

**Weaverland Hay**

New Holland, Pa  
Report Supplied by Auction  
Thursday, January 30, 2003  
Hay—Straw—Grain

75 LOADS.  
ALFALFA: 92.00-175.00.  
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**Southern & Eastern Direct Feeder Pigs**

Columbia, S.C.  
January 24, 2003  
Report Supplied by USDA  
Southern And Eastern US Direct FOB Feeder Pig Report: Weekly summary of prices FOB farm basis, week ended Jan. 24. Receipts 54,368; last week 30,310. Compared to last week, early weaned pigs

steady to 2.00 per head lower, 40-50 pound feeder pigs steady to 3.00 per head higher. Demand moderate for moderate offerings. Receipts include 45,242 head shipped to Iowa and Central US. Also receipts include an estimated 35% formulated prices.

PIGS, EARLY WEANED 10 LB BASIS, estimated 50-54% lean value: Lot size 250 head or less: 780 head, 29.58-34.10, wtd. avg. price 31.75; lot size 250-750: 7,105 head, 27.50-33.37, wtd. avg. price 31.08; lot size 750 or more: 17,870 head, 24.00-40.00, wtd. avg. price 30.41. Total Composite: 25,755 head, 24.00-40.00, wtd. avg. price 30.64.

PIGS, 40 LB BASIS, estimated 50-54% lean value: Lot size 250-750: 712 head, 49.00.

PIGS, 45 LB BASIS, estimated 50-54% lean value: Lot size 750 or more: 26,460 head, 52.06-60.00, wtd. avg. price 57.75.

PIGS, 50 LB BASIS, estimated 50-54% lean value: Lot size 750: or more: 791 head, 50.48.

PIGS, 55 LB BASIS, estimated 50-54% lean value: Lot size 250-750: 650 head, 63.50.

\*rices are quoted on a per head basis "picked up" at the sellers farm in NC, SC, GA, TN, KY, AL, MS, AR, MO, TX, OK, KS, IN, OH, MI, PA, CO, UT, and WY. Prices do not include freight or broker fees. Many lots of 40-60 weight pigs sold with a .25-.40 per pound slide. Also, some lots of early weaned pigs have a 1.00 per pound sliding value adjusted from a 10 pound 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 agreements.

**Direct Slaughter Cattle Daily Market Review**

St. Joseph, Mo.  
January 29, 2003  
Report Supplied By USDA

National Slaughter Cattle Review as of 2 p.m.: Slaughter cattle demand turned good Wednesday afternoon and trade activity was moderate to active. Live sales ranged from 76.00 to 80.00 mostly 79.00 trending steady to firm compared to last week. Dressed prices were between 122.00 to 123.00 which is steady to 1.00 higher than last week.

NEGOTIATED: PRICES PAID for Domestic Slaughter Steers and Heifers (Information derived from the 5 area weighted average):

NEGOTIATED SALES: Confirmed: 63,860; Week ago: 18,386; Year ago: 4,814. Week to Date: 88,156; Week ago: 28,772; Year ago: 19,084.

LIVE BASIS: STEERS: Over 80% Choice 77.00-80.00 avg 78.24; 65-80% Choice 77.00-79.50 avg 77.71; 35-65% Choice 76.00-80.00 avg 78.87; under 35% Choice no quotes. Total all grades 76.00-80.00 avg 78.71. HEIFERS: Over 80% Choice 77-78.00 avg. 77.49; 65-80% Choice 77.00-79.50 avg 78.13; 35-65%

Choice 76.00-80.00 avg 79.10. Total all grades: 76.00-80.00 avg 78.63.

DRESSED BASIS: STEERS: Over 80% Choice 122.00-123.00 avg 122.31; 65-80% Choice 121.00-124.00 avg 122.50; 35-65% Choice 121.00-123.00 avg 122.32; under 35% no quotes. Total all grades 121.00-124.00 avg 122.39. HEIFERS: Over 80% Choice 121-124.00 avg 122.58; 65-80% Choice 121.00-124.00 avg 121.96; 35-65% Choice 120.50-123.50 avg 122.35; under 35% no quotes. Total all grades 120.50-124.00 avg 122.20.

FORMULA PURCHASES: Prices established so far today for previously slaughtered cattle: Beef Type: Domestic: Head count priced today - 37,700; weighted avg weight - 776 lbs; weighted avg net price - 125.47.

Covers transactions reported at 2:00 pm today. Comments and market conditions may include information gathered from voluntary sources. All prices, weights and head counts are only those gathered through the mandatory reporting system.

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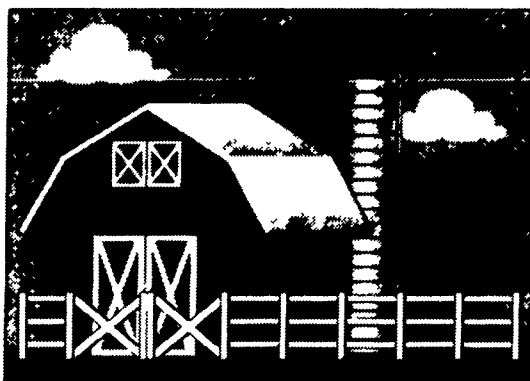
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