

**National Grain Market**  
St. Joseph, MO  
Wed Aug 25, 1999

USDA-MO Dept Ag Market News  
DAILY NATIONAL GRAIN SUMMARY

Grain and soybean bids gained some ground after yesterday's declines. Light overnight export wheat sales and higher corn bids gave wheat bids a boost. Corn and soybean bids were stronger on good export interest and some short coverings on the Board. Wheat steady to 4 cents higher. Corn 2 to 4 cents higher. Sorghum 6 cents higher. Soybeans 8 to 11 cents higher. South Korea's overnight wheat purchase offered wheat some support. However, improved harvest weather and good yields being reported, limited gains. Corn moved slightly higher on indications Japan bought some U.S. corn overnight, around four million bushels, but nothing has been confirmed. Also supporting corn bids were reports the Chinese crop is at 120 and 124 million metric tons which is below the 128 mmt being used by USDA. Sharp advances were seen in soybean bids on fund buying amid improved Chinese and Indian interest in oilseeds and products. Some rainfall in the Eastern Corn Belt is expected to add some late bushels to the crop. However, some areas in the Delta are still dry and crop condition ratings could still be lowered.

U.S. EXPORT SALES: PURCHASER COMMODITY TONNAGE DELIVERY DATE South Korea 11.5 pct Hard Red Winter Wheat 6,500 Nov/Dec 14.0 pct DN Spring Wheat 8,500 10.0 pct Soft White Wheat 7,500 Western White Wheat 500 Totals: Wheat 23,000 tonnes.

Date Change Year Ago TRUCK BIDS: 08/25/99 08/24/99 08/26/98 Wheat: Kansas City (HRW ORD) 2.61-2.65 Up 2 2.55 Minneapolis (DNS 14pct) 3 21 1/2 Dn 1 1/2 3.33 3/4 Portland (SW) 3.10-3.12 Unch 2 67-2.70 St. Louis (SRW) 2.25-2.26 Up 4 2 21-2.22

Corn, US 2 Yellow: Kansas City 1.78-1.79 Up 2 1.83-1.85 Minneapolis 1.68 1/4 Up 2 3/4 1.73 1/4 Southern Iowa 1.78-1.83 Up 4-2 1.82-1.84 Omaha 1 61-1.62 Up 2 1.71-1.72

Soybeans, US 1 Yellow: Kansas City 4.56 Up 8 5.27 Minneapolis 4.43 1/2 Up 8 1/2 5.06 1/2 Southern Iowa 4.61-4.66 1/2 Up 11-10 1/2 5.32-5.39 Cent IL Processors 4.63 1/2-4.77 1/2 Up 8 1/2 5.35 1/2-5.51 1/2

FUTURES: Kansas City (Sep) Wheat 2.89 1/2 Up 1 1/4 2.69 1/2 Minneapolis (Sep) Wheat 3.26 1/2 Dn 1 1/2 3.15 3/4 Chicago (Sep) Wheat 2.68 3/4 Up 1 1/2 2.45 1/4 Chicago (Sep) Com 2.06 1/4 Up 2 3/4 1.98 1/4 Chicago (Dec) Com 2.19 3/4 Up 3 1/4 2.08 3/4 Chicago (Nov) Soybeans 4.75 1/2 Up 8 1/4 5.23 1/2

EXPORT BIDS: Barge or rail, Port of New Orleans or North Texas Gulf. US 1 HRW Wheat, Ord. Protein: 3.01 1/2-3.11 1/2 Up 1 2.87 1/2-2.91 1/2 US 2 Soft Red Winter Wheat: 2.52 3/4 Up 3 1/2-1 1/2 2.50 1/4-2.52 1/4 US 2 Yellow Corn: 2.13 1/4-2.15 1/4 Up 4 3/4-2 3/4 2.13 1/4-2.16 1/4 US 2 Yellow Sorghum: Rail 3.62-3.67 Up 6-5 3.90-4.01 Barge 3.66 Up 10-6 3.92 US 1 Yellow Soybeans: 5.00 1/2-5.03 1/2 Up 8 1/2 5.64 1/2-5.69 1/2

**Dewart Hay & Livestock**

Dewart, Pa.  
Monday, August 23, 1999  
Report Supplied by Auction  
STEERS: 50.00-65.00.  
HEIFERS: TOO FEW TO QUOTE.  
GOOD COWS: 30.00-39.75.  
CANNERS AND CUTTERS: 20.00-30.00.  
BULLS: 40.00-45.00.  
VEAL 90-190 LBS. 100.00-295.00, 70 LBS. 25.00-100.00.  
HOGS: 35.00-38.75.  
SOWS: TOO FEW TO QUOTE.  
FEEDER PIGS: 10.00-22.00 HEAD.  
HAY: 15 LOADS, 90.00-170.00.  
CORN: 1 LOAD AT 90.00.  
OATS: 2 LOADS, 2.10 AND 2.40 Btl

**North Jersey Market**

Hackettstown, N.J.  
Report Supplied by Auction  
Tuesday, August 24, 1999  
Hay—Straw & Grain Report  
ALFALFA: 6 LOTS 3.40-4.25 BALE.

