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WEEKLY REVIEW IN VIRGINIA MARKETS IN REVIEW; OCT. 19-25, 1989. FEEDER STEERS AND HEIFERS IN VIRGINIA SHOWED STEERS \$3.00-4.50 HIGHER AND HEIFERS UNEVEN \$2.00 HIGHER TO \$4.00 LOWER AS MIDWEST PRICES WERE \$2.00-3.00 LOWER.

SLAUGHTER STEERS AND HEIFERS IN VIRGINIA WERE STEADY TO \$1.50 HIGHER AS MIDWEST PRICES WERE \$2.00-4.00 HIGHER.

COWS AND BULLS IN VIRGINIA WERE MOSTLY 50 CENT TO \$9.00

HIGHER WHILE MIDWEST PRICES WERE STEADY TO \$1.00 LOWER. BEEF PRODUCTION WAS 2% BELOW A WEEK AGO BUT 2% BELOW YEAR AGO. AVERAGE DRESSED WEIGHTS WERE 13 POUNDS HEAVIER THAN LAST YEAR.

VEAL AND CALF PRICES IN VIRGINIA WERE STEADY ON A STRONG MARKET AS MIDWEST PRICES WERE STEADY TO \$2.00 LOWER. VEAL AND CALF PRODUCTION WAS THE SAME AS LAST WEEK BUT 16% BELOW A YEAR AGO. AVERAGE DRESSED WEIGHTS WERE 6 POUNDS LIGHTER THAN A YEAR AGO.

LAMB PRICES IN VIRGINIA WERE

\$2.00 HIGHER AS MIDWEST PRICES WERE STEADY TO \$1.50 LOWER. LAMB PRODUCTION WAS 4% ABOVE A WEEK AGO AND 7% ABOVE A YEAR AGO. AVERAGE DRESSED WEIGHTS WERE THE SAME AS LAST YEAR.

SLAUGHTER HOGS IN VIRGINIA WERE STEADY WITH LAST WEEK AS MIDWEST PRICES WERE \$2.00-2.50 HIGHER. FRESH PORK PRICES WERE VERY UNEVEN, \$2.00 HIGHER TO \$8.00 LOWER. HOG PRODUCTION WAS 1% BELOW A WEEK AGO AND 2% BELOW A YEAR AGO. AVERAGE DRESSED WEIGHTS WERE 3 POUNDS LIGHTER THAN A YEAR AGO.

THE VIRGINIA DIRECT HOG MARKET OCT. 18-25, 1989. RECEIPTS FOR THE DIRECT HOG MARKET IN VIRGINIA ESTIMATED 17,571 HEAD COMPARED TO LAST WEEK 18,399 HEAD. THE MARKET CLOSED STEADY COMPARED TO LAST WEDNESDAY'S TRADING WITH BARROWS AND GILTS: COUNTRY POINTS PLANTS US 1-3 200-240 LBS 45.00-49.00 --- US 1-2 210-240 LBS FEW HIGH YIELDING 46.50-48.50 US 2-4 210-240 LBS BASE PRICE 44.50-46.50 SOWS \$32.50-43.50 AND BOARS \$24.00-33.

70 SLAUGHTER STEERS AND HEIFERS 0%; SLAUGHTER COWS 12%; SLAUGHTER BULLS 1%; SLAUGHTER CALVES AND VEALERS 1%; FEEDER CATTLE UNDER 600 LBS 66% OVER 600 LBS 20%.

