

# LANCASTER COUNTY LIVESTOCK MARKET AUCTIONS

## New Holland Livestock Auction

New Holland, Pa.  
Report Supplied By USDA  
Monday, April 8, 2002

Cattle	Calves	Hogs	Sheep	Goats
287	179	904	641	1208
259	182	746	379	768
238	206	1072	1348	2367

MONDAY  
LAST WEEK  
LAST YEAR

CATTLE: Compared to Thursday, slaughter steers and heifers not well tested. Slaughter cows 2.00-3.00 lower. Slaughter bulls 3.00 lower. Supply included 44 percent cows.

SLAUGHTER COWS: PERCENT LEAN WEIGHT BULK LOW DRESSING Breakers 75-80 over 1400 lbs 42.00-47.00 37.00-38.00 Boners 80-85 over 1200 lbs 41.00-46.00 36.50-41.00 Lean (Hi-Yield) 85-88 over 1200 lbs 40.00-45.75 35.00-40.00 Lean 88-90 over 1000 lbs 39.50-43.00 35.00-39.50 Lean (Light-Wt) 85-90 750-1000 lbs 38.50-42.75 35.50-38.50

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1 1041-2015 lbs 57.00-58.75, high dressing individual 1430 lbs 60.75. Yield Grade 2 1110-2535 lbs 51.00-56.75, low dressing down to 47.00.

CALVES: Compared to Thursday's auction vealers steady to weak. Large slaughter calves not well tested. Holstein bulls returning to farm 20.00 lower. Holstein heifers steady to 40.00 lower.

VEALERS: Standard and Good 85-115 lbs 45.00-55.00. Utility 45-75 lbs 11.00-40.00.

SLAUGHTER CALVES: Not tested.  
RETURNED TO FARM: Holstein bulls 85-125 lbs 150.00-190.00. Plainer-type bulls 85-125 lbs 120.00-145.00. Holstein heifers 95-105 lbs 500.00-560.00, individual 85 lbs 700.00. Plainer-type heifers 75-90 lbs 230.00-460.00.

HOGS: Barrows and gilts 2.00 to 3.00 lower, sows steady to 2.00 lower. BARROWS AND GILTS: 49-54% lean 220-280 lbs 30.25-32.00, few up to 33.00, 150-180 lbs 36.00-38.00, 45-50% lean 220-280 lbs 28.00-30.75, 40-45% lean 285-330 lbs 24.25-28.00.

SOWS: 1-3 300-450 lbs 23.00-27.00, 450-500 lbs 25.00-30.00, 500-700 lbs 28.00-30.50.

BOARS: 200-300 lbs 22.00-26.00, 300-700 lbs 17.00-19.00.

SHEEP: Compared to Thursday,

slaughter lambs steady. Slaughter ewes steady. SLAUGHTER LAMBS: New Crop: Choice and Prime 2-3 20-40 lbs 100.00-150.00; 40-60 lbs 90.00-110.00; 60-90 lbs 85.00-100.00; 90-120 lbs 80.00-85.00. Good and Choice 1-3 40-80 lbs 80.00-100.00. SLAUGHTER EWES: Good and Choice yearlings and 2 year-olds 40.00-65.00. Utility and Good 1-3 25.00-40.00.

GOATS: All sold by the head with weights estimated. Kids: Selection 1 20-40 lbs 20.00-30.00; 40-60 lbs 30.00-50.00; 60-80 lbs 50.00-65.00; 80-100 lbs 65.00. Selection 2 20-40 lbs 10.00-20.00, 40-60 lbs 20.00-40.00; 60-80 lbs 40.00-50.00; 80-100 lbs 50.00-70.00. Yearlings: Selection 1 60-80 lbs 55.00-65.00; 80-100 lbs 65.00-80.00. Selection 2 60-80 lbs 45.00-55.00; 80-100 lbs 55.00-65.00. Nannies: 50-70 lbs 25.00-40.00; 70-100 lbs 40.00-55.00; 100-140 lbs 55.00-70.00. Billies: 70-100 lbs 50.00-70.00; 100-150 lbs 70.00-110.00; 150-250 lbs 110.00-140.00.

## Vintage Livestock Auction

Vintage, Pa.  
April 8-9, 2002  
Report Supplied By USDA

Cattle	Calves	Sheep	Goats
765	644	0	0
747	640	0	0
1126	629	22	0

CATTLE: Compared to last Thursday, slaughter steers .50-1.00 lower. Holstein steers steady to weak. Slaughter heifers 1.00-2.00 lower. Slaughter cows and Slaughter bulls 3.00-4.00 lower. Supply included 40 percent slaughter teers and 57 percent cows.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 3-4 1040-1495 lbs 72.00-74.25; 1500-1580 lbs 67.00-69.50. Choice 2-3 1170-1480 lbs 68.50-72.00; 1505-1595 lbs 65.00-67.75. High Select and Choice 2-3 1225-1480 lbs 66.50-69.25.

HOLSTEIN STEERS: High Choice and Prime 3-4 1285-1600 lbs 60.60-64.00. Choice 2-3 1200-1500 lbs 60.00-62.25. Select and Choice 2-3 1325-1645 lbs 57.25-59.85, few returning to the country 1090-1455 lbs 45.50-50.50.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: High Choice and Prime 3-4 1060-1415 lbs 68.00-79.75, few high dressing singles 71.50-73.00. Choice 2-4 1075-1365 lbs 64.50-68.00.

