

**Southern & Eastern Direct Feeder Pigs**

Columbia, S.C.  
May 10, 2002

Report Supplied by USDA

Southern And Eastern US Direct FOB Feeder Pig Report: Weekly summary of prices FOB farm basis, week ended May 10. Receipts 30,350 last week 30,110. Compared to last week, early weaned pigs and 40-50 pound feeder pigs 1.00 to 5.00 lower per head. Demand light for moderate offerings. Receipts include 21,177 pigs shipped to Iowa and Central US.

**PIGS, EARLY WEANED 10 LB BASIS, Estimated 50-54% Lean Value:** Lot size 250 or less: 865 head, 15.00-26.31, wtd. avg. price 23.16; lot size 250-750: 3,158 head, 22.00-28.45, wtd. avg. price 25.31. Lot size 750 or more: 8,363 head, 13.00-30.00, wtd. avg. price 20.73. Total Composite: 12,386 head, 13.00-30.00, wtd. avg. price 22.12.

**PIGS, 40 LB BASIS, Estimated 50-54% Lean Value:** Lot size 250-750: 1,229 head, 32.00-42.46, wtd. avg. price 38.37; lot size 750 or more: 2,890 head, 33.00-41.00, wtd. avg. price 36.29. Total Composite: 4,119 head, 32.00-42.46, wtd. avg. price 36.91.

**PIGS, 45 LB BASIS, Estimated 50-54% Lean Value:** Lot size 250-750: 1,400 head, 33.00-36.72, wtd. avg. price 34.51; lot size 750 or more: 9,270 head, 33.00-38.70, wtd. avg. price 35.62. Total Composite: 10,670 head, 33.00-38.70, wtd. avg. price 35.48.

**PIGS, 50 LB BASIS, Estimated 50-54% Lean Value:** Lot size 250-750: 825 head, 32.83-38.50, wtd. avg. price 36.27; lot size 750 or more: 2,350 head, 32.83-46.47, wtd. avg. price 37.18. Total Composite: 3,175 head, 32.83-46.47, wtd. avg. price 36.94.

Prices quoted on per head basis picked up at sellers farms in NC, SC, GA, TN, KY, AL, MS, AR, MO, TX, OK, KS, IN, OH, MI, CO, UT, and WY. Prices do not include freight or brokers fees.

Many lots of 40-60 lb pigs sold with a .25-.40 per lb slide. Also, some lots of early weaned pigs have a 1.00 per lb sliding valued adjusted from a 10 lb basis. Early weaned pigs under 19 days old.

Estimated lean value is projected to base slaughter weights with normal confinement feeding conditions.

This report does not cover any trades which include profit/loss share agreements or any other form of shared or retained ownership agreement.

**Daily National Grain Market Summary**

St. Joseph, MO  
May 15, 2002

Report Supplied by USDA

Weather continued to offer support to grain and soybean bids. More wet weather is forecast for the eastern belt again. Soft red winter wheat areas are expected to receive more moisture. Talks of export delays in Argentina was supportive to soybean bids. Poor export interest continued to limit gains.

Wheat bids were supported by weather concerns as more wet weather is forecast for the eastern belt. Corn bids showed some strength Wheat 1 to 5 cents higher. Corn steady to 2 cents higher. Sorghum 1 cent higher. Soybeans 6 to 8 cents higher.

**EXPORT SALES: PURCHASER COMMODITY TONNAGE DELIVERY DATE** Nothing new to report.

**THESE MAY NOT BE THE ONLY EXPORT SALES THAT HAVE TRANSPIRED, BUT THEY ARE THE ONLY SALES THAT COULD BE CONFIRMED**

**DATE CHANGE YEAR AGO TRUCK BIDS:** 05/15/02 05/14/02 05/16/01 Wheat: Kansas City (HRW ORD) 2.90 up 3 3.15 Minneapolis (DNS) 3.35 ¼ up 3 3.67 ¼ Portland (SWW) 3.46-3.48 up 1-dn 2 3.40-3.43 St. Louis (SRW) 2.88 up 5 2.52-2.53

Corn, US 2 Yellow: Kansas City 2.06-2.08 unch 1.85-1.87 Minneapolis 2.01 ½ dn ¼ 1.75 ½ So. Iowa 2.10 up 2-unch 1.82-1.87 Omaha 1.99 up 1-unch 1.75-1.76 Soybeans, US 1 Yellow: Kansas City 4.79-4.81 up 6 4.56-4.57 Minneapolis 4.74 up 6 4.31 ½ So. Iowa 4.85-4.78 up 8-7 4.43-4.48 Cent. Il Processor 4.86-4.99 up 7-6 4.57 ½-4.65 ½

Minneapolis truck - to arrive 20 days  
**FUTURES:** Kansas City (July) Wheat 2.89 ½ up 2 ¾ 3.35 ¼ Minneapolis (July)

Wheat 2.97 ¼ up 3 3.37 ¼ Chicago (July) Wheat 2.83 ½ up 5 2.75 ¼ Chicago (July) Corn 2.16 ¼ up ¼ 2.01 ½ Chicago (July) Soybeans 4.82 up 6 4.47 ½ EXPORT BIDS: Barge bids out of Port of New Orleans or Rail out of North Texas Gulf. Bids per bushel except sorghum per cwt.

