

Estimated Daily Livestock Slaughter

Under Federal Inspection
September 10, 1997

	CATTLE	CALVES	HOGS	SHEEP
TUESDAY 9/10/97 (EST)	133,000	7,000	362,000	14,000
WEEK AGO (EST)	129,000	6,000	359,000	16,000
YEAR AGO (ACT)	121,000	8,000	365,000	15,000
WEEK TO DATE (EST)	398,000	19,000	1,076,000	45,000
SAME PD LT WK (EST)	263,000	13,000	717,000	33,000
SAME PD LT YR (EST)	384,000	22,000	1,076,000	45,000

PREVIOUS DAY ESTIMATED TUESDAY, STEER AND HEIFER 108,000, COW AND BULL 26,000.

Pa. Grain

September 8, 1997

Report supplied by PDA
COMPARED WITH LAST TUESDAY'S MARKET FOR EASTERN AND CENTRAL PENNSYLVANIA: CORN STEADY TO .06 HIGHER, WHEAT UNEVEN MOSTLY STEADY TO .07 LOWER, INSTANCES .12 LOWER, BARLEY, OATS & EAR CORN STEADY, SOYBEANS STEADY TO .45 HIGHER. PRICES PAID DELIVERED TO DELIVERS DOCK: ALL PRICES PER BUSHEL, EXCEPT EAR CORN PER TON.

SOUTHEASTERN PENNSYLVANIA
CORN NO. 2-Y RANGE 2.96-3.25, AVERAGE 3.13, CONTRACT FOR HARVEST 2.74-2.84; WHEAT NO. 2 RANGE 3.42-3.60, AVERAGE 3.55, CONTRACT FOR HARVEST 3.62-3.85; BARLEY NO. 3 RANGE 1.90-2.25, FEW REPORTED 2.35, AVERAGE 2.07; OATS NO. 2 RANGE 1.50-1.90, AVERAGE 1.69; SOYBEANS RANGE 7.10-7.81, FEW REPORTED 6.63, AVERAGE 7.33, CONTRACT FOR HARVEST 6.00-6.40; FEW REPORTED GRAIN SORGHUM 2 CONTRACT FOR HARVEST 2.74; EAR CORN RANGE 80.00-91.00, FEW REPORTED 100.00, AVERAGE 87.88.

SOUTH CENTRAL PENNSYLVANIA
CORN NO. 2-Y RANGE 2.90-3.15, AVERAGE 3.03; WHEAT NO. 2 3.00-3.35, FEW REPORTED 3.60, AVERAGE 3.15; BARLEY NO. 3 RANGE 1.90-2.20, AVERAGE 2.05; OATS NO. 2 RANGE 1.50-1.80, AVERAGE 1.64; SOYBEANS NO. 1 RANGE 6.95-7.40, AVERAGE 7.14; EAR CORN RANGE 80.00-90.00, AVERAGE 84.71.

EASTERN AND CENTRAL PENNSYLVANIA SUMMARY
CORN NO. 2-Y RANGE 2.86-3.25, AVERAGE 3.05; WHEAT NO. 2 RANGE 3.30-3.57, AVERAGE 3.37; BARLEY NO. 3 RANGE 1.80-2.25, AVERAGE

2.01; OATS NO. 2 RANGE 1.50-1.90, AVERAGE 1.72; SOYBEANS NO. 1 RANGE 6.90-7.81, AVERAGE 7.27; EAR CORN RANGE 70.00-91.00, AVERAGE 84.43.

WESTERN PENNSYLVANIA
CORN NO. 2-Y RANGE 2.74-3.10, FEW REPORTED 2.58, AVERAGE 2.90; WHEAT NO. 2 RANGE 3.12-3.32, AVERAGE 3.25; BARLEY NO. 3 RANGE 2.00-2.02, AVERAGE 2.01; OATS NO. 2 RANGE 1.40-1.90, AVERAGE 1.69; SOYBEANS NO. 1 RANGE 7.15-7.25, AVERAGE 7.20.

