

# WEEKLY LIVESTOCK MARKET REVIEW

CAN/US \$	Aug15/14	91.66	Aug08/14	91.06	Aug16/13	96.67
BANK RATE %		N/A	Aug05/14	1.25	Aug13/13	1.25

## CATTLE SLAUGHTER

WEEK END	Aug09/14 (prel)	Aug02/14 (prel)	Aug10/13
CANADA	47,044	50,254	44,625
EAST	10,252	12,287	10,250
WEST	36,792	37,967	34,375
WEEK END	Aug16/14 (est)	Aug09/14 (est)	Aug17/13
US	577,000	573,000	624,200

## CANADIAN CATTLE GRADES

WEEK END	Aug09/14	Aug02/14	Aug10/13
A	39,629	41,554	36,494
B	1,011	1,170	943
D	5,234	6,222	5,968
E	199	283	241

## A GRADE MARBLING (%)

WEEK END	Aug09/14	Aug02/14	Aug10/13
A	2.2%	2.3%	3.1%
AA	44.7%	44.8%	46.1%
AAA	53.1%	52.9%	50.8%

## CANADIAN CATTLE CLASSES

WEEK END	Aug09/14 (prel)	Aug02/14 (prel)	Aug10/13
STEERS	28,520	28,365	25,735
HEIFERS	12,587	14,950	12,136
COWS	5,773	6,675	6,564
BULLS	164	264	190
CALVES	3,842	3,752	3,822

## CATTLE FUTURES - US \$/CWT - CLOSE Aug15/2014

MONTH	LIVE	CHANGE	MONTH	FEEDER	CHANGE
AUG	150.60	-1.95	AUG	217.22	+1.90
OCT	147.75	-2.25	SEP	215.10	+0.38
DEC	150.90	+0.65	OCT	214.30	+0.33
FEB	152.60	+1.50	NOV	213.65	+1.05
APR	152.32	+2.13	JAN	208.05	+0.73
JUN	147.20	+3.17	MAR	207.50	+2.00
WEEK END	Aug15/14		Aug08/14		Aug16/13
US FSP - US \$/CWT	222.21		222.33		152.36

## CATTLE INDICATORS

BY PROD VALUE			
MONTH END	Jun30/14	May31/14	Jun30/13
CANADIAN \$/CWT	15.28	15.53	11.49
WEEK END	Aug08/14	Aug01/14	Aug09/13
US-US \$/CWT	16.41	16.23	14.14
CURRENTNESS	Aug09/14	Aug02/14	Aug10/13
WEST-A1%	54.0%	55.1%	55.1%
CAN-A1%	53.7%	55.5%	56.0%
FD:STR RATIO	Aug08/14	Aug01/14	Aug09/13
ALTA BARLEY	42.2	N/A	23.2
US CORN	Aug09/14	Aug02/14	Aug10/13
	39.3	39.9	18.5
AVG CARCASS WT	Aug09/14	Aug02/14	Aug10/13
WEST STR-LBS	852.0	844.0	880.0
CAN STR-LBS	860.0	854.0	873.0
US CATTLE-LBS	806.0	803.0	795.0

## CATTLE PRICES (CANFAX) - \$/CWT

WEEK END	Aug08/14	Aug01/14	Aug09/13
ALBERTA RAILGRADE SALES			
STR-LOW	273.75	N/A	196.50
STR-HIGH	278.75	N/A	198.75
HFR-LOW	N/A	N/A	N/A
HFR-HIGH	N/A	N/A	N/A
ALBERTA DIRECT SALES			
STR-RANGE	165.25 - 166.00	N/A	119.00 - 119.50
AVERAGE	165.28	N/A	118.45
VOLUME	5,622	N/A	11,180
HFR-RANGE	N/A	N/A	N/A
AVERAGE	N/A	N/A	N/A
VOLUME	N/A	N/A	4,040

## OPEN MARKET - \$/CWT

WEEK END	Aug15/14	Aug08/14	Aug16/13
STEERS - A1,2 AND CHOICE 2-4			
ONTARIO	N/A	150.89 - 183.12	116.12 - 131.77
NEBRASKA*	156.00 - 156.00	160.00 - 161.00	124.00 - 125.00
HEIFERS - A1,2 AND CHOICE 2-4			
ONTARIO	N/A	156.34 - 175.03	112.40 - 126.71
NEBRASKA*	156.00 - 156.00	158.00 - 160.00	123.00 - 125.00
COWS - D1,2			
CLYDE	115.00 - 133.00	98.00 - 130.00	75.00 - 81.00
SIoux F*	N/A	124.50	83.63

## 800-900 LB FEEDER STEERS

CLYDE	185.00 - 222.50	210.00 - 227.00	129.00 - 147.00
PONOKA	205.00 - 214.00	215.00 - 225.00	145.00 - 154.50
STRATHMORE	190.00 - 228.00	N/A	122.00 - 149.00
ONTARIO	N/A	193.00 - 229.00	130.00 - 150.00

