

HOG MARKETS

Indiana-Ohio Direct Hogs
Springfield, IL
January 3, 2001

Report Supplied By USDA
Indiana-Ohio Direct Hogs OPEN
Estimated Negotiated sales: 9000
Trend: On a carcass basis barrows and gilts opening steady to .50 lower. Demand light to moderate for a moderate run.

MAJORITY OF EARLY SALES (185 lb carcass) Percent Country buying points Plant Delivered Lean carcass sales live 74% yld carcass sales live 75% yld 51-52.9(1)43.75 -51.86 32.38 - 38.50 44.25 - 53.32 33.19 - 39.99 mostly 49.50 - 51.86 37.00 - 38.00 mean 50.22 mean 37.67 - BASE MARKET 49-51 PCT LEAN CARCASS BASIS PLANT DELIVERED.(2) 44.25 -50.78 mean 48.57 - (2) Based on individual packer buying programs. No premiums or discounts included.

New Holland Feeder Pig Auction
NEW HOLLAND, PA
January 3, 2001

Report Supplied By USDA
FEEDER PIGS WEDNESDAY 175, LAST WEEK 377, LAST YEAR 318

TREND: Compared to last week, feeder pigs not tested. The entire supply sold for slaughter, with very limited offerings. Demand light to moderate for slaughter pigs with packers slow in bidding. All pigs were weighed and graded on arrival and sold by the hundred weight.

HEAD WEIGHT PRICE SLAUGHTER 90 20-35 lbs 120.00-160.00, 21 50.00-105.00 1 45 lbs 50.00

As Is 60 20-120 lbs 20.00-52.00
ALL PIGS CONSIGNED TO WEDNESDAY FEEDER PIG SALE MUST ORIGINATE FROM A QUALIFIED NEGATIVE OR MONITORED HERD.



New Holland Hog Auction
NEW HOLLAND, PA
January 2, 2000

Report Supplied By USDA
HOG RECEIPTS TODAY 695, LAST MONDAY 1296, LAST YEAR 866.

BARROWS AND GILTS: Compared to two weeks ago, prices were mostly 2.00 lower. PERCENT LEAN WEIGHT PRICE 49-54 225-260 lbs 38.00-41.00 45-50 225-260 lbs 36.00-38.50 40-45 285-325 lbs 35.00-37.50

Sows: Prices were mostly steady. US 1-3 300-400 lbs 29.00-32.00 Few 500-650 lbs 34.00-36.00

Boars: 300-700 lbs 14.00-15.50

Livestock Cooperative Auction Market Of North Jersey

Hackettstown, N.J.
Report Supplied by Auction
Tuesday, Jan. 2, 2001
Hay—Straw—Grain

ALFALFA: 10 LOTS, 1.50-3.00 BALE.
MIXED HAY: 17 LOTS, .85-2.70 BALE.
TIMOTHY: 6 LOTS, 1.50-2.20 BALE.
GRASS: 10 LOTS, 1.20-2.20 BALE.
WHEAT STRAW: 1 LOT AT 2.00 BALE.
SHELLED CORN: 1 LOT AT 4.10.
FIREWOOD: 1 LOT AT 50.00.
46 LOTS TOTAL.

Kirkwood Hay
Kirkwood, Pa.

Report Supplied By Auction
Tuesday, January 2, 2001
65 LOTS.
MIXED HAY: 1ST CUTTING 65.00-115.00, 2ND CUTTING 45.00-192.00.
TIMOTHY: 72.00-157.00.
ALFALFA: 1ST CUTTING 73.00-125.00, 2ND 71.00-142.00, 3RD 60.00-160.00, 4TH 76.00-190.00.
CLOVER: 85.00.
GRASS: 70.00-180.00.
WHEAT STRAW: 94.00-132.00.
BARLEY STRAW: 98.00-130.00.
OAT STRAW: 75.00.
RYE STRAW: 120.00.
SALE DAY TUES. 10 A.M.

Diffenbach Auction Center
New Holland, Pa.