CENTRAL PENNSYLVANIA
CORN NO. 2-Y RANGE 2.80-3.15, FEW REPORTED 3.30, AVERAGE 2.99; WHEAT NO. 2 RANGE 3.25-3.40, FEW REPORTED 3.00, AVERAGE 3.26; BARLEY NO. 3 RANGE 1.70-2.00, FEW REPORTED 2.50, AVERAGE 2.00; OATS NO. 2 RANGE 1.60-1.90, AVERAGE 1.77; SOYBEANS RANGE 6.90-7.50 FEW REPORTED 7.80, AVERAGE 7.29 EAR CORN RANGE 68.00-85.00, FEW REPORTED 100.00, AVERAGE 79.71.

MONTH AGO
CORN NO. 2-Y 2.91; WHEAT NO. 2 3.32; BARLEY NO. 3 2.00; OATS NO. 2 1.70; SOYBEANS NO. 1 7.05; EAR CORN 83.11.

YEAR AGO
CORN NO. 2-Y 5.10; WHEAT NO. 2 4.65; BARLEY NO. 3 3.40; OATS NO. 2 2.24; SOYBEANS NO. 1 7.85; EAR CORN 145.89.

Regional Hay

September 8, 1997

Eastern Pa.
HAY & STRAW MARKET FOR EASTERN PA. - (ALL HAY NO. 2 AND BETTER. PRICES PAID BY DEALERS AT THE FARM & PER TON.) HAY AND STRAW STEADY.

ALFALFA 100.00-150.00; MIXED HAY 90.00-150.00, TIMOTHY 90.00-120.00, FEW REPORTED 150.00;

STRAW 70.00-90.00; MULCH 35.00-45.00, FEW REPORTED 25.00.

SUMMARY OF LANCASTER CO. HAY AUCTIONS FOR WEEK ENDING 09/05/97. PRICES PER TON: LOADS: 212 HAY, 37 STRAW & 34 EAR CORN. ALFALFA 120.00-170.00; MIXED HAY 100.00-192.00; TIMOTHY 110.00-175.00; STRAW 87.00-125.00; EAR CORN 92.00-99.00.

SUMMARY OF CENTRAL PA HAY AUCTIONS FOR WEEK ENDING 09/05/97. PRICES PER TON: LOADS: 127 HAY, 10 STRAW & 29 EAR CORN. ALFALFA 100.00-187.50; MIXED HAY 85.00-153.00; TIMOTHY 86.00-142.50; STRAW 60.00-95.00; EAR CORN 82.50-107.00.

Four States Livestock

Hagerstown, Md

September 10, 1997

Report supplied by Auction

SLAUGHTER COWS: 82 HEAD, STEADY. UTILITY 35.00-39.50; HIGH DRESSING TO 40.75; CANNERS 30.00-35.00; SHELLY 29.00 DOWN.

BULLS: 10. YG#1 44.00-46.25; YG#2 42.00-45.00.

FED STEERS: FEW OFFERED. HIGH CHOICE TO PRIME 1100-1400 LBS. 67.00-69.50.

FED HEIFERS: LOW CHOICE 1000-1100 LBS. TO 57.00.

VEAL CALVES: 164 HEAD. CHOICE 200-300 LBS. 69.00-74.00; GOOD 55.00-67.00; CULLS 85-110 LBS. 28.00-36.00; 60-80 LBS. 20.00-30.00.

FARM CALVES: HOLSTEIN BULLS 5.00-10.00 LOWER. #1 95-120 LBS. 70.00-85.00; 90 LBS. 50.00-65.00; #2 85-100 LBS. 35.00-48.00; HOLSTEIN HEIFERS #1 95-120 LBS. TO 140.00; #2 80-100 LBS. 45.00-90.00; BEEF X BULLS AND HEIFERS 40.00-70.00.

BUTCHER HOGS: FEW OFFERED. US#1-3 230-260 LBS. TO 48.00; 300-350 LBS. 37.00-41.00; 350-450 LBS. 35.00-40.00.

SOWS: FEW OFFERED. BOARS TO 33.00.

