

# Estimated Daily Livestock Slaughter

Under Federal Inspection  
April 15, 1998

	CATTLE	CALVES	HOGS	SHEEP
WEDNESDAY 4/15/98 (EST)	130,000	6,000	374,000	15,000
WEEK AGO (BST)	128,000	6,000	363,000	17,000
YEAR AGO (ACT)	132,000	6,000	348,000	15,000
WEEK TO DATE (BST)	370,000	18,000	987,000	44,000
SAME PD LT WK (EST)	372,000	17,000	1,083,000	50,000
SAME PD LT YR (EST)	387,000	18,000	1,038,000	45,000

## Westminster Livestock Auction

Hagerstown, Md.  
April 14, 1998

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77 HEAD, STEADY TO 1.00 HIGHER. UTILITY 36.50-41.00; HIGH DRESSING 41.00-43.00; CANNERS 32.00-37.00; SHELLY 32.00 DOWN.

BULLS: 8 HEAD, 1200-1950 LBS. 2.00 HIGHER. YG#1 48.00-54.00; YG#2 45.00-48.00.

FED STEERS: 41 HEAD, HIGH CHOICE 1100-1400 LBS. 62.00-64.25; 1400-1600 LBS. 58.00-61.75; FEW 1600-1750 LBS. 56.00-57.25; SELECT TO LOW CHOICE 1100-1400 LBS. 58.00-61.25; CHOICE HOLSTEINS 1200-1600 LBS. 55.00-57.25; SELECT HOLSTEINS 47.00-52.00.

FED HEIFERS: 20 HEAD, HIGH CHOICE 1050-1350 LBS. 62.00-63.75; LOW CHOICE 55.00-61.25.

VEAL CALVES: 100 HEAD, CULLS 85-110 LBS. 25.00-32.00; 60-85 LBS. 19.00-28.00.

FARM CALVES: HOLSTEIN BULLS 10.00 HIGHER. #1 95-120 LBS. 85.00-109.00; 85-95 LBS. 40.00-90.00; HOLSTEIN HEIFERS #1 90-120 LBS. 85.00-109.00; 85-95 LBS. 40.00-90.00; HOLSTEIN HEIFERS #1 90-120 LBS. 105.00-150.00; #2 75-90 LBS. TO 75.00; BEEF X BULLS 55.00-92.00; HEIFERS TO 80.00.

BUTCHER HOGS: 30 HEAD, 2.00-3.00 HIGHER. US#1-2 230-260 LBS. 35.00-36.00; US#1-3 220-260 LBS. 34.00, 275-290 LBS. 32.00-33.00; US#2-3 290-300 LBS. 28.00-32.00.

STOCK CATTLE: 285 HEAD, PRICES STEADY TO HIGHER. STEERS MED. TO LRGE. FRAME 200-400 LBS. 85.00-98.00; 400-600 LBS. 80.00-97.00; 600-800 LBS. 65.00-78.00, 1 AT 82.00; 800-1000 LBS. 54.00-66.00.

HEIFERS: MED. AND LARGE FRAME 200-500 LBS. 63.00-79.00, FEW 80.00-84.00; 500-700 LBS. 60.00-73.00; 700-900 LBS. 50.00-60.00.

BULLS: 200-500 LBS. 75.00-92.00; 500-700 LBS. 64.00-83.00; 700-900 LBS. FEW 43.00-52.00; 900-1000 LBS. TO

50.00.

LAMBS: 122 HEAD, CHOICE 80-100 LBS. 85.00-98.00; 60-80 LBS. 95.00-120.00; 40-60 LBS. 100.00-125.00; 20-40 LBS. 100.00-175.00.

SHEEP: 25 HEAD 37.00-62.00; HEAVYWEIGHTS 27.00-40.00.

GOATS: 35 HEAD, LARGE 60.00-75.00, 2 AT 112.00 AND 150.00; MED. 35.00-60.00; SMALL FLESHY 25.00-40.00.

PIGS AND SHOATS: 30 HEAD, SOLD IN LOT OF 2-6. BY THE HEAD, 20-30 LBS. 29.00-35.00; 2 LOTS 40-50 LBS. 40.00-42.00; BY THE LB., 1 LOT 78 LBS. AT 64.00; 1 LOT 170 LBS. AT 32.00.

SOWS: 12 HEAD, 1.00 HIGHER. 300-500 LBS. 23.00-24.50; 300-700 LBS. 26.00-27.00; THIN 18.00-21.00.

BOARS: 8 HEAD, 240-300 LBS. 20.00; 400-700 LBS. 15.00-16.25.

NEXT TUES., APRIL 21...SPECIAL FEEDER PIG SALE AT 7 P.M. SPECIAL FEEDER CATTLE SALE AFTER PIGS.

## Carlisle Livestock

Carlisle, Pa.  
April 14, 1998

SLAUGHTER CATTLE: COWS, ACTIVE! BREAKING UTILITY AND COMMERCIAL 39.00-46.50; CUTTER AND BONING UTILITY 36.75-41.00; CANNER AND LOW CUTTER 30.00-38.50; BIG MIDDLE 35.00-38.50; SHELLY 29.00 AND DOWN.

