HOGS:** COMPARED TO LAST WEDNESDAY BARROWS AND GILTS STEADY, INSTANCES 50 LOWER; SOWS FIRM TO 1.00 HIGHER.

**BARROWS AND GILTS:** US 1-2 210-245 LB. 39.00-40.00; US 1 FEW 210-245 LB. 40.00-40.75; US 1-3 210-260 LB. 37.00-39.00; US 2-4 225-270 LB. 34.00-36.50; US 3-4 AROUND 50 HEAD 410-450 LB. 25.00-27.50.

**SOWS:** US 1-3 300-650 LB. 29.00-31.00, FEW 500-650 LB. 31.00-31.75.

**SHEEP:** SUPPLY MAINLY 20-80 LB. SPRING LAMBS SOLD TO THE GREEK EASTER TRADE; SLAUGHTER EWES STEADY.

**SPRING LAMBS:** 20-35 LBS. CHOICE 100.00-125.00, GOOD 75.00-100.00; 35-45 LBS. CHOICE 115.00-140.00, FEW 140.00-150.00, GOOD 75.00-115.00; 45-60 LBS. CHOICE 100.00-130.00, GOOD 80.00-100.00; 60-80 LBS. CHOICE 90.00-100.00, GOOD 75.00-90.00; 80-105 LBS. CHOICE 80.00-90.00, GOOD 75.00-80.00.

**SLAUGHTER EWES:** UTILITY AND GOOD 15.00-30.00; YEARLINGS AND 2-YEAR OLDS 30.00-45.00.

**GOATS:** ALL GOATS SOLD BY THE HEAD. LARGE 50.00-70.00, FEW MAINLY BILLIES 70.00-90.00; MEDIUM FLESHY 40.00-50.00, THIN

## Vintage Livestock Auction

Tuesday, April 25, 1989  
Report Supplied by USDA

Cattle	Calves	Sheep	Goats	
Today	669	520	92	2
Last	884	664	24	6
Tuesday	963	528	13	3
Last Year	963	528	13	3

**CATTLE:** SLAUGHTER STEERS 50-1.00 HIGHER, INSTANCES 1.50 HIGHER ON YIELD GRADE 4; SLAUGHTER HEIFERS STEADY; COWS 1.00-1.50 HIGHER; BULLS AND BULLOCKS SCARCE. SUPPLY INCLUDED 50% SLAUGHTER STEERS AND 40% COWS.

**SLAUGHTER STEERS:** FEW HIGH CHOICE AND PRIME 2-4 1175-1400 LB. 75.75-77.00; CHOICE 2 1125-1375 LB. 76.00-77.00, COUPLE 78.50-79.00; CHOICE 2-3, FEW 4 1100-1450 LB. 73.50-76.25; CHOICE 3 TO MOSTLY 4 1100-1450 LB. 72.50-74.75; SELECT AND LOW CHOICE 2-3 1050-1375 LB. 71.00-74.50; FEW CHOICE 1235-1525 LB. HOLSTEINS 65.50-68.00.

**SLAUGHTER HEIFERS:** FEW CHOICE 2-3 880-1175 LB. 66.50-68.75; SELECT 2-3, 780-1000 LB. 61.75-67.00.

**COWS:** BREAKING UTILITY AND COMMERCIAL LO DRESSING 2-3, BULK 49.00-51.00, HI DRESSING 51.00-53.00; CUTTER AND BONING UTILITY 1-2 LO DRESSING 48.00-49.00, BULK 49.00-51.25, HI DRESSING 51.50-52.75; CANNER AND LOW CUTTER LO DRESSING 43.00-44.75, BULK 44.75-47.75.

**BULLS:** YIELD GRADE 1 1475-2180 LB. 58.00-60.00; YIELD GRADE 2 1000-1450 LB. 55.25-58.25.

**VEAL CALVES:** VEALERS FULLY STEADY, ALTHOUGH CHOICE SCARCE. SUPPLY INCLUDED 407 IN GRADED SALE OF WHICH 87% SOLD TO RETURN TO FARM.

