

LANCASTER COUNTY LIVESTOCK MARKET AUCTIONS

New Holland Livestock Auction

New Holland, Pa.
Report Supplied By USDA
Monday, October 29, 2001

Cattle	Calves	Hogs	Sheep	Goats
MONDAY	376	221	1204w1193	1022
LAST WEEK	278	239	1115	583
LAST YEAR	377	212	8043	427
			1237	

CATTLE: Compared to Thursday slaughter steers and heifers not well tested. Slaughter cows sold steady to firm. Slaughter bulls traded steady. Supply included 39 percent cows.

SLAUGHTER COWS: PERCENT LEAN WEIGHT BULK LOW DRESSING Breakers 75-80 over 1400 lbs 36.00-40.00 Boners 80-85 over 1200 lbs 36.00-40.50 34.00-36.00 Lean (Hi-Yield) 85-88 over 1200 lbs 34.00-37.50 30.25-34.00 Lean 88-90 over 1000 lbs 33.00-37.75 30.00-33.00 Lean (Light-Wt) 85-90 750-1000 lbs 31.00-36.50 28.00-31.00

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1 few 1065-2460 lbs 50.00-54.75. Yield Grade 2 1155-2400 lbs 45.00-49.75.

CALVES: Compared to Thursday's auction vealers were not well tested. Large slaughter calves were not well tested. Holstein bulls returning to farm traded 5.00-10.00 higher. Holstein heifer prices were steady on a light test.

VEALERS: Not well tested.

SLAUGHTER CALVES: Good and Choice few 205-225 lbs 71.00-93.00.

RETURN TO FARM: Holstein bulls 90-125 lbs 105.00-122.00; 85 lbs 90.00-100.00. Plainer-type bulls 90-105 lbs 72.00-97.00. Holstein heifers few 90-110 lbs 480.00-610.00. Plainer-type heifers few 80-90 lbs 200.00-400.00.

HOGS: Barrows and gilts steady to 1.00 lower with instances 2.00 lower, sows 300-450 lbs 1.00 to 3.00 lower, 450-650 lbs steady to 1.00 lower.

BARROWS AND GILTS: 49-54% lean 215-280 lbs 33.00-37.00, 45-50% lean 215-280 lbs 30.00-33.10, 40-45% lean 295-330 lbs 29.10-31.00, 335-405 lbs 25.00-27.50.

SOWS: US 1-3 300-400 lbs 25.00-27.00, 400-450 lbs 26.00-30.00, 450-500 lbs 29.00-34.00, 500-650 lbs 33.00-35.00

BOARS: 300-700 lbs 16.00-18.00.

SHEEP: Compared to Thursday, slaughter lambs 60-80 lbs traded 10.00 lower. Slaughter lambs over 80 lbs steady to 5.00 lower. Slaughter ewes traded steady.

SLAUGHTER LAMBS: Good and Choice 1-3 60-80 lbs 75.00-100.00; 80-100 lbs 60.00-75.00; 100-130 lbs 55.00-65.00. Good 1-2 60-80 lbs 60.00-85.00; 100-130 lbs 50.00-55.00.

SLAUGHTER EWES: Good and Choice Yearlings and 2 year olds 40.00-50.00. 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 70.00-100.00. Yearlings: Choice and Prime 60.00-80.00. Nannies: Large 60.00-80.00. Medium 40.00-60.00. Kids: Choice and Prime 40.00-65.00. Good 20.00-40.00.

Vintage Livestock Auction

Vintage, Pa.
October 29-30, 2001
Report Supplied By USDA

Cattle	Calves	Sheep	Goats
THIS WEEK	775	809	2
LAST WEEK	629	830	2
LAST YEAR	801	697	5
			1

CATTLE: Compared to last Thursday, slaughter steers sold mostly 1.00 higher. Trading was active, with a very attractive supply on offer. Holstein steers and slaughter heifers traded steady to 1.00 higher. Slaughter cow prices were steady to 2.00 higher. Slaughter bulls were steady. Supply included 39 percent slaughter steers and 45 percent cows.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 2-4 1240-1485 lbs 67.00-69.10, lot 1315 lbs 70.50. Choice 2-3 1090-1475 lbs 64.75-67.75, high dressing 1-2 up to 69.75; 1485-1595 lbs 61.00-66.75; few 1645-1650 lbs 61.25-61.60. Select and low Choice 2-3 1165-1435 lbs 61.25-66.00. Select 1-3 few 1120-1375 lbs 60.75-63.25.

HOLSTEIN STEERS: Choice 2-3 1460-1585 lbs 55.25-58.00. Select and low Choice 2-3 1200-1530 lbs 50.50-55.50

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice, few Prime 2-4 1100-1330 lbs 63.10-67.10. Select and low Choice 2-3 1015-1205 lbs 62.10-65.10.

