

WEEKLY LIVESTOCK MARKET REVIEW

CAN/US \$	Mar27/15	79.49	Mar20/15	79.40	Mar28/14	90.38
BANK RATE %	Mar24/15	1.00	Mar17/15	1.00	Mar25/14	1.25

CATTLE SLAUGHTER

WEEK END	Mar21/15 (prel)	Mar14/15 (prel)	Mar22/14
CANADA	48,832	46,543	58,721
EAST	10,451	11,418	12,608
WEST	38,381	35,125	46,113
WEEK END	Mar28/15 (est)	Mar21/15 (est)	Mar29/14
US	531,000	518,000	587,800

CANADIAN CATTLE GRADES

WEEK END	Mar21/15	Mar14/15	Mar22/14
A	41,156	38,327	48,348
B	444	446	862
D	5,816	6,086	7,890
E	45	44	123

A GRADE MARBLING (%)

WEEK END	Mar21/15	Mar14/15	Mar22/14
A	1.9%	1.5%	1.1%
AA	33.1%	32.8%	30.3%
AAA	65.0%	65.7%	68.6%

CANADIAN CATTLE CLASSES

WEEK END	Mar21/15 (prel)	Mar14/15 (prel)	Mar22/14
STEERS	24,935	22,408	25,644
HEIFERS	17,978	17,914	24,740
COWS	5,867	6,165	8,287
BULLS	52	56	50
CALVES	3,923	4,090	4,032

CATTLE FUTURES - US \$/CWT - CLOSE Mar27/2015

MONTH	LIVE	CHANGE	MONTH	FEEDER	CHANGE
APR	162.63	+4.28	APR	219.28	+3.08
JUN	152.97	+2.50	MAY	218.13	+2.72
AUG	149.95	+1.85	AUG	219.22	+3.15
OCT	151.70	+1.67	SEP	218.10	+2.80
DEC	151.97	+1.47	OCT	216.75	+3.05
FEB	151.45	+1.35	NOV	215.40	+2.40
WEEK END	Mar27/15		Mar20/15		Mar28/14
US FSP - US \$/CWT	216.71		213.97		178.55

CATTLE INDICATORS

BY PROD VALUE			
MONTH END	Feb28/15	Jan31/15	Feb28/14
CANADIAN \$/CWT	16.02	16.11	14.67
WEEK END	Mar20/15	Mar13/15	Mar21/14
US-US \$/CWT	14.42	14.46	15.70
CURRENTNESS	Mar21/15	Mar14/15	Mar22/14
WEST-A1%	40.5%	36.9%	46.8%
CAN-A1%	44.3%	43.1%	49.5%
FD:STR RATIO	Mar20/15	Mar13/15	Mar21/14
ALTA BARLEY	43.2	N/A	35.0
US CORN	Mar21/15	Mar14/15	Mar22/14
	43.6	42.0	30.3
AVG CARCASS WT	Mar21/15	Mar14/15	Mar22/14
WEST STR-LBS	865.0	872.0	858.0
CAN STR-LBS	877.0	886.0	869.0
US CATTLE-LBS	819.0	819.0	799.0

CATTLE PRICES (CANFAX) - \$/CWT

WEEK END	Mar20/15	Mar13/15	Mar21/14
ALBERTA RAILGRADE SALES			
STR-LOW	319.00	N/A	238.00
STR-HIGH	319.00	N/A	240.50
HFR-LOW	320.50	N/A	238.00
HFR-HIGH	320.75	N/A	240.50
ALBERTA DIRECT SALES			
STR-RANGE	197.00 - 198.00	N/A	N/A
AVERAGE	196.78	N/A	141.81
VOLUME	4,363	N/A	7,987
HFR-RANGE	197.00 - 197.00	N/A	143.00 - 143.00
AVERAGE	194.01	N/A	142.21
VOLUME	1,652	N/A	4,344

OPEN MARKET - \$/CWT

WEEK END	Mar27/15	Mar20/15	Mar28/14
STEERS - A1,2 AND CHOICE 2-4			
ONTARIO	N/A	190.84 - 200.97	140.32 - 160.85
NEBRASKA*	N/A	161.00 - 165.50	152.00 - 154.50
HEIFERS - A1,2 AND CHOICE 2-4			
ONTARIO	N/A	184.00 - 200.05	129.32 - 157.04
NEBRASKA*	N/A	161.00 - 165.50	152.00 - 154.00
COWS - D1,2			
CLYDE	110.00 - 150.00	110.00 - 150.00	90.00 - 105.00
SIoux F*	107.00	106.10	102.75

800-900 LB FEEDER STEERS

CLYDE	200.00 - 253.00	200.00 - 254.00	168.00 - 172.00
PONOKA	230.00 - 255.00	230.00 - 254.00	165.00 - 173.00
STRATHMORE	205.00 - 256.00	205.00 - 258.00	140.00 - 178.00
ONTARIO	N/A	207.00 - 251.00	165.00 - 180.00