**VEALERS:** COUPLE CHOICE 160-185 LB. 104.00-108.00; HIGH GOOD AND LOW CHOICE 140-350 LB. 80.00-104.00, 80-110 LB. 83.00-89.00; STANDARD AND LOW GOOD 60-85 LB. 65.00-82.00.

**RETURNED TO FARM:** 15 HEAD 120-125 LB. HOLSTEIN BULLS 166.00, 45 HEAD 110-115 LB. 190.00-195.00, 135 HEAD 95-105 LB. 198.00-199.00; 20 HEAD 90 LB. 190.00, AND 25 HEAD 80-85 LB. 168.00-178.00; 35 HEAD SMALL FRAME 100-115 LB. 146.00-168.00 AND 20 HEAD 90-95 LB. 89.00; 6 HEAD 120-125 LB. HOLSTEIN HEIFERS 144.00 AND 20 HEAD 100-105 LB. 165.00-169.00; 35 HEAD SMALL FRAME 80-110 LB. 89.00-120.00.

**SHEEP:** FEW SPRING LAMBS AND SLAUGHTER EWES STEADY.

**SPRING LAMBS:** FEW CHOICE 25-50 LB. 100.00-116.00, FEW 55-75 LB. 78.00-88.00; GOOD 30-60 LB. 60.00-80.00.

**SLAUGHTER EWES:** UTILITY AND GOOD 13.00-28.00.

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

30.00-40.00; SMALL MAINLY KIDS BULK 25.00-45.00, FLESHY 45.00-75.00, WITH A FEW THIN 10.00-25.00.

## Lancaster Livestock Auction

Lancaster, Pa.  
Wednesday, April 26, 1989

Cattle	Calves	Hogs	Sheep	Goats	
Wed's Auction	243	0	302	0	0
Last Wed's Auction	43	1	279	0	0
Last Year's Auction	50	6	365	0	0

**CATTLE:** Slaughter steers fully steady; insufficient volume of any other class to establish a trend. Supply included 95% slaughter steers.

**SLAUGHTER STEERS:** High Choice and Prime 3-4 1370-1585 lb 73.50-75.50; Choice 2-3 few 4 1100-1450 lb 73.50-75.50, five head 76.00-76.75; Choice 3-4 1225-1400 lb 72.00-74.50; Select and low Choice 2-3 1100-1375 lb 71.00-73.50; few Choice 1425-1550 lb Holsteins 67.00-67.85.

**SLAUGHTER HEIFERS:** Few Choice 2-4 950-1100 lb 68.25-70.50.

**VEAL CALVES:** No market test.

**HOGS:** Compared to Monday barrows and gilts mostly steady; sows 1.00 lower.

**BARROWS AND GILTS:** US 1-2 210-245 lb 39.00-40.00. US 1 210-240 lb 40.25-41.00. US 1-3 210-265 lb 38.00-39.00.

**SOWS:** US 1-3 300-500 lb 27.00-30.00. 500-650 lb 29.00-30.75.

**SHEEP:** No market test.

**GOATS:** No market test.

## Isennock Auction

New Park, Pa.  
Monday, April 24, 1989  
Report supplied by auction

**SLAUGHTER COWS:** GOOD TO LOW CHOICE 48.50-49.50; LOW TO GOOD 45.50-47.50; LOW 44.25 AND LOWER.

**VEAL CALVES:** 120-140 LBS. 120.00-150.00; 100-115 LBS. 100.00-157.00; 85-95 LBS. 115.00-125.00; UTILITY CALVES 150-220 LBS. 77.00-90.00; 85-95 LBS. 80.00-95.00.

