

# Lancaster Co. Livestock Market Auctions

**Lancaster Livestock Auction**  
LANCASTER, PA  
JULY 21, 1992

Cattle Calves Hogs Sheep Goats  
MONDAY'S AUCTION  
728 92 152 1138 201  
LAST MONDAY'S AUCTION  
1400 78 169 1638 186  
LAST YEAR'S AUCTION  
1064 50 318 1412 190

CATTLE: Slaughter steers mostly steady; slaughter heifers steady; bullocks steady to weak; cows steady; bulls uneven, Yield grade 1 steady to 1.00 lower, Yield grade 2 1.00-1.50 lower. Supply included 54% slaughter steers, 14% slaughter heifers, 18% cows, and 14% bulls.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Choice 2-4 1030-1470 lb 71.75-74.25; Choice and Prime 2-4 1225-1425 lb 74.00-75.35, couple lots 1450-1575 lb 72.35-74.00; Select and low Choice 2-3 1000-1325 lb 68.00-71.75.

HOLSTEINS: High Choice and Prime 2-3 1300-1500 lb 67.00-68.50; Choice 2-3 1250-1500 lb 63.50-67.00, 1550-1710 lb 61.75-63.00; Select 1-3 1085-1400 lb 58.50-62.75.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2-3 950-1200 lb 68.00-72.25; Select 2-3 900-1200 lb 62.75-68.00.

COWS: LO DRESSING BULK HI DRESSING Breaking Utility & Commercial 2-3 47.00-49.50 Couple 49.50-52.50. Commercial 3-4 43.00-46.50. Cutter & Boning Utility 1-2 43.00-44.50 44.50-48.50 Few 48.75-50.50. Canner and low Cutter 41.75-45.00.

BULLOCKS: Choice 2-3 1050-1375 lb 64.75-66.75, couple 67.00-69.75; Select 1-3 1000-1350 lb 61.75-64.00.

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1350-2050 lb 62.25-67.25, eight head 71.50-74.25; Yield grade 2 1000-1500 lb 58.75-62.50, low dressing 55.00-58.50.

CALVES: Vealers not fully tested; slaughter calves weak to 5.00 lower. Demand good for Holstein bulls to return to farm.

VEALERS: Couple Choice 180-325 lb 90.00-100.00; high Good and low Choice 150-325 lb 71.00-90.00.

SLAUGHTER CALVES: Choice 270-475 lb 69.00-76.00; Good 250-450 lb 51.00-70.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: Few 90-120 lb Holstein Bulls 125.00-145.00.

HOGS: Barrows and gilts 3.00-3.50 lower; sows steady to weak

BARROWS AND GILTS: US 1-2 215-240 lb 41.50-42.50.

SOWS: US 1-3 300-650 lb 30.00-31.00, few 450-550 lb 31.00-32.50.

BOARS: All Weights 29.00-31.00.

SHEEP: Slaughter lambs weak to 5.00 lower; slaughter ewes steady. Supply included 60% spring lambs, 18% shorn lambs, with the balance slaughter ewes.

SPRING LAMBS: Choice 2-3 80-110 lb 60.00-65.00, 60-80 lb 60.00-70.00, few 40-60 lb 65.00-80.00; Good to low Choice 1-3 60-100 lb 50.00-60.00.

SHORN LAMBS: Choice 2-3 with 1 pelt 80-105 lb 60.00-65.00.

**Vintage Livestock Auction**  
PARADISE, PA  
July 21, 1992

CATTLE 730...USDA... Supply included 40% slaughter steers and 51% cows ...

