HAY MARKETS *



New Holland **Feeder Pig Auction** NEW HOLLAND, PA October 9, 2002 **Report Supplied By USDA** FEEDER PIGS: WEDNESDAY 395, LAST WEEK 418, LAST YEAR 443.

Compared to last week, a feeder pig trend was not established due to low receipts over the past few weeks. However, local interest is starting to pick back up: with out of state feeders still not able to procure pigs due to the psudo-rabies outbreak of a couple weeks ago. Slaughter pigs weighing under 50 lbs sold weak to 10.00 lower, with pigs weighing over 50 lbs not fully tested. Bidding was very sporadic and only moderate at best. Buvers were definitely selective on the grades, as the higher quality hogs sold at a definite premium to the number twos. Near 17 percent of the run returned to feed. All pigs were weighed and graded on arrival and sold by the hundred weights.

HEAD WEIGHT PRICE FEEDER U.S. 1-2 13 39 lbs 60.00 26 40-45 lbs 42.00-48.00 8 47-48 lbs 42.00-51.00 9 55 lbs 42.00 4 63 lbs 37.00 2 75 lbs 30.00 U.S. 2 4 43 lbs 40.00

SLAUGHTER U.S. 1-2 50 20-30 lbs 50.00-80.00, package 110.00 54 30-37 lbs 90.00-117.00 23 45-50 lbs 42.00-45.00 5 91 lbs 45.00 U.S. 2 45 20-30 lbs 20.00-50.00 14 33-35 lbs 50.00 6 38 lbs 37.00 29 42-51 lbs 37.00-40.00

ALL PIGS CONSIGNED TO WEDNESDAY FEEDER PIG SALE MUST ORIGINATE

FROM A QUALIFIED NEGATIVE OR MONI-TORED HERD.

New Holland Hog Auction NEW HOLLAND, PA October 7, 2002 **Report Supplied By Auction** HOG RECEIPTS: 552 head, last Mon-

day 442; last year 803. Compared to last Monday, barrows and gilts sold fully 2.00-3.00 higher. Buyers were very active despite falling terminal hog prices, which reported lean hogs down 1.00-1.50 on Monday from 30.50-32.00. Also, hog futures closed with triple digit losses Monday; losing from 117 to 165 points. Even with all of this information, local hog prices continue to stay several dollars ahead of the larger markets of the Midwest; which is something both buyers and sellers are proud to hang their hats on.

PERCENT LEAN WEIGHT PRICE 49-54 210-255 lbs 33.00-36.00 230-265 lbs 30.25-34.00 45-50 220-280 lbs 30.25-33.00 40-45 230-270 lbs 28.00-30.50 270-350 lbs 25.50-28.00 SOWS: Sow buyers held the same enthusiasm as the lean hog buyers; with both light and heavy sows trading firm to fully 1.00 higher. U.S. 1-3 300-400 ibs 17.00-20.00 400-500 lbs 20.00-24.00 500-650 lbs 23 00-26 00

BOARS: Boars sold fully 1.00-2.00 higher on the light run. 300-700 lbs 7.00-8.00

CARLISLE

LIVESTOCK

Diffenbach **Auction Center**

New Holland, Pa. **Report Supplied By Auction** Monday, October 7, 2002 TOTAL LOADS: 109. ALFALFA: HIGH 235.00, AVG. 148.00.

MIXED HAY: HIGH 205.00, AVG. 145.00. TIMOTHY: HIGH 192.00, AVG. 151.00. RYE: 4.00 HIGH, AVG. 3.69.

ORCHARDGRASS: HIGH 155.00, AVG. 128.00, 120.00 BY THE LOAD. STRAW: HIGH 135.00, AVG. 114.00.

EAR CORN: HIGH 124.00, AVG. 122.00 TIMOTHY: 33.00 BU.

Livestock Cooperative **Auction Market Of North** Jersey Hackettstown, N.J.

Report Supplied by Auction October 8, 2002 Hay-Straw-Grain ALFALFA: 4 LOTS, 2.50-3.60 BALE.

MIXED HAY: 10 LOTS, 1.40-3.80 BALE. TIMOTHY: 4 LOTS, 1.25-2.00 BALE.

GRASS: 8 LOTS, 1.60-2.10 BALE. MULCH: 1 LOT AT 1.70. OAT STRAW: 4 LOTS, 1.70 EACH. WHEAT STRAW: 3 LOTS, 1.70-2.40. RYE STRAW: 2 LOTS, 2.00 AND 2.30.

