

# LANCASTER COUNTY LIVESTOCK MARKET AUCTION

Lancaster County Weekly

NEW HOLLAND, PA  
NOVEMBER 8, 1996

Cattle Calves

THIS WEEK	2350	1630
LAST WEEK	2451	1586
LAST YEAR	3119	1548

CATTLE: Slaughter steers .50-1.00 higher; slaughter heifers scarce; cows 1.00-1.50 lower; bullocks weak to 1.00 lower; bulls closed mostly steady. Supply included 35 percent slaughter steers, 5 percent slaughter heifers, 43 percent cows, 5 percent bulls, with the balance feeders.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 2-4 1200/1425 lbs, 74.00-77.35, few 77.75-78.00; Choice 2-3 few 1075/1450 lbs, 70.00-74.00, few 74.00-75.25; Select and low Choice 2-3 1050/1425 lbs, 65.00-70.00; Select 1-3 1025/1425 lbs, 58.50-64.00.

HOLSTEINS: High Choice and Prime 2-3 1200/1550 lbs, 59.85-63.25; Choice 2-3 1100/1400 lbs, 55.00-60.00; Select 1-2 1100/1450 lbs, 49.75-54.50; one lot Standard 1190 lbs, 45.50.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2-3 1000/1200 lbs, 64.00-66.75; couple Choice 2 1080/1335 lbs, 70.10-74.25.

COWS: Breaking Utility and Commercial 2-3 34.00-39.00, 39.00-41.50; Commercial 3-4 28.00-33.00; Cutter and Boning Utility 1-3 25.00-28.00, 28.00-33.50, 33.50-36.00; Canner and Low Cutter 1-2 19.00-24.00, 24.00-28.00.

BULLOCKS: Choice 2-3 1125/1550 lbs, 54.00-61.50; Select 1-3 1000/1250 lbs, 44.00-52.25, several 800/965 lbs, Holsteins 33.00-39.00.

BULLS: Yield Grade 1 1135/1950 lbs, 40.00-46.50, few 47.25-49.75; Yield Grade 2 1100/2000 lbs, 34.00-39.00.

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

VEALERS: Few Choice 155/375 lbs, 65.00-75.00; high Good and low Choice 150/300 lbs, 42.00-60.00, 80/110 lbs, 15.00-30.00; Standard and low Good 60/85 lbs, 10.00-20.00.

SLAUGHTER CALVES: Good and Choice 270/550 lbs, 30.00-45.00; few low Good 20.00-30.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: Bulk 90/125 lbs, Holstein bulls 60.00-75.00, few 75.00-85.00; small frame 90/120 lbs, 40.00-60.00. Bulk 90/120 lbs, Holstein heifers 125.00-180.00; small frame 80/105 lbs, 80.00-110.00.

22-30 lb 190.00-203.00, 35-55 lb 125.00-165.00, 55-70 lb 110.00-125.00.

SLAUGHTER EWES: Utility and Good 1-2 30.00-40.00, few 40.00-44.00, 2-3 20.00-30.00.

GOATS: All goats sold by the head. Billies: Medium and Large 72.00-102.00, couple 110.00-115.00. Nannies: Medium and Large 45.00-70.00. Kids: Choice 30.00-40.00; Good 22.00-32.00; Utility 12.00-20.00.

**Lancaster Livestock**  
LANCASTER, PA  
NOVEMBER 4, 1996  
Cattle Calves Hogs Sheep Goats  
MONDAY'S AUCTION  
560 100 106 309 557  
LAST MONDAY  
700 166 194 755 764  
LAST YEAR

821 77 19 383 385  
CATTLE... USDA .. Supply included 59% slaughter steers, 8% sl. heifers, 22% cows and 11% bulls ...slaughter steers fully steady, sl heifers scarce, cows steady to weak, few bullocks steady, bulls 1.00 to 1.50 higher.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 2-4 1200/1425 lbs. 72.50-75.25, Choice 2-3 1150/1450 lbs. 70.00-73.00, Select and Low Choice 2-3 1100/1425 lbs. 66.00-69.75, Select 1-3 1025/1200 lbs. 59.50-62.50.

HOLSTEINS: High Choice and Prime 2-3 1300/1550 lbs. 59.85-61.75, Choice 2-3 1275/1550 lbs. 55.00-59.75, lot 1600 lbs. 54.75, Select 1-3 1200/1400 lbs. 49.75-53.00.

HEIFERS: few Choice 2-3 1000/1200 lbs. 66.00-69.75, couple Choice 2 1085/1185 lbs. 70.10-72.50.

