

LIVESTOCK FUTURES MARKET

Chicago Mercantile Exchange
Wednesday, August 20, 2003

	Choice Steers		Choice Feeders		Live Hogs Lean Value		Frozen Pork Bellies	
	Today	Wk Ago	Today	Wk Ago	Today	Wk Ago	Today	Wk Ago
Au 03	80.225	77.875	94.925	90.900	-----	-----	83.150	88.500
S 03	80.400	78.350	93.350	90.925	-----	-----	-----	-----
O 03	79.800	76.925	92.650	90.050	53.750	53.075	-----	-----
N 03	79.800	77.500	91.675	88.925	-----	-----	-----	-----
D 03	79.800	77.875	-----	-----	51.775	51.325	-----	-----
J 04	-----	-----	89.250	86.520	-----	-----	-----	-----
F 04	79.350	77.775	-----	-----	54.550	55.025	82.725	78.600
Mr 04	-----	-----	86.900	85.200	-----	-----	80.550	78.250
Ap 04	77.525	76.300	86.800	85.200	58.050	58.350	-----	-----
My 04	-----	-----	86.500	85.200	60.850	61.175	83.000	79.500
Jn 04	72.650	71.500	-----	-----	62.600	62.550	-----	-----
Jl 04	-----	-----	-----	-----	60.350	60.300	83.250	80.100
Au 04	72.500	71.000	-----	-----	58.925	58.850	-----	-----

Greencastle Livestock

Greencastle, Pa.
Report Supplied by PDA
August 18, 2003

CATTLE 388...(PDA)...(Supply included 71 slaughter steers and heifers, 259 cows, 14 bulls and 44 feeder cattle)...Compared with last week Monday's sale...steers steady to 1.00 lower, cows steady to 1.25 higher.

STEERS: High Choice and Prime 2-3 1220-1395 lbs 81.00-83.50, average 82.50, Choice 1-3 1120-1385 lbs 75.00-81.00, average 78.25, Select 1-2 68.00-75.75, Standard 1-2 58.00-66.75.

HOLSTEIN STEERS: Select 1-2 58.25-60.00, Standard 1-2 45.75-54.50.

HEIFERS: few Choice 1-3 1085-1275 lbs 75.00-79.75, one Select 1-2 73.50, Standard 1-2 49.50-65.75.

COWS: Breakers 75-80% lean 39.75-47.25, average 43.35, Boners 80-85% lean 37.00-43.75, average 40.20, Lean 85-90% lean 34.00-41.50, average 36.95. Shells 33.50 and down.

BULLS: few Yield Grade 1 1510-1890 lbs 53.25-56.50, few Yield Grade 2 1050-1355 lbs 50.00-53.25, few down to 41.50.

FEEDER CATTLE: **STEERS:** few Medium and Large 1 415-455 lbs 90.00-96.00, 500-560 lbs 84.00-86.00, few Medium and Large 2 475-575 lbs 75.00-84.00, Medium and Large 3 220-335 lbs 57.00-66.00; **HEIFERS:** few Medium and Large 1 360-570 lbs 80.00-85.00, Medium and Large 2 230-340 lbs 65.00-74.00, Medium and Large 3 305-505 lbs 54.00-68.00; **BULLS:** Medium and Large 1 200-305 lbs 105.00-118.00, few Medium and Large 2 315-380 lbs 76.00-87.00, couple 575 & 715 lbs 45.00 & 59.00, 500-615 lbs 45.00-57.00.

CALVES 494...**VEALERS:** Standard and Good 80-110 lbs 20.00-32.50, Utility 55-95 lbs 5.00-20.00. **FARM CALVES:** Holstein bulls steady to 5.00 higher, Holstein heifers steady...No 1 Holstein bulls 90-125 lbs 110.00-172.50 mostly 120.00-165.00, average 139.90, 80-90 lbs 70.00-95.00, No 2 80-120 lbs 40.00-100.00, few down to 25.00; No 1 Holstein heifers 95-115 lbs 40.00-495.00, No 2 70-100 lbs 70.00-245.00.

Few beef cross bulls and heifers 85-95 lbs 125.00-160.00.

HOGS 27...**BARROWS AND GILTS:** few 45-50% lean 195-215 lbs 41.00-48.00, few 40-45% lean 325-335 lbs 34.50-35.00.

SOWS: 1-3 435-495 lbs 27.00-29.00, 525-600 lbs 32.00-35.00, Medium 325-455 lbs 11.00-20.00.

