

Pa. Grain

March 22, 1999

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COMPARED TO LAST MONDAY'S MARKET FOR EASTERN AND CENTRAL PENNSYLVANIA, CORN STEADY TO MOSTLY 05, SPOTS 10 HIGHER, WHEAT STEADY TO 05 HIGHER, SOYBEANS MOSTLY 10 SPOTS 15 HIGHER, BARLEY AND OATS MOSTLY STEADY TO 05 HIGHER, EAR CORN STEADY TO STRONG PRICES PAID DELIVERED TO DELIVERS DOCK ALL PRICES PER BUSHEL, EXCEPT EAR CORN PER TON

SOUTHEASTERN PENNSYLVANIA
CORN NO 2-Y RANGE 2 40-2 63 AVERAGE 2 52, CONTRACT FOR HARVEST 2 55-2 68, WHEAT NO 2 RANGE 2 66-2 96, AVERAGE 2 77, CONTRACT FOR HARVEST 2 72-2 98, BARLEY NO 3 RANGE 1 45-1 80, AVERAGE 1 67, CONTRACT FOR HARVEST 1 40-1 50, OATS NO 2 RANGE 1 40-1 65, AVERAGE 1 50, SOYBEANS RANGE 4 60-4 88, AVERAGE 4 72, CONTRACT FOR HARVEST 4 73 - 4 88, GR SORGHUM RANGE 2 42, AVERAGE 2 42, CONTRACT FOR HARVEST 2 53, EAR CORN RANGE 65 00-85 00, AVERAGE 73.43,

SOUTH CENTRAL PENNSYLVANIA
CORN NO 2-Y RANGE 2 34-2 45, FEW REPORTED 2 54, AVERAGE 2 40, WHEAT NO 2 RANGE 2 35-2 69, AVERAGE 2 52, BARLEY NO 3 RANGE 1 40-1 70, AVERAGE 1 55, OATS NO 2 RANGE 1 20-1 50, AVERAGE 1 38, SOYBEANS NO 1 RANGE 4 40-4 64, AVERAGE 4 50, EAR CORN RANGE 60 00-75 00, FEW REPORTED 85 00, AVERAGE 71 72

EASTERN AND CENTRAL PENNSYLVANIA SUMMARY

CORN NO 2-Y RANGE 2 35-2 55, AVERAGE 2 45, WHEAT NO 2 RANGE 2 45-2 96, AVERAGE 2 67, BARLEY NO 3 RANGE 1 45-1 75, AVERAGE 1 63, OATS NO 2 RANGE 1 40-1 70, AVERAGE 1 50, SOYBEANS NO 1 RANGE 4 40-4 80, AVERAGE 4 56, EAR CORN RANGE 65 00-75 00, AVERAGE 70 46

WESTERN PENNSYLVANIA
CORN NO 2 RANGE 2 10-2 37,

AVERAGE 2.26, WHEAT NO 2 RANGE 2 28-2 68, AVERAGE 2 55, BARLEY NO 3 RANGE 1 65-1 70, AVERAGE 1 67, OATS NO 2 RANGE 1 40-1.65, FEW REPORTED 1 25, AVERAGE 1 45; SOYBEANS NO 1 RANGE 4 40-4 41, AVERAGE 4 40, EAR CORN Range 68 00-85 00, AVERAGE 76 50

CENTRAL PENNSYLVANIA
CORN NO 2-Y RANGE 2 35-2 50, AVERAGE 2 44, WHEAT NO 2 RANGE 2 45-2 69, AVERAGE 2 59, BARLEY NO 3 RANGE 1 65-1 70, AVERAGE 1 69, OATS NO 2 RANGE 1 40-1 70, AVERAGE 1 54, SOYBEANS 4 40-4 62, FEW REPORTED 4 20, AVERAGE 4 46, EAR CORN RANGE 60 00-73 00, AVERAGE 67 43

LEHIGH VALLEY AREA
CORN NO 2-Y RANGE 2 35-2 50 AVERAGE 2 42, WHEAT NO 2 RANGE 2 50-2 80 FEW REPORTED 2 99, AVERAGE 2 74, BARLEY NO 3 RANGE 1 70-1 75, AVERAGE 1 72, OATS NO 2 RANGE 1 50-1 70, AVERAGE 1 58, SOYBEANS NO 1 RANGE 4 40-4 50, AVERAGE 4 46, GR SORGHUM 2 RANGE 2 60, AVERAGE 2 60, EAR CORN RANGE 65 00-71 00, AVERAGE 68 80

MONTH AGO
CORN NO 2-Y 2 40, WHEAT NO 2 2 56; BARLEY NO. 3 1 64, OATS NO 2 1 48, SOYBEANS NO 1 4 69; EAR CORN 70 36

YEAR AGO
CORN NO 2-Y 2 95, WHEAT NO 2 3 15, BARLEY NO 3 2 29, OATS NO 2 1 71, SOYBEANS NO 1 6 39, EAR CORN 82 86

NORTH CENTRAL OHIO
(Prices FOB Truck)
CORN 2 17-2 35, WHEAT 2 40-2 46, SOYBEAN MEAL BULK 44% 129 10-136 00, BULK 48% 138 10-145 00

National Grain Market

St. Joseph, MO
Wed Mar 24, 1999

USDA-MO Dept Ag Market News
DAILY NATIONAL GRAIN SUMMARY
Grain and soybean bids were higher ear-

ly but finished slightly lower. Continued good weather, slow export business, a pick up in farmer selling and the crisis in Serbia, weakened markets. Wheat 1 to 2 cents lower. Corn steady to 1 cent lower. Sorghum 1 cent lower. Soybeans 5 cents lower. Wheat bids slipped lower on continued favorable growing weather and good winter wheat condition. Declines were limited, however, by the announcement that CCC will tender for over one million metric tons of hard red winter wheat for April 1 through May 31 shipment. Reports China sold between 300,000 to one million tonnes of corn for export, pushed corn bids slightly lower. Additional weakness came from lack of foreign sales and increased farmer selling. Moderate losses in soybean pits today as concerns about whether USDA will follow through with PL-480 meal and bean shipment to Russia due to the Kosovo crisis. Continued farmer selling and slow foreign demand were pressure points.

