

# WEEKLY LIVESTOCK MARKET REVIEW

CAN/US \$	May29/15	80.22	May22/15	81.38	May30/14	92.02
BANK RATE %	May26/15	1.00	May19/15	1.00	May27/14	1.25

## CATTLE SLAUGHTER

WEEK END	May23/15 (prel)	May16/15 (prel)	May24/14
CANADA	41,369	43,100	45,107
EAST	9,682	10,314	10,319
WEST	31,687	32,786	34,788
WEEK END	May30/15 (est)	May23/15 (est)	May31/14
US	525,000	566,000	539,800

## CANADIAN CATTLE GRADES

WEEK END	May23/15	May16/15	May24/14
A	34,137	37,051	37,565
B	454	608	658
D	5,428	4,042	5,877
E	324	244	154

## A GRADE MARBLING (%)

WEEK END	May23/15	May16/15	May24/14
A	2.8%	2.0%	2.3%
AA	40.5%	36.2%	44.1%
AAA	56.8%	61.8%	53.5%

## CANADIAN CATTLE CLASSES

WEEK END	May23/15 (prel)	May16/15 (prel)	May24/14
STEERS	23,856	21,966	25,318
HEIFERS	11,831	16,566	13,569
COWS	5,350	4,310	6,102
BULLS	332	258	118
CALVES	3,220	3,904	3,324

## CATTLE FUTURES - US \$/CWT - CLOSE May29/2015

MONTH	LIVE	CHANGE	MONTH	FEEDER	CHANGE
JUN	152.32	+0.20	AUG	222.95	+3.95
AUG	151.28	+0.58	SEP	221.68	+3.68
OCT	152.93	+0.33	OCT	220.35	+3.35
DEC	154.18	+0.03	NOV	219.38	+3.07
FEB	154.13	-0.03	JAN	212.65	+2.53
APR	153.53	+0.22	MAR	211.25	+1.95
WEEK END	May29/15		May22/15		May30/14
US FSP - US \$/CWT	222.66		220.30		191.43

## CATTLE INDICATORS

BY PROD VALUE			
MONTH END	Apr30/15	Mar31/15	Apr30/14
CANADIAN \$/CWT	15.07	15.40	15.62
WEEK END	May22/15	May15/15	May23/14
US-US \$/CWT	13.59	13.57	15.65
CURRENTNESS	May23/15	May16/15	May24/14
WEST-A1%	47.9%	44.4%	62.2%
CAN-A1%	51.3%	48.4%	63.5%
FD:STR RATIO	May22/15	May15/15	May23/14
ALTA BARLEY	45.3	45.6	N/A
	May23/15	May16/15	May24/14
US CORN	43.3	43.3	28.8
AVG CARCASS WT	May23/15	May16/15	May24/14
WEST STR-LBS	838.0	847.0	807.0
CAN STR-LBS	854.0	862.0	824.0
US CATTLE-LBS	813.0	813.0	789.0

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

WEEK END	May22/15	May15/15	May23/14
ALBERTA RAILGRADE SALES			
STR-LOW	334.50	335.00	N/A
STR-HIGH	335.00	338.50	N/A
HFR-LOW	N/A	N/A	N/A
HFR-HIGH	N/A	N/A	N/A
ALBERTA DIRECT SALES			
STR-RANGE	202.00 - 202.00	N/A	N/A
AVERAGE	201.12	202.54	N/A
VOLUME	2,762	5,379	N/A
HFR-RANGE	N/A	N/A	N/A
AVERAGE	N/A	N/A	N/A
VOLUME	N/A	N/A	N/A

## OPEN MARKET - \$/CWT

WEEK END	May29/15	May22/15	May30/14
STEERS - A1,2 AND CHOICE 2-4			
ONTARIO	N/A	186.48 - 212.85	134.45 - 162.36
NEBRASKA*	N/A	159.00 - 160.00	143.00 - 146.00
HEIFERS - A1,2 AND CHOICE 2-4			
ONTARIO	N/A	185.12 - 200.34	141.79 - 158.79
NEBRASKA*	N/A	159.00 - 160.00	143.00 - 145.00
COWS - D1,2			
CLYDE	110.00 - 145.00	115.00 - 152.00	90.00 - 108.00
SIoux F*	111.00	106.50	98.50

## 800-900 LB FEEDER STEERS

CLYDE	227.00 - 270.00	220.00 - 260.00	186.00 - 203.00
PONOKA	245.00 - 270.00	236.00 - 254.50	185.00 - 200.00
STRATHMORE	N/A	N/A	N/A
ONTARIO	N/A	243.00 - 267.00	175.00 - 198.00

