

Estimated Daily Livestock Slaughter

Under Federal Inspection
July 31, 1996

	CATTLE	CALVES	HOGS	SHEEP
WEDNESDAY 7/31/96 (EST)	131,000	7,000	332,000	15,000
WEEK AGO (EST)	130,000	7,000	325,000	15,000
YEAR AGO (ACT)	118,000	5,000	348,000	15,000
WEEK TO DATE (EST)	389,000	20,000	973,000	43,000
SAME PD LT WK (EST)	393,000	20,000	956,000	44,000
SAME PD LT YR (EST)	370,000	16,000	1,011,000	45,000

PREVIOUS DAY ESTIMATED TUESDAY, STEER AND HEIFER 104,000, COW AND BULL 28,000.
***REVISION ON TUESDAY'S HOG SLAUGHTER...334,000.
SOURCE: USDA MARKET NEWS, WASHINGTON, D.C.

Leesport Livestock

LEESPORT, PA
JULY 31, 1996

CATTLE 232... PDA ... Supply included 83 slaughter steers & heifers & 49 feeder cattle... Compared with last week's sale... steers steady to strong, cows 2.00 to 3.00 higher.

STBERS: Choice 1080/1450 lbs. 61.50-65.25, couple 66.00, Select 54.00-59.50.
HOLSTEINS: few Choice 1150/1500 lbs. 54.00-58.00, couple 59.00, few Select 43.25-50.00.

HEIFERS: few Choice 1090/1300 lbs. 58.25-63.00.

COWS: Breaking Utility and Commercial 37.00-47.25, Cutter and Boning Utility 32.00-36.00, Canner and Low Cutter 25.00-31.75. Shells down to 21.50.
BULLS: Yield Grade No. 1 900/2100 lbs. 36.75-43.50.

FARM CALVES: No. 1 Holstein bulls 90/125 lbs. 45.00-75.00, No. 2 85/110 lbs. 22.00-40.00, few No. 1 Holstein heifers 95/115 lbs. 80.00-112.50, few No. 2 70/95 lbs. 22.00-32.50. Few beef cross bulls and heifers 80/150 lbs. 35.00-60.00.

HOGS 212... Barrows and gilts 2.00 to 3.00 lower, sows 3.00 higher.
BARROWS AND GILTS: US 1-2 235/275 lbs. 59.60-61.00, couple 62.00, US 1-3 230/275 lbs. 57.00-59.50, 205/215 lbs. 56.00-58.50.

SOWS: US 1-3 420/750 lbs. 42.50-47.00.
BOARS: 32.00-35.00.
FEEDER PIGS 86... US 1-3 22/65 lbs. 75.00-100.00. --- per head.

SHEEP 22... SLAUGHTER LAMBS: few Good and Choice 30/100 lbs. 76.00-112.50.
SLAUGHTER SHEEP: few 37.50-50.00.
GOATS 22... Few Large 55.00-72.00, few Medium 50.00-56.00, Large Kids 40.00-50.00. --- per head.

Mercer Livestock

MERCER, PA
JULY 30, 1996

CATTLE 224... PDA ... Compared with last week's sale... steers 1.00 lower, cows 1.00 to 2.00 higher.

STBERS: Choice 1025/1350 lbs. 61.25-65.10 mostly 62.00-63.25, Select

53.00-59.75, few Standard 40.00-46.00.
HOLSTEINS: Choice 1075/1575 lbs. 55.00-60.50, Select 48.00-53.75, few Standard 43.00-48.00.

HEIFERS: Choice 975/1375 lbs. 60.00-65.75, Select 53.00-55.50.
COWS: Breaking Utility and Commercial 33.50-38.75, few 40.50, Cutter and Boning Utility 28.50-33.00, Canner and Low Cutter 25.00-28.25. Shells down to 19.00.

BULLS: Yield Grade No. 1 925/1525 lbs. 40.50-44.50, No. 2 950/2050 lbs. 35.00-39.50.

FEEDER CATTLE: STEERS: few Medium Frame No. 1 500/1030 lbs. 43.00-52.00;

HEIFERS: few Medium Frame No. 1 575/750 lbs. 39.00-46.00, few Medium Frame No. 2 370/875 lbs. 31.00-37.50; BULLS: few Medium Frame No. 1 325/875 lbs. 41.00-54.00, few Medium Frame No. 2 300/875 lbs. 29.50-36.00.

CALVES 97... VEALERS: Standard and Good 80/130 lbs. 15.00-23.00, Utility 60/85 lbs. 10.00-17.00.

FARM CALVES: No. 1 Holstein bulls 95/135 lbs. 55.00-68.00, No. 2 90/130 lbs. 23.00-52.50; one No. 1 Holstein heifer 105 lbs. 100.00, few No. 2 80/85 lbs. 30.00-95.00. Few beef cross bulls and heifers 80/115 lbs. 21.00-47.00.

