

❖ HOG MARKETS ❖

New Holland Hog Auction NEW HOLLAND, PA October 21, 2002

Report Supplied By Auction
HOG RECEIPTS: 692 head, last Monday 696; last year 1115.

Receipts: 692. Compared to last Monday, barrows and gilts sold fully 1.00-3.00 lower. Many hog buyers felt that it was time to realign somewhat with the Western terminal markets; which are moving hogs weaker from around 28.00. Lean hog futures also took a hit at Mondays' close, closing down 10-97 cents. The general packer attitude at Mondays' auction was we need them, but we don't need them bad enough to keep paying 38.00-38.50 for the fancy ones. However, feeders need to remember that even with the bulk of the hogs bringing from 31.00-35.50, that it is still a 3.00-7.00 premium when compared to the Western market.

PERCENT LEAN WEIGHT PRICE
49-54 220-260 lbs 32.25-35.50 230-265 lbs 31.00-32.25 45-50 220-280 lbs 29.50-31.85 40-45 230-290 lbs 28.75-30.25 290-370 lbs 24.00-27.00. **SOWS:** Sows sold steady to 2.00 lower. U.S. 1-3 300-400 lbs 19.00-22.00 400-500 lbs 20.00-23.00 500-650 lbs 23.00-25.00

BOARS: Heavy boars sold fully steady, with 300-400 pounders trading steady to 2.00 lower on a very light run. 300-400 lbs 15.00-22.00 300-700 lbs 7.00-8.00

New Holland Feeder Pig Auction NEW HOLLAND, PA October 23, 2002

Report Supplied By USDA
Receipts: 471 Last Week: 246 Year Ago: 448.

This weeks' feeder pig run was not tested, due to last weeks' very light showing. Although, this week over 35 percent of the supply went back on feed, as feeders begin to show some interest after several weeks of very light participation. On the weights that were comparable, slaughter pigs sold with a higher undertone; except for the 30-35 pounders, which sold noticeably lower. The crowd at Wednesdays' auction was very light, and prices held up very well considering the light buyer attendance; and the fact that receipts were 200 head stronger when compared to last weeks'. The Western terminal hog markets continue to trend lower the first half of the week; with prices ranging from 26.00-28.00 at Wednesdays' close. Locally, hog prices are ranging from 31.00-35.50, although many producers are preparing for the next cycle of lower prices.

All pigs were weighed and graded on arrival and sold by the hundred weights.
HEAD WEIGHT PRICE Feeders U.S.
1-2 39 33-36 lbs 50.00-72.00 17 40 lbs 40.00 7 47 lbs 50.00 44 57-58 lbs 30.00-42.00 13 66 lbs 42.00 U.S. 2 25 22 lbs 75.00 20 36-37 lbs 50.00-52.00 5 47 lbs 42.00. Slaughter

U.S. 1-2 44 20-30 lbs 50.00-70.00, package 122.00 64 33-35 lbs 90.00-97.00 3 43 lbs 30.00 22 47-48 lbs 50.00-62.00 12 54 lbs 35.00 3 65 lbs 40.00 37 71-73 lbs 43.00-44.00, package 20.00 12 82 lbs 30.00-42.00. U.S. 2 8 29 lbs 85.00 2 45 lbs 37.00 2 52 lbs 42.00 6 66 lbs 30.00 5 92-95 lbs 30.00

ALL PIGS CON-SIGNED TO WEDNESDAY FEEDER PIG SALE MUST ORIGINATE FROM A QUALIFIED NEGATIVE OR MONITORED HERD.

❖ HAY MARKETS ❖

Regional Hay October 21, 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 and Straw steady. ALFALFA 100.00-130.00 few to 150.00; MIXED HAY 100.00-120.00; TIMOTHY 90.00-110.00 few to 130.00; STRAW 70.00-90.00; MULCH 25.00-50.00.

SUMMARY OF LANCASTER CO. HAY AUCTIONS — For week ending 10/18/02. Prices per ton: 145 loads Hay, 71 Straw & 7 Ear Corn. ALFALFA 97-180.00 few to 230.00; MIXED HAY 77.00-195.00 few to 260.00; TIMOTHY 80.00-175.00; STRAW: 85.00-140.00; EAR CORN 110.00-130.00.

SUMMARY OF CENTRAL PA. HAY AUCTIONS — For week ending 10/18/02. Prices per ton: 112 loads Hay, 17 Straw & 17 Ear Corn. ALFALFA 75.00-165.00; MIXED HAY 67.50-170.00; TIMOTHY 90.00-140.00; STRAW 65.00-97.50; EAR CORN 90.00-137.00.

Diffenbach Auction Center New Holland, Pa.

Report Supplied By Auction
Monday, October 21, 2002

TOTAL LOADS: 105.
ALFALFA: HIGH 250.00, AVG. 160.00.
MIXED HAY: HIGH 240.00, AVG. 153.00.
WHEAT: HIGH AND AVG. 2.00.
TIMOTHY: HIGH 185.00, AVG. 153.00.
REEDS CANARY GRASS: HIGH AND AVG. 122.00.
BROMEGRASS: HIGH 130.00, AVG. 129.00.
ORCHARDGRASS: HIGH 190.00, AVG. 146.00.
RYE: 3.00.
STRAW: HIGH 117.00, AVG. 96.00.
EAR CORN: HIGH 115.00, AVG. 103.00.
OATS: HIGH 3.00, AVG. 2.78 BU.

Green Dragon Hay Ephrata, Pa.