**FAT STEERS:** 650-900 LBS. 63.00-70.50; 1200-1250 LBS. 57.00.

**FAT HEIFERS:** 500-550 LBS. 55.00; 1100-1150 LBS. 59.75-60.00.

**FEEDER BULLS:** 450-650 LBS. 56.00-63.00.

**SOWS:** 500-550 LBS. 31.00-31.50.

**BOARS:** 200-500 LBS. 20.00-26.25.

**HOGS:** 110-130 LBS. 14.00-17.00; 160-190 LBS. 22.00.

**SHOATS:** 25.00 HEAD.

**FEEDER PIGS:** 16.50-20.00 HEAD.

**SHEEP:** 130-150 LBS. 21.00-55.00; 160-210 LBS. 18.00-19.00.

**LAMBS:** 55-85 LBS. 72.00-98.00.

**GOATS:** MEDIUM AND SMALL AT 22.00-32.00; KIDS 17.00 HEAD.

## New Holland Livestock

New Holland, Pa.  
Thursday, Apr. 27

Cattle	Calves	Sheep	Goats	
Today	1582	329	133	104
Last Thursday	824	415	779	244
Last Year	1322	375	113	65

**CATTLE:** SLAUGHTER STEERS FIRM TO MOSTLY .50 HIGHER, INSTANCES 1.00 HIGHER; SLAUGHTER HEIFERS STEADY; COWS 1.00-2.00 HIGHER; BULLOCKS FULLY STEADY, INSTANCES 1.00 HIGHER ON CHOICE; BULLS STEADY. SUPPLY INCLUDED 70% SLAUGHTER STEERS, 3% SLAUGHTER HEIFERS, 20% COWS, 6% BULLS, WITH THE BALANCE FEEDERS.

**SLAUGHTER STEERS:** HIGH CHOICE AND PRIME 2-4 1220-1450 LB. 75.75-77.25, FEW 77.50-78.25; CHOICE 2-3, FEW 4 1000-1475 LB. 73.85-76.50, SEVERAL LATE SALES 76.50-77.00; CHOICE 3 TO MOSTLY 4 1200-1550 LB. 72.00-74.25; SELECT AND LOW CHOICE 2-3 900-1450 LB. 71.00-74.35; CHOICE 1300-1725 LB. HOLSTEINS 64.00-69.25; SELECT 1150-1770 LB. 59.25-63.50.

**SLAUGHTER HEIFERS:** CHOICE 2-3 950-1200 LB. 71.00-75.35; SELECT 2-3 900-1225 LB. 66.00-70.00.

**COWS:** BREAKING UTILITY AND COMMERCIAL 2-3 BULK 50.00-52.50, HI DRESSING 52.50-53.75; COMMERCIAL 3-4 BULK 47.00-49.50; CUTTER AND BONING UTILITY 1-2 LO DRESSING 48.00-49.50; BULK 49.50-52.00, HI DRESSING 52.00-53.25; CANNER AND LOW CUTTER LO DRESSING 43.50-45.50, BULK 45.50-47.50.

**BULLOCKS:** CHOICE 2-3 1175-1325 LB. 61.50-65.00, COUPLE 68.00-72.50; SELECT 1-2 1050-1300 LB. 58.00-62.00.

**BULLS:** YIELD GRADE 1 1450-2050 LB. 59.50-63.00; YIELD GRADE 2 1000-1500 LB. 56.00-60.00, FEW LOW DRESSING 54.75-56.00.

**VEAL CALVES:** VEALERS STEADY, ALTHOUGH VERY FEW 80-120 LB. GOING TO SLAUGHTER. DEMAND GOOD FOR HOLSTEIN BULLS TO RETURN TO FARM.

**VEALERS:** CHOICE 170-385 LB. 100.00-114.00, FEW HIGH CHOICE AND PRIME 295-405 LB. 115.00-121.00; HIGH GOOD AND LOW CHOICE 190-400 LB. 85.00-100.00, FEW 80-115 LB. 80.00-91.00; FEW STANDARD AND LOW GOOD 60-85 LB. 72.00-80.00.

**RETURNED TO FARM:** BULK 90-125 LB. HOLSTEIN BULLS 160-190.00, WITH ABOUT 50 HEAD 190.00-200.00; SMALL FRAME 95-120 LB. 110.00-150.00, FEW 80-110 LB. 90.00-110.00.

