

**Estimated Daily Livestock Slaughter**

Under Federal Inspection  
Thursday, August 16, 2001

	CATTLE	CALVES	HOGS	SHEEP
Thursday (est)	128,000	4,000	361,000	13,000
Week ago (est)	128,000	4,000	356,000	12,000
Year ago (act)	127,000	5,000	373,000	11,000
Week to date (est)	383,000	11,000	1,068,000	32,000
Same Period Last Week (est)	384,000	13,000	1,000,000	32,000
Same Period Last Year (act)	382,000	13,000	1,111,000	35,000

35.00-38.25, 500-650 LBS. 40.00-42.25.  
BOARS: 3 HEAD 300-628 LBS. 25.00-26.25.

STOCK CATTLE: 107 HEAD.  
STEERS SMALL SUPPLY. 300-400 LBS. 90.00-98.00, 550-750 LBS. 80.00-84.00, 800-1000 LBS. 60.00-67.00.  
HEIFERS: 200-400 LBS. 80.00-105.00, 400-600 LBS. 75.00-88.00, 600-800 LBS. 65.00-77.00.  
BULLS: 200-400 LBS. 95.00-113.00, 400-500 LBS. 81.00-102.00, 500-700 LBS. 65.00-76.00, 700-900 LBS. 55.00-65.00.

SHEEP: 22 HEAD 30.00-50.00.  
LAMBS: 62 HEAD, LOWER PRICES. CHOICE TO PRIME 100-125 LBS. 69.00-79.00, 130-140 LBS. 68.00-75.00, GOOD TO CHOICE 50-95 LBS. 60.00-73.00.

GOATS: 137 HEAD. LARGE BIL-  
LIES AND WHETHERS 65.00-97.00, FEW TO 116.00, NANNIES 60.00-89.00, MED. BILLIES 45.00-70.00, SMALL FLESHY 30.00-50.00.

PIGS AND SHOATS: 35 HEAD. BY  
THE HEAD, 10-25 LBS. 10.00-18.00, 60-80 LBS. 57.00-61.00; BY THE LB. 40-55 LBS. 90.00-96.00, 60-95 LBS. 70.00-72.00, 100-130 LBS. 50.00-61.00.  
BOARS: 180-240 LBS. 41.00-44.00.

**Westminster Livestock**

Hagerstown, Maryland  
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August 14, 2001

SLAUGHTER COWS: 80 HEAD, 1.00 LOWER. BREAKERS 46.00-50.00, BONERS 43.00-47.00, LEAN 39.00-43.00, THIN 39.00 DOWN.

BULLS: 9 HEAD. YG#1 59.00-61.00, 1 TO 64.00; YG#2 55.00-59.00.

FED STEERS: 2.00 LOWER. HIGH CHOICE TO PRIME 1100-1475 LBS. 72.00-74.00; CHOICE 1-3 69.00-72.00, STANDARD 55.00-60.00, HIGH CHOICE TO PRIME HOLSTEINS 65.00-66.75, LOW CHOICE 60.00-63.75.

FED HEIFERS: HIGH CHOICE TO PRIME 1100-1400 LBS. 71.00-74.75, CHOICE 900-1050 LBS. 64.00-70.75,

LOW CHOICE HOLSTEINS 52.00-55.00.

CALVES: 145 HEAD, GOOD SLAUGHTER. 80-110 LBS. 50.00-60.00; HOLSTEIN BULLS RETURNING TO FARM 5.00 HIGHER. #1 94-120 LBS. 125.00-140.00, 80-92 LBS. 80.00-120.00; #2 94-120 LBS. 105.00-125.00; HOLSTEIN HEIFERS 20 HEAD, DEMAND WEAKER. #1 90-110 LBS. 450.00-520.00, #2 85-125 LBS. 250.00-400.00, 70-85 LBS. 130.00-200.00.

BUTCHER HOGS: 138 HEAD, 1.00-2.00 LOWER. #1 AND 2 230-265 LBS. 47.50-50.00; #1 AND 3 46.00-47.00, 270-290 LBS. 44.00-46.00, 290-310 LBS. 41.00-43.00, 325 LBS. 35.00-38.00.

SOWS: 21 HEAD. 300-500 LBS.