Compared with Monday's market: Slaughter steers steady, some late sales .50 lower; heifers fully steady; bullocks not tested; bulls steady; cows .50 to mostly 1.00 lower; Choice 2-4 1100/1425 lbs. sl. steers 71.00-73.75, Mixed Choice and Prime 2-3 1175/1425 lbs. 74.00-74.75, few Choice and Prime 2-3 1100/1325 lbs. 74.50-76.50, couple 77.00, Select and Low Choice 2-3 1050/1375 lbs. 68.50-72.00, Select 2-3 1100/1300 lbs. 67.00-68.50. Choice 2-3 1230/1535 lbs. Holsteins 66.00-66.60, one lot Choice and Prime 2-3 1220 lbs. 70.00, Select 1-3 1160/1450 lbs. 62.00-63.60. Choice 2-3 1090/1125 lbs. heifers 71.75-71.85, few Choice 2 1035/1225 lbs. 73.00-75.25, Select 1-3 1190/1240 lbs. Holsteins 54.00-58.25. Breaking Utility and Commercial 2-3 bulk 45.50-48.50, high dressing 48.50-49.00, Commercial 3-4 bulk 44.00-46.25, Cutter and Boning Utility 1-2 bulk 45.00-48.00, high dressing 48.00-49.00, Canner & Low Cutter low dressing 39.00-41.50, bulk 41.75-45.50. Yield Grade 1, 1300/2100 lbs. sl. bulls 62.25-64.25, couple 65.00-66.75, Yield Grade 2, 1100/1500 lbs. 58.00-61.50.

CALVES 1013... Small supply vealers steady, supply included 754 in graded sale of which 91% sold to return to farm. High Good and Low Choice 70/105 lbs. vealers 60.00-70.00, Standard and Low Good 60/95 lbs. calves 49.00-59.00, one lot 58 lbs. 40.00. Farm Calves: 25 head 120/125 lbs. Hol. Bulls 127.00, 265 head 95/115 lbs. 137.00-140.00, 65 head 90/95 lbs. 127.00-130.00 and 50 head 80/85 lbs. 118.00-120.00, 20 head small frame 110/115 lbs. 110.00. 95 head 90/105 lbs. 120.00-125.00, and 35 head 80/85 lbs. 110.00. 25 head Holstein heifers 186.00-195.00 and 45 head 80/95 lbs. 147.00-162.00, 25 head small frame 80/105 lbs. 127.00-150.00 and 27 head 70/75 lbs. 70.00-80.00.

SHEEP 24... Few Good to Low Choice 1-3 50/100 lbs. Spring lambs 47.00-55.00.

GOATS 2... Insufficient volume for a market test.

SLAUGHTER EWES: Utility and Good 20.00-30.00; Yearlings and two-year olds 30.00-40.00.

GOATS: All goats sold by the head. Large Billies 60.00-80.00, few 80.00-100.00. Large Nannies 45.00-55.00, few 55.00-60.00. Medium 30.00-40.00; few Fleahy 40.00-50.00. Small, mainly kids, 20.00-30.00; few Fleahy 30.00-40.00.

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**Lancaster Livestock Auction**

Wednesday's market report has been discontinued until further notice because of insubstantial receipts.

**Leesport Livestock Auction**  
LEESPORT, PA  
July 22, 1992

CATTLE 228... (PDA). Supply included 104 steers and heifers. Compared with last Wednesday's market: Sl. steers mostly steady; Choice 1100/1430 lbs. sl. steers 69.00-73.75, one at 74.25, Select 64.00-69.25, few 73.00. Choice 1200/1540 lbs. Holsteins 63.50-67.50, few 69.50, few Select 60.25-63.00, few Standard 58.00-60.00. Choice 950/1275 lbs. sl. heifers 68.00-72.50, couple 73.75, Select 64.50-66.75. Few Breaking Utility and Commercial sl. cows 49.00-52.00, few 54.00, Cutter and Boning Utility 47.00-51.00, couple 52.00, Canner & low Cutter 43.50-47.50, Shells down to 38.75. Few Choice bullocks 64.00-65.00, few Select 59.75-62.25, one at 73.00, few Standard 51.50-57.50. Few Yield Grade No. 1, 1270/2600 lbs. sl. bulls 54.00-62.75. Few Medium Frame 1 300/400 lbs. steers, 75.00-87.00, few Medium 2 350/400 lbs. 56.00-62.50, small lot Large 2 872 lbs. 58.50, few Medium Frame 2 300/680 lbs. heifers 58.75-66.00.

