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Four States Livestock Auction - Hagerstown, Md Livestock Auction Report for Wednesday, March 18, 2014

\*\*\* Special Feeder Cattle Sale every 2nd and 4th Wednesday \*\*\* Special Stock Cow Sale every 1st Wednesday Special Dairy Sale every 3rd Wednesday

Ca	attle	Calv	∕es ⊦	logs	Feeder Pigs	Shee	ep Goat
Receipts	5: 2	.09	127	106	10	30	30
Last We	eK:	276	89	78	28	63	17

Compared to last week slaughter cows sold 1.00 to 2.00 lower. Cattle supply included 15 steers and heifers, 82 slaughter cows, 2 bulls, 61 feeder cattle, 5 stock cows and 44 dairy cows and heifers. All prices per cwt.

Slaughter Steers: No Market Test.

Slaughter Holstein Steers: Choice 2-3 1455 lbs 144.00. Select 2-3 1355-1534 lbs 131.00-134.00.

Slaughter Heifers: No Market Test.

Slaughter Cows:

 Percent Lean
 Avg. Dressing
 High Dressing
 Low Dressing

 Premium White
 65-75
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 Breakers
 75-80
 100.00-106.00
 116.00-116.00
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 Boners
 80-85
 97.00-101.00
 ----- 91.00-95.00

 Lean
 85-90
 91.00-94.00
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Slaughter Bulls: High Dressing 1880 lbs 129.00.

Feeder Cattle: All prices per cwt.

Steers: Medium and Large 1 300-500 lbs 250.00-265.00; 500-700 lbs 225.00-245.00. Selection 2 400-500 lbs 202.50.

Holstein Steers: Large 3 300-500 lbs 170.00-177.50.

Heifers: Medium and Large 1 200-400 lbs 235.00-245.00; 500-600 lbs 227.50. Medium and Large 2 200-400 lbs 187.50-200.00; 400-600 lbs 200.00-220.00; 600-800 lbs 159.00-167.50.

Bulls: Medium and Large 1 300-500 lbs 245.00-285.00; 500-700 lbs 225.00. Medium and Large 2 300-500 lbs 170.00-192.50.

Dairy Cows: Sold By The Head.

Fresh Cows:

Approved: 1650.00-1900.00.

Medium: 1375.00-1410.00.

Common: 1200.00-1300.00.

Short Bred: (1-3 months):

Medium: 1635.00.

Bred Cows: (4-6 months):

Medium: 1500.00.

Springing Cows: (7-9 months):

No Market Test.

Springing Heifers: (7-9 months):

No Market Test.

Bred Heifers: (4-6 months):

No Market Test.

Short Bred Heifers: (1-3 months):

No Market Test.

**Open Heifers:** 

Medium: 1135.00.

Beef Stock Cows: Sold By The Pound.

Short Bred Cows: (1-3 months):

No Market Test.

Bred Cows: (4-6 months):

No Market Test.

Springing Cows: (7-9 months):

Angus 1450 lbs 1600.00.

Cow/Calf: Cow Weight Calf Weight Price Angus 1482 88 1650.00

Open Cows: No Market Test.

Stock Bulls:

Holstein 892 lbs 1425.00.

Angus 835-1345 lbs 139.00-155.00.

Return to Farm Calves: Compared to last weeks sale holstein bull calves sold 40.00 to 50.00 higher. All prices per cwt.

Holstein Bull Calves: Number 1 96-120 lbs 375.00-480.00; 75-94 lbs 360.00-460.00. Number 2 96-120 lbs 310.00-370.00; 76-94 lbs 250.00-350.00. Utility 70-110 lbs 115.00-140.00.

Holstein Heifer Calves: Number 1 84-96 lbs 285.00-340.00. Number 2 84-96 lbs 240.00-290.00

Cross Bred Calves: Bulls: 75-120 lbs 200.00; Heifers: No Market Test.

Beef Calves: Bulls 75-120 lbs 420.00-460.00.

Slaughter Hogs: All Prices per cwt.

Barrows and Gilts: 52-58 percent lean: 250-350 lbs 62.00-68.00, few 74.00-78.00; lightweights 72.50-86.00. 48-52 percent lean: 250-350 lbs 50.00-62.00.

Roasters: No Market Test.

Sows: US 1-3 300-500 lbs 46.00-58.00; 500-700 lbs 51.00-56.00.

Boars: 200-300 lbs 60.00-72.50; 400-600 lbs 8.00-9.00.

Feeder Pig: sold per head.

US 1-2 80-100 lbs 70.00-75.00.

Slaughter Sheep: All prices per cwt.

Lambs: Choice 2-3 20-40 lbs 250.00-265.00; 40-60 lbs 260.00-277.50; 60-80 lbs 220.00-245.00; 80-100 lbs 240.00; 100-140 lbs 165.00-185.00.

Yearlings: No Market Test.

Ewes: Good 110-188 lbs 90.00-127.50.

Rams: 156-172 lbs 90.00-117.50.

Slaughter Goats: All goats are sold per head with estimated weights.

Kids: Selection 1 20-30 lbs 55.00-62.50; 40-60 lbs 125.00-165.00; 80-90 lbs 200.00-210.00.

Nannies: Selection 2 80-130 lbs 135.00.

Billies: Selection 1 150-250 lbs 295.00. Selection 3 100-150 lbs 180.00.

Wethers: Selection 1 100-150 lbs 245.00.

Price and grade information is reported by the Maryland Department of Agriculture-USDA Market News Service. While market reports reflect the majority of livestock sold at each sale, there are instances where animals do not fit reporting categories and are not included in this report.

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