Report Supplied By Auction
Friday, October 18, 2002

Hay—Straw—Grain
84 LOTS TOTAL.
MIXED HAY: 25 LOTS, 77.00-175.00.
ALFALFA: 6 LOTS, 98.00-230.00.
TIMOTHY: 10 LOTS, 80.00-175.00.
STRAW: 26 LOTS, 87.00-140.00.
EAR CORN: 3 LOTS, 110.00, 123.00, 127.00.
ORCHARDGRASS: 7 LOTS, 81.00-160.00.
OATS: 4 LOTS, 1.85-2.10 BU.
RYE: 3.50 AND 3.90 BU.

Kutztown Produce Hay Auction Fleetwood, Pa.

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Saturday, October 19, 2002
Hay—Straw—Grain

43 LOTS.
ALFALFA HAY: 105.00-200.00.
GRASS HAY: 75.00-150.00.
MIXED HAY: 100.00-225.00.
TIMOTHY HAY: 110.00-170.00.
CLOVER HAY: 125.00.
WHEAT STRAW: 77.00-95.00.
OAT STRAW: 70.00-80.00.
HAY SMALL BALES: 2.50.
STRAW SMALL BALES: 1.80.
RYE SEED: 2.75-3.00.
FIREWOOD: 50.00-65.00 LOAD
SALE OF HAY, STRAW, FIREWOOD SAT., 9 A.M.
VERY SAT., 9 A.M.

Lebanon Produce Hay Auction Reistville, Pa.

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Tuesday, October 22, 2002
Hay—Straw—Grain

ALFALFA: 175.00.
TIMOTHY MIX: 2.75 BALE.
MIXED HAY: 105.00.
SALE EVERY TUESDAY, 10 A.M.

Westminster Hay Westminster, Maryland

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Tuesday, October 22, 2002
Hay—Straw—Grain

126 LOADS.
ALFALFA: 2.40-5.90 BALE.
ALFALFA MIX: 2.50-4.00 BALE. 8.00 LARGE ROUND.
TIMOTHY: 1.60-4.40 BALE, 21.00 LARGE ROUND.
TIMOTHY MIX: 2.00-2.40 BALE.
GRASS MIX: 1.65-4.50 BALE.
14.00-28.00 LARGE ROUND.
STRAW: 1.10-1.80 BALE.
BLUE GRASS: 2.60 BALE.
MULCH: .60-1.90 BALE.
OATS: 5.50 BAG.
FIREWOOD: 105.00 CORD.

Dewart Hay Dewart, Pa.

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Monday, October 21, 2002

HAY: 19 LOADS, 67.50-190.00.
STRAW: 3 LOADS, 75.00-90.00.
WOOD: 6 LOADS, 30.00-60.00.
CORN: 2 LOADS, 90.00 AND 120.00.
OATS: 1 LOAD, 2.50 BU.

Vintage Hay Vintage, Pa.

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Thursday, October 24, 2002
Hay—Straw—Grain

ALFALFA: 145.00.
MIXED HAY: 80.00-87.00.
STRAW: 107.00-122.00.

Wolgemuth Hay Leola, Pa.

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Wednesday, October 23, 2002
Hay—Straw—Grain

41 LOTS.
ALFALFA: HIGH 150.00, AVG. 144.00.
MIXED HAY: HIGH 172.00, AVG. 150.00.
TIMOTHY: HIGH 172.00, AVG. 157.00.
GRASS: HIGH 180.00, AVG. 141.00.
STRAW: HIGH 132.00, AVG. 108.00.
CORN: HIGH AND AVG. 98.00.
RYE: HIGH AND AVG. 4.00 BU.

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Corn	\$3.18 Bu	#75021 - 16% FLAKE	\$185.48
Soybeans	\$5.70 Bu	#75023 - 20% FLAKE	\$199.68
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		#75062 - 38% PELLET	\$272.45

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HAY & GRAIN SALE EVERY MONDAY - 10:00 A.M.

WED. NOV 6	WINROSS, HESS, FARM TRAC & TOYS	6:30 P.M.
FRI NOV. 8	TRACTORS, FARM EQ. & SUPPLIES	9:00 A.M.
TUES NOV. 19	QUILT, CRAFT & BUGGY	9:00 A.M.
WED. NOV 20(?)	QUILT & CRAFT	9:00 A.M.

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AT 10:30 AM
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TUESDAY SALES

10:30 A.M.
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STEERS, BULLS, HEIFERS,
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At Approx. 1 PM
Selling Feeders

6:00 P.M.
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MONDAY

**SLAUGHTER HOGS
EARLY BIRD HOG SALE
7:30 A.M.**

Sell Your Hogs At New Holland Sales Stables, Inc See them weighed, sold and pickup your check

**10:00 A.M.
HORSES
MULES**

**9:00 A.M.
SHEEP, GOATS &
CALVES**

**1:30 P.M.
BEEF SALE**

THURSDAY

BEEF AUCTION 9:30 A.M.

**BULLS, STEERS,
BEEF COWS**

**1:00 P.M.
STOCKERS & FEEDERS**

**10:00 A.M.
GOATS, SHEEP
CALVES**

WEDNESDAY

**HEIFER SALE 10:00 A.M.
COW SALE 12:00 NOON**

**HEIFERS
BULLS**

**DAIRY
COWS**

We have the usual run of 125 to 200 Heifers, all ages Loads of fresh cows and springers from our regular shippers Also some local fresh cows and springers

**1:30 P.M.
FEEDER PIG SALE**

Pigs are accepted after 6 30 A M State graded from 8 to 12 Dairy Barn and Feeder Pig Barn are cleaned and disinfected weekly for your protection

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