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WEEKLY AUCTIONS SLAUGHTER CATTLE STEERS: NO QUOTES THIS WEEK HEIFERS: NO QUOTES THIS WEEK UTILITY & COMMERCIAL COWS 41.00-52.50 BULLS - 1-2 900-1300 LBS 54.00-58.00 FEW 45.00 1-2 1300-1600 LBS 50.00-63.00 1-2 1600 LBS & OVER 51.00-65.50 SLAUGHTER CALVES AND VEALERS VEALERS - HIGH CHOICE & PRIME 100-250 LBS 100.00-126.00 GOOD AND CHOICE 100-250 LBS 82.00-100.00 CALVES - GOOD AND CHOICE 250-500 LBS 67.00-80.00 SLAUGHTER LAMBS HIGH CHOICE & PRIME 95-125 LBS SPRING 50.00-56.00 SLAUGHTER HOGS US 2-4 200-250 LBS 44.00-47.00 SOWS US 1-3 300-500 LBS 32.00-38.00; 500 LBS & OVER 36.00-40.00.

FEEDER CATTLE STEERS: MEDIUM 1 HEIFERS: MEDIUM 1 200-300 LBS 90.00-108.00 300-400 LBS 70.50-85.00 300-400 90.00-106.00 FEW 89.00 400-500 70.00-85.00 400-500 82.50-98.00 500-600 68.00-82.00 500-600 78.50-95.00 600-700 60.00-76.50 600-700 70.00-87.00 700-800 60.00-74.00 700-800 71.00-82.00 800-900 59.00-67.25 800-900 64.50-78.00.

Northern Virginia Area Livestock Summary

Orange, Virginia

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ALL TRENDS COMPARED TO LAST WEDNESDAY SLAUGHTER HOGS 5 HEAD - NO TRENDS REPORTED. SOWS US 1-3 300-500 LBS 36.75-39.25.

SLAUGHTER CATTLE 103 HEAD - NO TRENDS REPORTED.

SLAUGHTER STEERS AND HEIFERS 6 HEAD STEERS; CHOICE 2-3 1150-1300 LBS 67.00-70.00 SELECT 2-3 900-1100 LBS 65.00.

SLAUGHTER COWS 64 HEAD CUTTER & BNG. UT. 1-3 40.00-45.50 BRKG.UT. & COMM. 2-4 42.00-49.50 CANNER & LOW CUTTER 1-2.

SLAUGHTER BULLS 12 HEAD - 1-2 900-1300 LBS 56.50-57.50 1-2 1300-1600 LBS 52.75-60.00 1-2 1600 LBS & OVER 61.50-62.00.

SLAUGHTER CALVES 21 HEAD GOOD & CHOICE 250-500 LBS 69.00-85.00.

FEEDER LAMBS CHOICE & FANCY 70-85 LBS 46.00.

FEEDER CATTLE 420 HEAD - NO TRENDS REPORTED. STEERS; MEDIUM 1 LARGE 1 SMALL 1 MED.&LARGE 2 300-400 86.50 --- 400-500 86.00-91.50 --- 77.00-82.50 --- 500-600 80.00-85.00 --- 75.50-79.00 --- 600-700 74.00-79.75 --- 72.00 --- 700-800 74.75-77.75 --- 800-900 71.75 ---

HOLSTEIN STEERS; MED.&LARGE 1-2 900-1100 LBS 57.25 HEIFERS; MEDIUM 1 LARGE 1

SMALL 1 MED.&LARGE 2 300-400 71.00-79.50 --- 68.50-73.00 68.75-75.00 400-500 72.00-78.50 --- 66.50-73.50 65.00-70.50 500-600 70.00-73.50 --- 66.00-68.75 --- 600-700 69.00-74.00 --- FEEDER BULLS; MED. 1 SMALL 1 200-300 LBS 91.50 --- 300-500 LBS 75.50-93.50 71.00-80.50 500-700 LBS 73.00-77.50 70.00 COWS RETURNED TO FARMS 6 HEAD; COWS WITH CALVES AT SIDE 12 PAIR; M-1, 3-12 YR OLD 700-1000 LBS WITH CALVES 50-340 LBS \$480.00-630.00. L-1 6-8 YRS OLD 1000-1250 LBS WITH CALVES 260 LBS \$740.00-800.00 PER PAIR.

BABY CALVES RETURNED TO FARMS 32 HEAD NEWBORN TO 4 WK OLD 40.00-105.00 PER HEAD. OVER 100 LBS 76.00-132.50 PER CWT.

