

**Central U.S.  
Carlot**

**Pork Report  
December 4, 1996**

Report supplied by USDA

COMPARED TO TUESDAY'S 3 P M CLOSE: FRESH LOINS 2.00-5.00 LOWER, BUTTS MOSTLY STEADY; SKND HAMS 1.00 LOWER; SDLS. BELLIES MOSTLY 2.00 LOWER; LEAN TRIMMINGS STEADY TO 2.00 HIGHER TRADING MODERATE TO ACTIVE, WITH LIGHT DEMAND AND MOSTLY MODERATE OFFERINGS.

LOADS PORK CUTS: 94.13  
LOADS TRIM/PROCESS PORK: 25.5

LOINS, REG., FRESH  
14-18 LBS \*, 15.0 LOADS, RANGE 114.00-127.00, WGHTD. AVG. 118.65.  
1/4" TRM 14-18 LBS., 9.5 LOADS, RANGE 133.00-147.00, WGHTD. AVG. 135.26.

1/2" TRM/LESS 14-18 LBS., 5.5 LOADS, RANGE 142.00-153.00, WGHTD AVG 147.05.

18-22 LBS \*, RANGE 120.00-121.00, WGHTD AVG. 120.50 E  
1/4" TRM 18-22 LBS., RANGE 140.00-141.00, WGHTD AVG. 140.50 E

COMBOS 22 LBS AND UP, 15 LOADS, RANGE 90.00, WGHTD AVG 90.00

LOIN, BNLS, CNTR CUT  
5-9 LBS STRAP-ON, RANGE 263.00, WGTHD AVG. 263.00 E.

5-9 LBS STRAP-OFF, 1.5 LOADS, RANGE 255.00, WGHTD. AVG. 255.00

BNLS SIRLOIN .75-1 LB.  
O 88 LOADS, RANGE 122.00-145.00, WGHTD AVG 127.57.

TENDERLOIN  
1.25 LBS AND DOWN, 0.13 LOADS,

RNAGE 350.00, WGHTD. AVG 350.00  
PICNIC, FRESH  
SMKR TRM, RS, COMBO, 1.0 LOADS, RANGE 71.00, WGHTD. AVG 71.00

COMMODITY 4-8 LBS., RANGE 53.00, WGHTD AVG 53.00 A.

BOSTON BUTT  
4-8 LBS \*, 19.0 LOADS, RANGE 66.00-73.00, WGHTD. AVG. 69.68.

1/4" TRM 4-8 LBS., 19.0 LOADS, RANGE 84.00-92.00, WGHTD AVG 88.47

SPARERIBS, FRESH  
1.5-3.5 LBS., 1.0 LOADS, RANGE 116.00, WGHTD. AVG. 116.00.

LOIN BACKRIB (BOXED)  
FRSH/FRZN  
1.75 LBS. AND DOWN, RANGE 285.00, WGHTD AVG 285.00 A.

1.75-2.00 LBS., 0.13 LOADS, RANGE 233.00, WGHTD. AVG. 233.00

LOIN BACKRIB (COMBOS)  
1.75 LBS AND DOWN, 1.0 LOADS, RANGE 272.00, WGHTD AVG. 272.00.

HAM, SKINNED, SELECTED  
FRESH 17-20 LBS., 7.0 LOADS, RANGE 85.00-95.00, WGTHD AVG 88.86

FRESH 20-26 LBS., 29.0 LOADS, RANGE 67.00-74.00, WGHTD AVG. 68.71.

HAM, SKINNED, COMMODITY  
FRESH 20-26 LBS., 1.0 LOADS, RANGE 73.00, WGHTD AVG. 73.00

BELLY, SDLS, SKIN-ON, FRESH  
FRESH 10-12 LBS., RANGE 55.00, WGHTD. AVG 55.00 A

FRESH 12-14 LBS., 4.0 LOADS, RANGE 71.00-74.00, WGHTD AVG 72.00

FRESH 14-16 LBS., 3.0 LOADS, RANGE 75.00-76.00, WGHTD AVG

75.33  
FRESH 16-18 LBS., 3.0 LOADS, RANGE 70.00, WGHTD AVG 70.00  
FRESH 18.20 LBS., 4.0 LOADS, RANGE 59.00-62.00, WGHTD AVG 60.25.