COWS: Breaking Utility and Commercial 2-3 bulk 35.00-38.00, Commercial 3-4 bulk 28.00-32.00, Cutter and Boning Utility 1-3 low dressing 27.00-29.00, bulk 29.00-34.00, Canner and Cutter 1-2 bulk 25.00-30.00.

BULLOCKS: few Choice 2-3 1125/1285 lbs. 59.50-61.50, few Select 1-3 1000/1250 lbs. 44.00-52.25.

BULLS: Yield Grade No. 1 1200/1950 lbs. 41.00-46.50, few 47.25-49.75, one 1810 lbs. 54.25, No. 2 1100/1600 lbs. 34.00-38.00.

CALVES...Vealers and slaughter calves steady.

VEALERS: High Good and Low Choice 180/290 lbs. 50.00-60.00, 80/110 lbs. 20.00-30.00.

SLAUGHTER CALVES: Good and Choice 300/550 lbs. 30.00-45.00, few Low Good 20.00-30.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: small supply 90/110 lbs. Holstein bulls 30.00-60.00.

HOGS...INSUFFICIENT VOLUME ANY ONE CLASS FOR A MARKET TEST!

SHEEP...Slaughter lambs fully steady, slaughter ewes steady. Supply included 80% slaughter lambs with the balance slaughter ewes.

SLAUGHTER LAMBS: Choice 1-2 50/70 lbs. 95.00-105.00, 70/90 lbs. 85.00-95.00, 90/110 lbs. 70.00-82.00.

NEW CROP LAMBS: few Choice 30/40 lbs. 115.00-200.00.

**Vintage Livestock**  
PARADISE, PA  
NOVEMBER 5, 1996  
Cattle Calves Sheep Goats  
TODAY  
578 833 7 12  
LAST TUESDAY  
503 801 12 0  
LAST YEAR

678 877 5 0  
CATTLE... USDA ... Supply included 27% slaughter steers and 63% cows ...sl. steers fully steady, cows 1.00 to 1.50 lower other classes not fully tested.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Choice and Prime 2-3 1100/1425 lbs. 73.25-76.75, four head 1250/1440 lbs. 77.00-78.00, Choice 2-3 few 4 1100/1425 lbs. 70.00-73.50, Select and Low Choice 2-3 1100/1350 lbs. 66.50-69.50.

HOLSTEINS: High Choice and Prime 2-3 1200/1525 lbs. 60.50-63.25, Choice 2-3 1200/1570 lbs. 56.00-60.00.

COWS: Breaking Utility and Commercial 2-3 bulk 33.75-37.00, high dressing 37.00-40.75, Commercial 3-4 bulk 28.00-32.00, Cutter and Boning Utility 1-3 low dressing 28.00-30.75, bulk 30.75-35.50, high dressing 33.50-37.00, Canner and Low Cutter 1-2 low dressing 20.00-24.00, bulk 24.00-28.25.

BULLS: couple Yield Grade No. 2 1350/1800 lbs. 30.50-36.75.

CALVES...Vealers steady. Supply included 715 in graded sale of which 64% sold to return to farm.

VEALERS: High Good and Low Choice 140/270 lbs. 27.00-44.00, 80/130 lbs. 15.00-22.00, Standard and Low Good 60/85 lbs. 10.00-15.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: 185 head 100/125 lbs. Holstein bulls 70.00-75.00, 55 head 95 lbs. 63.00-70.00 and 50 head 90 lbs. 60.00-61.00, 80 head small frame 100/120 lbs. 40.00-56.00; 11 head 100/115 lbs. Holstein heifers 130.00-141.00, 25 head 90/95 lbs. 110.00, and 15 head 80/85 lbs. 88.00, 15 head small frame 80/95 lbs. 80.00-85.00 and 10 head 70/75 lbs. 39.00.

SHEEP...INSUFFICIENT VOLUME FOR A MARKET TEST!

GOATS...INSUFFICIENT VOLUME FOR A MARKET TEST!

SLAUGHTER EWES: Choice 1-3 50.00-70.00, Utility and Good 1-2 110/140 lbs. 40.00-60.00, 2-3 120/250 lbs. 20.00-30.00.

GOATS... All sold by the head .

BILLIES: Medium 70.00-90.00.

NANNIES: Medium and Large 45.00-60.00.