US 1 HRW Wheat, Ord Protein: Rail 3.32 ½-3.36 ½ up 4 3.76 ¼-3.80 ¼ US 2 Soft Red Winter Wheat: Barge 3.09 ½-3.13 ½ up 5-1 2.82 ¾-2.85 ¼ US 2 Yellow Corn Barge 2.37 ¼-2.38 ¼ up 1 ¼-1 ¾ 2.18 US 2 Yellow Sorghum Rail 4.13-4.29 dn 4-up 1 4.31-4.40 Barge 4.13 up 1 4.37-4.42 US 2 Yellow Soybeans Barge 5.16-5.18 up 6-8 4.87 ½-4.89 ½

**Kutztown Produce Auction**

Kutztown, Pa.

Report Supplied by Auction  
May 7, 9, 11, 2002

APPLES: 3.50-5.00 ½ BU.  
ASPARAGUS: .60-1.50 LB.  
EGGS: .45-.65.  
ONIONS: .25-.35 BUNCH; SPANISH 2.50-5.00 50 LBS.  
LETTUCE: 6.50-11.50 12 CT.  
RADISHES: .50 BUNCH.  
RHUBARB: .10-.35 LB.  
SPINACH: 3.00-4.50 ½ BU.  
FLOWERS: BEDDING PLANTS 2.50-14.00 FLAT, .35-2.00 POT; GERANIUMS .35-2.00; HANGING BASKETS 2.00-12.00, MARTHA WASHINGTON GERANIUMS 4.00-4.25; PERENNIALS .75-6.00 LARGE, .15-.60 SMALL; PLANTERS 3.00-22.50.

VEGETABLE PLANTS: TOMATOES POTTED .25-2.00; VEGETABLE FLATS 1.50-9.00.  
NURSERY STOCK: ALBERTA SPRUCE 7.00-17.50, ARBORVITAE 2.50-10.00; AZALEA 3.00-11.00, CYPRRESS 8.00-9.50, HOLLY .50-6.00, JUNIPERS 1.25-7.00; TREES 1.00-26.00; ROSE BUSH 3.50-6.50; RHODODENDRON 1.00-20.00; YEW 5.50.

SALE DAYS TUES. AND THURS, 10 A.M. HAY, STRAW AND PRODUCE SAT., 9 A.M.

**Kirkwood Produce**

Kirkwood, Pa

Report Supplied by Auction  
Tuesday, May 14, 2001

ASPARAGUS: .95-1.50 BUNCH.  
ONIONS: SPRING 10.00-11.00 30 CT. BOX.  
RADISHES: 3.00-3.50 24 CT.  
RHUBARB: 9.00 14 CT. BOX.  
STRAWBERRIES: 20.00 8 QT. FLAT.  
FLOWERS: ASSORTED PERENNIALS 1.00-2.50 EA., GERANIUMS 1.40-1.70 EA., POTTED DAY LILLIES 2.75 EA., HANGING BASKETS 3.50-10.00.  
SHRUBS: LILAC BUSH 5.00-8.00 EA.  
HERBS: ASSORTED 1.00-5.00 FLAT.  
VEGETABLE PLANTS: CABBAGE 1.50-2.50, LETTUCE 1.50, GRAPE TOMATO 6.00, ALL BY THE FLAT.  
NEXT WEEK'S SALE TUES. AND THURS. AT 9 A.M.

**Lebanon Produce Auction**

Reistville, Pa.

Report Supplied by Auction  
May 7, 2002

ASPARAGUS: 1.00-1.60 BUNCH, LOOSE 29.00 BOX.  
LETTUCE: .50-.60 LB. BAG.  
ONIONS: SPRING .45 BUNCH.  
PEAS: SUGAR 29.00 13.5 LB. BOX.  
RADISHES: .37 BUNCH.  
RHUBARB: .25-.35 LB. BUNCH.  
SPINACH: 1.95-2.20 2 LB. BAG.  
FLOWERS: .25-7.50, IMPATIENS 4.50, PETUNIAS 3.00-4.75, ALL FLATS; DAHLIAS 1.75-2.00, FUSCHIA BASKETS 7.50-9.25, GERANIUMS 1.50-4.50; FUSCHIA 7.50-9.25, IMPATIENS 5.76-7.50, BOTH BASKETS; MARIGOLDS 2.00-4.50, PANSIES 2.50-3.50; PETUNIA BASKETS 5.50-8.75.

