

**Grantsville Livestock**

Grantsville, Maryland  
 Report Supplied by Auction  
 Saturday, November 23, 2002  
**STOCK STEERS AND BULLS:**  
 200-500 lbs. 45.00-90.00.  
**STOCK HEIFERS:** 35.00-81.00.  
**SLAUGHTER STEERS:** Good to Choice 63.00-66.25, Medium to Good 42.00-60.00.  
**HOLSTEIN STEERS:** Good 38.00-45.50, Light 35.00-42.00.  
**SLAUGHTER HEIFERS:** Good to Choice 62.00-64.50, Medium to Good 50.00-61.50.  
**BULLS:** Heavy 33.00-45.00, Light 40.00-47.00.  
**COWS:** Utility Holsteins 32.00-39.00, Canners 28.00-32.00, Culls 25.00 and down.  
**BOB CALVES:** 50.00 and down.  
**HOLSTEIN BULL CALVES RETURN TO FARM:** 90-120 lbs. Up to 85.00.  
**HOLSTEIN HEIFER CALVES RETURN TO FARM:** Up to 200.00.  
**BEEF CROSS CALVES RETURN TO FARM:** Up to 125.00.  
**HOGS:** Top Quality up to 44.00, Heavy up to 40.00, Light 25.00-42.00; **FEEDER PIGS, BY HEAD:** Up to 23.00.  
**SOWS:** 20.00-28.00.  
**MALE HOGS:** 3.00-10.00.  
**LAMBS:** 70-85 lbs. up to 90.00, 85-125 lbs. up to 85.00, 30-60 lbs. up to 100.00, Culls up to 60.00.  
**SHEEP:** Up to 28.00.  
**GOATS:** Large 55.00-115.00, Medium 25.00-70.00, Small 10.00-30.00, all by the head.  
 Feeder sale every second Sat. per month.

**Middleburg Livestock Auction**

Middleburg, Pa.  
 Tuesday, November 26, 2002  
 Report Supplied By PDA  
**CATTLE 237...(PDA)...(Supply included 50 steers and heifers, 108 cows, 26 bulls and 53 feeder cattle...Compared with last week's sale...steers and bulls steady, cows 2.00 higher, heifers steady to 1.50 higher.**  
**STEERS:** few High Choice and Prime 2-3 1240-1260 lbs 1240-1260 lbs 69.25-70.00, Choice 1-3 1145-1310 lbs 64.25-68.00, one Select 1-2 61.00.  
**HOLSTEIN STEERS:** few High Choice and Prime 2-3 1275-1520 lbs 57.00-58.50, Choice 1-3 1215-1460 lbs 52.75-57.00, few Select 1-2 48.00-51.00, few Standard 1-2 42.00-46.00.  
**HEIFERS:** Choice 2-4 1025-1435 lbs 64.75-67.25, one 68.00, Select 1-2 58.00-63.50, few Standard 1-2 55.00-56.00.  
**COWS:** Breakers 75-80% lean 36.25-44.50, bulk of sales 38.00-43.50, Boners 80-85% lean 32.25-39.25, bulk of sales 34.00-38.00, Lean 85-90% lean 27.00-35.00 mostly 28.00-32.75. Shells 26.50 and down.  
**BULLS:** Yield Grade 1 1235-2295 lbs 45.00-52.00, Yield Grade 2 925-2535 lbs 40.00-45.75.  
**FEEDER CATTLE: STEERS:** one Medium and Large 1 395 lbs 72.00, 540-615 lbs 59.00-65.00, few Medium and Large 2 410-485 lbs 49.00-51.00, Medium and Large 3 835-1100 lbs 35.00-48.50; **HEIFERS:** one Medium and Large 1 300 lbs 70.00, few 945-955 lbs 54.00, Medium and

Large 2 540-690 lbs 43.00-49.00, Medium and Large 3 260-435 lbs 43.50-57.00; **BULLS:** one Medium 2 335 lbs 47.00, few Medium and Large 3 280-430 lbs 42.00-44.00, 745-915 lbs 42.50-49.00.  
**CALVES 199...VEALERS:** Standard and Good 75-110 lbs 30.00-42.00, Utility 65-95 lbs 10.00-27.00. **FARM CALVES:** Holstein bulls 5.00 higher, Holstein heifers steady...No 1 Holstein bulls 90-125 lbs 80.00-112.00 mostly 85.00-110.00, 80-85 lbs 70.00-87.00, No 2 80-100 lbs 45.00-87.00; No 1 Holstein heifers 75-100 lbs 310.00-440.00, No 2 70-105 lbs 130.00-260.00.  
 One beef cross bull and heifer 100 lbs 85.00.  
**HOGS 106...Barrows and gilts 2.00 higher, sows 3.00 higher. BARROWS AND GILTS:** 49-54% lean 245-270 lbs 32.50-34.00, few to 37.50, 45-50% lean 215-275 lbs 26.00-30.00, 40-45% lean 285-390 lbs 26.00-32.50, one 38.00.  
**SOWS:** 1-3 340-495 lbs 12.00-22.50, few 545-580 lbs 24.00-26.00.  
**BOARS:** few 8.00-14.50.  
**FEEDER PIGS 49...1-3 30-40 lbs 8.00-11.00, 60-80 lbs 12.00-16.50 per head.**  
**SHEEP 12...SLAUGHTER LAMBS:** one High Choice 95 lbs 106.00, one 150 lbs 50.00. **SLAUGHTER SHEEP:** 21.00-31.00, few Yearlings 30.00-32.00.  
**GOATS 25...(All goats sold by the head with weights estimated). Kids:** Selection 1 one 25 lbs 25.00, one 55 lbs 56.00. Selection 2 40-60 lbs 40.00-55.00. Yearlings: Selection 2 40-60 lbs 35.00-56.00, few 60-80 lbs 68.00. Nannies: 50-70 lbs 30.00-47.00. Billies: 50-70 lbs 27.00-50.00, 80-130 lbs 60.00-75.00.

