

# GRAIN, CATTLE, HOG, & MILK BFP FUTURES MARKETS

Markets Courtesy of Chicago Board and Mercantile Exchange  
Closing Bids: Thursday, September 20, 2001

## Corn

Month	Opening	High	Low	Close	Change
01Nov	211 3/4	214 1/2	211 1/4	213 3/4	214 +26
02Dec	215 3/4	220	215	219	218 1/2 +26
03Jan	220	222 1/2	220	222	222 1/2 +24
04Feb	227 3/4	232	227	231	230 3/4 +24
05Mar	235 1/4	239 1/4	234 1/2	238 1/2	238 +24
06Apr	239 3/4	243 3/4	239 1/4	243	242 3/4 +22
07May	242 3/4	246	242 3/4	245	245 +20
08Jun	248	251 3/4	248	251	251 1/4 +20
09Jul	257	258 1/2	257	258	258 Unch
10Aug	261	263	261	263	263 -4
11Sep	258 1/4	263 1/4	258 1/4	263 1/4	263 1/4 +22

## Soybeans

Month	Opening	High	Low	Close	Change
01Nov	470 1/2	474 3/4	468	473 1/4	474 +40
02Dec	476 1/2	481	475	480	480 +40
03Jan	481	486	480	485 1/2	485 +46
04Feb	483	487 1/4	481 1/2	487	487 +40
05Mar	485	489 1/2	484	488 1/2	489 1/2 +44
06Apr	488	488	488	488	488 +44
07May				481 n	481 +50
08Jun	476 1/2	482	476 1/2	482	482 +44
09Jul				502 n	502 +10

## Soybean Meal

Month	Opening	High	Low	Close	Change
01Nov	166.2	168.9	166.0	168.4	168.6 +21
02Dec	164.0	166.9	163.8	166.0	166.3 +19
03Jan	162.7	165.5	162.7	165.0	165.0 +21
04Feb	160.8	163.5	160.5	163.2	163.2 +22
05Mar	158.5	161.1	158.3	160.6	160.7 +15
06Apr	157.8	159.9	157.5	159.2	159.2 +17
07May	157.0	158.5	156.1	157.5 b	158.0 a +21
08Jun	155.0	157.0	154.8	155.5	155.5 +21
09Jul	154.5	155.5	154.1	154.0 b	154.1 a +20
10Aug	154.0	155.5	154.0	154.0 b	154.1 a +19

## Lean Hogs

Date	Open	High	Low	Last	Chge	Previous Volume	Previous Open_Int
09/20/01	Oct 01	5930	5975	5887	5967	+60	6929 18744
09/20/01	Dec 01	5510	5525	5420	5490	+5	5147 16181
09/20/01	Feb 02	5535	5550	5455	5515	-7	931 4980
09/20/01	Apr 02	5630	5675	5592	5617	unch	337 1778
09/20/01	May 02	6087	6105	6075	6100	+15	41 439
09/20/01	Jun 02	6360	6370	6335	6355	-12	52 433
09/20/01	Jul 02	6090	6090	6077	6077	-3	75 170
09/20/01	Aug 02	5910	5910	5890	5890	-2	37 98
09/20/01	Oct 02	5342	5342	5342	5342	+2	3 72

Composite Volume Open\_Int  
09/19/01 13553 42895

## Pork Bellies

Date	Open	High	Low	Last	Chge	Previous Volume	Previous Open_Int
09/20/01	Feb 02	7940	8190	7855	8177	+237	938 2660
09/20/01	Mar 02	8100	8200	8100	8200	+250	9 46
09/20/01	May 02	8267	8525	8267	8525	+255	0 26
09/20/01	Jul 02	8400	8400	8400	8400	+220	5 14
09/20/01	Aug 02	8400	8400	8400	8400	+180	0 2

Composite Volume Open\_Int  
09/19/01 952 2748

## Live Cattle

Date	Open	High	Low	Last	Chge	Previous Volume	Previous Open_Int
09/20/01	Oct 01	6960	6985	6825	6912	-53	10275 30587
09/20/01	Dec 01	7125	7147	6997	7082	-65	11961 37759
09/20/01	Feb 02	7295	7317	7165	7242	-53	3870 25409
09/20/01	Apr 02	7495	7515	7345	7460	-35	1036 9876
09/20/01	Jun 02	7127	7150	7017	7107	-23	1491 11893
09/20/01	Aug 02	7200	7220	7110	7192	-3	433 1387
09/20/01	Oct 02	7350	7380	7315	7365	-10	5 241

