

HOG MARKETS

Lancaster Graded Sow And Boar Sale
 Lancaster, Pa.
 Report Supplied by USDA
 For Tuesday, March 17, 1998
 TOTAL HOGS: 80.
 GRADE SOWS 1-3: 18 HEAD 475-600 LBS. 23.85-25.75; 27 HEAD 300-450 LBS. 19.50-22.35.
 GILTS: US#2-4 8 HEAD 336 LBS. 24.25.
 BOARS: 18 HEAD 250-425 LBS. 15.00-15.75.

New Holland Feeder Pigs
 New Holland, PA
 Wed., March 18, 1998
 Report Supplied by USDA
 TODAY 448 HEAD
 LAST WEDNESDAY 503
 LAST YEAR 374
 TREND: COMPARED TO LAST WED., FEEDER PIGS SOLD 10.00 TO MOSTLY 20.00 HIGHER. TRADE ACTIVITY WAS GOOD WITH 56 PERCENT RETURNED TO FARM. ALL PIGS WEIGHED ON ARRIVAL AND SOLD BY THE HUNDREDWEIGHT.
 US#1-2: 76 HEAD 27-43 LBS. 44.00-75.00; 38 HEAD 33-47 LBS. 80.00-100.00; 101 HEAD 52-85 LBS. 50.00-70.00.
 US#2: 20 HEAD 25-69 LBS. 55.00-70.00.
 SLAUGHTER: 11 HEAD 21 LBS. 70.00; 24 HEAD 21-38 LBS. 50.00-70.00; 37 HEAD 24-36 LBS. 20.00-28.00; 12 HEAD 34 LBS. 28.00; 75 HEAD 33-35 LBS. 90.00-100.00; 34 HEAD 43-84 LBS. 22.00-28.00; AS IS, 106 HEAD 10-62 LBS. 2.00-32.00.
 ALL PIGS CONSIGNED TO WED. FEEDER PIG SALE MUST ORIGINATE FROM A QUALIFIED NEGATIVE OR MONITORED HERD.

S & J Villari Livestock Feeder Pig Sale
 Millboro, Del.
 March 16, 1998
 Report Supplied by Auction
 559 HEAD.
 30-39 LBS. 65.00-71.00; 40-49 LBS. 60.00-66.00; 50-59 LBS. 66.00-77.00; 60-69 LBS. 55.00; 70-79 LBS. 47.00; 80-89 LBS. 45.00-51.00.

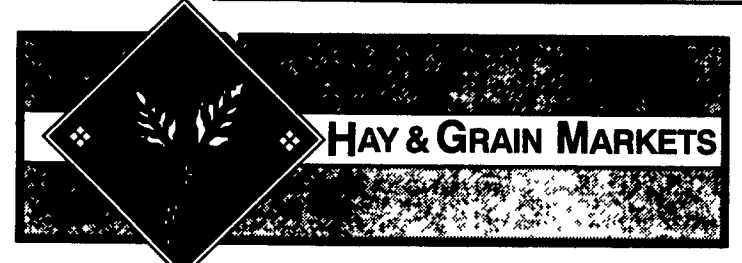
New Holland Hogs
 NEW HOLLAND, PA
 TUE MARCH 17, 1998
 USDA Market News
 NEW HOLLAND HOG AUCTION FOR MONDAY MARCH 16, 1998
 HOG RECEIPTS TODAY 1122 LAST MONDAY 1061 LAST YEAR 1093
 BARROWS AND GILTS: Compared to last Monday, mostly 1.00 higher. US 1-2 200-250 lbs 34.50-36.75 250-280 lbs 34.75-35.85 Several 210-255 lbs 37.00-37.50 280-310 lbs 31.00-33.10
 SOWS: Generally steady for sows weighing over 400 lbs, while sows weighing under 400 lbs traded 50-2.00 higher. US 1-3 300-400 lbs 22.00-24.50 400-500 lbs 24.00-25.50 500-650 lbs 25.00-27.25
 BOARS: Under 300 lbs 18.00-24.00 Over 300 lbs 16.00-18.00

State Graded Feeder Pig Sale
 Carlisle Livestock Market, Inc.
 Friday, March 13, 1998
 RESULTS ON 808 PIGS.
 TREND: COMPARED TO FEB. 27 STATE GRADED SALE, GRADE 1&2 WERE ACTIVE AND STEADY. GRADE 2'S WERE 5.00 TO SPOTS 10.00 LOWER. ALL PIGS ARE FROM QUALIFIED OR MONITORED HERDS AND WERE WEIGHED ON ARRIVAL AND SOLD BY THE HUNDREDWEIGHT.
 US#1&2: 590 HEAD. 8 HEAD 35 LBS. 50.00; 7 HEAD 37 LBS. 100.00; 142 HEAD 39-49 LBS. 70.00-85.00; 270 HEAD 52-59 LBS. 71.00-78.00; 81 HEAD 62-69 LBS. 62.00-69.00; 82 HEAD 70-79 LBS. 60.00-71.00.
 US#2: 161 HEAD. 13 HEAD 24-39 LBS. 47.00-50.00; 36 HEAD 43-49 LBS. 60.00-69.00; 68 HEAD 54-59 LBS. 61.00-71.00; 41 HEAD 60-79 LBS. 61.00-62.00; 3 HEAD 80 LBS. 57.00.
 US#2-3: 17 HEAD 40-50 LBS. 35.00-40.00.
 AS IS: 40 HEAD. 5 HEAD 31-39 LBS. 25.00; 28 HEAD 45-60 LBS. 29.00; 7 HEAD 65-80 LBS. 33.00.
 NEXT STATE GRADED FEEDER PIGS SALE MARCH 27. RECEIVING FROM 6 A.M.-11 A.M. SALE 1:30 P.M. STARTING THURS., APRIL 9, SALE TIME WILL BE 1 P.M. INSTEAD OF 1:30 P.M. NO SALE FRIDAY, APRIL 10 DUE TO GOOD FRIDAY. SALE WILL BE THURS., APRIL 9, 1 P.M.