**Lebanon Valley Livestock**

Fredericksburg, Pa.  
 Report Supplied By PDA  
 Nov. 26, 2002  
**CATTLE 124...(PDA)...Compared with last week's sale...cows steady to weak. HEIFERS:** one Standard 1-2 45.00. **COWS:** Breakers 75-80% lean 36.75-39.75, Boners 80-85% lean 32.00-35.75, Lean 85-90% lean 25.00-32.25. Shells 24.50 and down. **BULLS:** one Yield Grade 2 1605 lbs 40.00. **FEEDER CATTLE: STEERS:** Large 3 485-745 lbs Holsteins 44.00-52.75, Medium and Large 1 360-490 lbs 55.50-77.50, 560-875 lbs 60.00-73.50, Medium and Large 2 235-495 lbs 66.00-75.00; **HEIFERS:** Large 3 530-700 lbs Holsteins 51.00-72.00, couple Medium and Large 1 235 & 350 lbs 55.00 & 70.00, couple Medium and Large 2 305 lbs 41.00 & 56.00, couple 715 & 785 lbs 44.00 & 44.50; **BULLS:** one Large 3 245 lbs Holstein 66.00, few Medium 1 495-565 lbs 50.00-52.50, Medium and Large 2 420-590 lbs 43.00-53.00.  
**CALVES 166...VEALERS:** Standard and Good 85-120 lbs 30.00-40.00, Utility 65-95 lbs 10.00-20.00.  
**FARM CALVES:** Holstein bulls 7.00 to 12.00 higher, Holstein heifer steady...No 1 Holstein bulls 95-115 lbs 80.00-112.00, 80-90 lbs 62.00-77.00, No 2 95-135 lbs 60.00-92.00, 80-90 lbs 40.00-57.00; one No 1 Holstein heifer 110 lbs 310.00, No 2 90-115 lbs 100.00-205.00.  
 Beef cross bulls and heifers 80-100 lbs 95.00-115.00.  
**HOGS 12...Sows 1.50 higher.**  
**SOWS:** 1-3 415-475 lbs 18.00, 510-570 lbs 20.00-22.00.  
**BOARS:** one 4.00.  
**FEEDER PIGS 0...NO MARKET TEST!**  
**SHEEP 0...NO MARKET TEST!**  
**GOATS 0...NO MARKET TEST!**

**Mercer Livestock Auction**

Mercer, Pa.  
 November 26, 2002  
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**CATTLE 235...(PDA)...steers stronger. STEERS:** Choice 1-3 1175-1475 lbs 68.25-73.50, Select 1-2 60.00-63.00, few Standard 1-2 50.00-60.00.  
**HOLSTEIN STEERS:** few High Choice and Prime 2-3 1300-1525 lbs 62.75-66.00, Choice 2-3 1325-1550 lbs 57.75-61.25, few Select 1-2 49.00-51.50.  
**HEIFERS:** few Choice 2-4 1095-1340 lbs 62.50-70.50, few Select 1-2 59.00-64.00, Standard 1-2 52.00-59.50.  
**COWS:** Breakers 75-80% lean 40.00-44.00, Boners 80-85% lean 34.50-38.00, Lean 85-90% lean 28.25-34.75. Shells 27.75 and down.  
**BULLS:** few Yield Grade 1 1395-1980 lbs 45.50-52.25, few Yield Grade 2 1040-2075 lbs 37.00-44.25.  
**FEEDER CATTLE: STEERS:** few Medium 1-2 450-700 lbs 65.00-81.00, few Large 2 820-925 lbs 40.00-43.00; **HEIFERS:** few Medium 1 350-575 lbs 65.00-70.00, few Medium 2 400-600 lbs 40.00-60.00; **BULLS:** Medium 1 425-600 lbs 71.00-87.00, Medium 2 400-650 lbs 50.00-65.00.  
**CALVES 78...VEALERS:** Standard and Good 75-115 lbs 20.00-35.00, few Utility 60-75 lbs 13.00-17.50. **FARM CALVES:** No 1 Holstein bulls 95-120 lbs 70.00-97.50, No 2 80-120 lbs 35.00-80.00; few No 2 Holstein heifers 95-120 lbs 95.00-225.00.  
 Couple beef cross bulls and heifers 80 & 85 lbs 55.00 & 60.00.  
**HOGS 20...BARROWS AND GILTS:** 49-54% lean 220-260 lbs 42.00-42.75.  
**BOARS:** one 575 lbs 3.00.  
**FEEDER PIGS 0...NO MARKET TEST!**  
**SHEEP 5...SLAUGHTER SHEEP:** few 25.00-30.50.  
**GOATS 1...NO MARKET TEST!**

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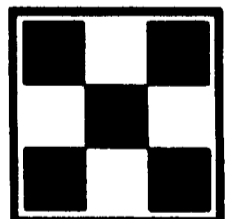
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