

LANCASTER COUNTY LIVESTOCK MARKET AUCTIONS

New Holland Livestock Auction

New Holland, Pa.
Report Supplied By USDA
Monday, October 15, 2001

Cattle	Calves	Hogs	Sheep	Goats
351	221	1236	600	1167
MONDAY				
273	204	803	504	1084
LAST WEEK				
277	226	954	675	1374
LAST YEAR				

CATTLE. Compared to Thursday slaughter steers and heifers not well tested Slaughter cows and bulls sold steady Supply included 45 percent cows

SLAUGHTER COWS PERCENT LEAN WEIGHT BULK LOW DRESSING Breakers 75-80 over 1400 lbs 40.00-44.00 36.00-40.00 Boners 80-85 over 1200 lbs 39.00-42.00 36.00-39.00 Lean (Hi-Yield) 85-88 over 1200 lbs 38.00-41.75 35.00-38.00 Lean 88-90 over 1000 lbs 35.00-38.75 Lean (Light-Wt) 85-90 750-1000 lbs 34.50-37.25 30.50-34.50

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1 1285-2000 lbs 56.00-59.00 Yield Grade 2 1055-1870 lbs 48.50-54.75

CALVES: Compared to Thursday's auction vealers were not tested Large slaughter calves were not well tested Holstein bulls returning to farm traded 8.00-10.00 lower Holstein heifer prices were steady on a light test

VEALERS Not tested. SLAUGHTER CALVES. Not well tested RETURN TO FARM. Holstein bulls 90-120 lbs 112.00-134.00, 80-85 lbs 95.00-115.00. Plainer-type bulls 80-105 lbs 80.00-117.00. Plainer-type heifers few 400.00, 75 lbs 110.00-130.00.

HOGS Barrows and gilts were 6.00 to 7.00 lower, sows steady to 2.00 lower BARROWS AND GILTS: 49-54% lean 220-280 lbs 34.10-36.75, few up to 40.25, 45-50% lean 220-280 lbs 32.00-34.75, 40-45% lean 335-435 lbs 25.10-27.25

SOWS US 1-3 300-400 lbs 31.00-32.00, 400-450 lbs 32.00-34.00, 450-500 lbs 34.00-35.00, 500-650 lbs 35.00-37.00 BOARS: 200-300 lbs 24.50-29.00, 300-700 lbs 22.00-24.00

SHEEP Compared to Thursday, slaughter lambs 40-60 lbs traded 30.00 higher Slaughter lambs over 60 lbs have no comparison due to light test last week

Slaughter ewes traded fully steady. SLAUGHTER LAMBS: Good and Choice 1-3 40-60 lbs 100.00-130.00, 60-

80 lbs lbs 70.00-95.00, 80-110 lbs 55.00-70.00. Good 1-2 40-60 lbs 75.00-100.00.

SLAUGHTER EWES: Good and Choice Yearlings and 2 year olds not well tested. Utility and Good 1-3 20.00-40.00.

GOATS. All sold by the head Billies Large 80.00-120.00, few up to 150.00 Medium 60.00-80.00 Mutton: Choice and Prime 70.00-90.00 Yearlings. Choice and Prime 50.00-70.00 Nannies. Large 60.00-75.00 Medium 40.00-60.00 Kids: Choice and Prime 40.00-60.00 Good 20.00-40.00

Vintage Livestock Auction

Vintage, Pa.
October 15-16, 2001
Report Supplied By USDA

Cattle	Calves	Sheep	Goats
1087	801	8	0
THIS WEEK			
832	688	6	0
LAST WEEK			
705	746	0	3
LAST YEAR			

CATTLE. Compared to last Thursday, early sales of slaughter steers opened Monday steady to .50 higher and closed Tuesday uneven with the High Choice and Prime trading steady to 50 higher and Average Choice and plainer steers closing steady to .50 lower. Trading was very active on early sales and the top quality cattle but slow on the average and plainer cattle. Slaughter heifers were not well tested but a higher undertone on the early sales.

Holstein steers sold steady. Slaughter cows were very active and prices traded 1.00-2.00 higher. Slaughter bulls sold steady to 1.00 higher Supply included 33 percent slaughter steers and 32 percent cows.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 2-4 1250-1490 lbs 67.75-70.50, lot 1352 lbs 71.35, fancy singles up to 72.75. Choice 2-3 1155-1485 lbs 65.60-69.10, mostly 65.60-68.50, with high dressing 1-2 up to 70.25; 1490-1620 lbs 62.60-67.25 Select and low Choice 2-3 1100-1485 lbs 61.75-66.75; 1500-1565 lbs 57.25-62.75 Select 1-3 few 1180-1405 lbs 60.25-64.25.

HOLSTEIN STEERS. High Choice and Prime 2-3 few 1540-1620 lbs 61.50-62.00. Choice 2-3 1275-1605 lbs 57.35-61.50. Select and low Choice few 1160-1265 lbs 55.00-56.75; 1080-1145 lbs 58.25-59.00 returning to the country.