Lancaster Hogs
 Lancaster Stockyards
 Wednesday, March 18, 1998
 Report supplied by USDA
 HOG MARKET TODAY 509 HEAD; LAST WEDNESDAY 734; LAST YEAR 769.
 BARROWS AND GILTS: COMPARED TO LAST MON., PRICES WERE STEADY.
 US#1-2 240-260 LBS. 35.00-36.00.
 US#1-3 220-250 LBS. 34.00-35.00.

Indiana Hogs
 Springfield, IL

Thursday March 19, 1998
 USDA-II Market News Serv Indiana-Ohio Direct Hog Close
 Indiana-Ohio Direct Receipts: Wednesday's actual 29,500 Week to date 122,000 Today's estimate 32,000 Same pd. week ago 131,600 Thursday a week ago 30,900 Same pd. year ago 114,100 Thursday a year ago 25,900
 Barrows and Gilts: Mostly 1.00 Higher. Demand moderate to good on a moderate movement. Country: Plants: US 1-2 230-260 lbs. 34.50-35.50 Few 36.00 35.00-36.50 US 2-3 230-260 lbs. 29.00-34.00 Few 37.00 210-230 lbs. 26.00-29.00
 Sows: Steady.
 US 1-3 300-400 lbs. 22.00-24.00 Few 21.00 400-500 lbs. 23.00-25.00 500-600 lbs. 25.00-28.00 Few over 600 lbs. 29.00-30.00
 Boars: over 300 lbs. 15.00-16.50; under 300 lbs. 17.00-20.00, Few 21.00
 Eastern Combelt Direct Hog Trade Hot Carcass Value Information Trend: 1.00-1.84 Higher Estimated receipts: 38,200 as of 11:00 am Lean Value Evaluation Summary: % Lean 43-44 45-46 47-48 49-50 51-52 53-54 55-56 Lean Value**
 *Base** Base** Base** Carcass wt*
 39.81 * 44.63 * 46.00 * 47.25 * 48.50 * 49.50 * 50.75 * 170-191# * 47.78 * 49.00 * 50.47 * 50.96 * 54.00 * 56.00 * 56.00 *
 Base Base* Base* Backfat: *****
 * 10th rib <1.39 * <1.24 * <1.14 * <.99 * <.89 * <.74 * <.59 * Last rib <1.40 * <1.29 * <1.19 * <1.09 * <.99 * <.79 * <.59 *
 SB 31.50-35.00 SG 34.50-36.00 SL 28.00-33.00 SZ 26.00-29.00 SC 35.00-37.00 SH 33.50-35.00 SW 21.00-24.00 TA 15.00-16.50 SD 34.00-36.00 SJ 26.00-29.00 SX 23.00-25.00 TAA 17.00-21.00 SF 29.00-34.00 SK 29.00-34.00 SY 25.00-28.00



HAY & GRAIN MARKETS

Diffenbach Auction Center
 New Holland, Pa.
 Monday, March 16, 1998
 Report Supplied by Auction
 TOTAL LOADS: 205.
 ALFALFA: 137.00-235.00.
 MIXED HAY: 70.00-230.00.
 TIMOTHY: 100.00-195.00.
 ORCHARDGRASS: 95.00-172.00.
 CLOVER BALEAGE: 50.00.
 CLOVER: 147.00 TON.
 STUBBLE HAY: 160.00.
 HAYLAGE: 55.00 BALE.
 MEADOWGRASS: 112.00 TON.
 STRAW: 92.00-135.00.
 EAR CORN: 97.00-116.00.
 OATS: 2.25-2.55 BU.
 FIREWOOD: 45.00-55.00.