BOARS: 510-630 lbs 3.00-6.50.

FEEDER PIGS 0...**NO MARKET TEST!**

SHEEP 51...Slaughter lambs 2.00 to 3.00 higher. **SLAUGHTER LAMBS:** Choice 50-70 lbs 74.00-93.00, 75-95 lbs 74.00-87.00, 100-115 lbs 77.00-82.00.

SLAUGHTER SHEEP: 34.00-40.00.

GOATS 174...(All sold by the head with weights estimated). Kids: Selection 1 under 20 lbs 17.50-21.00, 20-40 lbs 43.00-62.50, 40-60 lbs 49.00-65.00, 60-80 lbs 79.00. Selection 2 under 20 lbs 3.00-12.00, 20-40 lbs 15.00-40.00, 40-60 lbs 34.00-46.00, 60-80 lbs 66.00. Selection 3 few 20-40 lbs 9.00-11.00. Yearlings: Selection 2 40-70 lbs 47.00-56.00, Nannies: 50-70 lbs 37.00-68.00, 70-100 lbs 57.00-77.50, 100-125 lbs 72.00-80.00. Billies: 50-70 lbs 55.00-88.00, 70-100 lbs 91.00, 100-150 lbs 127.00-170.00. Wethers: 60-85 lbs 68.00-77.00.

Pa. Weekly

13 Livestock Auctions
Friday, August 15, 2003
Report Supplied by PDA

14 LIVESTOCK AUCTIONS
CATTLE 5514...Compared with 4936 head last week and 4734 head a year ago. Compared with last Friday's summary; slaughter steers sold 1.00 to 2.00 lower, slaughter heifers mostly 1.00 lower, slaughter cows were .50 to .75 lower, bulls 2.00 to 3.00 lower.

STEERS: High Choice and Prime 2-4 80.00-83.50, Choice 1-3 75.50-81.25, Select and Low Choice 2-3 75.00-79.00, Select 1-3 70.00-76.00, Standard 1-2 53.50-68.00.

HOLSTEIN STEERS: High Choice and Prime 2-3 69.75-73.75, Choice 2-3 63.75-71.25, Select 1-2 56.75-63.00, Standard 1-2 47.00-56.00.

HEIFERS: Choice few Prime 2-4 74.00-78.25, few to 82.00, Select 1-3 68.75-74.25, Standard 1-2 50.00-64.25.

COWS: Breakers 75-80% lean 43.00-52.25, Boners 80-85% lean 36.75-45.00, Lean 85-90% 33.00-42.50. Shells 32.50 and down.

BULLS: Yield Grade 1 1000-2500 lbs 50.00-58.50, Yield Grade 2 900-2400 lbs 42.00-52.00.

FEEDER CATTLE: **STEERS:** Medium and Large 1 300-500 lbs 85.00-110.00, 500-700 lbs 73.00-90.00, Medium and Large 2 300-500 lbs 71.00-80.50, 500-700 lbs 53.50-71.00, few Large 3 300-500 lbs 80.00-91.00, few Medium and Large 2 300-500 lbs 74.00-83.00, 500-700 lbs 63.00-79.00, Large 3 500-700 lbs Holsteins 50.50-53.00.

CALVES 3850...Compared with 4202 head last week and 3833 head a year ago. Vealers steady. **VEALERS:** Standard and Good 70-110 lbs 20.00-45.00, Utility 50-100 lbs 5.00-29.00. **FARM CALVES:** Holstein bull calves mostly steady, Holstein heifers steady; No 1 Holstein bulls 90-120 lbs 105.00-165.00, few to 180.00, No 2 80-125 lbs 40.00-120.00; No 1 Holstein heifers 85-110 lbs 300.00-470.00, No 2 80-115 lbs 100.00-330.00.

Beef type bulls and heifers 70-115 lbs 65.00-170.00.

HOGS 1151...Compared with 1099 head last week and 1579 head a year ago. Barrows and gilts sold 1.00 to 1.50 higher, sows sold 3.00 to 5.00 higher. **BARROWS AND GILTS:** 49-54% lean 220-275 lbs 42.00-44.25, 45-50% lean 220-300 lbs 39.00-42.00, 40-45% lean 220-275 lbs 36.00-38.00.

SOWS: 1-3 300-500 lbs 33.00-38.00, 500-700 lbs 38.00-41.00.

BOARS: 11.00-13.00.

FEEDER PIGS 242...Compared with 198 head last week and 245 head a year ago. US 1-3 30-45 lbs 15.00-39.00 per head.

