


# Virginia



## Cattle & Hogs

### Virginia Weekly

July 27, 1989  
 MARKETS IN REVIEW; JULY 20-26, 1989. FEEDER STEERS AND HEIFERS IN VIRGINIA WERE STEADY TO \$4.00 HIGHER AS MIDWEST PRICES WERE STEADY TO \$2.00 HIGHER. SLAUGHTER STEERS AND HEIFERS IN VIRGINIA THIS WEEK TOO FEW TO ESTABLISH A MARKET AS MIDWEST PRICES WERE 50 CENT TO \$2.50 HIGHER.

COWS AND BULLS IN VIRGINIA WERE STEADY AS MIDWEST PRICES WERE STEADY TO \$1.00 HIGHER. BEEF PRODUCTION WAS 1% BELOW A WEEK AGO AND 4% BELOW A YEAR AGO. AVERAGE DRESSED WEIGHTS WERE 2 POUND LIGHTER THAN LAST YEAR.  
 VEAL AND CALF PRICES IN VIRGINIA WERE \$2.00 LOWER. VEAL AND CALF PRODUCTION WAS 1% ABOVE A WEEK AGO BUT 10% BELOW A

YEAR AGO. AVERAGE DRESSED WEIGHTS WERE 29 POUNDS HEAVIER THAN LAST YEAR.  
 LAMB PRICES IN VIRGINIA WERE \$1.00-4.00 LOWER AS MIDWEST PRICES WERE STEADY TO \$1.00 HIGHER. LAMB PRODUCTION WAS 5% ABOVE A WEEK AGO AND 4% BELOW A YEAR AGO. AVERAGE DRESSED WEIGHTS WERE 1 POUND HEAVIER THAN LAST YEAR.  
 SLAUGHTER HOG PRICES IN VIRGINIA WERE STEADY TO 50 CENT LOWER AS MIDWEST PRICES WERE MAINLY STEADY TO 50 CENT LOWER. FRESH PORK PRICES WERE \$2.50-3.50 LOWER EXCEPT SKINNED HAMS \$2.50-7.50 HIGHER. PORK PRODUCTION WAS 3% BELOW LAST WEEK AND 1% BELOW A YEAR AGO.  
 AVERAGE DRESSED WEIGHTS WERE 2 POUNDS HEAVIER THAN LAST YEAR.  
 THE VIRGINIA DIRECT HOG MARKET JULY 20-26, 1989. RECEIPTS FOR THE DIRECT HOG MARKET IN VIRGINIA ESTIMATED 16,998 HEAD. COMPARED TO LAST WEEK 18,287 HEAD. THE MARKET CLOSED

STEADY TO 25 CENT HIGHER COMPARED TO LAST WEDNESDAY'S TRADING WITH BARROWS AND GILTS: COUNTRY POINTS PLANTS US 1-3 200-240 LBS 44.00-47.00 --- US 1-2 210-240 LBS FEW HIGH YIELDING 46.00-48.00 US 2-4 210-240 LBS BASE PRICE 44.00-46.00 SOWS \$30.00-34.00 AND BOARS \$20.00-28.00.  
 SLAUGHTER STEERS AND HEIFERS 1%; SLAUGHTER COWS 22%; SLAUGHTER BULLS 3%; SLAUGHTER CALVES AND VEALERS 1%; FEEDER CATTLE UNDER 600 LBS 61% OVER 600 LBS 12%  
 PRICE RANGES FOR VIRGINIA WEEKLY AUCTIONS  
 SLAUGHTER CATTLE STEERS: NO PRICES REPORTED THIS WEEK HEIFERS; NO PRICES REPORTED THIS WEEK UTILITY & COMMERCIAL COWS 43.00-51.50 BULLS - 1-2 900-1300 LBS 55.00-65.00 1-2 1300-1600 LBS 54.00-63.80 1-2 1600 LBS & OVER 56.00-68.25 SLAUGHTER CALVES AND VEALERS VEALERS - HIGH CHOICE & PRIME 100-250 LBS 85.00-98.00 GOOD AND CHOICE 100-250 LBS 81.00-87.00 CALVES - GOOD AND CHOICE 250-500 LBS 72.00-85.00 SLAUGHTER LAMBS HIGH CHOICE & PRIME 95-125 LBS SPRING 57.00-62.00; BUCKS 57.00 HIGH CHOICE & PRIME 95-125 LBS SHORN 58.50 SLAUGHTER HOGS US 2-4 200-250 LBS 38.00-46.25 SOWS US 1-3 300-500 LBS 27.00-35.00; 500 LBS & OVER 29.00-36.00  
 FEEDER CATTLE STEERS; MEDIUM 1 HEIFERS: MEDIUM 1 200-300 LBS 90.00-114.00 FEW 123.00 300-400 LBS. 80.00-95.00 FEW 75.00 300-400 90.00-108.00 400-500 70.00-88.00 400-500 88.00-98.00 FEW 104.50 500-600 70.00-85.00 500-600 82.00-97.00 600-700 70.25-79.00 600-700 75.00-86.50 700-800 68.00-77.00 700-800 69.50-81.00 800-900 63.00-68.00 800-900 68.00-81.25.