STOCK CATTLE: 184 HAD, 3.00-6.00 LOWER. STEERS MED. AND LRGE. FRAME 300-500 LBS. 68.00-82.00; 500-700 LBS. 65.00-75.00; 700-900 LBS. 52.00-61.00; HOLSTEINS, ALL WEIGHTS, 47.00-54.00.

HEIFERS: 300-500 LBS. 64.00-72.00; 500-700 LBS. 60.00-70.00; 700-900 LBS. 55.00-66.00.

BULLS: 300-500 LBS. 64.00-77.00;

500-700 LBS. 60.00-67.00; 800-1000 LBS. 48.00-53.00; DAIRY REPLACEMENTS, LARGE SPRINGERS 875.00-975.00; MED. 450.00-650.00, 1 FRESH AT 750.00.

LAMBS: CHOICE 100-120 LBS., BUCKS TO 82.00; 70-79 LBS. 87.00-99.00; 40-70 LBS. 113.00-117.00. SHEEP: HEAVYWEIGHTS 32.00-36.00.

PIGS AND SHOATS: 45 HEAD. BY THE HEAD, 20-30 LBS. TO 22.00; 30-40 LBS. 24.00-28.00.

NEXT WED. SPECIAL DAIRY CATTLE CONSIGNMENT SALE. PROMISED: 48 HOLSTEIN COWS IN ALL STAGES OF LACTATION.

Pennsylvania Livestock Auction

Waynesburg, Pa.

Thurs., Sept. 11, 1997

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CATTLE: SL COWS: UTILITY & COMMERCIAL 35.00-40.00; CUTTER & BONING UTILITY 30.00-36.00; CANNER & LOW CUTTER 30.00-34.50; SHELLS 30.00 & DOWN. BULLS: YIELD GRADE 1 1500#-2000# 40.00-49.00; YIELD GRADE 2 1000#-1400# 37.00-53.00.

FEEDER STEERS: M&L-1 300-500# 50.00-96.00; 250-280# 66.00-98.00, M 600-900 57.00-77.00. HEIFERS M1&L-1 300-500# 40.00-81.00; L-1 400-650# 38.00-75.00. BULLS M&L-1 300-620# 42.00-92.00.

CALVES: VEAL. PRIME 40.00-80.00; CHOICE 38.00-72.00; GOOD 35.00-48.00.

FARM CALVES: #1 HOLSTEIN BULLS 90-120# FEW 35.00-60.00; #2 HOLSTEIN BULLS 80-100# FEW 20.00-40.00; BEEF X BULL&HFRS./HD. 20.00-55.00.

HOGS: BARROWS & GILTS #1-2 210-255# 50.00-54.00; #2-3 255-280# 46.00-52.00; SOWS #1-3 300-500# 30.00-48.00.

FEEDER PIGS: 1-3 15-20# 5.00-17.00/H.D.; 1-3 25-35# 10.00-34.00/H.D.

LAMBS: HIGH CHOICE 80-100 LBS. 74.00-85.00; CHOICE 70-90 LBS. 75.00 TO 110.00; FEEDER LAMBS GOOD 60.00-74.00; SHEEP 20.00-39.00; FAT SHEEP 25.00 & DOWN.

GOATS: LARGE 55.00-115.00/H.D.; MEDIUM 30.00-54.00/H.D.; SMALL 10.00-37.00/H.D.

Indiana Livestock

Homer City, PA

Thursday, Sept. 11, 1997

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CATTLE: 269 STEERS, COWS STEADY.

STEERS: CHOICE 1100-1925 LBS. 64.00-67.00, SELECT 55.00-60.00, STANDARD 45.00-54.50 FEW TO 40.00.

HOLSTEIN STEERS: HI CHOICE & PRIME CHOICE 1400-1600 LBS. 56.00-58.25, SELECT 47.75-53.75, STANDARD 38.50-46.00.

HEIFERS: CHOICE 1115-1300 LBS. 61.25-65.00; SELECT 53.50-58.50; STANDARD 40.00-51.00, FEW TO 35.00.

COWS: BREAKING UTILITY & COMMERCIAL 37.00-41.00, FEW TO 43.50. CUTTER & BONING UTILITY 32.00-36.75; CANNER & LOW CUTTER 25.00-32.00; SHELLS DOWN TO 18.00.

