

**Grantsville Livestock**

Grantsville, Maryland  
Report Supplied by Auction  
Saturday, June 17, 2000  
STOCK STEERS AND BULLS 200-500 LBS. 50.00-117.00.  
STOCK HEIFERS 45.00-95.00.  
SLAUGHTER STEERS UP TO 70.00, MEDIUM TO GOOD 45.00-60.50.  
HOLSTEIN STEERS GOOD 36.00-52.00, LIGHT 35.00-55.00.  
SLAUGHTER HEIFERS GOOD TO CHOICE 56.00-69.00, MEDIUM TO GOOD 50.00-55.50.  
BULLS HEAVY 44.00-58.00, LIGHT 35.00-61.50.  
COWS UTILITY HOLSTEINS 32.00-46.00, CANNERS 25.00-35.00,

CULLS 22.00 AND DOWN.  
BOB CALVES 30.00 AND DOWN.  
HOLSTEIN BULL CALVES RETURN TO FARM 90-120 LBS. UP TO 160.00.  
HOLSTEIN HEIFER CALVES RETURN TO FARM UP TO 255.00.  
BEEF CROSS CALVES RETURN TO FARM UP TO 120.00.  
HOGS TOP QUALITY UP TO 48.50, HEAVY UP TO 48.00, LIGHT 20.00-48.00, FEEDER PIGS BY HEAD UP TO 55.00.  
SOWS 20.00-38.00.  
MALE HOGS 12.00-38.00.  
LAMBS 70-85 LBS. UP TO 105.00, 85-125 LBS. UP TO 107.00, 30-60 LBS. UP TO 90.00, CULLS UP TO 65.00.  
SHEEP UP TO 30.00.

**Estimated Daily Livestock Slaughter**

Under Federal Inspection  
Wednesday, June 21, 2000

	CATTLE	CALVES	HOGS	SHEEP
Wednesday 2000-02-09 (est)	128,000	4,000	358,000	11,000
Week ago (est)	127,000	5,000	355,000	12,000
Year ago (act)	125,000	5,000	358,000	12,000
Week to date (est)	386,000	13,000	1,046,000	33,000
Same Period Last Week (est)	384,000	12,000	1,055,000	31,000
Same Period Last Year (act)	373,000	14,000	1,064,000	36,000

**National Carlot Beef Report**

Des Moines, IA  
Wed June 21, 2000  
Report Supplied By USDA  
USDA NATIONAL CARLOT BEEF REPORT (includes major production areas in the Midwest and TX) as of 3:00 PM COW & BULL CARCASS FOB OMAHA Loads Reported.

Compared to Tuesday's 3:00 P.M. report: Cow and bull carcasses not established.

UT,brk 2-4 450/up 70.00 B UT,bng 1-3 400/up 74.00 B Cutter 1-2 350/up 75.00 B Bulls YG 1 500/up unq  
COW & BULL CARCASS CAF WEST COAST Loads Reported.

Compared to last week:  
Market for Week Ended: June 16, 2000 Lds Price Range UT,brk 2-4 450/up UT,bng 1-3 400/up 73.00 Cutter 1-2 350/up 73.00 Bulls YG 1 500/up  
BONELESS PROCESSING BEEF/BEEF TRIMMINGS 232.0 Loads Reported.

Lean boneless beef in Omaha steady to 1.00 higher, Texas 2.00 to 3.00 higher; 85% steady to 3.00 higher; 75% 6.00 to 7.00 higher; 65% steady. Demand moderate to good for light to moderate offerings. Beef trimmings firm on fairly good demand and moderate offerings.

FOB OMAHA BASIS: Chm Ln Lds Price Range Wtavg 90% fr 28 112.0 - 115.0 113.70 90% fz unq 85% fr 13 103.0 - 107.0 105.62 85% fz 75% fr 4 86.0 86.00 75% fz 65% fr 2 69.0 69.00 65% fz 50% fr 130 48.00 - 50.00 48.60 50% fz unq 50% bx unq Bull 92-94 unq

FOB EAST TEXAS AND OKLAHOMA: Chm Ln Lds Price Range Wtavg 90% fr 33 114.0 - 116.0 115.30 90% fz unq 85% fr 85% fz 75% fr 75% fz 65% fr 65% fz

CAF NORTHEAST AREAS: Chm Ln Lds Price Range Wtavg 90% fr 22 117.0 - 122.0 119.64 90% fz 85% fr unq 85% fz 75% fr 75% fz 65% fr 65% fz

CAF WEST COAST BASIS Market for Week Ended: 6/16/2000 Chm Ln Lds Price Range Wtavg 90% fr 112.00 - 113.00 112.92 90% fz unq 85% fr 104.00 - 106.00 104.60 85% fz unq 75% fr unq 75% fz unq 65% fr 65.00 - 69.00 67.38 65% fz unq 50% fr 46.00 - 52.00 49.31 50% fz unq

ABCDE after quotes represents days since last actual market test. Quotes are

dropped after 5 days of no test or before if they no longer reflect current market conditions.