HOGS 26... BARROWS AND GILTS: lot US 1-2 215 lbs. 67.50, US 1-3 240/260 lbs. 62.00-65.00, few 195 lbs. 60.00-63.50.
SOWS: few US 1-3 300/525 lbs. 46.00-49.00.

BOARS: few 250/650 lbs. 33.00-40.00.
FEEDER PIGS 16... Lot US 1-3 40 lbs. 34.00. --- per head. US 1-3 100/150 lbs. 51.00-63.00. --- per cwt.

SHEEP 15... SLAUGHTER LAMBS: few Choice 60/75 lbs. 77.50-82.50, Good and Choice 45/100 lbs. 59.00-72.50.

GOATS 6... Few Medium & Large 34.00-50.00. --- per head.

New Holland Sales Stables Goat and Sheep Sale

Monday, July 29, 1996

GOATS: 537 HEAD. BILLIES 75.00-100.00 AND 100.00-160.00; MUTTON 60.00-90.00; NANNIES 40.00-55.00 AND 55.00-65.00; YEARLINGS 45.00-70.00; KIDS 20.00-30.00 AND 30.00-45.00.

SHEEP: 487. ALL WEIGHTS, SLAUGHTER EWES 25.00-55.00; SLAUGHTER RAMS 30.00-50.00; 1 YEAR-OLD 50.00-80.00; 2 YEAR-OLD 35.00-60.00.

LAMBS: 40-60 LBS. 95.00-120.00; 60-80 LBS. 95.00-110.00; 80-100 LBS. 95.00-110.00; 100-120 LBS. 90.00-100.00.

Valley Stockyards

Athens, Pa.
July 29, 1996

Report supplied by auction
HOLSTEIN HEIFER CALVES TO 120.00.
VEAL CALVES TO 59.00.
VEALER BULL CALVES 25.00-70.00.
SLAUGHTER CALVES TO 24.00.
GRASSERS AND FEEDERS 36.50-50.00.
LAMBS 80.00-95.00.
SHEEP 22.00-30.00.
HOGS, 200-250, TO 54.00.
SOWS TO 38.00.
BOARS 24.50-27.50.
PIGS 13.00-23.00.
HEIFERS, HOLSTEINS 45.00-53.50.
STEERS 28.50-35.00.
STEERS, FEEDER TO 50.00.
BULLS TO 35.50.
GOOD COWS, 31.50-37.50.
COWS MEDIUM 27.25-30.75.
COWS POOR OR SMALL 26.75 AND DOWN.
CATTLE MARKET STEADY.
CALF MARKET STEADY.
HORSES, NONE.
PONIES TO 340.00.
GOATS TO 120.00.

Morrison Cove Livestock

Martinsburg, Pa.
July 29, 1996

Report supplied by auction
CATTLE 204. STEERS CHOICE 63.75-67.10; GOOD 59.50-62.50.
HEIFERS: CHOICE 61.50-65.50; GOOD 58.50-61.50.
COWS: UTILITY & COMMERCIAL 34.00-40.00; CANNER & LOW CUTTER 22.50-33.50.
BULLOCKS: 42.50-49.50.
BULLS: YIELD GRADE NO. 1 37.50-51.00.
FEEDER CATTLE: STEERS 38.00-53.00; BULLS 35.00-43.00; HEIFERS 32.00-46.00.
CALVES 152. PRIME, NO MKT. TEST; CHOICE 59.00-66.00; GOOD 48.00-55.00; STANDARD 10.00-22.00; HOLSTEIN BULLS 90-130 LBS. 32.00-52.00; HOLSTEIN HEIFERS 90-130 LBS. 45.00-105.00.
HOGS: 375. US NO. 1-2 62.00-64.00; US NO. 1-3 60.00-61.50.
SOWS: US NO. 1-3 42.00-46.00.
BOARS: 34.00-39.00.
FEEDER PIGS: 88 HEAD. US#1&3 20-50 LBS. 10.00-33.00.
SHEEP: 48 HEAD. CHOICE LAMBS 95.00-105.00; GOOD LAMBS 75.00-90.00; SLAUGHTER EWES

20.00-29.00.
GOATS: 17.00-61.00.
5 LOADS OF HAY, 67.00-77.00; 2 LOADS OF CORN 150.00.

New Holland Horses

New Holland Sales Stables
New Holland, PA
Monday, July 29, 1996
Report Supplied By Auction
207 HEAD. STEADY TREND.
DRIVING HORSES 485.00-725.00.
RIDING HORSES 410.00-1050.00.
KILLERS, HEAVYWEIGHTS 640.00-810.00, LIGHTWEIGHTS 410.00-535.00.
PONIES 170.00-385.00.
LARGE PONIES 450.00-575.00.
COLTS 190.00-485.00.