### S.W. Virginia Area Livestock

Wytheville, VA  
 July 25, 1989  
 ALL TRENDS COMPARED TO LAST TUESDAY.  
 SLAUGHTER CATTLE 87 HEAD - NO TRENDS REPORTED.  
 SLAUGHTER COWS 80 HEAD CUTTER & BNG.UT. 1-3 46.00-48.50 BRKG.UT. & COMM. 2-4 44.75-47.75 CANNER & LOW CUTTER 1-2 43.50-46.75  
 SLAUGHTER BULLS 7 HEAD; 1-2 900-1300 LBS --- 1-2 1300-1600 LBS 59.25-62.00 1-2 1600 LBS & OVER 58.25-63.25  
 LAMBS 144 HEAD - NO TRENDS REPORTED. HIGH CHOICE AND PRIME 95-125 LBS SPRING 59.25 CHOICE 85-125 LBS SPRING 56.00 FEEDER LAMBS CHOICE AND FANCY 60-70 LBS 55.00 SLAUGHTER EWES ALL GRADES 12.00-13.00  
 FEEDER CATTLE 139 HEAD - NO TRENDS REPORTED. STEERS; MEDIUM 1 LARGE 1 SMALL 1 MED.&LARGE 2 300-400 108.00 --- --- 400-500 104.50 --- --- 500-600 --- 90.00 --- 86.00 600-700 86.50 --- --- 800-900 --- --- 73.50 --- HOLSTEIN STEERS; MED.&LARGE 1-2 300-500 LBS 79.00-82.00; 500-700 LBS 75.50-77.50 700-900 LBS 65.50  
 HEIFERS; MEDIUM 1 MED.&LARGE 2 400-500 --- 86.00 500-600 78.00-79.00 77.50 BABY CALVES RETURNED TO FARMS 60 HEAD NEWBORN TO 4 WK OLD 50.00-105.00 FEW 120.00-135.00 PER HEAD.

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### N. Virginia Area Livestock

Orange, VA  
 July 26, 1989  
 ALL TRENDS COMPARED TO LAST WEDNESDAY  
 SLAUGHTER CATTLE 65 HEAD - NO TRENDS REPORTED.  
 SLAUGHTER COWS 65 HEAD CUTTER & BNG. UT. 1-3 43.50-46.50 BRKG.UT. & COMM. 2-4 45.00-50.50 CANNER & LOW CUTTER 1-2 37.50-43.50  
 FEEDER CATTLE NONE REPORTED.

### Shenandoah Valley Livestock

Harrisonburg, Va.  
 July 22, 1989  
 Report supplied by auction  
 STEERS: M&L-1 300-500 LBS. 95.00-111.00; 500-700 LBS. 85.00 AND DOWN; 700-1000 LBS. 64.00-76.00; HOLSTEIN 300-1000 LBS. 53.00-57.00.  
 FEEDER BULLS: M&L-1 300-500 LBS. 77.00 AND DOWN; 700-800 LBS. 70.50 AND DOWN.  
 HEIFERS: M&L-1 300-500 LBS. 76.00-81.50; 500-700 LBS. 79.00 AND DOWN.  
 STOCK COWS: BEEF: 85.00 AND DOWN; BABY CALVES 60.00-109.00.  
 SLAUGHTER COWS: UTILITY AND COMMERCIAL 2-4 44.00-54.00; CANNER AND CUTTERS 1-3 36.00-43.50.  
 SLAUGHTER BULLS 1 & 2 50.00-56.00.  
 LAMBS: BLUE O HIGH CHOICE AND PRIME 61.00; RED O CHOICE 57.10, FEEDER LAMBS CHOICE 56.00-75.00; SLAUGHTER EWES 14.00-20.25.  
 VEALS: CHOICE & PRIME 87.00.  
 SLAUGHTER CALVES: GOOD & CHOICE 75.50-82.50.

