

Estimated Daily Livestock Slaughter

Under Federal Inspection
September 18, 1996

	CATTLE	CALVES	HOGS	SHEEP
WEDNESDAY 9/18/96 (EST)	120,000	8,000	366,000	15,000
WEEK AGO (EST)	119,000	8,000	366,000	15,000
YEAR AGO (ACT)	129,000	6,000	362,000	17,000
WEEK TO DATE (EST)	377,000	22,000	1,061,000	46,000
SAME PD LT WK (EST)	385,000	22,000	1,080,000	45,000
SAME PD LT YR (EST)	389,000	18,000	1,066,000	49,000

PREVIOUS DAY ESTIMATED TUESDAY, STEER AND HEIFER 100,000, COW AND BULL 28,000.

SOURCE: USDA MARKET NEWS, WASHINGTON, D.C.

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Accident, Md. 21520

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STOCK BULLS AND STEERS (200-500 LBS.) 40.00-62.00.

STOCK HEIFERS: 30.00-48.00.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: GOOD TO CHOICE, NONE AVAILABLE; MEDIUM TO GOOD 60.00-68.50, HEAVY CHOICE OVER 1450 LB. 55.00-59.00.

HOLSTEIN STEERS: HEAVY CHOICE 43.00-54.25, LIGHT 34.00-41.50.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: GOOD TO CHOICE, NONE AVAILABLE; MEDIUM TO GOOD 50.00-61.00.

BULLS: HEAVY 35.00-44.00, LIGHT 30.00-39.00.

COWS: UTILITY (HOLSTEIN) 33.00-39.00, COMMERCIAL TO GOOD 28.00-34.00, CULL COWS 28.00 AND

DOWN.

VEALS: GOOD TO CHOICE 40.00-65.00, MEDIUM TO GOOD 20.00-44.00.

BOB CALVES: 20.00 AND DOWN. HOLSTEIN BULL CALVES — RETURN TO FARM (90 TO 120 LB.)- 30.00-65.00.

HOLSTEIN HEIFER CALVES — RETURN TO FARM (100 TO 120 LB.)- UP TO 135.00.

BEEF CROSS CALVES — RETURN TO FARM UP TO 24.00.

HOGS: TOP QUALITY 50.50-54.00, HEAVY 50.00-52.50, LIGHT 30.00-42.00.

SOWS: 35.00-42.50.

MALE HOGS: 24.00-36.00.

LAMBS, LIGHT, UP TO 74.00, FEEDER LAMBS, NONE AVAILABLE.

SHEEP: 18.00-24.00.

LIVESTOCK PRICES ARE ALL GIVEN PER HUNDRED WEIGHT!

ANNUAL FALL CATTLE SALES SAT., SEPT. 21, SAT., OCT. 5, AND SAT., OCT. 26.

New Wilmington

Livestock Auction
NEW WILMINGTON, PA

September 16, 1996

CATTLE 152... PDA ...Compared with last week's sale...cows 1.00 to 1.75 higher.

STEERS: couple Choice 1355 & 1450 lbs. 70.00 & 70.50, one Standard 51.50.

HOLSTEINS: few Standard 30.25-45.00. HEIFERS: one Prime 1015 lbs. 64.50.

COWS: Breaking Utility and Commercial 33.75-39.00, Cutter and Boning Utility 27.00-34.00, Canner and Low Cutter 22.00-27.00. Shells down to 16.00.

BULLS: few Yield Grade No. 1 1245/1620 lbs. 37.25-43.00, few No. 2 1075/1550 lbs. 30.00-37.00. FEEDER CATTLE:

STEERS: one Large Frame No. 1 330 lbs. 49.00; HEIFERS: Medium Frame No. 1 275/900 lbs. 34.00-40.00, few Large Frame No. 2 400/875 lbs. 39.00-46.50;

BULLS: few Small Frame No. 1 475/675 lbs. 33.00-44.00, few Medium Frame No. 2 670/975 lbs. 23.00-32.50.

CALVES 168...VEALERS: one Choice 250 lbs. 70.00, few Standard and Good 120/160 lbs. 23.00-47.50, 80/115 lbs. 15.00-21.00, Utility 50/80 lbs. 5.00-15.00.

FARM CALVES: No. 1 Holstein bulls 120/135 lbs. 40.00-47.00, 95/115 lbs. 60.00-68.00, No. 2 95/115 lbs. 21.00-40.00; one No. 1 Holstein heifers 120 lbs. 155.00, few No. 2 80/125 lbs. 25.00-150.00. Beef cross bulls and heifers 75/120 lbs. 20.00-70.00.