Hay Market Summary
 March 16, 1998
 Eastern Pa.
 HAY & STRAW MARKET FOR EASTERN PA. - (ALL HAY NO. 2 AND BETTER. PRICES PAID BY DEALERS AT THE FARM & PER TON.) HAY STEADY TO 10.00 LOWER, STRAW STEADY.
 ALFALFA 100.00-160.00, FEW TO 185.00; MIXED HAY 90.00-150.00; TIMOTHY 90.00-150.00; STRAW 60.00-100.00; MULCH 30.00-60.00, MOSTLY 45.00-50.00.
 SUMMARY OF LANCASTER CO. HAY AUCTIONS FOR WEEK ENDING 03/13/98. PRICES PER TON: LOADS: 402 HAY, 86 STRAW & 14 EAR CORN. ALFALFA 142.00-220.00; MIXED HAY 102.00-227.00; TIMOTHY 122.00-190.00; STRAW 97.00-123.00; EAR CORN 91.00-105.00.
 SUMMARY OF CENTRAL PA HAY AUCTIONS FOR WEEK ENDING 03/13/98. PRICES PER TON: LOADS: 275 HAY, 82 STRAW & 27 EAR CORN. ALFALFA 115.00-200.00; MIXED HAY 85.00-175.00; TIMOTHY 90.00-148.00; STRAW 65.00-105.00; EAR CORN 80.00-105.00.

Morrison's Cove Auction Hay
 Morrison's Cove
 Report Supplied by Auction
 March 16
 ALFALFA: 202.50-237.50.
 GRASS: 142.50-185.00.
 TIMOTHY: 97.50-125.00, ROUND BALE 33.00.
 MIXED HAY: 75.00-120.00.
 WRAPPED ALFALFA: 30.00 BALE.
 CORN FODDER: 20.00 BALE.
 STRAW: 87.50-102.50.
 WOOD: 15.00-35.00.
 HAY AUCTION EVERY MONDAY, 12:30 P.M.

Wolgemuth Hay
 Leola, Pa.
 Wed., March 18, 1998
 Report Supplied by Auction
 TOTAL LOADS: 59.
 ALFALFA: 127.00-212.00.
 STRAW: 112.00-142.00.
 GRASS: 130.00-155.00.
 TIMOTHY: 122.00-165.00.
 CORN: 105.00 AND 113.00.
 MIXED HAY: 115.00-240.00.

Green Dragon Hay
 Ephrata, Pa.
 Friday, March 13, 1998
 Report Supplied by Auction
 162 TOTAL LOADS.
 MIXED HAY: 90.00-210.00.
 ALFALFA: 107.00-225.00.
 TIMOTHY: 92.00-175.00.
 STRAW: 106.00-135.00.
 CORN: 80.00-117.00.
 ORCHARD GRASS: 91.00-180.00.
 CLOVER BALEGAE: 41.00 BALE.
 OATS: 2.00-2.35 BU.

Westminster Hay
 Westminster, Md.
 Tuesday, March 17, 1998
 Report Supplied by Auction
 ALFALFA: 1.90-5.10 BALE.
 TIMOTHY: 89.00, 1.50-4.00 BALE, 40.00-47.00 LARGE ROUND.
 MIXED HAY: 1.35-3.80 BALE.
 CLOVER: 2.00-3.30 BALE.
 GRASS: 1.50-3.35 BALE, 32.00-47.00 LARGE ROUND.
 STRAW: .60-2.00 BALE.
 BEAN STUBBLE: .25 BALE.
 OATS: 2.40-3.65 BU.

Kutztown Hay Auction
 Fleetwood, PA
 March 14
 Hay and Straw at 9:00 a.m. Sat. followed by produce
 Report Supplied by Auction
 43 LOADS.
 ALFALFA HAY: 130.00-195.00.
 TIMOTHY HAY: 100.00-160.00.
 GRASS HAY: 70.00-150.00.
 MIXED HAY: 120.00-140.00.
 LARGE ROUND BALES: 35.00.
 HAY: 1.70 BALE.
 WHEAT STRAW: 100.00-112.00.
 OAT STRAW: 90.00.
 FIREWOOD: 50.00.

Frederick Co. Hay
 Frederick, Md. Livestock Auction
 Wed., March 18
 3 LOADS.
 ORCHARD GRASS/TIMOTHY MIXED: 2.60-3.00 BALE.
 TIMOTHY: 2.80 BALE.



PIGS
 STATE GRADED SALE
 RECEIVING 7-11 AM
 FRIDAY
 Mar. 27
 1:30 P.M.
 AT
Carlisle
 LIVESTOCK MARKET, INC.
 Exit 12 Off I-81 turn South
 (717) 249-4511 or
 Evenings Jim, 249-2359

EASTER LAMB/GOAT SALE
 Friday, April 3
 12:30 PM
 Receiving 7 AM - 11 AM
Rabbits & Poultry Sale 9 AM
 Receiving Rabbits, Poultry, fowl & eggs
 7 AM to 9 AM
Carlisle Livestock Market
 Just South off I-81 @ Exit 12
 (717) 249-4511 or
 Evenings, Jim 249-2359

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Special Feeder Cattle Sales
 April 3 & 17

Receiving Market Hogs
 Wednesday
 6:30 AM To 11:30 AM

Sheep & Goat
 Consignments Welcome for Mondays

Graded Sow & Boar Sales
 April 7 & 21
 (1st & 3rd Tues. of month)
 Receiving 6:00 AM to Noon
 SALE - 2:00 PM (Large Lots)
 2:30 PM - (Individuals)

Sows to be graded & weighed in 50 lb increments
PROBLEM SOWS
 SOLD SEPARATELY

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