700-800 LB FEEDER STEERS

CLYDE	230.00 - 277.00	270.00 - 276.00	182.00 - 197.00
PONOKA	260.00 - 285.00	250.00 - 284.00	195.00 - 200.00
STRATHMORE	220.00 - 286.00	220.00 - 288.00	170.00 - 199.00
C.NEBRAS*	N/A	210.00 - 245.00	170.00 - 193.25

600-700 LB FEEDER STEERS

CLYDE	280.00 - 306.00	260.00 - 303.00	193.00 - 213.00
PONOKA	285.00 - 305.00	275.00 - 300.00	205.00 - 215.00
STRATHMORE	244.00 - 322.00	244.00 - 319.00	180.00 - 218.00

500-600 LB FEEDER STEERS

CLYDE	290.00 - 346.00	290.00 - 344.00	200.00 - 225.00
PONOKA	310.00 - 345.00	310.00 - 340.00	220.00 - 235.00
STRATHMORE	270.00 - 342.00	270.00 - 342.00	160.00 - 238.00
ONTARIO	N/A	248.00 - 340.00	176.00 - 217.00

700-800 LB FEEDER HEIFERS

CLYDE	215.00 - 257.00	210.00 - 256.25	161.75 - 175.00
PONOKA	240.00 - 266.00	235.00 - 258.00	170.00 - 175.00
STRATHMORE	200.00 - 283.00	200.00 - 263.00	150.00 - 174.00

500-600 LB FEEDER HEIFERS

CLYDE	270.00 - 312.50	270.00 - 300.00	183.00 - 195.00
PONOKA	285.00 - 314.00	285.00 - 310.00	195.00 - 200.00
STRATHMORE	245.00 - 322.00	245.00 - 322.00	150.00 - 194.00

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

PRELIM LIVE ANIMAL TRADE - WEEK ENDING Mar13/2015

CATTLE	FROM US	TO US	TO US	TO US
	SLTR	SLTR	FDR	HOGS
CANADA	0	12,286	16,296	19,352
EAST	0	4,011	0	9,018
WEST	0	8,275	16,296	10,334

BEEF WHOLESALE PRICES - \$/CWT

WEEK END	Mar13/15	Mar06/15	Mar14/14
CDA CUTOOUT AAA	N/A	305.68	238.61
CDA CUTOOUT AA/A	N/A	303.66	239.89

US BOXED BEEF CUTOUT - US \$/CWT

WEEK END	Mar27/15	Mar20/15	Mar28/14
CHOICE 6-900	248.92	246.04	239.57
SELECT 6-900	245.76	244.48	232.45

HOG SLAUGHTER

WEEK END	Mar21/15 (prel)	Mar14/15 (prel)	Mar22/14
CANADA	395,076	409,740	413,010
EAST	228,136	243,706	240,802
WEST	166,940	166,034	172,208
AB/BC**	60,217	60,616	60,406
WEEK END	Mar28/15 (est)	Mar21/15 (est)	Mar29/14
US	2,270,000	2,237,000	2,031,100

HOG CASH PRICES - INDEX 100 - \$/KG

WEEK END	Mar27/15	Mar20/15	Mar28/14
ALTA AVG	1.321	1.400	2.546
ONT AVG	N/A	1.628	2.833

INTERIOR IOWA MINNESOTA HOG CASH PRICES

WEEK END	Mar27/15	Mar20/15	Mar28/14
US \$/CWT	55.91	58.02	129.00
CAN EQVT \$/KG	1.342	1.394	2.723
US PORK CARCASS CUTOUT			
US \$/CWT	N/A	68.37	131.40

HOG FUTURES - US \$/CWT

MONTH	LEAN	CHANGE	MONTH	FUTURES	CHANGE
APR	61.13	+2.67	JUN	0.7930	-0.0011
MAY	68.17	-0.10	SEP	0.7922	-0.0012
JUN	75.00	+1.15	DEC	0.7918	-0.0014
JUL	75.78	+1.25	MAR	0.7917	-0.0016
AUG	76.58	+1.50	JUN	0.7922	-0.0019
OCT	66.92	+2.02	SEP	0.7929	-0.0021

HOG INDICATORS

WEEK END	Mar21/15	Mar14/15	Mar22/14
AV DRSD WT US-LBS	214.00	215.00	213.00
FD: HOG RATIO	Mar20/15	Mar13/15	Mar21/14
US CORN	15.8	16.2	28.0
ALTA BARLEY	11.2	11.6	21.1

SHEEP AND LAMB PRICES - Most Recent Sale to Mar26/2015

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

ALTA SHEEP AND LAMB PRICES - Most Recent Sale to Mar19/2015

SLAUGHTER LAMB (LIVE WT.) - \$/CWT	N/A
SLAUGHTER SHEEP (LIVE WT.) - \$/CWT	N/A

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