Report Supplied By Auction
Monday, Jan. 1, 2000

TOTAL LOADS: 70.
ALFALFA: 117.00-165.00.
MIXED HAY: 15.00-195.00.
TIMOTHY: 50.00-185.00.
ORCHARDGRASS: 60.00-130.00.
STRAW: 95.00-125.00.
EAR CORN: 60.00-65.00
OATS: 1.95 BU.
FIREWOOD: 75.00-105.00 LOAD.

Middleburg Hay
Middleburg, Pa.

Report Supplied by Auction
Tuesday, Jan. 2, 2001
HAY: 51 LOTS. TOTAL 97.
ALFALFA: 10 LOTS, 50.00-85.00.
MIXED HAY: 16 LOTS, 45.00-100.00.
TIMOTHY: 7 LOTS, 45.00-82.50.
SQUARE BALES: 1.35 BALE.
ROUND BALES: 10.00-18.00.
ORCHARDGRASS: 35.00-105.00.
STRAW: 17 LOTS, 65.00-100.00.
EAR CORN: 9 LOTS, NEW 50.00-70.00.
FIREWOOD: 12 LOTS, 25.00-60.00.
OATS: 8 LOTS, 1.55-1.95 BU.

Westminster Hay
Westminster, Maryland

Report Supplied By Auction
Tuesday, Jan. 2, 2001
Hay—Straw—Grain
279 LOTS.
ALFALFA: .50-7.25 BALE.
TIMOTHY: 40.00-55.00, .50-3.00 BALE, 18.00-26.00 LARGE ROUND.
MIXED HAY: .50-3.20 BALE.
GRASS: .50-2.40 BALE, 6.00-22.50 LARGE ROUND.
CLOVER: .60-70 BALE.
STRAW: .80-2.10 BALE.
MULCH: .10-.40 BALE.
EAR CORN: 2.75 BAG.
SHELLED CORN: 4.00 BAG.
GROUND EAR CORN: 4.25-5.00 BAG.
FIREWOOD: 82.50-180.00 CORD.

Green Dragon Hay
Ephrata, Pa.

Report Supplied By Auction
Friday, Dec. 29, 2000
Hay—Straw—Grain
129 LOAD TOTAL.
MIXED HAY: 43 LOTS, 40.00-185.00.
ALFALFA: 16 LOTS, 67.00-155.00.
TIMOTHY: 15 LOTS, 40.00-140.00.
STRAW: 29 LOTS, 70.00-107.00.
EAR CORN: 2 LOTS, 60.00 AND 93.00.
ORCHARD GRASS: 11 LOTS, 40.00-122.00.
CLOVER: 69.00.
BALEAGE: 8 BALES AT 20.00 BALE.
FIREWOOD: 35.00-120.00 LOAD.

Finger Lakes Hay Auction
Dundee, New York

Report Supplied by Auction
Dec. 25, 2001
MIXED HAY: 1ST CUTTING 25.00-47.50.
GRASS: 1ST CUTTING 52.00-52.50.
ALFALFA: 1ST CUTTING 40.00, 2ND 55.00-60.00.
ALFALFA GRASS: 2ND CUTTING 55.00-80.00.
ALFALFA TIMOTHY: 2ND CUTTING 57.50-72.50.
WHEAT STRAW: 80.00-85.00.
HAY AUCTIONS EVERY TUES. AND FRI., 11 A.M. SHARP.
NOW HOLDING HAY AUCTIONS AT OUR NEW LOCATION: 3691 ST. RT. 14A, PENN YAN. AUCTIONS ARE EVERY TUES. AND FRI. STARTING AT 11 A.M. SHARP. WE ALSO HOLD SAT. HAY AUCTIONS AT MARTIN'S EQUIPMENT IN BENTON CENTER BEGINNING AT 11 A.M. SHARP.

Dewart Hay
Dewart, Pa.

Report Supplied By Auction
Monday, Jan. 1, 2001
HAY: 25 LOTS, 50.00-105.00.
STRAW: 2 LOTS, 85.00 AND 87.50 WOOD: 7 LOTS, 18.00-55.00.
CORN: 1 LOT AT 100.00.
OATS: 2 LOTS, 2.00-2.45 BU.

