

VIRGINIA CATTLE & HOGS

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REVIEW OF VIRGINIA DIRECT HOGS FOR THE PERIOD JANUARY 10-17, 1995. RECEIPTS FOR HOT CARCASS BASIS TOTALED 2162 HEAD. RECEIPTS FOR LIVE BASIS PLANT DELIVERY (WITHIN A 30 MILE RADIUS) TOTALED 305 HEAD. RECEIPTS FOR LIVE BASIS COUNTRY BUYING STATIONS TOTALED 823 HEAD. THE VIRGINIA DIRECT HOG MARKET - TRENDS COMPARED TO LAST TUESDAY. BARROWS AND GILTS: HOT CARCASS BASIS 163-191 LB. CARCASS TREND: \$1.99 HIGHER. PRICE: \$50.33 48% LEAN YIELD <27mm(1.15 IN. TENTH RIB) BACKFAT. LIVE BASIS LOCAL PLANT DELIVERED (WITHIN 30 MILE RADIUS) US 2-3 220-250 LBS. TREND: \$1.50 HIGHER. PRICE: FEW 33.00-35.00. LIVE BASIS VIRGINIA COUNTRY POINTS U.S. 1-3 220-250 LBS 32.00-33.00.

SLAUGHTER STEERS AND HEIFERS 0%; SLAUGHTER COWS 18% SLAUGHTER BULLS 3%, SLAUGHTER CALVES AND VEALERS LESS 0%; FEEDER CATTLE UNDER 600 LBS 54%, OVER 600 LBS 25%

PRICE RANGES FOR VIRGINIA WEEKLY AUCTIONS

SLAUGHTER COWS TOTAL HEAD COUNT 796 HEAD UTILITY & COMMERCIAL COWS 2-4 32.00-44.00 CUTTER & BONING UTILITY 1-3 32.00-43.50 CANNER & LOW CUTTER 1-2 25.25-39.75

SLAUGHTER BULLS: HEAD COUNT 117 HEAD BULLS - 1-2 900-1300 LB 41.50-55.00 1-2 1300-1600 LB 42.00-53.25 1-2 1600 LB & OVER 42.75-54.50

SLAUGHTER LAMBS TOTAL HEAD COUNT 187 HEAD NEW CROP GOOD & FEW CHOICE 1-2 80 LB. 109.50 WOOLED CHOICE FEW PRIME 1-2 FEW 3 95-110 LB. 70.75-80.00 FEW 68.00 GOOD & FEW CHOICE 1-2 90-101 LB. 71.50-88.75 FEW 60.00 GOOD & FEW CHOICE 1-2 81-83 LB. 99.00-103.00 GOOD & FEW CHOICE 1-2 63 LB. 102.00 FEEDER LAMBS MEDIUM & LARGE 1-2 70-85 LB. 91.00 FEEDER CATTLE TOTAL HEAD COUNT FOR ALL WEIGHTS 3460 HEAD

STEERS: MEDIUM 1 200-300 85.00-98.00 300-400 73.00-89.00 400-500 74.00-87.25 500-600 71.00-85.00 600-700 62.00-75.00 700-800 65.00-71.00 800-900 66.00-71.25 900-1000 59.50-67.75 HEIFERS: MEDIUM 1 200-300

71.00-78.00 300-400 68.00-82.00 400-500 63.00-76.50 500-600 62.00-71.75 600-700 58.00-69.00 700-800 57.00-66.25

SPECIAL SLAUGHTER CATTLE SALE HELD AT MADISON, VIRGINIA ON JANUARY 14, 1995 91 HEAD SOLD. STATE GRADED.

STEERS CHOICE 2-3, 1000-1150 LB. 66.00-69.50 CHOICE 2-3, 1150-1300 LB. 67.00-70.50 CHOICE 2-3, 1300-1450 LB. 64.50-69.50 CHOICE 2-3, 1503-1542 LB. 62.75-66.00

HEIFERS CHOICE 2-3, 950-1100 LB. 65.00-67.25 CHOICE 2-3, 1100-1300 LB. 66.50-69.50 CHOICE 2-3, 1300-1427 LB. 64.75-69.75

SPECIAL SLAUGHTER CATTLE SALE HELD AT FREDERICKSBURG, VIRGINIA ON 12-JAN-95 70 HEAD SOLD STATE GRADED.

STEERS CHOICE 2-3, 1150-1300 LB. 68.00 - 70.25 CHOICE 2-3, 1300-1450 LB. 69.50 - 70.75 CHOICE 2-3, 1450-1535 LB. 66.00 - 70.00 SELECT 2-3, 1000-1200 LB. 58.00 - 62.25 SELECT 2-3, 1215-1390 LB. 57.00 - 62.50

HEIFERS CHOICE 2-3, 900-1050 LB. 65.00 CHOICE 2-3, 1050-1300 LB. 66.50 - 70.00

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**North Virginia
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SOUTHSIDE (BLACKSTONE) VIRGINIA ON 18-JAN-95 PRICES BASED ON LIVE WEIGHTS.

