

Indiana Hogs April 1, 1992

HOGS 51 BARROWS AND GILTS: MOSTLY 1.00 HIGHER, DEMAND MODERATE TO GOOD. INSTANCES 1.50 HIGHER. COUNTRY: PLANTS: US 1-2 230-260 LBS. 38.00-40.00 38.50-39.50

210-230 LBS. 36.50-39.00 US 1-3 230-260 LBS. 37.50-39.50 SOWS: STEADY TO WEAK. US 1-3 300-500 LBS. 27.00-31.00 500-650 LBS. 29.00-34.00 **INDIANA DIRECT RECEIPTS:

TUESDAY'S ACTUAL 19,600 TODAYS ESTIMATE 21,500 WEDNES-DAY WEEK AGO 20,600 WEDNES-DAY YEAR AGO 19,100 WEEK TO DATE 65,600 SM PD WEEK AGO 66,600 SM PD YEAR AGO 54,300

**RECEIPTS FOR A YEAR AGO WILL NOT COMPARE TO THIS WEEK DUE TO A CHANGE IN THE REPORT-ING BASE.

CARCASS BASIS HOG PRICES: HOT WEIGHTS: PLANT DELIVERED. 160-185 LBS. BARROWS AND GILTS: 1.35-1.50 HIGHER.

US 1 (BACKFAT THICKNESS .50- .79 IN.) 55.58 TO 59.50 US 1 (BACKFAT THICKNESS .80- .99 IN.) 54.28 TO 55.58 US 2 (BACKFAT THICKNESS 1.00-1.24 IN.) 52.70 TO 54.50 US 3 (BACKFAT THICKNESS 1.25-1.49 IN.) 51.70 TO 54.00 US 4 (BACKFAT THICKNESS

1.50-1.79 IN.) 49.43 TO 51.70 ACTUAL PAYING PRICE MAY NOT **ALWAYS BE WITHIN PRICE RANGES** AS ADJUSTMENTS ARE MADE FOR SUPERIOR OR INFERIOR MUSCLING AND BACKFAT THICKNESS WITHIN THE GRADES.

State Graded Feeder Pig Sale at Carlisle Livestock Auction

Friday, March 27, 1992 RESULTS ON 1195 PIGS. TREND: DEMAND WEAK! ALL PIGS WERE WEIGHED ON ARRIVAL AND

SOLD BY THE HUNDREDWEIGHT. US NO. 1&2'S: 974 HD. 26 HD. 32-39 LBS. 55.00-66.50; 127 HD. 40-49 LBS. 59.50-69.00; 481 HD. 50-59 LBS. 50.00-72.50; 271 HD. 60-69 LBS. 59.00-72.00; 68 HD. 70-79 LBS. 61.00-72.00; 1 HD. 90 LBS. 47.00.

US NO. 2'S: 190 HD. 15 HD 23-34 LBS. 51.00-61.00; 175 HD. 40-75 LBS. 45.00-60.00.

US#2&3'S: 7 HD. 30-51 LBS.

40.00-45.00. AS IS: 24 HD. 50-65 LBS. 10.00. NEXT STATE GRADED FEEDER PIG

SALE FRIDAY, APRIL 3, 1:30 P.M.

New Holland Feeder Pigs

New Holland, PA Wed., April 1, 1992 Report Supplied by Auction 816 HEAD.

US 1-2, 20-29 LBS. 97.00-100.00, 30-39 LBS. 75.00-78.00, 40-49 LBS. 68.00-72.00, 50-59 LBS. 70.00-84.00, 60-69 LBS. 70.00-78.00.

US 2-3, 20-29 LBS. 95.00-96.00, 30-39 LBS. 55.00-70.00, 40-49 LBS. 50.00-60.00, 50-59 LBS. 60.00-70.00.

Lancaster Hogs Lancaster Stockyards Sat., March 28, 1992 Report supplied by auction

574 HEAD. US 1 215-245 LBS. 42.00-44.00. US 1-2 215-245 LBS. 41.00-42.00. US 1-3 215-245 LBS. 39.50-41.00. US 2-4 215-255 LBS. 37.50-39.50. LIGHTWEIGHT HOGS: 195-210 LBS. 36.50-38.00; 180-195 LBS. 34.00-37.00; 120-180 LBS. 30.00-35.00; 80-120 LBS. 35.00-40.00; 50-80 LBS. 30.00-35.00.

GOOD SOWS: 31.00-34.00; MEDIUMS 29.00-32.00; THIN SOWS: 25.00-28.00.

HEAVY BOARS 26.50-27.50; LIGHT JR. BOARS 30.00-33.00.

St. Louis Cattle, Hogs April 2, 1992

CATILE & CALVES: 650 (0 SLTR, 650 FDRS)

RECEIPTS CONSISTS OF FEEDER CATTLE AND SLAUGHTER COWS AND BULLS FOR THE REGULAR THURSDAY AUCTION.