NEXT WEEK'S SALE DAYS TUES. AND FRI. AT 9:30 A.M.

**Leola Produce**

Leola, Pa

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May 14, 2002

APPLES: 3.00-5.00 BU.  
ASPARAGUS: .50-.80 BUNCH.  
CUCUMBERS: 6.00 12 CT. BOX.  
LETTUCE: BUTTERCRUNCH, ROMAINE, HEAD 2.00-4.50 BOX.  
ONIONS: SPRING 12.00-18.00 40 CT. BOX.  
PEAS: SUGAR 20.00-35.00 10 LB. BOX.  
RADISHES: 4.50-6.50 16 CT. BOX.  
RHUBARB: 10.00-14.00 BOX.  
SPINACH: 5.00-8.00 BOX.  
STRAWBERRIES: 20.00-30.00 8 QT. FLAT.  
TOMATOES: RED SM. TO LRGE. 22.00-33.00 25 LB. BOX.  
FLOWERS: BEDDING ANNUALS 3.00-6.00 FLAT, .15-.75 POT; PERENNIALS .50-.80 POT, GERANIUMS .50-.85, HANGING BASKETS 2.00-7.00.  
VEGETABLE PLANTS: 3.00-8.00 FLAT.  
SALE DAYS MONDAY, 9:30; TUES., THURS., FRI. AT 8:30 A.M.

**Shippensburg Produce Auction**

Shippensburg, Pa.

Report Supplied by Auction  
May 10 and 14

APPLES: 2.00-5.00 ½ BU.  
ASPARAGUS: .50-1.10 LB.  
ONIONS: SPRING .20-.40 BUNCH.  
POTATOES: 6.00-8.00 50 LBS.  
RHUBARB: .50-1.00 LB.  
SPINACH: 1.00 LB.  
STRAWBERRIES: 11.00-18.50 8 QT. FLAT.  
FLOWERS: ANNUALS 3.75-11.00 FLAT, POTS 40-.80; GERANIUMS 1.75-2.50 POT; PLANTERS 5.50-15.00, LARGE 15.00-94.00; HANGING BASKETS 3.00-18.50; ROSES 9.75-13.00.  
SHRUBS: 4.00-21.00; AZALEAS 2.75-5.50; RHODODENDRON 9.00-14.00.  
TREES: PINES AND MAPLE 5.00-32.00; SEEDLINGS .10-.60 EACH.  
SALE DATE NEXT WEEK TUES. AND THUR., 9 A.M.

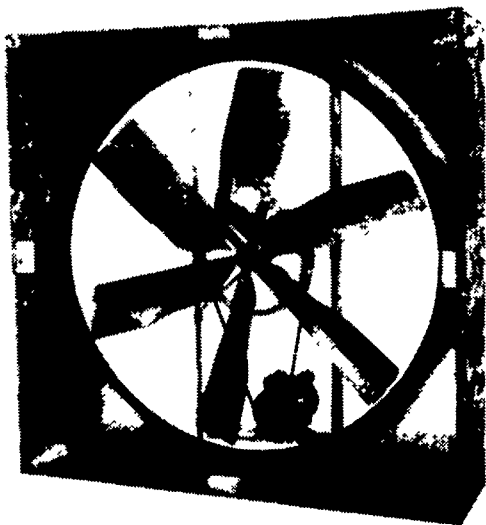
**Weaverland Produce Auction**

New Holland, Pa.

Report Supplied by Auction  
May 16, 2002

ASPARAGUS: 1.15-1.25 LB.  
LETTUCE: ROMAINE 4.50-5.00 21 CT, ICEBERG 6.50 12 CT., BUTTERCRUNCH 5.50 24 CT.  
ONIONS: SPRING 4.00 20 CT.  
PEAS: SUGAR 30.00 10 LBS.  
RADISHES: 4.50 12 CT.  
RHUBARB: 5.00-7.00 20 LBS.  
SPINACH: 1.00-7.00 12 LB. BOX.  
STRAWBERRIES: 30.00-32.00 8 QT. FLAT.  
FLOWERS: BEDDING ANNUALS 4.00-7.00 FLAT; PERENNIALS 2.00-4.00 POT AND 1.75-2.00 POT; HANGING BASKETS 6.00-18.00.  
SALE DAYS NEXT WEEK MON., TUES., THURS., FRI., 9 A.M.

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