Composite Volume Open\_Int  
09/19/01 29071 117152

## Oats

Month	Opening	High	Low	Close	Change
01Nov	162 1/4	165	162 1/4	163 1/2	163 1/2 +14
02Dec	156 1/2	158	155	155 1/4	155 1/2 Unch
03Jan	151	152	149 1/4	149 1/2 a	149 1/2 -4
04Feb	144	145 1/2	143	143 1/2	143 1/2 Unch
05Mar				145 n	145 Unch
06Apr				145 n	145 Unch

**Pa. Weekly**  
13 Livestock Auctions  
Friday, September 14  
Report Supplied By PDA  
CATTLE 4920.. Compared with 4084 head last week and 6184 head a year ago. Compared with last Friday's summary...sl steers mostly 1.00 to 2.50 lower with lighter buyer demand due to terrorist attacks, heifers 1.50 to 2.00 lower, bulls steady  
STEERS High Choice and Prime 2-4 69.00-71.00, Choice 2-3 66.25-70.50, Select and Low Choice 2-3 65.75-70.00, Select 1-3 62.25-66.75, Standard 1-2 50.50-62.50.  
HOLSTEIN STEERS: High Choice and Prime 2-3 61.50-66.00, Choice 2-3 58.00-63.75, Select 1-2 55.00-62.50, Standard 1-2 46.25-56.75.  
HEIFERS: Choice few Prime 2-4 65.00-70.75, Select 1-3 59.50-67.25, Standard 1-2 48.25-59.25.  
COWS: Breakers 75-80% lean 40.75-48.75, Boners 80-85% lean 39.25-47.00, Lean 85-90% lean 35.00-43.25. Shells 33.00 and down.  
BULLOCKS: one Choice 2-3 64.00.  
BULLS: Yield Grade 1 1000-2500 lbs 54.00-62.25, Yield Grade 2 900-2400 lbs 44.00-57.75.  
FEEDER CATTLE: STEERS: Medium and Large 1 300-500 lbs 85.00-105.00, 500-700 lbs 64.00-85.00, Medium and Large 2 300-500 lbs 72.00-88.00, 500-700 lbs 65.00-92.00; HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1 300-700 lbs 75.00-107.50, 500-700 lbs 65.00-84.00, Medium and Large 2 300-500 lbs 56.00-83.00, 500-700 lbs 58.00-78.00; BULLS: Medium and Large 1 300-500 lbs 81.50-98.00, 500-700 lbs 71.00, Medium and Large 2 300-500 lbs 67.00-104.00, 500-700 lbs 50.00-83.50.  
CALVES 3344...Compared with 2946 head last week and 3985 head a year ago. Vealers steady. VEALERS: Good 150-280 lbs 79.00-112.50, Good 160-240 lbs 70.00-97.50, Standard and Good 60-125 lbs 40.00-70.00, Utility 50-105 lbs 10.00-40.00.  
FARM CALVES: Holstein bull calves mostly steady with spots of 5.00 lower, Holstein heifers active, with record high prices being set...No 1 Holstein bulls 90-120 lbs 105.00-159.00, No 2 80-120 lbs 60.00-140.00; No 1 Holstein heifers 80-120 lbs 41.00-69.00, No 2 65-120 lbs 100.00-490.00.  
Beef type bulls and heifers 60-120 lbs 100.00-235.00.  
HOGS 1720...Compared with 989 head last week and 472 head a year ago. Barrows and gilts mostly .25 to .50 higher, sows mostly steady. BARROWS AND GILTS: 49-54% lean 220-280 lbs 43.00-45.75, 45-50% lean 200-280 lbs 41.25-43.75, 40-45% lean 240-280 lbs 35.00-42.50.  
SOWS: 1-3 300-500 lbs 32.00-35.00, 500-700 lbs 34.00-36.00.  
BOARS: 22.00-26.00.