**Carlisle Livestock**

Carlisle, Pa.  
Report Supplied by Auction  
Tuesday, June 20, 2000

SLAUGHTER CATTLE: STEERS HIGH CHOICE AND PRIME 1100-1475 LBS. 74.00-76.00, CHOICE 2-3 1050-1485 LBS. 72.00-74.50, 1500-1800 LBS. 64.75-71.25, SELECT AND LOW CHOICE 2-3 1075-1550 LBS. 66.75-72.00; HEIFERS CHOICE 1150-1450 LBS. 68.00-74.00; COWS, BREAKERS 42.75-46.00, BONERS 40.00-45.00, LEAN HIGH YIELD OVER 1200 LBS. 42.00-45.00, LOW DRESSING AND LIGHTS 33.50-39.00, BIG MIDDLE 39.75-42.50, SHELLY 32.50 AND DOWN; BULLS, 1 ANGUS 1360 LBS. 50.00.

FEEDER CATTLE: STEERS, MOSTLY HOLSTEINS-DAIRY X OFFERED, 400-750 LBS. 65.00-79.00; HEIFERS, COUPLE LIGHTS 61.00-74.00; BULLS, HOLSTEINS 400-800 LBS. 66.00-74.00; CALVES RETURNING TO THE FARM, HOLSTEIN BULLS #1 95-125 LBS. 150.00-167.50, #2 90-130 LBS. 100.00-145.00; HOLSTEIN HEIFERS #1 75-90 LBS. 135.00-290.00; BEEF X BULLS, HOLSTEINS 90-115 LBS. 130.00-145.00.

SWINE: HOGS US#2-3 220-270 LBS. 46.00, 300-380 LBS. 35.00-40.00; BOARS OVER 400 LBS. 17.00-17.50; SOWS US#1-3 350-600 LBS. 34.00-39.00; FEEDER PIGS BY THE LB. 15-25 LBS. 100.00-170.00, 75-100 LBS. 80.00-100.00.

GOATS: BY THE HEAD, MED. TO LARGE BILLIES 75.00-130.00, FANCY KIDS 50.00-62.50, FLESHY KIDS 35.00-47.50, SMALL THIN KIDS

5.00-34.00.  
LAMBS: GOOD AND CHOICE 40-65 LBS. 90.00-100.00, 70-130 LBS. 79.00-87.00.  
SHEEP: ALL WEIGHTS FAT 23.00-28.00.  
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., JULY 11 AND 18; STATE GRADED FEEDER PIG SALE FRI., JUNE 23; SPECIAL FEEDER CATTLE SALE TUES., JULY 18; PEN LOTS OF CATTLE SOLD IN ORDER RECEIVED; EARLYBIRD PENS CLOSE TUES., 2 P.M. CARLISLE WILL BE CLOSED ON TUES., JULY 4.

**Morrison's Cove Livestock**

Martinsburg, Pa.  
Report Supplied by Auction  
Monday, June 19, 2000

CATTLE: 112 HEAD.  
STEERS: CHOICE 72.00-76.50, GOOD 68.50-72.00.  
HEIFERS: CHOICE 70.00-75.00, GOOD 62.00-68.00, UTILITY AND COMMERCIAL 38.00-49.00, CANNER AND LOW CUTTER 20.00-37.50.

BULLOCKS: 45.00-51.00.  
BULLS: YG#1 47.50-54.50.  
FEEDER CATTLE: STEERS 62.00-79.00, BULLS 58.00-75.00, HEIFERS 55.00-75.00.

CALVES: 108. PRIME, NO MARKET TEST, CHOICE 79.00-95.00, GOOD 65.00-81.00, STANDARD 25.00-55.00; HOLSTEIN BULLS 90-130 LBS. 85.00-175.00, HOLSTEIN HEIFERS 90-130 LBS. 150.00-300.00.

HOGS: 232...US#1-2 46.50-47.50, US#1-3 42.00-45.00.

SOWS: US#1-3 32.00-40.00.  
BOARS: 12.50-32.00.

FEEDER PIGS: 54. US#1-3 20-50 LBS. 18.00-49.00.

SHEEP: 135 HEAD. CHOICE LAMBS 85.00-90.00, GOOD LAMBS 80.00-85.00, SL. EWES 18.00-41.00.  
GOATS: 5.00-95.00.

**TOBACCO BLUE MOLD**

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**DIRECTIONS FOR USE IN FIELD GROWN TOBACCO**

Directed Foliar Applications

Application Rates and Timing Chart To Control Blue Mold

Weeks Of Growth After Transplant	Rate Of ACROBAT MZ (Pounds of Product)	Water Output (Gallons/Acre)
Recently Transplanted to 3 weeks after transplanting	0.50	20
3-4 weeks after transplanting (Knee High)	1.0	40
4-5 weeks after transplanting (Waist High)	1.5	60

Note Above directions are for dilute sprays If concentrate sprays are used, adjust rate and volumes proportionately, e.g. for mist blowers, use a 2X concentrate and 1/2 the spray volume

Begin applications when the Blue Mold Advisory states that conditions favor development of blue mold, and before the onset of disease infection. Continue applications on a 5-7 day spray schedule until weather conditions favoring infection and sporulation decrease. Discontinue sprays when and if the threat of blue mold subsides.

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The plants on the right are MEGA GREEN Hybrid Sorghum x Sudangrass 90 days after planting. Plants have a palatable stalk with 21 leaves (3-1/2" wide and 3-1/2' long). Plants will continue to grow, producing a new leaf every 3-1/2 days. No seed head is in sight



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