BULLOCKS: CHOICE 1050 ONE AT 56.76; BULLS: YIELD GRADE NO. 1 1200-1770 LBS. 42.25-45.50; YIELD GRADE NO. 2 1375-1725 LBS. 37.25-43.50.

FEEDER CATTLE: STEERS M&L 1 335-675 LBS. 63.00-73.00; M&L2 325-880 LBS. 30.00-97.00. HEIFERS FEW M&L 1 300-700 LBS. 64.00-67.00; M&L 2 350-775 LB. 33.50-56.50; BULLS: M&L 2 300-785 LBS. 35.00-55.00.

CALVES: 89. VEALERS CH. 150-270 LB. 60.00-76.00; FEW GOOD 160-290 LB. 52.00-58.00; STANDARD & GOOD 90-115 LB. 16.00-28.00; STANDARD & GOOD 70-85 LBS. 14.00-26.00; UTILITY 60-85 LB. 7.00-16.00.

FARM CALVES: HOLSTEIN BULLS: STEADY TO 15.00. NO. 1 90-114 LB. 60.00-85.00, MOSTLY 65.00-75.00; NO. 2 85-110 LB. 29.00-60.00. HOLSTEIN HEIFERS: FEW NO. 1 90-115 LB. 105.00-112.00; FEW NO. 2 85-90 LB. 31.00-70.00. BEEF CROSS BULLS & HEIFERS 75-110 LB. 30.00-62.00, ONE AT 100.00.

HOGS: 36 BARROWS & GILTS STEADY. 1-3 225-250 LB. 47.00-50.75, 2-3 270-345 LB. 43.25-45.00. SOWS: 1-3 450-590 LB. 37.25-45.75; BOARS: 772 ONE AT 30.50.

FEEDER PIGS: 10 1-3 15-30 LB. 8.00-20.00.

SHEEP: 1 CH 90 LB. ONE AT 90.00. GOATS: 9: BILLIES: LARGE 60.00-75.00 ONE AT 140.00; NANNIES: LARGE ONE AT 45.00; KIDS: LARGE 20.00-38.00.

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Tuesday, 23 September 1997
CONCORD, NORTH CAROLINA
"Cannon Land & Cattle Co", 2585 Goldhill Rd
Concord, North Carolina
10.00 am - 3.30pm

Program:

10.00 am Registration.
10.20 -10.45 Welcome and introduction by Jim Green.
10.45 - 12.00 Presentation Wayne Stachurski, New Zealand keynote speaker.
12.00 - 12.30 pm Commentary by Dr Jim Green and Carl Pless.
Question time.
12.30 - 1.30 pm BBQ LUNCH
1.30 - 3.30 pm Discussion, demonstrations, video presentations.

For more details contact David Hill
Tel: 800 2300024

Thursday, 25 September 1997
BURKES GARDEN, VIRGINIA
Burkes Garden School, Rt. 623
Burkes Garden, VA
10.00 am - 3.30pm

Program:

10.00 am Registration.
10.20 -10.45 am Welcome and introduction by Jim Hanes
10.45 - 12.00 Presentation Wayne Stachurski, New Zealand keynote speaker.
12.00 - 12.30 pm Commentary by Dr Paul Peterson and Doug Melvin.
Question time.
12.30 - 1.30 pm BBQ LUNCH
1.30 - 3.30 pm Discussion, demonstrations, video presentations.

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Saturday, 27 September 1997
LANCASTER COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA
"Spring Wood Farm", 1143 Gap Rd,
Kinzer, PA
10.00 am - 3.30pm

Program:

10.00 am Registration
10.20 -10.45 Welcome and introduction by Roman Stoltzfoos.
10.45 - 12.00 Presentation Wayne Stachurski, New Zealand keynote speaker.
12.00 - 12.30 pm Commentary by Roman Stoltzfoos and Steven Clee.
Question time.
12.30 - 1.30 pm BBQ LUNCH
1.30 - 3.30 pm Discussion, demonstrations, video presentations.

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