Market At A Glance

Lancaster County Livestock Auction Averages
(Price Per Hundredweight)
Week Ending Friday, October 19, 2001
Supplied By Market Staff

	This Wk	Wk Ago	Yr Ago
Steers, Choice 2-3	67.25	67.75	67.50
Heifers, Choice 2-3	66.25	66.25	66.50
Cows, Breakers, 75-80% lean	44.50	42.50	40.50
Cows, Boners, 80-85% lean	42.85	39.75	37.25
Bulls, YG 1	60.00	58.00	53.00
Hogs, 49-54% lean, Monday	35.50	42.75	40.90
Lambs, Choice/Prime 80-110 lb	62.00	62.50	92.00

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: High Choice and Prime 2-4 few 1235-1350 lbs 69.75-70.50. Choice 2-3 few 1170-1345 lbs 66.00-69.10.

SLAUGHTER COWS: PERCENT LEAN WEIGHT BULK LOW DRESSING Breakers 75-80 Over 1400 lbs 42.00-45.75 39.50-42.00 Boners 80-85 Over 1200 lbs 41.00-45.00 38.75-41.00 Lean (Hi-Yield) 85-88 Over 1200 lbs 40.75-43.00 37.00-40.75 Lean 88-90 Over 1000 lbs 37.00-41.25 34.00-37.00 Lean (Light-Wt) 85-90 750-1000 lbs 35.25-39.25 31.00-35.25.

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1 five head 1005-1785 lbs 56.75-65.50. Yield Grade 2 eleven head 1475-2255 lbs 47.75-55.25 Bullocks: Select 1-3 few 1200-1320 lbs 58.75-64.50.

CALVES: Compared to last Tuesday, vealers sold 2.00-3.00 higher. Holstein bulls returning to farm traded steady to 4.00 lower. Holstein heifers traded very active and prices were sharply higher, with no discounts on the plainer-type. Supply included 651 head in the state graded sale and 96 percent of the supply returned to feed.

VEALERS: Good few 205-245 lbs 77.00-88.00. Standard and Good 75-105

lbs 37.00-59.00. Utility 55-95 lbs 20.00-40.00

RETURN TO FARM: Holstein bulls 90-125 lbs 125.00-133.00; 80-85 lbs 102.00-107.00; 71 lbs 30.00. Plainer-type bulls 90-115 lbs 90.00-117.00; 80-85 lbs 40.00-85.00, weaker calves 75-105 lbs 20.00-55.00. Graded Holstein heifers 90-115 lbs 545.00-660.00; 85 lbs 545.00-585.00; 73 lbs 310.00, 62 lbs 60.00.

New Holland Livestock Auction

New Holland, Pa.
Report Supplied By USDA
Thursday, Oct. 18, 2001

Cattle	Calves	Sheep	Goats
1409	686	278	237
THURSDAY			
1180	593	158	306
LAST WEEK			
1321	775	478	312
LAST YEAR			

CATTLE: Compared to Tuesday, slaughter steers and holstein steers sold steady. Trading was active with a large supply of heavy cattle on offer.

Slaughter heifers not well tested. Slaughter cows were very active and prices were steady to 1.00 higher.

Slaughter bulls traded steady to 1.00 higher. Supply included 39 percent slaughter steers and 36 percent cows.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 2-4 1170-1465 lbs 67.50-70.10, fancy singles up to 70.75. Choice 2-3 1165-1455 lbs 65.75-68.75, high dressing 1-2 up to 69.25, 1485-1560 lbs 61.75-65.25. Select and low Choice 2-3 1140-1450 lbs 61.50-66.00, few 1500-1580 lbs 59.50-63.25.

HOLSTEIN STEERS. Choice 2-3 1325-1550 lbs 57.50-61.50. Select and low Choice 2-3 few 1547 lbs 56.50.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS. Choice 2-3 few 1130-1270 lbs 65.75-66.75. Select and low Choice 2-3 few 1135-1235 lbs, few 63.25-64.75. Heiferettes: Commercial and Standard 2-4 1245-1465 lbs 43.25-54.00.

SLAUGHTER COWS: PERCENT LEAN WEIGHT BULK LOW DRESSING Breakers 75-80 Over 1400 lbs 43.00-47.25 39.50-43.00 Boners 80-85 Over 1200 lbs 41.00-45.75 38.75-41.00 Lean (Hi-Yield) 85-88 Over 1200 lbs 40.00-43.00 37.00-40.00 Lean 88-90 Over 1000 lbs 38.00-41.75 34.50-38.00 Lean (Light-Wt) 85-90 750-1000 lbs 36.00-40.75 32.00-36.00

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1 1105-1975 lbs 56.00-65.50, individual high dressing 1630 lbs 69.00. Yield Grade 2 1085-2380 lbs 52.00-57.50.

CALVES: Compared to Monday's auction, vealers sold steady. Large slaughter calves not well tested. Holstein bulls suitable for special-fed veal barns traded 10.00-20.00 higher. Holstein heifers prices were steady on active trading Supply included 445 in the state graded sale and 99 percent of the supply returned to feed.

VEALERS: Standard and Good 75-105 50.00. Utility 55-95 lbs 15.00-30.00.

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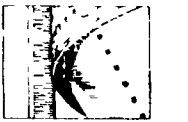
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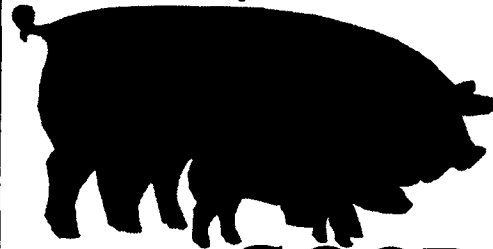
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