

WEEKLY LIVESTOCK MARKET REVIEW

CAN/US \$	Dec18/15	72.04	Dec11/15	73.01	Dec19/14	85.99
BANK RATE %	Dec15/15	0.75	Dec08/15	0.75	Dec16/14	1.25

CATTLE SLAUGHTER

WEEK END	Dec12/15 (prel)	Dec05/15 (prel)	Dec13/14
CANADA	42,645	49,494	50,072
EAST	11,815	11,990	12,513
WEST	30,830	37,504	37,559
WEEK END	Dec19/15 (est)	Dec12/15 (est)	Dec20/14
US	590,000	581,000	552,900

CANADIAN CATTLE GRADES

WEEK END	Dec12/15	Dec05/15	Dec13/14
A	33,039	37,610	37,943
B	675	651	780
D	6,964	8,993	9,259
E	214	192	186

A GRADE MARBLING (%)

WEEK END	Dec12/15	Dec05/15	Dec13/14
A	1.5%	1.2%	2.3%
AA	33.2%	31.4%	35.3%
AAA	65.3%	67.4%	62.4%

CANADIAN CATTLE CLASSES

WEEK END	Dec12/15 (prel)	Dec05/15 (prel)	Dec13/14
STEERS	22,425	25,757	24,916
HEIFERS	12,635	14,180	15,306
COWS	7,403	9,385	9,681
BULLS	182	172	169
CALVES	3,863	3,431	4,095

CATTLE FUTURES - US \$/CWT - CLOSE Dec18/2015

MONTH	LIVE	CHANGE	MONTH	FEEDER	CHANGE
DEC	120.15	-1.30	JAN	148.75	-3.38
FEB	125.53	-0.72	MAR	147.95	-2.18
APR	127.17	-0.17	APR	148.68	-2.40
JUN	119.72	+0.92	MAY	149.43	-2.30
AUG	116.80	+0.58	AUG	151.70	-2.28
OCT	117.85	+0.57	SEP	150.07	-1.68
WEEK END	Dec18/15		Dec11/15		Dec19/14
US FSP - US \$/CWT	154.69		159.35		230.63

CATTLE INDICATORS

BY PROD VALUE			
MONTH END	Oct31/15	Sep30/15	Oct31/14
CANADIAN \$/CWT	13.87	14.13	16.32
WEEK END	Dec11/15	Dec04/15	Dec12/14
US-US \$/CWT	10.97	10.94	16.18
CURRENTNESS	Dec12/15	Dec05/15	Dec13/14
WEST-A1%	29.5%	29.8%	35.2%
CAN-A1%	34.2%	34.2%	38.9%
FD:STR RATIO	Dec11/15	Dec04/15	Dec12/14
ALTA BARLEY	N/A	N/A	N/A
US CORN	Dec12/15	Dec05/15	Dec13/14
	33.8	35.2	44.4
AVG CARCASS WT	Dec12/15	Dec05/15	Dec13/14
WEST STR-LBS	930.0	929.0	860.0
CAN STR-LBS	944.0	942.0	881.0
US CATTLE-LBS	849.0	847.0	829.0

CATTLE PRICES (CANFAX) - \$/CWT

WEEK END	Dec11/15	Dec04/15	Dec12/14
ALBERTA RAILGRADE SALES			
STR-LOW	N/A	257.00	N/A
STR-HIGH	N/A	264.50	N/A
HFR-LOW	N/A	257.00	N/A
HFR-HIGH	N/A	257.00	N/A
ALBERTA DIRECT SALES			
STR-RANGE	N/A	160.00 - 160.00	N/A
AVERAGE	N/A	158.57	N/A
VOLUME	N/A	6,646	N/A
HFR-RANGE	N/A	156.00 - 160.00	N/A
AVERAGE	N/A	157.17	N/A
VOLUME	N/A	1,890	N/A