CALVES 203... Few Choice vealers 91.00-98.00. Standard and Good 65/120 lbs. sl. calves 65.00-70.00. Farm Calves: Few No. 1, Holstein Bulls 140/150 lbs. 107.50-110.00, 90/125 lbs. 127.50-149.00, 75/85 lbs. 117.50-130.00, No. 2 90/125 lbs. 85.00-130.00, 70/90 lbs. 70.00-115.00. Few No. 1 Holstein heifers 75/130 lbs. 160.00-187.50, No. 2 70/120 lbs. 90.00-125.00. Beef cross 90/115 lbs. bulls and heifers 110.00-155.00.

HOGS 216... BARROWS & GILTS 1.00 to 1.50 higher. 2 lots US No. 1-2 235 lbs. barrows and gilts 42.50 & 43.00, 1-3 210/250 lbs 41.50-42.00, few 2-3 220/250 lbs. 40.25-41.00, SOWS: 1.00 to 2.50 higher. US No. 1-3 335/670 lbs. 30.00-32.50, few 2-3 435/650 lbs 25.00-29.00. Few Boars 26.50-27.00, lightweights 30.00.

FEEDER PIGS 282... US No. 1-3 20/30 lbs. 75.00-82.50, lot 97 50, 30/65 lbs. 53.00-61.00, lot 122 lbs 56.00, few Utility 25/30 lbs 45.00-80.00. per cwt, few 1-3 10/20 lbs. 9.00-10.00. --- per head.

SHEEP 23... Few Choice 60/85 lbs. Spring Slaughter Lambs 70.00-75.00, few 45/55 lbs. 62.00-69.00, few Good and Choice 40/55 lbs. 51.00-54.00 Slaughter ewes 18.00-32.00. - all Cwt.

GOATS 26... Few Large 50.00-55.00, Medium 35/00-45.00, Large Kids 32.50-56.00, few Small Kids 14.00-30.00. --- all per head.

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**New Holland Livestock Auction**  
LANCASTER, PA  
JULY 23, 1992

CATTLE Calves Sheep Goats

TODAY 909 674 150 104

LAST THURSDAY 1012 836 176 105

LAST YEAR 1306 838 160 464

CATTLE: Slaughter steers steady; slaughter heifers not tested; cows 50-1.00 higher; bullocks steady; bulls steady to weak, although Yield grade 1 not fully tested. Supply included 51% slaughter steers and 35% cows.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Choice 2-4 1150-1350 lb 71.00-74.00; mixed Choice and Prime 2-4 1175-1350 lb 73.85-74.35; Choice 3 to mostly 4 1200-1400 lb 69.00-71.00; Select and low Choice 2-3 1050-1450 lb 68.00-71.00, few 71.00-71.50.

HOLSTEINS: Choice 2-3 1250-1650 lb 64.00-66.00; few mixed Choice and Prime 2-3 1275-1500 lb 66.00-67.25; Select 1-3 1200-1500 lb 58.00-62.50.

COWS: LO DRESSING BULK HI DRESSING Breaking Utility & Commercial 2-3 47.00-49.50 49.50-52.00. Commercial 3-4 44.00-47.00. Cutter & Boning Utility 1-2 43.50-45.00 45.00-49.00 49.00-50.50, couple 50.50-52.50. Canner and low Cutter 39.50-42.50 42.50-46.00.

BULLOCKS: Choice 2-3 1150-1400 lb 63.50-66.00, couple 66.00-67.75; Select 1-3 1050-1400 lb 61.00-63.00.

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1400-2100 lb 61.75-63.00, individual 2475 lb 62.00; Yield grade 2 1100-1600 lb 57.00-62.00.

CALVES: Vealers steady; Demand good for Holstein bulls and heifers to return to farm.