Regional Hay
January 2, 2001

HAY & STRAW MARKET FOR EASTERN PA — (ALL HAY GOOD GRADE & BETTER PRICES PAID BY DEALER AT THE FARM & PER TON) HAY AND STRAW MOSTLY STEADY ALFALFA 60.00-115.00, FEW TO 130; MIXED HAY 60.00-120.00, FEW TO 130, TIMOTHY 60.00-110.00, FEW TO 140, STRAW 60.00-85.00, FEW TO 100, MULCH 25.00-40.00.

SUMMARY OF LANCASTER CO. HAY AUCTIONS — FOR WEEK ENDS 12/29/00. PRICES PER TON: 170 LOADS HAY, 51 STRAW & 2 EAR CORN. ALFALFA 70.00-130.00, MIXED HAY 60.00-137.00; TIMOTHY 70.00-140.00, STRAW 80.00-120.00; EAR CORN 60.00-93.00.

SUMMARY OF CENTRAL PA HAY AUCTIONS — FOR WEEK ENDS 12/29/00 PRICES PER TON: 129 LOADS HAY, 31 STRAW & 10 EAR CORN. ALFALFA 70.00-117.50, MIXED HAY 60.00-107.50, TIMOTHY 50.00-85.00, STRAW 70.00-120.00, EAR CORN 60.00-92.50.

Kutztown Produce Hay Auction

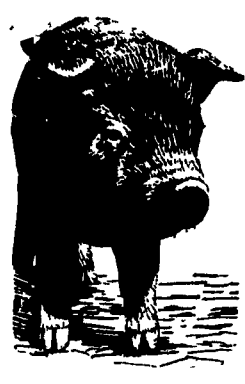
Fleetwood, Pa.
Report Supplied by Auction
Saturday, Dec. 30, 2000
Hay—Straw—Grain
ALFALFA HAY: 120.00.
MIXED HAY: 68.00-116.00.
GRASS HAY: 58.00-105.00.
TIMOTHY HAY: 115.00
FIREWOOD: 97.50-115.00
HAY AND STRAW SALE SAT., 9 A.M.

Lebanon Produce Hay Auction

Reistville, Pa.
Report Supplied By Auction
Tuesday, Jan. 2, 2001
Hay—Straw—Grain
ALFALFA: 85.00-92.00.
TIMOTHY: 92.00-95.00.
ORCHARDGRASS: 55.00-100.00.
MIXED HAY: 60.00-85.00.
GRASS HAY: 70.00-73.00.
WHEAT STRAW: 24.00 BALE.
FIREWOOD: 30.00-60.00 PICK-UP LOAD.
HAY AUCTION EVERY TUES., 10 A.M.

HAY, STRAW & GRAIN SALE
Every Thursday at 12 NOON
Vintage Sales Stables, Inc.
(Rt. 30, Paradise, PA)
For more information
(717) 442-4181
(717) 768-8204

PIGS
STATE GRADED SALE
RECEIVING 6-10:30 AM
FRIDAY,
Jan. 12 & 26
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VINTAGE SALES STABLES, INC.
NEW MONDAY SALES
AT 10:30 AM
SELLING HEIFERS, BULLS, STEERS, FEEDER & BUTCHER COWS
L. ROBERT FRAME, SR., PRESIDENT
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HOME (610) 458-8518
FIELD REPS
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BUTCH BROWN (717) 626-5394
TUESDAY SALES
10:30 A.M.
SLAUGHTER CATTLE AUCTION
STEERS, BULLS, HEIFERS, COWS, FEEDER CATTLE
At Approx 1 PM
Selling Feeders
6:00 P.M.
CALVES, SHEEP, GOATS
"GET CALVES IN EARLY! OUR STATE GRADER STARTS AT 10:30 A.M."
TRUCKING SERVICE AVAIL
LOCAL & LONG DISTANCE
(RT. 30, 10 MILES EAST OF LANCASTER IN PARADISE, PA)