## 700-800 LB FEEDER STEERS

CLYDE	245.00 - 292.00	240.00 - 295.00	200.00 - 220.25
PONOKA	270.00 - 290.00	280.00 - 291.00	205.00 - 230.00
STRATHMORE	N/A	N/A	N/A
C.NEBRAS*	N/A	220.00 - 258.00	186.50 - 195.00

## 600-700 LB FEEDER STEERS

CLYDE	285.00 - 330.00	280.00 - 324.00	215.00 - 235.00
PONOKA	310.00 - 327.50	276.00 - 314.00	220.00 - 240.00
STRATHMORE	N/A	N/A	N/A

## 500-600 LB FEEDER STEERS

CLYDE	300.00 - 345.00	295.00 - 337.00	220.00 - 250.00
PONOKA	325.00 - 348.00	295.00 - 333.00	225.00 - 250.00
STRATHMORE	N/A	N/A	N/A
ONTARIO	N/A	271.00 - 347.00	200.00 - 244.00

## 700-800 LB FEEDER HEIFERS

CLYDE	235.00 - 290.00	225.00 - 286.00	180.00 - 193.00
PONOKA	245.00 - 270.00	245.00 - 275.00	185.00 - 200.00
STRATHMORE	N/A	N/A	N/A

## 500-600 LB FEEDER HEIFERS

CLYDE	285.00 - 320.00	280.00 - 312.00	200.00 - 227.00
PONOKA	285.00 - 306.00	290.00 - 307.00	220.00 - 235.00
STRATHMORE	N/A	N/A	N/A

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

## PRELIM LIVE ANIMAL TRADE - WEEK ENDING May15/2015

CATTLE	FROM US	TO US	TO US	TO US
	SLTR	SLTR	FDR	HOGS
CANADA	0	6,912	4,100	20,129
EAST	0	3,357	0	10,187
WEST	0	3,555	4,100	9,942

## BEEF WHOLESALE PRICES - \$/CWT

WEEK END	May29/15	May22/15	May30/14
CDA CUTOOUT AAA	N/A	N/A	235.53
CDA CUTOOUT AA/A	N/A	N/A	231.60

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

WEEK END	May29/15	May22/15	May30/14
CHOICE 6-900	259.11	263.19	233.44
SELECT 6-900	247.41	249.89	223.12

## HOG SLAUGHTER

WEEK END	May23/15 (prel)	May16/15 (prel)	May24/14
CANADA	347,819	396,379	338,367
EAST	199,628	243,368	190,513
WEST	148,191	153,011	147,854
AB/BC**	50,345	60,507	44,628
WEEK END	May30/15 (est)	May23/15 (est)	May31/14
US	1,856,000	2,147,000	1,743,200

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

WEEK END	May29/15	May22/15	May30/14
ALTA AVG	1.785	1.766	2.125
ONT AVG	N/A	2.026	2.495

## INTERIOR IOWA MINNESOTA HOG CASH PRICES

WEEK END	May29/15	May22/15	May30/14
US \$/CWT	79.76	78.72	108.99
CAN EQVT \$/KG	1.897	1.845	2.259
US PORK CARCASS CUTOUT			
US \$/CWT	N/A	85.94	114.48

## HOG FUTURES - US \$/CWT

MONTH	LEAN	CHANGE	MONTH	FUTURES	CHANGE
JUN	83.83	+0.10	JUN	0.8033	-0.0093
JUL	83.45	-0.27	SEP	0.8023	-0.0092
AUG	82.50	-1.22	DEC	0.8015	-0.0091
OCT	72.63	-1.55	MAR	0.8009	-0.0091
DEC	69.22	-1.03	JUN	0.8007	-0.0090
FEB	71.33	-1.08	SEP	0.8012	-0.0087

## HOG INDICATORS

WEEK END	May23/15	May16/15	May24/14
AV DRSD WT US-LBS	213.00	214.00	217.00
FD: HOG RATIO	May22/15	May15/15	May23/14
US CORN	21.3	21.6	22.9
ALTA BARLEY	14.4	14.1	16.8

## SHEEP AND LAMB PRICES - Most Recent Sale to May28/2015

	MARKET LAMBS	FEEDER LAMBS	SHEEP
	(95-109 LBS)	(<80 LBS)	ALL WTS.
ONTARIO (\$/HD)	252.74 - 270.17	245.92 - 316.62	N/A
TEXAS (US \$/CWT)	N/A	N/A	71.00

## ALTA SHEEP AND LAMB PRICES - Most Recent Sale to May21/2015

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

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