> OATS: 1 LOT AT 6.50 BU. RYE: 1 LOT AT 3.40. 38 LOTS TOTAL.

Belleville Hay

Belleville, Pa. **Report Supplied By Auction** Wednesday, October 9, 2002 Hav---Straw-Grain ALFALFA HAY: 102.50-130.00. MIXED HAY: 72.50-147.50.

Green Dragon Hay Ephrata, Pa. **Report Supplied By Auction** Friday, October 4, 2002 Hay-Straw-Grain MIXED HAY: 16 LOTS, 92.00-195.00. ALFALFA: 3 LOTS, 132.00, 135.00, 140.00. TIMOTHY: 7 LOTS, 127.00-180.00.

STRAW: 10 LOTS, 70.00-150.00. EAR CORN: 3 LOTS, 119.00, 123.00, 132.00.

ORCHARDGRASS: 7 LOTS, 82.00-140.00.

OATS: 2.85 BU. RYE: 3 LOTS, 4.25, 4.30, 4.60.

Lebanon **Produce Hay Auction** Reistville, Pa. **Report Supplied By Auction** Tuesday, October 8, 2002 Hay-Straw-Grain ORCHARDGRASS: 170.00. MIXED HAY: 2.90 BALE. RYE SEED: 4.25 BU. SALE EVERY TUESDAY, 10 A.M.

Middleburg Hay

Middleburg, Pa. **Report Supplied by Auction** Tuesday, October 8, 2002 HAY: 27 LOTS. 66 LOTS TOTAL. ALFALFA: 2 LOTS, 112.50 AND 150.00. MIXED HAY: 14 LOTS, 47.50-172.50. TIMOTHY: 8 LOTS, 102.50-170.00. CLOVER: 95.00. ROUND BALES: 23.00-27.00. STRAW: 6 LOTS, 50.00-82.50, SMALL SQUARE BALES 1.10 BALE. RYE: 5 LOTS, 4.00-6.00 BU. EAR CORN: 7 LOTS, 120.00-150.00. BARLEY: 6 LOTS, 2.00-4.25 BU. WHEAT: 2 LOTS, 4.10-5.55 BU. FIREWOOD: 2 LOTS, 45.00 AND 80.00 LOAD. OATS: 9 LOTS, 1.75-2.45 BU.

TIMOTHY SEED: 2 LOTS, 25.00 AND 28.00 BU

Regional Hay October 7, 2002

Report Supplied By PDA HAY & STRAW MARKET FOR EASTERN PA — (All Hay Good grade & better prices paid by dealers at the farm & per ton) - Hay fully steady to firm. Straw steady to 5.00 higher. ALFALFA 100.00-130.00 few to 150.00: MIXED HAY 100.00-120.00 few to 140.00; TIMO-THY 90.00-110.00 few to 130.00; STRAW 70.00-90.00; MULCH 25.00-45.00.

SUMMARY OF LANCASTER CO. HAY AUCTIONS --- For week ending 10/04/02. Prices per ton: 150 loads Hay; 41 Straw & 8 Ear Corn. ALFALFA 130.00-190.00; MIXED HAY 100.00-175.00 mostly 180-245.00; TIMO-THY 110.00-185.00; STRAW: 88.00-137.00; EAR CORN 119.00-132.00.

SUMMARY OF CENTRAL PA. HAY AUCTIONS - For week ending 10/04/02. Prices per ton: 120 loads Hay; 20 Straw & 17 Ear Corn. ALFALFA 130.00-187.50; MIXED HAY 67.50-160.00; TIMOTHY 90.00-132.50; STRAW 50.00-90.00; EAR CORN 90.00-125.00.

Kutztown Produce Hay Auction

Fleetwood, Pa. **Report Supplied by Auction** Saturday, October 5, 2002 Hay---Straw-Grain 24 LOTS. ALFALFA HAY: 115.00-170.00. GRASSS HAY: 95.00-170.00. MIXED HAY: 70.00-180.00. TIMOTHY HAY: 150.00-160.00. **CLOVER HAY: 100.00.** WHEAT STRAW: 60.00. **OAT STRAW: 80.00.** STRAW, SM. BALES: 1.80-2.00. RYE SEED: 3.40-4,10. NEW ALFALFA HAY: 250.00. HAY, STRAW, AND FIREWOOD EVERY SAT., 9 A.M.