**SHEEP:** SUPPLY MAINLY 25-70 LB. SPRING LAMBS SOLD TO THE GREEK EASTER TRADE; SLAUGHTER EWES FULLY STEADY.

**SPRING LAMBS:** BULK CHOICE 25-65 LB. 140.00-170.00, FEW 30-45 LB. 175.00-195.00; FEW CHOICE 65-90 LB. 94.00-100.00.

**SLAUGHTER EWES:** UTILITY AND GOOD 20.00-35.00, YEARLINGS AND TWO YEAR OLDS 33.00-50.00.

**GOATS:** ALL GOATS SOLD BY THE HEAD. LARGE 62.00-76.00, FIVE HEAD 80.00-101.00; MEDIUM 42.00-66.00; SMALL 26.00-40.00, FEW THIN 15.00-25.00.

## Lancaster Weekly

Lancaster, PA  
April 28, 1989

CATTLE CALVES	THIS WEEK	LAST YEAR
	3800	935
	4548	989

**CATTLE:** Slaughter steers sold progressively higher, with closing sales 1.50-2.00 higher; slaughter heifers 50 higher, instances 1.00 higher; cows 1.00-2.00 higher, extremes 2.50 higher; bullocks steady, some late sales 1.00 higher; bulls fully steady. Supply included 56% slaughter steers, 6% slaughter heifers, 20% cows, 6% bulls, with the balance feeders.

**SLAUGHTER STEERS:** High Choice and Prime 2-4 1175-1450 lb 75.75-77.25, few 77.50-78.25; Choice 2 1125-1375 lb 76.00-77.50, couple 78.00-79.00; Choice 2-3 few 4 1000-1475 lb 73.50-76.50, several at the close 76.50-77.00; Choice 3 to mostly 4 1100-1550 lb 72.00-74.75; Select and low Choice 2-3 900-1450 lb 71.00-74.50; Choice 1235-1770 lb Holsteins 63.00-69.25, Select 1150-1750 lb 59.25-63.50.

**SLAUGHTER HEIFERS:** Choice 2-3 950-1250 lb 69.00-72.25, few Choice 2 72.25-75.35; Select 2-3 880-1250 lb 66.00-70.00, load mostly Select 2-3 740-825 lb, many sold as feeders at 59.85-61.25.

**COWS:** DRESSING BULK HIGH DRESSING Breaking Utility and Commercial 2-3 49.50-2%52.50-53.25, one load high dressing 1285-1700 lb beef breed 53.00-56.00. Commercial 3-4 45.00-50.50 Cutter and Boning Utility 1-2 48.00-49.50 49.50-52.00 52.00-53.25 Canner and low Cutter 43.50-45.50 45.50-47.75.

**BULLOCKS:** Choice 1 3 1100-1325 lb 60.00-64.75, few late 68.00-72.50; Select 1-2 1050-1300 lb 58.00-62.00.

**BULLS:** Yield grade 1 1350-2475 lb 59.00-63.00, few 63.50-64.4; yield grade 2 1100-1450 lb 56.00-60.00, few low dressing 54.75-56.00.

**VEAL CALVES:** Vealers steady, although very few 80-120 lb going to slaughter; slaughter calves mostly steady. Demand extremely good for Holstein bulls to return to farm.

**VEALERS:** Choice 160-385 lb 100.00-114.00; few high Choice 260-405 lb 115.00-121.00; high Good and low Choice 140-400 lb 83.00-104.00, few 80-110 lb 80.00-91.00; Standard and low Good 60-85 lb 65.00-82.00.

**SLAUGHTER CALVES:** Good and Choice 300-600 lb 65.00-85.00.

**RETURNED TO FARM:** Bulk 90-115 lb Holstein bulls 160.00-200.00, 115-125 lb 135.00-170.00; small frame 95-120 lb 110.00-168.00, few 80-110 lb 89.00-110.00. Few 100-125 lb Holstein heifers 144.00-169.00.



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### AUCTIONS

#### MONDAY

9:00 A.M. — Slaughter Bulls, Heifers, Steers, Cows  
10:00 A.M. — Goats, Veal Calves, Lambs

#### 12 Noon — Slaughter Hogs WEDNESDAY

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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