FRESH 20-25 LBS., 2.0 LOADS, RANGE 57.00, WGHTD. AVG. 57.00

PORK TRIMMINGS/  
BONELESS PROCESSING PORK  
(CHEMICAL LEAN)

COMBO 42% FRESH, 2.0 LOADS, RANGE 40.00, WGHTD. AVG. 40.00.

BOXED 42% FROZEN, 2.5 LOADS, RANGE 46.00, WGHTD. AVG. 46.00.

COMBO 72% FRESH, 15.0 LOADS, RANGE 70.00-72.00, WGHTD. AVG 70.27.

BOXED 72% FROZEN, 1.0 LOADS, RANGE 72.00, WGHTD. AVG. 72.00.

BONELESS PICNIC MEAT  
COMBO 72% FRESH, 5.0 LOADS, RANGE 70.00-73.00, WGHTD. AVG. 71.10.

SHANK MEAT  
FROZEN, RANGE 84.00, WGHTD. AVG. 84.00 B.

SKINNED JOWLS  
COMBO FRESH, RANGE 38.00, WGHTD. AVG. 38.00 C.

BOXED FROZEN, RANGE 45.00, WGHTD. AVG. 45.00 D.

NOTE! (\*) REFLECTS 1/4" OR 1/2" TRIMMED PRODUCT BROUGHT BACK TO A REGULAR COMMODITY BASIS.

USDA PORK CARCASS CUTOUT  
WED., DEC. 4

ESTIMATED GROSS CUTOUT VALUES OF A 175 LB HOG CARCASS BASED ON USDA CUTTING YIELD TESTS AND CARLOT PRICES

WEDNESDAY'S CARCASS GRADES AND PRICES PER CWT

US#180 59, CHANGE FROM TUES 'S VALUE -0.87; US#2 78.34, CHANGE FROM TUES.'S VALUE -0.84; US#3 76.09, CHANGE FROM TUES.'S VALUE -0.80, US#4 73.84, CHANGE FROM TUES.'S VALUE -0.77.

TODAY'S CALCULATIONS FOR US #2 175 LB. PORK CARCASS:

SKINNED HAMS 14-20 LBS., 21.01% OF CARCASS, 90.00 FOB VALUE, -1.00 CHANGE FROM TUES.; LOINS, 1/4" TRIM 14-22 LBS., 20.33% OF CARCASS, 143.00 FOB VALUE, -3.50 CHANGE FROM TUES.

BELLIES, SDLS. 12-14 LBS., 13.90% OF CARCASS, 72.00 FOB VALUE, -2.00 CHANGE FROM TUES.; SPARERIBS 3.5 LBS. AND DOWN, 3.03% OF CARCASS, 116.00 FOB VALUE, 2.00 CHANGE FROM TUES.

PICNICS, 8-12 LBS., 10.31% OF CARCASS, 49.00 FOB. VALUE, 1.50 CHANGE FROM TUES.; BUTTS, 1/4" TRIM 4-8 LBS., 7.25% OF CARCASS, 87.50 FOB VALUE, 0.50 CHANGE FROM TUES.

JOWL, 2.85% OF CARCASS, 38.00 FOB VALUE; NECKBONES 1.52% 16.50 FOB VALUE, 2.50 CHANGE FROM TUES.

FEET 1.05% OF CARCASS, 25.25 FOB VALUE; TAILS, 0.22% OF CARCASS, 52.00 FOB VALUE.

TRIM 72%, 2.19% OF CARCASS, 70.00 FOB VALUE, 1.00 CHANGE FROM TUES.; LARD 10.85% OF CARCASS, 20.25 FOB VALUE, 0.50 CHANGE FROM TUES.

TOTAL CARCASS 94.51%.

US#2 CARCASS VALUE PER CWT 78.34.

NOTE: VALUE MAY CHANGE WITHOUT ADEQUATE TEST.