SLAUGHTER COWS: PERCENT LEAN WEIGHT BULK LOW DRESSING Breakers 75-80 Over 1400 lbs 37.00-41.75 34.75-37.00 Boners 80-85 Over 1200 lbs 36.00-40.25 33.75-36.00 Lean

Market At A Glance

Lancaster County Livestock Auction Averages
(Price Per Hundredweight)
Week Ending Friday, November 2, 2001
Supplied By Market Staff

	This Wk	Wk Ago	Yr Ago
Steers, Choice 2-3	66.25	66.25	68.75
Heifers, Choice 2-3	65.10	65.85	66.00
Cows, Breakers, 75-80% lean	40.75	40.00	39.50
Cows, Boners, 80-85% lean	38.25	38.00	37.25
Bulls, YG 1	54.75	56.50	55.00
Hogs, 49-54% lean, Monday	35.00	35.65	33.75
Lambs, Choice/Prime 80-110 lb	68.00	70.00	90.00

(Hi-Yield) 85-88 Over 1200 lbs 34.00-37.00 32.00-34.00 Lean 88-90 Over 1000 lbs 34.00-37.00 31.50-34.00 Lean (Light-Wt) 85-90 750-1000 lbs 31.25-34.25 27.50-31.25

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1 three head 1435-2115 lbs 51.00-55.00. Yield Grade 2 three head 1295-2280 lbs 46.00-48.00. Bullocks: Select 2 individual 1390 lbs 61.25.

CALVES: Compared to last Tuesday, vealers sold steady. Holstein bulls returning to farm traded 5.00-9.00 lower. Holstein heifers traded very active and prices were 30.00 higher, with no discounts on the plainer-type. Supply included 696 head in the state graded sale and 99 percent of the supply returned to feed.

VEALERS: Good and Choice few 245-265 lbs 57.00-72.00. Standard and Good 75-120 lbs 45.00-62.00. Utility 55-70 lbs 15.00-40.00. **RETURN TO FARM:** Holstein bulls 85-125 lbs 110.00-122.00; 80 lbs 107.00; 73 lbs 30.00. Plainer-type bulls 85-115 lbs 90.00-113.00; 80 lbs 50.00, weaker calves 75-105 lbs 22.00-30.00. Graded Holstein heifers 90-115 lbs 590.00-660.00; 80-85 lbs 570.00-600.00; 70-75 lbs 240.00; 64 lbs 175.00.

New Holland Livestock Auction

New Holland, Pa.
Report Supplied By USDA
Thursday, Nov. 1, 2001

Cattle	Calves	Sheep	Goats
THURSDAY	1218	627	271
LAST WEEK	1562	679	192
LAST YEAR	1243	633	322
			136

CATTLE: Compared to Tuesday, slaughter steers, Holstein steers, and heifers sold steady. Trading was active, with a large supply of heavy cattle on offer. Slaughter cows sold steady to 2.00 higher, with the best demand for Breaker and Boner cows 75-85 percent lean. Slaughter bulls steady to 1.00 lower. Supply included 36 percent slaughter steers and cows.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 2-4 1235-1445 lbs 66.75-68.75, one head 1320 lbs 70.25. Choice 2-3 1130-1480 lbs 64.75-67.75, high dressing 1-2 up to 68.00; 1485-1580 lbs 61.00-66.00; 1600-1650 lbs 60.60-61.00. Select and low Choice 2-3 1240-1430 lbs 61.85-

66.25. Select 1-3 few 1295-1375 lbs 60.00-64.50.

HOLSTEIN STEERS: Choice 2-3 1185-1565 lbs 55.25-57.85, individual 1565 lbs 59.25. Select and low Choice 2-3 1135-1545 lbs 52.00-54.75. Select 1-2 few 1450-1475 lbs 49.25-52.75.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2-3 1195-1360 lbs 63.50-66.60. Select and low Choice 2-3 few 1060-1360 lbs 61.00-64.75. Heiferettes: Commercial and Standard 2-4 few 1395-1405 lbs 54.75-57.50.

SLAUGHTER COWS: PERCENT LEAN WEIGHT BULK LOW DRESSING Breakers 75-80 Over 1400 lbs 40.00-44.50 36.00-40.00 Boners 80-85 Over 1200 lbs 38.00-42.75 35.50-38.00 Lean (Hi-Yield) 85-88 Over 1200 lbs 35.00-38.00 32.00-35.00 Lean 88-90 Over 1000 lbs 34.00-37.50 31.50-34.00 Lean (Light-Wt) 85-90 750-1000 lbs 32.00-35.00 28.00-32.00.

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1 1180-2075 lbs 50.00-59.50. Yield Grade 2 1025-2240 lbs 43.00-51.75.

CALVES: Compared to Monday's auction, vealers sold steady on a light test. Large slaughter calves not well tested. Holstein bulls suitable for special-fed veal barns traded 10.00-15.00 lower. Holstein heifer prices were mostly steady. Supply included 427 in the state graded sale and 99 percent of the supply returned to feed.

VEALERS: Utility 80-110 lbs 15.00-40.00.

SLAUGHTER CALVES: Good and Choice few 365-420 lbs 65.00-75.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: Holstein bulls 90-125 lbs 92.00-107.00; 80-90 lbs 60.00; 75-80 lbs 50.00. Plainer-type bulls 85-125 lbs 60.00-97.00; 80-85 lbs 50.00, weaker calves 60-110 lbs 27.00-40.00. Holstein heifers 90-115 lbs 470.00-600.00. Plainer type heifers 80-115 lbs 200.00-400.00; 75 lbs 180.00-240.00.

Beef-type bulls and heifers 70-100 lbs 110.00-200.00.

SHEEP: Compared to Monday, slaughter lambs 60-80 lbs sold 5.00-20.00 higher on a light supply. Slaughter

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