U.S. EXPORT SALES: Purchaser Commodity Tonnage Del date Nothing new to report.

Date Change Year Ago TRUCK BIDS: 03/24/99 03/23/99 03/25/98 Wheat: Kansas City (HRW ORD) 2.83-2.84 Dn 1 3.41-3.42 Minneapolis (DNS 14pct) 3.52 Dn 3 1/4 4.09 1/4 Portland (SW) 3.19-3.21 Dn 1-2 3.52-3.54 St. Louis (SRW) 2.29-2.50 Dn 2 3.20-3.21

Corn, US 2 Yellow: Kansas City 2.15-2.17 Dn 1 2.60-2.61 Minneapolis 2.08 Dn 1/2 2.52 Southern Iowa 2.20-2.21 Up 1-unch 2.60-2.63 Omaha 2.03-2.05 Dn 1-unch 2.48-2.49

Soybeans, US 1 Yellow: Kansas City 4.76 Dn 5 6.53 Minneapolis 4.63 3/4 Dn 5 1/2 6.39 Southern Iowa 4.73-4.74 Dn 5 6.49-6.53 Cent IL Processors 4.76 3/4-4.85 3/4 Dn 5 1/2 6.53-6.66

FUTURES: Kansas City (May) Wheat

2.98 1/2 Dn 1 3.41 Minneapolis (May) Wheat 3.45 Dn 3 1/4 3.80 1/4 Chicago (May) Wheat 2.69 3/4 Dn 3 3.28 1/2 Chicago (May) Corn 2.28 Dn 1/2 2.65 Chicago (May) Soybeans 4.87 3/4 Dn 5 1/2 6.51

EXPORT BIDS: Barge or rail, Port of New Orleans or North Texas Gulf. US 1 HRW Wheat, Ord. Protein: 3.15 1/2-3.21 1/2 Dn 1-up 1 3.72-3.75 US 2 Soft Red Winter Wheat: 2.65 3/4-2.69 3/4 Dn 4-unch 3.42 1/2-3.43 1/2 US 2 Yellow Corn: 2.50-2.51 Up 1-1/2 2.83-2.85 US 2 Yellow Sorghum: Rail 4.23-4.27 Dn 2-1 4.89-5.00 Barge 4.22 Up 7-unch 5.09-5.11 US 1 Yellow Soybeans: 5.07 1/4-5.07 1/4 Dn 5-5 1/2 6.77-6.80

Kirkwood Hay Auction

Kirkwood, Pa.

Tuesday, March 23

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124 LOADS.

MIXED HAY: 1ST CUTTING 57.00-125.00, 2ND CUTTING 83.00-150.00.

TIMOTHY: 48.00-153.00.

ALFALFA: 1ST CUTTING 73.00-132.00, 2ND CUTTING 70.00-157.00, 3RD 90.00-180.00, 4TH 70.00-164.00.

CLOVER: 83.00-92.00.

GRASS: 57.00-140.00.

BARLEY STRAW: 95.00-114.00.

WHEAT STRAW: 92.00-122.00.

RYE STRAW: 82.00-92.00.

OAT STRAW: 2.20 BU.

SALE DAYS TUES., 10 A.M.

North Jersey Market

Hackettstown, N.J.

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Tuesday, March 23, 1999

Hay—Straw & Grain Report

ALFALFA: 6 LOTS, 2.00-4.00 BALE. MIXED HAY: 17 LOTS, 1.75-3.70 BALE.

TIMOTHY: 10 LOTS, 1.60-3.10 BALE. GRASS: 4 LOTS, 1.50-3.10 BALE. OAT STRAW: 3 LOTS, 1.60-1.70 BALE.

WHEAT STRAW: 11 LOTS, 1.60-1.90 BALE.

SHELLED CORN: 2 LOTS, 3.75 BAG. CEDAR POSTS: 3 LOTS, 1.50 EA. 56 LOTS TOTAL.

Kutztown Produce Auction

Hay Auction

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Saturday, March 20

33 LOADS.

ALFALFA HAY: 68.00-100.00.

GRASS HAY: 86.00-140.00.

MIXED HAY: 70.00-200.00.

TIMOTHY HAY: 140.00.

HAY: 2.20 BALE, 30.00 LARGE ROUND.

WHEAT STRAW: 62.00-70.00.

STRAW: 1.00 BALE, 50.00 LARGE SQ. BALE.

FIREWOOD: 25.00.

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WED	MAY 5	WINROSS, HESS, FARM TRAC & TOYS	6 30 PM
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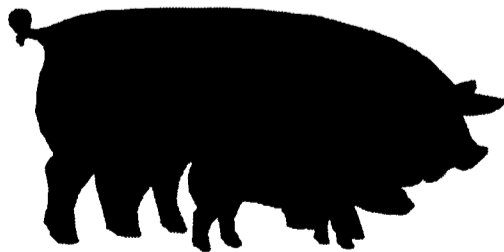
March 29 9:00 AM Easter Sale
April 1 9:00 AM Easter Sale
April 5 9:00 AM Greek Easter Sale

Recommended liveweight of lambs

Greek Market. 45 - 65 lb
Muslim Market: 70 lb & up; old sheep
Easter: 25 - 50 lb

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10:00 A.M.

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WEDNESDAY

HEIFER SALE 10:30 A.M.
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