KIDS: Prime 50.00-60.00, Choice 40.00-50.00, Good 25.00-40.00

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

**VA Feeder Sales**  
ORANGE, VA  
NOVEMBER 7, 1996

Feeder Cattle 330 head Steers 78 head Medium & Large 1 Small 1 Medium & Large 2 200 - 300 40.00-41.00 300 - 400 50.00 400 - 500 56.00 32.50 500 - 600 45.00-47.00 44.00-50.00 600 - 700 47.50-53.00 55.00 700 - 800 42.50

WYTHEVILLE, VA  
NOVEMBER 5, 1996

Feeder Cattle 450 head Steers 155 head Medium and Large 1 Small 1 Medium and Large 2 300-400 62.00 - 66.00 - 55.00 - 63.00 400-500 58.00 - 64.00 48.00 - 53.00 54.00 - 62.00 500-600 54.00 - 61.00 45.00 - 50.00 48.00 - 57.00 600-700 52.00 - 58.00 41.00 - 47.00 47.00 - 54.00 700-800 50.00 - 56.00 - - 800-900 47.00 - 54.00 - -

LYNCHBURG, VA  
NOVEMBER 4, 1996

Feeder Cattle 959 head Steers 292 head Medium and Large 1 Small 1 Medium and Large 2 300-400 - 38.00 - 42.50 47.00 - 54.50 400-500 54.00 - 62.00 31.00 - 45.00 35.00 - 49.50 500-600 50.00 - 58.00 40.00 - 48.00 45.00 - 50.00 600-700 48.00 - 56.50 45.00 - 48.00 47.00 - 53.50 700-800 45.00 - 53.00 - 52.50 - 56.00 800-900 53.00 - 55.50 - -

WARRENTON, VA  
NOVEMBER 7, 1996

Steers 204 hd Medium & Large 1 Small 1 Medium & Large 2 300-400 - - - - 57.00 400-500 53.00-63.00 61.00 60.00 500-600 57.50-67.00 - - 59.50 600-700 56.00-61.25 57.50 46.00-61.00 700-800 56.75 - - - 800-900 59.75 - - 57.25 900-1000 58.25 - - - 57.75 1000-1100 56.50 - - -



**New Holland Livestock**  
NEW HOLLAND, PA  
NOVEMBER 7, 1996  
Cattle Calves Sheep Goats  
TODAY  
1042 704 254 313  
LAST THURSDAY  
801 619 145 115  
LAST YEAR  
1247 580 186 149

CATTLE: Slaughter steers 50-1.00 higher; slaughter heifers scarce; cows steady, instances 1.00 lower; bullocks weak to 1.00 lower; bulls 1.00-1.50 lower. Supply included 32 percent slaughter steers and 50 percent cows.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 2 to mostly 3 1200-1425 lb 74.85-77.35, few 77.75-78.00; Choice 2-3 1075-1450 lb 70.00-74.50, few 74.50-75.25; Select and low Choice 2-3 1050-1425 lb 65.00-70.00; few Select 1-3 1100-1425 lb 58.50-64.00.

HOLSTEINS: Couple High Choice and Prime 2-3 1100-1470 lb 60.00-62.75; Choice 2-3 1100-1500 lb 55.00-57.50; few Select 1-2 1100-1350 lb 52.00-54.50; one lot Standard 1190 lb 45.50.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Couple Choice 2 1150-1335 lb 72.25-74.25; couple Choice 3 1100-1180 lb 64.00-67.75.

COWS: LOW DRESSING BULK HIGH DRESSING Breaking Utility and Commercial 2-3 36.00-39.00 39.00-41.50 Commercial 3-4 29.50-33.00 Cutter and Boning Utility 1-3 25.00-27.00 27.00-33.00 33.00-35.00 Canner and low Cutter 1-2 19.00-24.00 24.00-27.00

BULLOCKS: Couple Choice 2-3 1225-1510 lb 54.00-55.50; Select 1-2 800-965 lb Holsteins 33.00-39.00.

BULLS: Yield grade 2 1100-2000 lb 35.00-39.00; couple Yield grade 1 1135-1820 lb 40.00-43.50.

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

VEALERS: Few Choice 155-375 lb 65.00-75.00; high Good and low Choice 150-300 lb 42.00-55.00, 80-110 lb 18.00-30.00; Standard and low Good 60-80 lb 10.00-20.00.

SLAUGHTER CALVES: Good and Choice 270-500 lb 25.00-45.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: Bulk 90-125 lb Holstein bulls 60.00-75.00, few 75.00-85.00; small frame 80-105 lb 40.00-60.00; few 90-120 lb Holstein heifers 125.00-180.00; few small frame 80-105 lb 85.00-110.00.

SHEEP: Slaughter lambs steady; slaughter ewe fully steady. Supply included 85 percent slaughter lambs, with the balance slaughter ewes.

SLAUGHTER LAMBS: Choice 1-2 55-80 lb 98.00-115.00, 80-105 lb 78.00-90.00.

NEW CROP LAMBS: Few Choice

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