SLAUGHTER CLASSES: COWS: CUTT, UTIL, COMM BULK SALES HI-DRESS % LO-DRESS % BREAKING 2-4 **BONING 1-2 LOW TO AVG. CUTTER**

RECEIPTS THIS WEEK 1,300: WEEK AGO 1,100: YEAR AGO 1,400 COMPARED WITH LAST WEEK'S TERMINAL MARKET CLOSE. SLAUGHTER STEERS AND HEIFERS FIRM TO .50 HIGHER. COWS STEADY TO WEAK. TOO FEW BULLS TO FUL-LY PRICES. SUPPLY MAINLY CHOICE SLAUGHTER STEERS AND HEIFERS. AROUND 10% COWS.

New Holland Hog Auction MARCH 30, 1992 HOG RECEIPTS

TODAY 1141 LAST MONDAY LAST YEAR TREND: Compared to last Monday bar-

rows and gilts 50-1.00 lower. BARROWS AND GILTS: US 1-2 210-245 lb 39.75-40.25, Few 40.50-41.00. US 1 215-235 lb 41.25-42.00, One lot 42.50.

US 1-3 210-250 lb 38.75-39.50. US 2-3 260-280 lb 37.00-37.50.

Penns Valley Livestock Market, Inc.

Auction every Tues. 7 p.m. Centre Hall, Pa. Report supplied by Auction

Tues., March 31, 1992 RETURN TO FARM CALF 100.00-170.00. GOOD VEAL: 70.00-99.00.

COMMON VEAL: 45.00-69.00. COMMON STEERS: 54.00-55.00. COMMERCIAL COWS: 46.00-49.00. CANNERS-CUTTERS: 43.00-49.00. SHELLS: 29.00-42.00. COMMON HEIFERS: 47.00-58.00. COMMON FEEDERS: 54.00-63.00. BULLS: 54.00-65.00. HOGS: 37.00-39.00.

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Next Feeder Cattle Sale Friday, April 10 - 11:00 A.M.

Walter M. Dunlap and Sons Lancaster Stockyards Tel. (717) 397-5136

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Westminster Hay

Westminster, Md. Tuesday, March 31, 1992 Report Supplied by Auction TOTAL LOADS: 158.

ALFALFA: 135.00-170.00, 1.80-3.90 BALE. ALFALFA MIX: 2.10-3.50 BALE.

TIMOTHY: 102.00-175.00, 1.80-2.70

TIMOTHY MIX: 90.00-142.00, 1.00-3.30 BALE. CLOVER: 122.00. ORCHARD GRASS: 127.00, 2.40-2.70

GRASS HAY: 112.00-117.00, 1.00-2.10

ALFALFA ROUND BALES: 107.00. TIMOTHY ROUND BALES: 29.00 36.00 BALE.

MULCH HAY: .85-.90 BALE. STRAW: .80-1.30 BALE. LOCUST POSTS: 1.30 EACH. OATS: 2.00 BU. SAWDUST: 70.00 LOAD. WOOD: 10.00 UNSPLIT, 52.00-75.00 SPLIT PER CORD.

Leinbach's Hay Shippensburg, PA March 28 and 31

Report Supplied by Auction TOTAL LOADS: 102. ALFALFA: STANDARD 97.00-120.00, HIGH OUALITY 125.00-179.00. MIXED HAY: 80.00-162.00. TIMOTHY: 82,50-142.00. CLOVER: 99.00-100.00. BROME GRASS: 125.00-147.00. ORCHARD GRASS: 90.00-135.00. STRAW: 67.00-109.00. EAR CORN: 80.00-120.00. OATS: 2.45-3.05 BU. MULCH: 55.00-70.00. WOOD: 20.00-43.00 PICK-UP LOAD.

Vintage Hay Paradise, PA Thurs., April 2, 1992 Report Supplied by Auction 25 LOADS. ALFALFA: IST CUTTING 122.50-134.00, 2ND CUTTING 133.00-136.00, 3RD CUTTING 150.00. MIXED HAY: 107.50-141.00.

TIMOTHY: 130.00.

STRAW: 88.00-92.00.

Dewart Hay

Dewart, PA. Monday, March 30, 1992 Report Supplied by Auction 32 LOADS HAY, 81.00-175.00. STRAW: 9 LOADS, 77.00-100.00. WOOD: 12 LOADS, 26.00-69.00

CORN: 3 LOADS, 99.00. OATS: 1 LOAD, 2.50 BU.

"GREEK EASTER" LAMB/GOAT

SALE

Tuesday, April 14 7:15 P.M. Receiving 9 A.M. Until 5,00 P.M.

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Livestock Market, Inc. Just East Off J-81 At Exit 12 (717) 249-4511 Evenings (Jim) 249-2359

"EASTER" LAMB/ **GOAT SALE**

Friday, April 10 We appreciate your businees!