SOURCE: USDA MARKET NEWS, DES MOINES, IA.

**Frederick Livestock Auction**

**Frederick, Md.  
December 2, 1996**

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SLAUGHTER COWS: 120 HEAD. UTILITY 33.00-37.75; HIGH DRESSING TO 40.00; CANNERS 27.00-31.50; SHELLY 26.00 DOWN.

BULLS: YG#1 1385 LBS. AT 42.00; YG#2 1200-1850 LBS. 34.75-38.75.

FED STEERS: 2 LOW CHOICE HOL 1700 LBS. 52.75; SELECT 1550-1650 LBS. 46.50-48.00.

FED HEIFERS: NONE.

VEAL CALVES: 238 HEAD. CHOICE, NONE; GOOD 140-170 LBS. 30.00-41.00; GOOD 105-120 LBS. 20.00-25.00; CULLS 85-100 LBS. 16.00-21.00; 50-80 LBS. 8.00-16.00; WEAK/ROUGH 8.00 DOWN.

FARM CALVES: HOLSTEIN BULLS 5.00-10.00 LOWER. #1 95-120 LBS. 57.00-73.00; #2 90-100 LBS. 35.00-55.00; HOLSTEIN HEIFERS #1 90-120 LBS. 90.00-117.00; #2 80-95 LBS. 20.00-50.00; BEEF X BULLS TO 35.00.

BUTCHER HOGS: 20 HEAD. PRICES HIGHER. US#1-2 230-260 LBS. 56.00-56.50; 1 270 LB. AT 57.50; FEW #2&3 230-265 LBS. 50.00-53.00.

SOWS: 600 LBS. ATO 52.50.

BOARS: NONE.

STOCK CATTLE. STEERS FEW 300-450 LBS. 35.00-40.00.

HEIFERS: NONE.

BULLS: NONE.

LAMBS: 1 135 LB. AT 56.00.  
SHEEP: 215 LBS. AT 25.00  
GOATS: MEDIUM 37.00-59.00;  
SMALL 16.00-25.00  
PIGS AND SHOATS: NONE.

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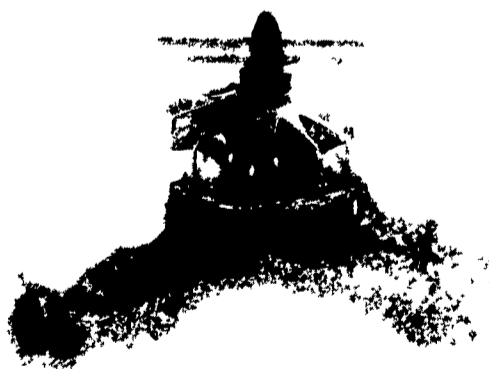


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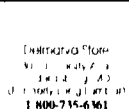
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**Wednesday, December 18, 1996**

**9:30 a.m - 2:30 p.m.**

**Weaver's Market  
Corner of 897 & 272  
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**Program:**

- 9:30 - 10:00** Registration - Coffee & Donuts
- 10:00 - 10:50** "Carcass value pricing systems of hog packers"  
*Dave Kenyon, Virginia Tech University*
- 11:00 - 11:25** "Hatfield carcass value pricing system"  
*Jeff Arner, Hog Procurement*
- 11:30 - 11:50** "Sustainable Pork Production, PQA, Environmental Assurance"  
*Ken Kephart, Extension Swine Specialist, Penn State*
- 12:00 - 12:40** Free Family Style Lunch
- 12:40 - 1:00** Annual meeting and election of Pork Board Nominees  
Vote on LanChester Pork Producers Bylaws
- 1:00 - 2:00** Choice of two seminars
  - A. Pork Quality Assurance Level III - 1st time Certifications**  
*Dr. Tim Trayer*
  - B. Pork Quality Assurance Level III - Recertification**  
*Chester Hughes,  
Lancaster Extension Livestock Agent*
- 2:00 - 2:30** **P.R.V - Update**  
*Dr. Amy Nesselrodt, P.R.V. Coordinator,  
Veterinarian - U.S.D.A.*

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**BY: December 15, 1996**