## Market At A Glance

Lancaster County Livestock Auction Averages  
(Price Per Hundredweight)  
Week Ending Friday, April 12, 2002  
Supplied By Market Staff

	This Wk	Wk Ago	Yr Ago
Steers, Choice 2-3	68.85	71.85	80.00
Heifers, Choice 2-3	67.50	70.00	78.00
Cows, Breakers, 75-80% lean	43.00	46.50	50.50
Cows, Boners, 80-85% lean	42.00	44.75	44.25
Bulls, YG 1	58.00	62.50	61.00
Hogs, 49-54% lean, Monday	31.10	33.85	47.25
Lambs, Choice/Prime 80-110 lb	82.50	85.00	100.00

SLAUGHTER COWS: PERCENT LEAN WEIGHT BULK LOW DRESSING Breakers 75-80 Over 1400 lbs 41.00-45.50 38.00-41.00 Boners 80-85 Over 1200 lbs 40.00-45.50 36.00-40.00 Lean (Hi-Yield) 85-88 Over 1200 lbs 38.00-43.50 34.50-38.00 Lean 88-90 Over 1000 lbs 37.50-43.00 33.50-37.50 Lean (Light-Wt) 85-90 750-1000 lbs 35.50-41.50 33.50-35.50

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1 1350-2255 lbs 56.00-60.50 few High Dressing 62.00-63.75. Yield grade 2 1120-1875 lbs 52.25-56.00, Low Dressing 47.50.

CALVES: Compared to last Tuesday, vealers 5.00-15.00 higher. Holstein bulls returning to farm 10.00 higher. Holstein heifers steady to 15.00 lower, with no discounts on number twos. Supply included 477 in the state graded sale and 89 percent of the supply returned to feed.

VEALERS: Standard and Good 75-115 lbs 50.00-70.00. Utility 65-115 lbs 25.00-45.00. RETURNED TO FARM: Holstein Bulls 85-122 lbs 150.00-185.00; Plainer-type bulls 85-114 lbs 147.00-170.00; 83-84 lbs 140.00; Graded Holstein heifers 85-120 lbs 625.00-705.00, No 2 heifers 83 lbs 480.00.

Beef-type bulls 75-120 lbs 95.00-150.00, beef-type heifers 85-110 lbs 175.00-210.00.



## New Holland Livestock Auction

New Holland, Pa.  
Thursday, April 11, 2002  
Report Supplied By USDA

Cattle	Calves	Sheep	Goats
1454	460	387	240
1410	549	245	194
8522	660	584	347

CATTLE: Compared to Tuesday, slaughter steers and heifers sold 2.00-3.00 lower. Holstein steers 3.00 lower. Slaughter cows 1.00 lower. Slaughter bulls steady to 2.00 lower. Supply included 54 percent slaughter steers and 27 percent cows.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 2-4 1200-1465 lbs 69.25-72.00. Choice 2-3 1100-1490 lbs 67.00-69.00. High Select and Choice 2-3 1050-1450 lbs 65.00-67.00. HOLSTEIN STEERS: Choice 2-3 1130-1627 lbs 58.00-60.00. Select and Choice 2-3 1240-1620 lbs 54.00-57.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice, few Prime 2-4 1175-1475 lbs 66.25-68.75. Choice 2-3, 1130-1280 lbs 64.00-66.50.

SLAUGHTER COWS: Breakers 75-80 percent lean over 1400 lbs 40.00-45.00. Boners 80-85 percent lean over 1200 lbs 39.50-44.50, low dressing 37.50-39.50. Lean (Hi-Yield) 85-88 percent lean over 1200 lbs 39.50-43.50, low dressing 37.00-39.50. Lean 88-90 percent lean over 1000 lbs 37.00-42.00, low dressing 34.00-37.00. Lean (Light-Wt) 85-90 percent lean 750-1000 lbs 36.00-41.00, low dressing 32.50-36.00.

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1 1200-2225 lbs 56.00-58.00, high dressing 60.00-63.50. Yield grade 2 1125-1920 lbs 52.50-56.25, low dressing 47.00-50.00.

CALVES: Compared to Monday, vealers steady. No test on slaughter calves. Holstein bulls and Holstein heifers returning to farm steady. Supply included 313 in state graded sale. 96 percent of the supply returned to feed.

VEALERS: Standard and Good 75-105 lbs 45.00-77.00. Utility 60-110 lbs 20.00-40.00. SLAUGHTER CALVES: No test.

RETURNED TO FARM: Holstein bulls 80-118 lbs 164.00-182.00, 120-124 lbs 148.00-150.00; Plainer-type bulls 76-80 lbs 120.00-135.00. Holstein heifers 90-110 lbs 500.00-670.00; Plainer-type heifers 85-105 lbs 240.00-400.00. Beef-cross 75-150 lbs 75.00-125.00.

SHEEP: Compared to Tuesday, Slaughter lambs and slaughter ewes steady. SLAUGHTER LAMBS: New Crop: Choice and Prime 2-3 20-40 lbs 100.00-150.00; 40-60 lbs 90.00-110.00; 60-90 lbs 85.00-100.00; 90-120 lbs 80.00-85.00. Good and Choice 1-3 40-80 lbs 80.00-100.00. SLAUGHTER EWES: Good and Choice yearlings and 2 year-olds 40.00-65.00. Utility and Good 1-3 25.00-40.00.

GOATS: All sold by the head with weights estimated. Kids: Selection 1 20-40 lbs 20.00-30.00; 40-60 lbs 30.00-50.00; 60-80 lbs 50.00-65.00; 80-100 lbs 65.00.

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