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	Today	8/08/01	Today	8/08/01	Today	8/08/01	Today	8/08/01
Au 01	71 875	71 525	88 975	88 750	-----	71 600	97 800	95 975
S 01	-----	-----	90 025	89 075	-----	-----	-----	-----
O 01	74 700	74 100	90 100	89 250	61 350	59 625	-----	-----
N 01	-----	-----	90 675	90 000	-----	-----	-----	-----
D 01	75 475	74 775	-----	-----	56 500	55 225	-----	-----
Ja 02	-----	-----	90 700	89 975	-----	-----	-----	-----
F 02	76 775	76 350	-----	-----	57 125	55 975	79 075	77 525
Mr 02	-----	-----	89 825	89 100	-----	-----	77 600	76 550
Ap 02	78 200	77 925	89 900	89 000	57 050	56 150	-----	-----
My 02	-----	-----	89 100	88 450	62 000	61 050	82 000	82 000
Jn 02	74 350	73 550	-----	-----	64 975	64 450	-----	-----
Jl 02	-----	-----	-----	-----	62 650	62 900	82 000	82 000
Au 02	74 700	73 750	-----	-----	59 900	59 825	79 100	-----

**Lynchburg Weekly State Graded Feeder Cattle**

Lynchburg, Va.  
August 13, 2001

Report Supplied By USDA

Lynchburg Weekly State Graded Feeder Cattle: 545 head. Weighted Average. Prices per cwt.

Prices follow with average weights and average prices in parentheses.

STEERS: 264 head. Med. and Lge. 1: 24 head 400-500 lb (457) 97.50-100.00 (99.00); 39 head 500-600 (551) 98.50-98.75 (98.67); 50 head 600-700 (641) 87.50-91.50 (90.92); 11 head 700-800 lb (727) 87-87.50 (87.09). Med. and Lge. 2: 6 head 300-400 lb (356) 94-99.00 (96.64); 26 head 400-500 lb (454) 98-100.50 (99.82); 31 head 500-600 lb (549) 93.50-96.25 (95.45); 23 head 600-700 lb (645) 89-90.25 (89.92); 8 head 700-800 lb (734) 75-84.25 (83.10). Small 1: 400-500 lb (452) 85-95.50 (93.41); 8 head 500-600 lb (534) 87.50-92.50 (91.21); 5 head 600-700 lb (661) 78.00.

HEIFERS: 281 head. Med. and Lge. 1: 29 head 400-500 lb (464) 93.50-97.50 (96.00); 38 head 500-600 lb (549) 90.50-91.75 (91.39); 24 head 600-700 lb (635) 84.25-88.00 (86.41). Med. and Lge. 2: 10 head 300-400 lb (354) 97-97.50 (97.31); 27 head 400-500 lb (457) 95-97.00 (96.41); 52 head 500-600 lb (540) 85.85-87.50 (86.96); 19 head 600-700 lb (630) 82-85.00 (84.05). Med. and Lge. 3: 6 head 300-400 lb (350) 84-87.00 (86.51); 19 head 400-500 lb (447) 87.25-89.75 (89.09), 9 head 500-600 lb (549) 72-79.00 (77.41). Small 1: 5 head 300-400 lb (372) 85.00; 17 head (400-500 lb (448) 84-87.50 (86.89); 12 head 500-600 lb (548) 80.50-84.50 (83.81).

REGULAR WEEKLY AUCTION, Aug. 13 — FEEDER CATTLE: 169 head. Feeder bulls steady  
Prices based on in weights

HOLSTEIN STEERS: 10 head. Med. and Lge. 2: 300-500 lb 79.00; 500-700 lb 70.00; 700-900 lb 67.00, 900-1100 lb 60.25.

BULLS: 225 head. Med. and Lge. 1: 300-400 lb 100-106.00; 400-500 lb 92-96.00, 500-600 lb 93.00. Small 1: 200-300 lb 77.50-90.00; 300-400 lb 87.50-94.00; 600-700 lb 80.00. Med. and Lge. 2: 200-300 lb 90-112.50; 300-400 lb 101-115.00; 400-500 lb 95-98.00; 500-600 lb 88-92.75; 600-700 lb 82-89.00.

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