HOGS 294...Barrows and gilts steady 1.25 higher. BARROWS AND GILTS: US 1-2 210/260 lbs. 54.50-55.25, few 56.00, US 1-3 210/260 lbs. 52.00-53.75, US 2-3 210/260 lbs. 49.00-52.00. SOWS: US 1-3 325/700 lbs. 42.00-52.00, US 2-3 475/625 lbs. 48.00, few Medium 300/575 lbs. 40.00-44.50. BOARS: 180/610 lbs. 32.00-41.75.

FEEDER PIGS 62...US 1-3 40/50 lbs.

28.00-32.00. --- per head. US 1-3 110/130 lbs. 50.00-51.00, US 2-3 110/160 lbs. 30.00-39.00. --- per cwt.

SHEEP 131...SLAUGHTER LAMBS: Choice 60/105 lbs. 75.00-83.00, Good and Choice 50/125 lbs. 62.00-78.00.

SLAUGHTER SHEEP: 25.00-36.00, Yearlings: 40.00-55.00.

GOATS 19... All sold by the head. BILLY GOATS: 68.00-81.00. BILLIES: Medium & Large 33.00-55.00, few Small 26.00-40.00. KIDS: few Large 13.00-21.00, Small 1.00-2.00.

Yielding 32.00-33.00, few up to 34.00; Canner and Low Cutter 1-2 26.00-29.00; Shelly Canner 1-2 22.00-26.00.

Bulls: Yield Grade 1-2 1250-1800 lbs. 34.00-38.00, Couple Yield Grade 1 at 40.00.

Source: USDA-Illinois Dept of Ag Market News Springfield Il. 217-782-4925

St. Louis Cattle, Hogs

Springfield Il

Monday September 16, 1996

USDA-II Market News Service National Stockyards Illinois terminal slaughter cattle market

Cattle: 450 head, last week 450, and last year 500 head. Compared to last week, slaughter steers and heifers 1.00 to 2.00 higher, except holstein steers 1.00 higher. Slaughter cows and bulls 1.00 lower. Supply mainly Choice and Select and Choice steers and heifers. Moderate supply of Holstein steers. Around 10 % cows.

Slaughter steers: Choice 2-4 1050-1300 lbs. 67.00-69.00; 2-3 1075-1350 lbs. 69.00-70.00; Select and Choice 2-3 1000-1350 lbs. 63.00-67.00. Select 2-3 975-1300 lbs. 59.00-63.00. Holstein steers: Choice 2-3 1275-1450 lbs. 61.00-65.00; Select and Choice 2-3 1150-1350 lbs. 57.00-61.00; Select 2-3 1000-1350 lbs. 52.00-57.00.

Slaughter heifers: Choice 2-4 925-1200 lbs. 66.00-68.00; 2-3 950-1250 lbs. 68.00-69.00; Select and Choice 2-3 875-1100 lbs. 62.00-66.00; Select 2-3 875-1150 lbs. 58.00-62.00.

Slaughter cows: Breaking Utility and Commercial 2-4 29.00-32.00; Cutter and Boning Utility 1-2 29.00-32.00; High

New Holland Sales Stables Goat and Sheep Sale

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GOATS: 1115 HEAD. BILLIES 70.00-100.00 AND 100.00-130.00, FEW 130.00-170.00; NANNIES 40.00-55.00 AND 55.00-70.00; MUTTON 70.00-95.00; YEARLINGS 45.00-75.00; KIDS 20.00-35.00, 2 AT 35.00 AND 45.00.

SHEEP: 433. ALL WEIGHTS, SLAUGHTER EWES 30.00-60.00; SLAUGHTER RAMS 30.00-50.00; 1 YEAR OLDS 50.00-75.00; 2 YEAR-OLDS 40.00-60.00.

LAMBS: 40-60 LBS. 90.00-125.00, 60-80 LBS. 95.00-112.00; 80-100 LBS. 90.00-100.00; 100-130 LBS. 80.00-92.00.

Dewart Livestock

Dewart, Pa.

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STEERS: 50.00-61.50. HEIFERS: TOO FEW TO QUOTE. GOOD COWS: 30.00-38.25. CANNERS AND CUTTERS 20.00-30.00.

BULLS: 30.00-34.75. VEAL 90-190 LBS. 60.00-147.00, 70-90 LBS. 20.00-60.00.

HOGS: 44.00-48.25. SOWS: 40.00-45.50. FEEDER PIGS: 15.00-36.00 PER HEAD.

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