MIXED HAY: 13 LOTS, 1.60-2.80 BALE.  
TIMOTHY: 1 LOT AT 2.20 BALE.  
GRASS: 14 LOTS, 1.50-4.00 BALE.  
MULCH: 1 LOT AT 1.90.  
OAT STRAW: 3 LOTS, 1.20-1.30 BALE.  
WHEAT STRAW: 9 LOTS, 1.20-1.40 BALE.  
RYE STRAW: 1 LOT AT 1.20.  
RYE: 4.20 BAG.  
49 LOTS TOTAL.

**Kirkwood Hay Auction**

Kirkwood, Pa.  
Tuesday, August 24  
Report Supplied by Auction  
35 LOADS.  
MIXED HAY: 1ST CUTTING 98.00-170.00; 2ND CUTTING 170.00-182.00.  
TIMOTHY: 115.00-212.00.  
ALFALFA: 1ST CUTTING 68.00-171.00, 2ND 137.00-195.00, 3RD 98.00-135.00.  
CLOVER: 120.00.  
GRASS: 137.00-178.00.  
WHEAT STRAW: 93.00-110.00.  
BARLEY STRAW: 89.00-96.00.  
RYE STRAW: 91.00.  
RYE SEED: 3.85-5.00 BU.  
EAR CORN: 98.00.  
SALE DAYS TUES., 10 A.M.  
PRODUCE TUESDAY, THURSDAY AND FRIDAY, 10 A.M.

**Carlisle Livestock**

Carlisle, Pa.  
August 24, 1999  
Report Supplied by Auction  
SLAUGHTER CATTLE: STEERS,

HOLSTEINS CHOICE 54.50-57.00, SELECT AND LOW CHOICE 48.00-53.00; COUPLE COMMERCIAL 42.75-46.25.

COWS: NO HIGH DRESSING! BONERS 35.00-38.75; LEAN 33.25-37.00, LOW DRESSING DOWN TO 29.00; SHELLY 28.00 AND DOWN.

BULLS: HOLSTEINS 1200-1450 LBS. 45.00-47.25; 1 ANGUS AT 2450 LBS. 39.25.

FEEDER CATTLE: STEERS, HOLSTEINS/DAIRY TYPES 400-900 LBS. 38.00-59.00; HEIFERS 400-900 LBS. 58.00-67.00, HOLSTEINS/DAIRY TYPES 47.00-85.00; BULLS 400-600 LBS. 65.00-73.00; CALVES RETURNING TO THE FARM, HOLSTEIN BULLS #1 95-125 LBS. 100.00-105.00; HOLSTEIN BULLS #2 90-130 LBS. 70.00-99.00; HOLSTEIN HEIFERS #1 90-115 LBS. 220.00-290.00; BEEF X HEIFERS 90-100 LBS. 90.00.

SWINE: HOGS, STRONG DEMAND! US#1-3 220-280 LBS. 39.00-40.25, 280-310 LBS. 34.00-38.50, 210-215 LBS. 35.25-36.00; BOARS OVER 350 LBS. 5.00-6.00; SOWS US#1-3 300-650 LBS. 20.00-33.00, THIN/WEAK/ROUGH TO 19.00; FEEDER PIGS BY THE HEAD, ACTIVE! 15-25 LBS. 14.00-25.00, 28-40 LBS. 18.00-24.00.

GOATS: BY THE HEAD, LARGE NANNIES AND BILLIES 70.00-86.00, FANCY KIDS 50.00-65.00; FLESHY KIDS 35.00-49.00; SMALL/THIN KIDS 6.00-32.50.

LAMBS: GOOD AND CHOICE 60-80 LBS. 86.00-97.50, 80-110 LBS. 75.00-95.00, 110-140 LBS. 66.00-71.00.

SHEEP: ALL WEIGHTS COUPLE FAT 25.00-29.00.

SALE EVERY TUES. 5 P.M. FOR RABBITS, POULTRY AND EGGS. 6:30 P.M. FOR LIVESTOCK, STARTING WITH CALVES.

SPECIAL FED CATTLE SALES TUES., SEPT. 7 AND 21.