VEALERS: Couple Choice 155-285 lb 87.00-94.00; high Good and low Choice 175-330 lb 76.00-86.00, 80-115 lb 50.00-67.00; Standard and low Good 50-80 lb 50.00-60.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: Bulk 90-125 lb Holstein Bulls 120.00-132.00, couple 137.00-142.00; small frame 95-115 lb 105.00-120.00, 80-90 lb 80.00-100.00; bulk 95-120 lb Holstein Heifers 137.00-160.00, couple 170.00-192.00; small frame 83-115 lb 80.00-110.00.

SHEEP: Spring lambs steady; slaughter ewes. Supply included 75% spring lambs with the balance slaughter ewes.

SPRING LAMBS: Choice 60-90 lb 60.00-66.00, 40-55 lb 67.00-72.00.

SLAUGHTER EWES: Utility and Good 19.00-28.00, few 15.00-19.00; Yearlings and two year olds 28.00-36.00.

GOATS: All goats sold by the head. Large 62.00-85.00, couple 94.00-112.00; Medium 35.00-56.00; Small, mainly kids, 25.00-34.00.

**Indiana Livestock**

Homer City, PA  
July 23, 1992

Report supplied by Auction

CATTLE 189. STEERS: HIGH CHOICE AND PRIME 74.00-74.75, CHOICE 70.00-74.75, SELECT 69.00.

HEIFERS: CHOICE 74.00, SELECT 70.00-73.00.

COWS: BREAKING UTILITY & COMMERCIAL 45.00-49.75, CUTTER & BONING UTILITY 42.00-45.00, CANNER & LOW CUTTER 38.00-41.00, SHELLS 30.00.

BULLOCKS: SELECT 64.50.  
BULLS: YIELD GRADE NO. 1

FEEDER PIGS: 20. 20-35 LBS. 24.00.  
SHEEP: 85. H. CHOICE & PRIME SL. LAMBS 80 LBS. 51.00-54.75, FEEDER LAMBS 50 LBS. 50.00. SHEEP 22.50-39.00.

GOATS: LARGE 70.00.

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GOATS: LARGE 70.00.

Lancaster Co.

Weekly

LANCASTER, PA  
JULY 24, 1992

CATTLE CALVES

THIS WEEK 2500 1780

LAST WEEK 3426 1834

LAST YEAR 3249 1739

CATTLE: Slaughter steers 50 lower, instances 1.00 lower; slaughter heifers steady; cows steady to weak after being mostly 1.00 lower at midweek; bullocks steady; Yield grade 1 bulls steady to 1.00 lower, Yield grade 2 1.00-1.50 lower. Supply included 46% slaughter steers, 6% slaughter heifers, 33% cows, 7% bulls with the balance feeders.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Choice 2-4 1100-1425 lb 71.00-74.00; mixed Choice and Prime 2-4 1175-1425 lb 73.85-74.75, few Choice 2-3 1100-1325 lb 74.50-76.50; Choice 3 to mostly 4 1200-1400 lb 69.00-71.00; Select and low Choice 2-3 1050-1450 lb 68.00-72.00; Select 2-3 1100-1300 lb 67.00-68.50.

HOLSTEINS: High Choice and Prime 2-3 1275-1500 lb 66.50-68.50, one lot 1220 lb 70.00; Choice 2-3 1250-1500 lb 63.50-67.00, 1550-1710 lb 61.75-63.00; Select 1-3 1085-1500 lb 58.00-63.50.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2-3 950-1200 lb 68.00-72.25; few Choice 2 1035-1225 lb 73.00-75.25; Select 2-3 900-1200 lb 62.75-68.00; Select 1-3 1190-1240 lb Holsteins 54.00-58.25.

COWS: LOW DRESSING BULK HIGH DRESSING Breaking Utility & Commercial 2-3 46.50-49.50 49.50-52.50. Commercial 3-4 43.00-47.00. Cutter & Boning Utility 1-2 43.00-45.00 45.00-49.00 49.00-50.50. Canner and low Cutter 39.00-42.50 42.50-46.00.

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