Southeast And Central Virginia Area Livestock Summary

Southside (Blackstone)
and Smithfield, Va.

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ALL TRENDS COMPARED TO LAST WEDNESDAY SOUTHSIDE CATTLE SOLD ON OUT WEIGHTS.

SLAUGHTER HOGS 225 HEAD - NO TRENDS REPORTED SOWS US 1-3 300-500 LBS 36.90-37.70 500 LBS & OVER 38.50 BOARS 35.80-36.80.

SLAUGHTER CATTLE 89 HEAD - SLAUGHTER COWS \$1.00 HIGHER.

SLAUGHTER BULLS STEADY.

SLAUGHTER COWS 83 HEAD CUTTER & BNG.UT. 1-3 44.00-52.00 BRKG.UT. & COMM. 2-4 44.00-52.00 CANNER & LOW CUTTER 1-2 37.00-43.75.

SLAUGHTER BULLS 6 HEAD; 1-2 900-1300 LBS 54.75-62.00 1-2 1300-1600 LBS --- 1-2 1600 LBS & OVER

FEEDER CATTLE 320 HEAD - FEEDER STEERS \$1.00-2.00 HIGHER FEEDER HEIFERS STEADY. FEEDER BULLS STEADY. STEERS; MEDIUM 1 LARGE 1 SMALL 1 MED.&LARGE 2 300-400 --- 79.50 400-500 86.00-87.00 --- 82.00 88.00-90.00 500-600 72.00-87.50 --- 85.00 77.00-80.00-600-700 82.00-82.50 --- 700-800 74.25 ---

800-900 69.00-70.50 --- HEIFERS; MEDIUM 1 SMALL 1 MED.&LARGE 2 300-400 79.75 63.00-68.50 63.50-75.50 400-500 67.50-78.50 62.00-65.50 60.00-74.00 500-600 65.00-73.00 --- 63.00-65.00 600-700 64.00-65.50 --- FEEDER BULLS; MED. 1 SMALL 1 MED.&LARGE 2 200-300 LBS --- 96.00-111.00 300-500 LBS 74.00-90.50 64.00-75.00 70.00-86.50 500-700 LBS 62.00-77.00 61.00-65.00 ---

BABY CALVES RETURNED TO FARMS 20 HEAD NEWBORN TO 4 WK OLD 55.00-87.50 PER HEAD. OVER 100 LBS 61.00-116.00; MOSTLY 101.00-114.00 PER CWT.

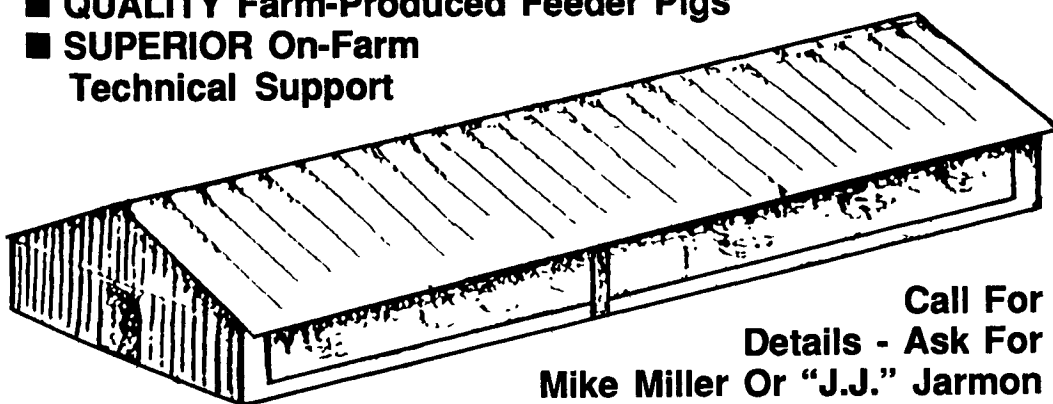


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