BULLS: 38.25-44.75. FEEDER CATTLE: STEERS MED. AND LARGE #1 600-850 LBS. 51.00-57.00; HEIFERS, COUPLE 600-850 LBS. 59.00-63.00; BULLS, HOLSTEINS/DAIRY TYPES 500-850 LBS. 48.50-56.00; CALVES, VEALERS GOOD

Lancaster Farming, Saturday, April 18, 1998-A15

AND CHOICE 60.00-85.00; RETURNING TO FARM, STRONG DEMAND! HOLSTEIN BULLS #1 95-125 LBS. 90.00-105.00, 130-160 LBS. 70.00-82.50; HOLSTEIN HEIFERS #1 100-110 LBS. 140.00-147.50.

SWINE: HOGS US#1-3 220-270 LBS. 34.00-37.00; US#2-3 220-270 LBS. 32.00-33.75, OVER 280 LBS. 36.00-38.50; BOARS OVER 300 LBS. 15.50-16.50; SOWS US#1-3 300-500 LBS. 23.75-31.50; FEEDER PIGS BY THE HEAD, 18-25 LBS. 18.00-25.00, 30-45 LBS. 26.00-35.00.

GOATS: BY THE HEAD, MED. TO LRGE. NANNIES AND BILLIES 57.50-145.00; FLESHY KIDS 40.00-57.00; SMALL/THIN KIDS 22.00-40.00.

LAMBS: GOOD AND CHOICE 35-60 LBS. 130.00-155.00, 60-100 LBS. 100.00-140.00, 100-130 LBS. 87.50-100.00.

SHEEP: ALL WEIGHTS 31.00-52.50. SALE EVERY TUES. 5 P.M. FOR RABBITS, POULTRY AND EGGS, 6:30 P.M. FOR LIVESTOCK, STARTING WITH CALVES.

SPECIAL FED CATTLE SALE TUES., APRIL 21.

SPECIAL FEEDER CATTLE SALE TUES., APRIL 21.

STATE GRADED FEEDER PIG SALES FRI., APRIL 24.

PEN LOTS OF CATTLE SOLD IN ORDER RECEIVED; EARLYBIRD PENS CLOSE TUES. 2 P.M.

## Frederick Livestock Auction

Frederick, Md.  
April 13, 1998

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SLAUGHTER COWS: 75 HEAD, ACTIVE, 1.00 HIGHER. UTILITY 37.00-41.00; HIGH DRESSING 41.00-43.75, 1 AT 46.75; CANNERS 32.00-37.00; SHELLY 32.00 DOWN.

BULLS: 7 HEAD, YG#1 1200-1950 LBS. 48.00-49.75; YG#2 44.50-47.00.

FED STEERS: 2 SELECT HOLSTEINS 1375-1500 LBS. 48.00-51.00.

FED HEIFERS: FEW OFFERED.

VEAL CALVES: 164 HEAD, CHOICE 200 LBS. AT 74.00; 1400 LBS. AT 60.00; CULLS 85-110 LBS. 25.00-31.00, FEW TO 35.00; 60-85 LBS. 17.00-27.00.

FARM CALVES: PRICES 5.00-15.00

HIGHER! HOLSTEIN BULLS #1 95-120 LBS. 85.00-115.00; 85-95 LBS. 55.00-85.00; FEW 80 LBS. TO 40.00; HOLSTEIN HEIFERS, VERY STRONG DEMAND. #1 95-120 LBS. 135.00-150.00, 2 AT 180.00 AND 190.00; #2 80-110 LBS. 85.00-115.00; BEEF X BULLS 45.00-95.00.

BUTCHER HOGS: 50 HEAD, PRICES STEADY. US#1-2 230-270 LBS. 34.00-34.75; #1-3 225-265 lbs. 33.00-33.75; US#2-3 1 LOT 262 LBS. AT 32.25; 2 HEAD 367 lbs. AT 22.00.

STOCK CATTLE: STEERS, NONE. HEIFERS: 300-500 LBS. 65.00-75.00; 500-700 LBS. 65.00-69.00.

BULLS: 300-500 LBS. 66.00-75.00.

LAMBS: 2 SPRING 45-55 LBS. 100.00-115.00; WOOLED 1 85 LB. AT 96.00; 1 110 LB. 81.50.

SHEEP: 25.00-37.00. GOATS: FEW MED. 25.00-40.00. PIGS AND SHOATS: 2 LOTS 30 LBS. 17.00-18.00.

## New Holland Horses

New Holland Sales Stables  
New Holland, PA

Monday, April 13, 1998

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232 HEAD, MARKET STRONGER. DRIVING 435.00-1225.00.

RIDING 400.00-900.00.

BETTER RIDING HORSES 1000.00-1550.00.

REGISTERED RIDING 965.00-1875.00, 1 AT 2875.00.

KILLERS, 2 AT 950.00 AND 975.00, HEAVYWEIGHTS 625.00-825.00, LIGHTWEIGHTS 415.00-580.00.

PONIES 145.00-405.00. LARGE PONIES 460.00-525.00. COLTS 165.00-335.00.

## St. Louis Cattle, Hogs

Springfield IL.

Monday, April 13, 1998

USDA-II Market News Service Farmers Livestock Marketing Assoc. Greenville Illinois

No report on Monday slaughter cattle trading due no reporters available.

## WATERLESS TOILETS

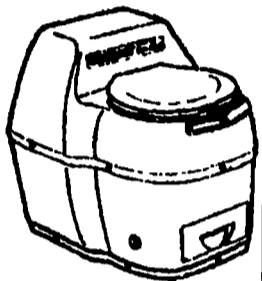
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