Greencastle Livestock

GREENCASTLE, PA
AUGUST 1, 1996

CATTLE: 160.
STEERS: Select Ind at 52.75.
COWS: Breaking Utility and Commercial 36.00-39.75, couple to 41.75; Cutter and Boning Utility 32.00-35.50; Canner and Low Cutter 24.15-31.00; Shells down to 21.00.
BULLS: Yield Grade 1 1135/1630 lbs. 36.50-42.25, couple.
CALVES: 335: Standard and Good 75/105 lbs. 20.00-25.00; Utility 55/85 lbs. 8.00-19.00.
FARM CALVES: No 1 Holstein Bulls 90/125 lbs. 40.00-63.00; No 2 Holstein Bulls 85/105 lbs. 23.00-35.00; No 1 Holstein Heifers 90/120 lbs. 75.00-110.00, few 75/85 lbs. 37.00-45.00; No 2 Holstein Heifers 65/80 lbs. 17.00-33.00; Beef Cross Bulls & Heifers 75/100 lbs, few 18.00-30.00.
HOGS: 5.
SOWS: Few 1-3 430/560 lbs, 40.50-47.50.
GOATS: 2: Two small kids at 7.00-10.00.

Pennsylvania Livestock

WAYNESBURG, PA
AUGUST 1, 1996

CATTLE:
SLAUGHTER COWS: Utility and Commercial 31.00-39.00; Cutter and Boning Utility 26.00-34.00; Canner and Low Cutter 20.00-29.00; Shells 20.00 and Down.
BULLS: Yield Grade 1 1500/2000 lbs, 37.00-42.50; Yield Grade 2 1000/1400 lbs, 32.50-38.00.
FEEDER STEERS: M&L 1 300/500 lbs, 40.00-56.00; 250/280 lbs, 48.00-60.00; M 600/900 lbs, 40.00-54.50;

HEIFERS: M 1&L 1 500/500 lbs, 35.00-50.00; L 1 400/650 lbs, 38.00-47.00; BULLS: M&L 1 300/620 lbs, 32.00-53.50.
CALVES: Veal: Prime 50.00-60.00; Choice 40.00-50.00; Good 35.00-48.00; Farm Calves: #1 Holstein Bulls 90/120 lbs, few 35.00-50.00; #2 Holstein Bulls 80/100 lbs, few 20.00-40.00; Beef X Bulls & Hfrs/ Hd 35.00-60.00.
HOGS: Barrows & Gilts #1-2 210/255 lbs, 42.00-53.00; #2-3 255/280 lbs, 52.00-61.00; Sows: #1-3 300/500 lbs, 30.00-38.50; Feeder Pigs: 1-3 15/20 lbs, 5.00-17.00/hd; 1-3 25/35 lbs, 10.00-30.00/hd.
LAMBS: High Choice 80/100 lbs, 88.00-98.00; Choice 70/90 lbs, 80.00-94.50; Feeder Lambs: Good 60.00-85.00; Sheep 15.00-35.00; Fat Sheep 30.00 and Down.

Indiana Farmers

HOMER CITY, PA
AUGUST 1, 1996

CATTLE: 135: Steers and Heifers: Steady; Cows: Steady.
STEERS: Choice 1075/1350 lbs, 58.25-65.00; Select 53.00-57.50; Standard 43.00-48.00; Few Standard 34.00-44.00.
HEIFERS: Choice 900/1375 lbs, 58.00-65.00; Select 53.075-57.75; Standard 37.00-49.00.
COWS: Breaking Utility and Commercial 31.00-35.00, few to 36.50; Cutter and Boning Utility 28.75-32.00; Canner and Low Cutter 22.00-27.25; Shells down to 18.00.
BULLS: Few Yield Grade 1 1000/2000 lbs, 40.50-49.00; Few Yield Grade 1200/1550 lbs, 33.25-40.75.
FEEDER CATTLE: FEW HEIFERS: M&L 2 350/800 lbs, 36.00-46.00; FEW BULLS: L2 350/775 lbs, 24.50-32.50.
CALVES: 105: Good 130/225 lbs, 36.00-58.00; Standard and Good 65/115 lbs, 16.00-23.00; Utility 60/85 lbs, 12.00-16.00.
FARM CALVES: Steady to 10.00 higher; No 1 Holstein Bulls 95/120 lbs, 45.00-60.00; No 2 Holstein Bulls 80/115 lbs, 19.00-38.00; No 1 Holstein Heifers 115 lbs, one at 90.00; Few No 2 Holstein Heifers 75/100 lbs, 37.50-60.00; Beef Cross Bulls & Heifers 70/95 lbs, 22.00-35.00.
HOGS: 34: Barrows and Gilts: Steady to 2.00 higher; 1-3 240/260 lbs, 56.25-59.00; 2-3 235/300 lbs, 45.00-53.50; few 1-3 115/135 lbs, 43.00-64.00.
SOWS: Few 1-3 435/495 lbs, 44.75-49.50; BOARS: 250/685 lbs, 26.00-33.75.
FEEDER PIGS: 35: 30/75 lbs, 20.00-29.00/hd.
SHEEP: 53: Slaughter Lambs: Steady; Choice 75/85 lbs, 86.00-93.00; Few Good and Choice 105/115 lbs, 60.00-66.00; Slaughter Sheep 22.00-41.00.



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