Rabbits & Poultry Sale 9:00 A.M. (Sorry No Eggs) **CARLISLE**

Livestock Market, Inc. Just East Off I-81 at Exit 12. (717) 249-4511 or Evenings, Jim 249-2359

Diffenbach Auction Center New Holland, Pa. Monday, March 30, 1992

Report Supplied by Auction TOTAL LOADS: 231.

ALFALFA: 102.00-197.00. MIXED HAY: 85.00-185.00. TIMOTHY: 122.00-175.00. CLOVER: 100.00. ORCHARD GRASS: 100.00-167.00. STRAW: 85.00-120.00. EAR CORN: 104.00-117.00. OATS: 1.75-3.00 BU. TIMOTHY SEED: 20.00-22.00. This sale was formerly held at the New Holland Sales Stables. It is now held at Diffenbach's New Holland Auction Center Ltd., 100 W. Jackson St., New Holland, across from the prior sale location. Auction time is 10:00 a,m. Monday.

North Jersey Market

Hackettstown, N.J. Tuesday, March 31, 1992 Hay-Straw & Grain Report ALFALFA HAY: 3 LOADS, 2.00-2.70 BALE. MIXED HAY: 7 LOADS, 2.00-2.50

TIMOTHY HAY: 5 LOADS AT 1.75-2.60 BALE.

GRASS HAY: 4 LOADS AT 2.50-3.30 WHEAT STRAW: 1 LOAD AT 1.90

OAT HAY: 1 LOAD, 1.60 BALE. FENCE POSTS: 1 LOAD, 2.25 EACH. TOTAL: 22 LOADS.

Frederick Co. Hay Buckeystown, Md.

Thursday, April 2, 1992 Report Supplied by Auction 27 LOADS. MARKET STRONGER TO 20.00 HIGHER. DEMAND STRONG. ALFALFA: 3 LOADS GOOD TO FAN-CY 200.00-240.00, 8 FAIR TO GOOD 132.00-180.00.

TIMOTHY: 2 LOADS FANCY 195.00, 3 FAIR TO GOOD 140.00-162.00. MIXED HAY: 2LOADS GOOD 125.00 AND 190.00.

STRAW: 5 LOADS BRIGHT 72.00-95.00, 1 DARK 55.00.

Keister's Hay Middleburg, PA March 31, 1992 Report supplied by auction

85 LOADS HAY. ALFALFA: 145.00-190.00. MIX HAY: 80.00-165.00. TIMOTHY: 90.00-132.50. STRAW: 13 LOADS. 90.00-105.00. EAR CORN: 12 LOADS, 90.00-120.00. OATS: 8 LOADS, 2.10-3.15 BU. WOOD: 4 LOADS, 30.00-45.00 LOAD. TOTAL: 122 LOADS.

Kirkwood Hay Auction

Kirkwood, Pa. Tuesday, March 31, 1992 Report Supplied by Auction 90 LOADS OF HAY. MIXED HAY: FIRST CUTTING 101.00-145.00, 2ND CUTTING

127.00-158.00. TIMOTHY: 120.00-150.00. ALFALFA: 1ST CUTTING 117.00-142.00; 2ND 153.00-172.00; 3RD CUTTING 120.00-172.00; 4TH 169.00-180.00.

CLOVER: 1ST CUTTING 136.00-144.00.

GRASS: 87.00-154.00. WHEAT STRAW: 85.00-95.00. BARLEY STRAW: 80.00-95.00. RYE STRAW: 87.00. OATS: 2.30 BU. CORN: 100.00-103.00. SALE TIME 11 A.M.

Greencastle Hay Market Hay & Straw

March 26 & 30, 1992 57 LOADS.

ALFALFA (GOOD) 130.00-177.00 / TON.

ALFALFA (FAIR) 105.00-130.00 / TON.

ALFALFA MIXED 120.00-142.50 /

TIMOTHY HAY 110.00-129.00 / TON. MIXED HAY 100.00-139.00 / TON. BROME GRASS 110.00-123.00 / TON. WHEAT STRAW 68.00-84.00. FIREWOOD: 34.00 LOAD.

Green Dragon Hay Ephrata, Pa.

Friday, March 27, 1992 Report Supplied by Auction TOTAL LOADS: 100. MIXED HAY: 88.00-185.00. ALFALFA: 110.00-187.00. TIMOTHY: 128.00-150.00. CLOVER: 160.00. GRASS: 101.00-134.00. CORN FODDER: 57.00. STRAW: 85.00-93.00. EAR CORN: 99.00-104.00. FIREWOOD: 66.00-95.00 CORD.

Good's Hay Leola, Pa.

Wed., March 31, 1992 Report Supplied by Auction TOTAL LOADS: 162 MIXED HAY: 80.00-177.00. ALFALFA: 100.00-200.00. TIMOTHY: 112.00-170.00. STRAW: 80.00-105.00. CORN: 103.00-111.00. GRASS: 84.00-132.00. OATS: 2.10-2.50 BU. CLOVER: 116.00

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