### S.E. & Central Virginia Area Livestock

Southside (Blackstone) & Smithfield, VA  
 July 26, 1989  
 ALL TRENDS COMPARED TO LAST WEDNESDAY SOUTHSIDE CATTLE SOLD ON OUT WEIGHTS.  
 SLAUGHTER HOGS 250 HEAD - SLAUGHTER SOWS STEADY TO 50 CENT LOWER. BOARS MOSTLY 3.00 LOWER. SOWS US 1-3 300-500 LBS 33.90-34.80 500 LBS & OVER 33.00 BOARS 25.00-29.10; LIGHT BOARS 33.20  
 SLAUGHTER CATTLE 111 HEAD - SLAUGHTER COWS STEADY.  
 SLAUGHTER STEERS AND HEIFERS 23 HEAD HOLSTEIN SELECT 1-2 1100-1500 LBS 54.70  
 SLAUGHTER COWS 76 HEAD CUTTER & BNG.UT. 1-3 47.25-51.25 BRKG.UT. & COMM. 2-4 43.50-51.75 CANNER & LOW CUTTER 1-2 39.00-44.00  
 SLAUGHTER BULLS 12 HEAD; 1-2 900-1300 LBS 51.75-56.75 1-2 1300-1600 LBS 54.00-61.75 1-2 1600 LBS & OVER ---  
 LAMBS 31 HEAD - NO TRENDS REPORTED. HIGH CHOICE AND PRIME 95-125 LBS SHORN 58.50 CHOICE 85-125 LBS SHORN 56.25  
 FEEDER CATTLE 335 HEAD - FEEDER STEERS AND FEEDER HEIFERS MOSTLY STEADY. FEEDER BULLS STEADY. STEERS; MEDIUM 1 MED.&LARGE 2 400-500 91.50-96.00 --- 500-600 82.00-89.00 78.00-87.00 600-700 80.00-84.75 --- 900-1100 67.50-68.50 --- HOLSTEIN STEERS; MED.&LARGE 1-2 300-500 LBS 81.00-82.50  
 HEIFERS; MEDIUM 1 MED.&LARGE 2 300-400 85.00-95.00 78.00-88.00 400-500 82.00-87.50 79.00-85.00 500-600 81.00-84.25 74.00-81.00 600-700 73.00-74.50 --- 700-800 69.50 --- FEEDER BULLS; MED. 1 MED.&LARGE 2 200-300 LBS 102.00-118.00 84.00-111.00 300-500 LBS 89.00-104.00 78.00-90.00 500-700 LBS 72.00-73.50 --- 700-900 LBS 53.75-64.50 --- BABY CALVES RETURNED TO FARMS 40 HEAD NEWBORN TO 4 WK OLD 26.00-60.00 PER HEAD. OVER 100 LBS 62.50-85.00 PER CWT.

### Friend's Stockyard, Inc.

Accident, Md. 21520  
 July 24, 1989  
 STOCK BULLS & STEERS (200 TO 400 LBS.) 80.00-97.50.  
 STOCK HEIFERS: 70.00-81.00.  
 SLAUGHTER STEERS: GOOD TO CHOICE 68.00-70.10; MEDIUM TO GOOD 62.00-67.50.  
 HOLSTEIN STEERS: HEAVY 56.00-61.50; LIGHT 55.00-62.00  
 SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: GOOD TO CHOICE 65.00-70.60; MEDIUM TO GOOD 58.00-64.00.  
 BULLS: HEAVY 59.00-65.85; LIGHT 55.00-64.00.  
 COWS: FEW HIGH DRESSING UP TO 54.50; UTILITY HOLSTEIN 48.00-53.00; CANNERS 44.50-51.75; COMMERCIAL TO GOOD 45.00-49.00; CULL COWS 42.50 AND DOWN.  
 VEALS: GOOD TO CHOICE 85.00-105.00, MEDIUM TO GOOD 65.00-82.50.  
 BOB CALVES: 50.00-76.00.  
 HOLSTEIN BULL CALVES: RETURN TO FARM 100-120 LB. 100.00-137.00.  
 HOLSTEIN HEIFER CALVES: RETURN TO FARM 100-120 LB 90.00-112.00.  
 HOGS: TOP QUALITY 47.75-49.00; HEAVY 47.00-48.50; LIGHT 39.00-46.00.  
 SOWS: 29.00-34.00.  
 MALE HOGS: 27.00-32.00.  
 LAMBS: 62.00-67.00; FEEDER LAMBS: 55.00-66.00.  
 SHEEP: 18.00-26.50.  
 EGGS: (PER DOZEN) LARGE .71-.77 MEDIUM .67; SMALL .53 DOZ.

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