SHEEP 1552...Compared with 2137 head last week and 1765 head a year ago. Slaughter lambs sold mostly steady. **SLAUGHTER LAMBS:** Choice 40-50 lbs 110.00-120.00, 50-70 lbs 104.00-118.00, 80-100 lbs 86.00-106.00, 110-125 lbs 80.00-91.00, Good and Choice 40-70 lbs 40.00-102.00.

SLAUGHTER SHEEP: 23.00-46.00.
TWO GRADED FEEDER PIG SALES 994...Compared with 163 head last week and 1162 head a year ago...Feeder pigs were lightweights 10.00 to 20.00 higher with balance holding steady...US 1-2 21-25 lbs 110.00-145.00, 30-35 lbs 110.00-120.00, 46-49 lbs 60.00-67.00, 51-59 lbs 61.00-70.00, 62-69 lbs 62.00-82.00, 70-79 lbs 58.00-81.00, 2-3 70 lbs 50.00 per cwt.

Grantsville Livestock

Grantsville, Maryland
Report Supplied by Auction
Saturday, Aug. 16, 2003

STOCK STEERS AND BULLS: 200-500 lbs. 57.00-88.00.

STOCK HEIFERS: 50.00-88.00.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Good to Choice, none available, Medium to Good 52.00-75.50.

HOLSTEIN STEERS: Good 50.00-61.00, Light 46.00-52.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Good to Choice, none available, Medium to Good 50.00-72.50.

BULLS: Heavy 45.00-56.00, Light 40.00-47.00.

COWS: Utility Holsteins 40.00-45.00, Canners 38.50-39.50, Culls 37.00 and down.

BOB CALVES: 40.00 and down.
HOLSTEIN BULL CALVES RETURN TO FARM: 90-120 lbs. Up to 101.00.

HOLSTEIN HEIFER CALVES RETURN TO FARM: Up to 165.00.

BEEF CROSS CALVES RETURN TO FARM: Up to 125.00.

HOGS: Top Quality up to 42.00, Heavy up to 39.00, Light 25.00-36.00; **FEEDER PIGS, BY HEAD:** Up to 40.00.

SOWS: 15.00-31.00.
MALE HOGS: 4.75-21.00.

LAMBS: 70-85 lbs. up to 100.00, 85-125 lbs. up to 85.00, 30-60 lbs. up to 90.00, Culls up to 60.00.

SHEEP: Up to 31.00, **FAT UP TO** 22.00.

GOATS: Large 55.00-95.00, Medium 25.00-65.00, Small 10.00-51.00, all by the head, kid 3.00-70.00.

Feeder sale every second Sat. per month.

Friend's Stockyard

Accident, Md.
Report Supplied by Auction
Aug. 18, 2003

STOCK STEERS AND BULLS: 200-500 lbs. 55.00-96.00.

STOCK HEIFERS: 200-500 lbs. 51.00-84.00.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Good to Choice 76.00-82.50, medium to good 60.00-75.00, heavy Choice over 1450 lbs. 60.00-74.00.

HOLSTEIN STEERS: heavy Choice 52.50-70.00, light 42.00-68.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Good to Choice 76.00-81.00, Medium to Good 60.00-73.50.

BULLS: heavy 40.00-56.00, light 46.00-61.00.

COWS: Utility (Holsteins) 45.00-47.75, Commercial to Good 38.00-44.75, cull cows 37.50 and down.

VEALS: Good to Choice 50.00-90.00, Med. to Good 50.00-67.00.

BOB CALVES: 30.00 and down.

HOLSTEIN BULL CALVES, RETURN TO FARM: 90-120 lbs. up to 150.00; **HOLSTEIN HEIFER CALVES, RETURN TO FARM:** 90-120 lbs. up to 300.00, **BEEF X CALVES** return to farm up to 120.00.

HOGS: top quality, up to 41.00.
SOWS: up to 32.00.

LAMBS, Choice up to 84.00.
GOATS: Choice up to 75.00.

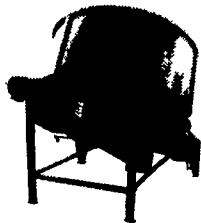
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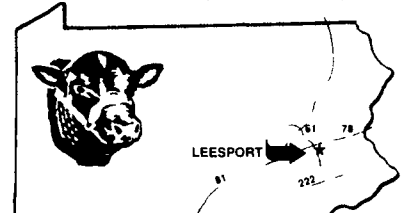
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