STATE GRADED FEEDER PIG SALE FRI., AUG. 27.

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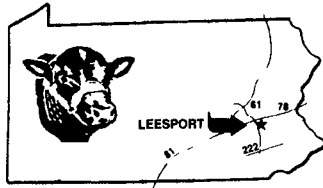
PEN LOTS OF CATTLE SOLD IN ORDER RECEIVED.

EARLYBIRD PENS CLOSE TUES. 2 P.M.

**Belleville Livestock**

Belleville, Pa.  
August 25, 1999  
Report Supplied by PDA  
CATTLE 462 [SUPPLIED BY THE AUCTION] SLAUGHTER STEERS Choice 2-3 1250-1450 lbs 64 25-65 50 HOLSTEINS Choice 2 3 1200-1500 lbs 58 75-60 25, Select 1 2 54 00-58 00 HEIFERS Choice 2-4 1250-1450 lbs 65 00-65 25, Select 1-3 53 00-56 75, Standard 1-2 46 00-52 50 SLAUGHTER COWS Breakers 75-80% lean 36 50-42 00, Boners 80-85% lean 33 50 37 00, Lean 85-90% 28 00-34 50 Shells down to 20 00 FEEDER CATTLE STEERS 60 00-65 00 CALVES 88 VEALERS Standard and Good 85-110 lbs 23 00-28 00, 75-85 lbs 18 00-22 00, Utility 55-70 lbs 10 00-17 00 FARM CALVES No 1 Holstein bulls 95-110 lbs 95 00-130 00, No 2 90-120 lbs 40 00-91 00, No 1 Holstein Heifers 95-110 lbs 190 00-210 00 HOGS 0 NO MARKET TEST! FEEDER PIGS 105 US 1-3 18 00-35 00 --- per head SHEEP 27 SLAUGHTER LAMBS Choice 50-70 lbs 78 00 90 00, 70-90 lbs 70 00-78 00 SLAUGHTER SHEEP 22 00-35 00 GOATS 20 Large Billies 85 00-110 00 --- per head

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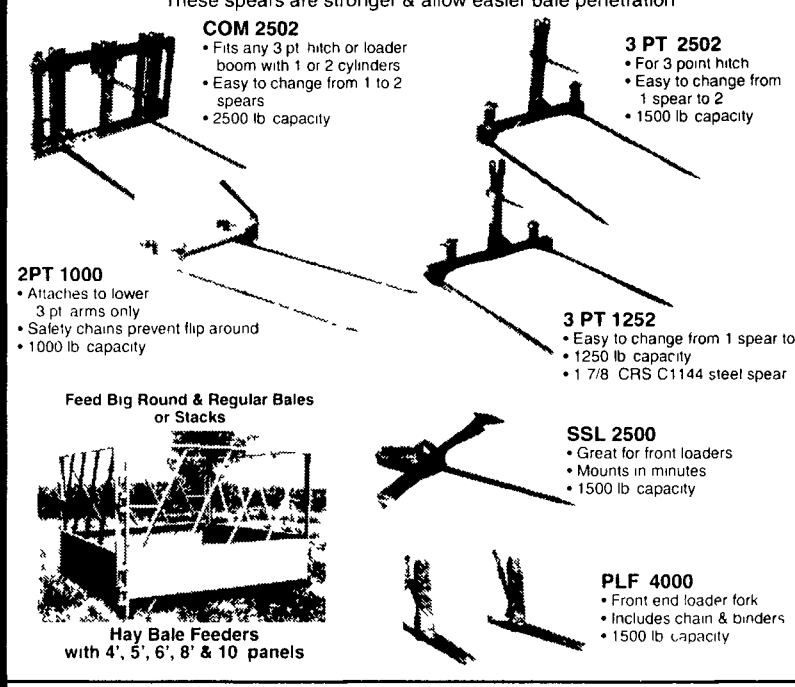
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TUES	SEPT 21	QUILT, CRAFT & BUGGY	9 00 AM
WED	SEPT 22	QUILT & CRAFT	9 00 AM

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<p><b>HEIFER SALE 10:00 A.M.</b> <b>COW SALE 12:00 NOON</b></p> <p><b>HEIFERS BULLS</b> <b>DAIRY COWS</b></p> <p>We have the usual run of 50 to 100 Heifers all ages Loads of fresh cows and springers from our regular shippers. Also some local fresh cows and springers</p>	<p><b>1:30 P.M.</b> <b>FEEDER PIG SALE</b></p> <p>Pigs are accepted after 6 30 A M State graded from 8 to 12 Dairy Barn and Feeder Pig Barn are cleaned and disinfected weekly for your protection</p>

**WEDNESDAY**

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