SLAUGHTER CATTLE 75 HEAD SLAUGHTER COWS 69 HEAD COWS BREAKING UTILITY & COMMERCIAL 2-4 41.25 - 46.50 CUTTER &

BONING UTILITY 1-3 36.00 - 40.00 HIGH DRESSING 43.50 - 46.00 CANNER AND LOW CUTTER 1-2 33.00 - 36.00

SLAUGHTER BULLS 6 HEAD BULLS Y.G. 1-2, 1300-1600 LB. 47.50 - 51.25 Y.G. 1-2, 1600 LBS. & OVER 50.00 - 52.50

GOATS 5 HEAD (SOLD BY THE HEAD) NANNIES - LARGE 48.00 - 67.00 KIDS - 37.50

FEEDER CATTLE 212 HEAD STEERS 43 HEAD MED & LARGE 1 SMALL 1 MED & LARGE 2 400-500 77.00 - 88.00 - 75.00 - 85.50 500-600 70.00 - 79.00 55.50 - 57.00 66.50 - 79.00 600-700 - - 70.00 - 71.50

HOLSTEIN 7 HEAD STEER MED & LARGE 2 300-500 59.00 - 65.00 500-700 55.00 - 57.50

HEIFERS 62 HEAD MED & LARGE 1 SMALL 1 MED & LARGE 2 300-400 69.00 - 75.00 65.00 - 70.00 65.00 - 71.00 400-500 65.00 - 74.50 55.00 - 60.00 61.50 - 71.00 500-600 62.50 - 71.00 54.50 - 57.50 600-700 - - 61.50 - 62.50

BULLS 100 HEAD MED & LARGE 1 SMALL 1 MED & LARGE 2 200-300 - 70.00 - 86.00 300-400 81.50 - 92.00 73.00 - 82.00 86.00 - 90.50 400-500 75.50 - 87.50 65.00 - 71.50 76.00 - 80.00 500-600 67.50 - 77.00 58.00 - 61.50 65.00 - 70.50 600-700 63.00 - 68.00 - - 700-900 55.50 - 61.00 - 55.00 - 62.00 COWS RETURNED TO FARMS 2 HEAD - M&L-1, 4-8 YRS OLD 800-1300 LBS \$42.00-48.00 PER CWT. COWS WITH CALVES AT SIDE 4 PAIR - M-1, 8-16 YRS OLD 1000 LBS WITH CALVES 15C LBS \$50.00-57.00 PER PAIR. BRED HEIFERS 3 HEAD - M-1, 800-1050 LBS \$44.50-51.00 PER CWT. BABY CALVES RETURNED TO FARMS 21 HEAD NEWBORN TO 4 WEEKS OLD \$27.50-35.00 PER HEAD. OVER 10C LBS \$45.00-65.00 PER CWT. JLR

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**St. Louis Cattle,
Hogs**

SPRINGFIELD, IL
MONDAY JANUARY 16, 1995
FED-STATE NATIONAL STOCKYARDS, ILLINOIS CATTLE AND CALVES 800

COMPARED TO LAST WEEK, SLAUGHTER STEERS WEAK TO .50 LOWER, SLAUGHTER HEIFERS STEADY TO WEAK. COWS AND BULLS STEADY. SLAUGHTER SUPPLY MAINLY CHOICE AND MIXED SELECT AND CHOICE STEERS AND HEIFERS. MODERATE SUPPLY HOUSTEIN STEERS. AROUND 10% COWS.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: CHOICE 2-4 1050-1350 LBS. 67.50-69.00; 2-3 1075-1375 LBS. 69.00-69.50, PART LOAD 70.00. MIXED SELECT AND CHOICE 2-3 950-1300 LBS. 64.50-67.50. SELECT 2-3 900-1250 LBS. 61.50-64.50. HOLSTEIN STEERS: LIMITED SUPPLY CHOICE 2-3 1275-1400 LBS. 60.00-62.00, ONE PACKAGE 62.50. MIXED SELECT AND CHOICE 2-3 1250-1450 LBS. 56.00-60.00. SELECT 2-3 975-1375 LBS. 52.00-56.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: CHOICE 2-4 900-1250 LBS. 67.00-68.50; 2-3 950-1200 LBS. 68.50-69.00. MIXED SELECT AND CHOICE 2-3 850-1200 LBS. 64.00-67.00; SELECT 2-3 825-1150 LBS. 61.00-64.00.

SLAUGHTER COWS: BREAKING UTILITY AND COMMERCIAL 2-4 35.00-38.00, HIGH YIELDING BREAKING UTILITY 38.00-40.00. CUTTER AND BONING UTILITY 1-2 36.00-38.00, HIGH YIELDING 38.00-40.00. CANNER AND LOW CUTTER 1-2 33.00-36.00. SHELLY CANNER 1-2 29.00-33.00.

BULLS: YIELD GRADE 1-2 1300-1900 LBS. 44.00-50.00, FEW YG 1 1500-1800 LBS. 50.00-52.00.

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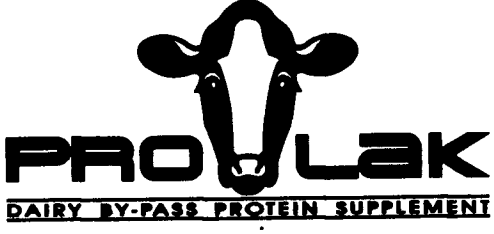
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Lunch will be provided.

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