## 700-800 LB FEEDER STEERS

CLYDE	209.00 - 253.50	244.00 - 250.25	130.00 - 151.50
PONOKA	218.00 - 235.00	225.00 - 240.00	148.00 - 157.00
STRATHMORE	190.00 - 260.00	N/A	125.00 - 154.00
C.NEBRAS*	N/A	233.00 - 259.00	142.00 - 168.00

## 600-700 LB FEEDER STEERS

CLYDE	189.00 - 260.00	238.00 - 250.50	142.00 - 159.00
PONOKA	240.00 - 260.00	240.00 - 260.00	158.00 - 165.00
STRATHMORE	230.00 - 273.00	N/A	130.00 - 167.00

## 500-600 LB FEEDER STEERS

CLYDE	195.00 - 275.00	250.00 - 261.00	142.00 - 165.00
PONOKA	255.00 - 275.00	250.00 - 275.00	158.00 - 167.00
STRATHMORE	200.00 - 292.00	N/A	140.00 - 175.00
ONTARIO	N/A	220.00 - 318.00	142.00 - 184.00

## 700-800 LB FEEDER HEIFERS

CLYDE	160.00 - 217.75	193.00 - 228.50	117.00 - 137.00
PONOKA	210.00 - 218.00	205.00 - 220.00	130.00 - 144.00
STRATHMORE	180.00 - 232.00	N/A	110.00 - 140.00

## 500-600 LB FEEDER HEIFERS

CLYDE	180.00 - 229.00	240.50 - 256.00	120.00 - 146.00
PONOKA	240.00 - 255.00	235.00 - 255.00	140.00 - 148.00
STRATHMORE	200.00 - 255.00	N/A	125.00 - 145.00

NOTE: \* denotes price in US Dollars  
 \*\* Alberta breakdown not available

## PRELIM LIVE ANIMAL TRADE - WEEK ENDING Aug01/2014

CATTLE	FROM US	TO US	TO US	TO US
	SLTR	SLTR	FDR	HOGS
CANADA	0	9,023	848	16,003
EAST	0	3,163	0	6,756
WEST	0	5,860	848	9,247

## BEEF WHOLESALE PRICES - \$/CWT

WEEK END	Aug01/14	Jul25/14	Aug02/13
CDA CUTOOUT AAA	268.98	N/A	193.06
CDA CUTOOUT AA/A	260.67	N/A	188.14

## US BOXED BEEF CUTOUT - US \$/CWT

WEEK END	Aug15/14	Aug08/14	Aug16/13
CHOICE 6-900	257.35	262.26	192.13
SELECT 6-900	250.25	255.76	184.59

## HOG SLAUGHTER

WEEK END	Aug09/14 (prel)	Aug02/14 (prel)	Aug10/13
CANADA	360,598	384,703	366,539
EAST	217,499	221,745	218,519
WEST	143,099	162,958	148,020
AB/BC**	47,958	62,452	46,095
WEEK END	Aug16/14 (est)	Aug09/14 (est)	Aug17/13
US	2,017,000	1,919,000	2,184,500

## HOG CASH PRICES - INDEX 100 - \$/KG

WEEK END	Aug15/14	Aug08/14	Aug16/13
ALTA AVG	2.240	2.360	1.815
ONT AVG	N/A	2.765	2.175

## INTERIOR IOWA MINNESOTA HOG CASH PRICES

WEEK END	Aug15/14	Aug08/14	Aug16/13
US \$/CWT	103.65	114.32	97.05
CAN EQVT \$/KG	2.157	2.395	1.915

## US PORK CARCASS CUTOUT

US \$/CWT	N/A	126.70	103.57
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## HOG FUTURES - US \$/CWT

MONTH	LEAN	CHANGE	MONTH	FUTURES	CHANGE
OCT	94.95	-4.38	SEP	0.9174	+0.0068
DEC	89.05	-0.10	DEC	0.9154	+0.0068
FEB	87.35	-0.55	MAR	0.9134	+0.0067
APR	86.80	-0.38	JUN	0.9115	+0.0067
MAY	89.00	+0.25	SEP	0.9099	+0.0064
JUN	90.88	+0.92	DEC	0.9090	+0.0064

## HOG INDICATORS

WEEK END	Aug09/14	Aug02/14	Aug10/13
AV DRSD WT US-LBS	213.00	213.00	203.00
FD: HOG RATIO	Aug08/14	Aug01/14	Aug09/13
US CORN	33.2	35.5	14.8
ALTA BARLEY	21.9	21.9	13.0

## SHEEP AND LAMB PRICES - Most Recent Sale to Aug14/2014

	MARKET LAMBS	FEEDER LAMBS	SHEEP
	(95-109 LBS)	(<80 LBS)	ALL WTS.
ONTARIO (\$/HD)	185.49 - 198.85	175.93 - 240.41	N/A
TEXAS (US \$/CWT)	N/A	N/A	61.00

## SHEEP AND LAMB PRICES - Most Recent Sale to Aug07/2014

SLAUGHTER LAMB (LIVE WT.) - \$/CWT	149.28 - 155.52
SLAUGHTER SHEEP (LIVE WT.) - \$/CWT	50.00
(CENTRAL ALTA, INNISFAIL)	

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