FEEDER PIGS 267...Compared with 206 head last week and 439 head a year ago. 1-3 30-50 lbs 34.00-49.00, 50-60 lbs 46.50-52.50 — per cwt.  
SHEEP 1701...Compared with 1524 head last week and 1301 head a year ago. Slaughter lambs 5.00 to 10.00 lower. SLAUGHTER LAMBS: Choice 40-60 lbs 80.00-120.00, 60-100 lbs 65.00-90.00, 100-130 lbs 55.00-65.00, Good an<sup>d</sup> Choice 40-100 lbs 50.00-72.50.  
SLAUGHTER SHEEP: 20.00-45.00.  
ONE GRADED FEEDER PIG SALE 385...Compared with 298 last week and 221 head a year ago. Feeder pigs 5.00 to 10.00 lower.  
FEEDER PIGS: 1-2 45-55 lbs 89.00-100.00, 60-65 lbs 80.00-85.00, 73 lbs 75.00; Slaughter 20-35 lbs 105.00-135.00, 50-55 lbs 90.00-101.00. — per cwt.

**Oklahoma Feeder Cattle Weekly**  
Oklahoma City, OK  
September 19, 2001  
Report Supplied By USDA  
Oklahoma National Stockyards - Weekly Cattle Summary Compared to last week: Feeder steers and heifers steady to 2.00 higher. Steer calves steady. Heifer calves steady to 2.00 lower. Demand good for all classes. Cash feeder cattle, slaughter cattle, and cow markets are functioning normally with no ill affects. Bulk supply calves under

650 lbs. Feeder cattle over 700 lbs in short supply throughout the trade area. Quality plain to average. Calves in medium to mostly fleshy conditions, feeder cattle in slightly thin to medium flesh. Weigh-ups gaunt to average, few full.  
Receipts reduced by heavy rains over the weekend along with uncertainty on the part of cattlemen due to unsettled national situation. Receipts this week 5750; last week 11,762; last year 9184. Supply consisted of 37 percent yearlings and calves over 600 lbs; 57 percent calves, 6 percent cows and bulls. Heifers comprised 46 percent of feeder and calf supply.  
Prices follow with weighted average weight and price in parenthesis.  
FEEDER STEERS: Medium and Large 1: CALVES: few 295-335 lbs 134.00- 139.00; 350-400 lbs (393 lbs) 123.00-128.00 (125.48); 400-450 lbs (432 lbs) 110.00-115.00 (113.51); 450-500 lbs (471 lbs) 102.00-114.00 (109.87); 500-550 lbs (514 lbs) 96.75-108.00 (103.74); 550-600 lbs (572 lbs) 96.00-104.00 (100.59); 600-650 lbs (622 lbs) 94.00-102.00 (97.22); 700-725 (715 lbs) 86.50-90.75 (89.68). YEARLINGS: 600-675 lbs (650 lbs) 96.00-103.25 (99.05); few lots 700-725 lbs (723 lbs) 96.25; 750-800 lbs (780 lbs) 89.50-95.25 (93.64).  
HOLSTEINS: Steers: Large 3: 445 lbs 77.00; 525 lbs 76.50; 715 lbs 70.00.

FEEDER HEIFERS: Medium and Large 1: CALVES: 300-400 lbs (350 lbs) 100.00-110.00 (108.39); 400-500 lbs (450 lbs) 90.00-97.00, several Fancy 104.00-109.50 (95.99); 500-600 lbs (550 lbs) 85.25-91.25 (87.99); 600-650 lbs (630 lbs) 83.50-88.25 (85.93). YEARLINGS: 500-600 lbs (550 lbs) 91.50-92.75 (92.86); 600-650 lbs (646 lbs) 91.50-92.50 (92.41); 650-700 lbs (670 lbs) 87.50-93.00 (91.57); 720 lbs fleshy 85.25; 755 lbs 84.50; 835 lbs 81.25.

**Average Farm Feed Costs for Handy Reference**  
To help farmers across the state to have handy reference of commodity input costs in their feeding operations for DHIA record sheets or to develop livestock feed cost data, here's last week's average costs of various ingredients as compiled from regional reports across the state of Pennsylvania.  
Remember, these are averages, so you will need to adjust your figures up or down according to your location and the quality of your crop.  
Corn, No.2y — 2.29 bu., 4.10 cwt.  
Wheat, No.2 — 2.48 bu., 4.14 cwt.  
Barley, No.3 — 1.39 bu., 2.96 cwt.  
Oats, No.2 — 1.38 bu., 4.30 cwt.  
Soybeans, No.1 — 4.47 bu., 7.46 cwt.  
Ear Corn — 62.81 ton, 3.14 cwt.  
Alfalfa Hay — 122.50 ton, 6.13 cwt.  
Mixed Hay — 116.25 ton, 5.81 cwt.  
Timothy Hay — 112.00 ton, 5.6 cwt.