OPEN MARKET - \$/CWT

WEEK END	Dec18/15	Dec11/15	Dec19/14
STEERS - A1,2 AND CHOICE 2-4			
ONTARIO	N/A	144.48 - 158.56	157.48 - 185.40
NEBRASKA*	115.50 - 117.00	117.00 - 118.00	157.00 - 160.00
HEIFERS - A1,2 AND CHOICE 2-4			
ONTARIO	N/A	143.41 - 156.83	155.81 - 182.26
NEBRASKA*	116.00 - 117.00	116.00 - 117.00	157.00 - 160.00
COWS - D1,2			
CLYDE	80.00 - 97.00	75.00 - 97.00	107.00 - 132.00
SIoux F*	71.00	71.63	108.00

700-800 LB FEEDER STEERS

CLYDE	200.00 - 215.00	195.00 - 222.00	225.00 - 250.00
PONOKA	184.00 - 210.00	204.00 - 221.25	220.00 - 250.00
STRATHMORE	N/A	200.00 - 219.00	220.00 - 268.00
C.NEBRAS*	N/A	135.00 - 172.50	199.00 - 243.00

600-700 LB FEEDER STEERS

CLYDE	220.00 - 241.00	210.00 - 242.00	240.00 - 285.00
PONOKA	198.00 - 230.50	210.00 - 230.50	230.00 - 275.00
STRATHMORE	N/A	205.00 - 234.00	234.00 - 285.00

500-600 LB FEEDER STEERS

CLYDE	240.00 - 280.00	235.00 - 285.00	290.00 - 319.00
PONOKA	226.25 - 256.00	224.25 - 265.00	280.00 - 306.00
STRATHMORE	N/A	224.00 - 279.00	255.00 - 327.00
ONTARIO	N/A	192.00 - 274.00	241.00 - 310.00

700-800 LB FEEDER HEIFERS

CLYDE	180.00 - 200.00	180.00 - 205.00	205.00 - 246.00
PONOKA	155.00 - 184.00	172.75 - 197.00	215.00 - 230.00
STRATHMORE	N/A	180.00 - 210.00	200.00 - 250.00

500-600 LB FEEDER HEIFERS

CLYDE	200.00 - 232.00	210.00 - 249.00	230.00 - 270.00
PONOKA	216.00 - 245.50	202.00 - 240.00	255.00 - 280.00
STRATHMORE	N/A	192.00 - 232.00	235.00 - 308.00

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

PRELIM LIVE ANIMAL TRADE - WEEK ENDING Dec04/2015

CATTLE	FROM US	TO US	TO US	TO US
	SLTR	SLTR	FDR	HOGS
CANADA	0	12,429	1,830	27,680
EAST	0	5,488	353	17,432
WEST	0	6,941	1,477	10,248

BEEF WHOLESALE PRICES - \$/CWT

WEEK END	Nov27/15	Nov20/15	Nov28/14
CDA CUTOOUT AAA	263.98	268.67	286.66
CDA CUTOOUT AA/A	252.82	259.24	278.87

US BOXED BEEF CUTOUT - US \$/CWT

WEEK END	Dec18/15	Dec11/15	Dec19/14
CHOICE 6-900	196.56	203.13	242.27
SELECT 6-900	186.07	189.20	232.05

HOG SLAUGHTER

WEEK END	Dec12/15 (prel)	Dec05/15 (prel)	Dec13/14
CANADA	446,654	425,711	428,072
EAST	268,490	245,908	247,307
WEST	178,164	179,803	180,765
AB/BC**	61,303	60,954	64,822
WEEK END	Dec19/15 (est)	Dec12/15 (est)	Dec20/14
US	2,493,000	2,426,000	2,314,100

HOG CASH PRICES - INDEX 100 - \$/KG

WEEK END	Dec18/15	Dec11/15	Dec19/14
ALTA AVG	1.297	1.302	1.717
ONT AVG	N/A	1.641	1.991

INTERIOR IOWA MINNESOTA HOG CASH PRICES

WEEK END	Dec18/15	Dec11/15	Dec19/14
US \$/CWT	49.02	51.62	77.40
CAN EQVT \$/KG	1.298	1.349	1.717
US PORK CARCASS CUTOUT			
US \$/CWT	N/A	73.40	88.78

HOG FUTURES - US \$/CWT

MONTH	LEAN	CHANGE	MONTH	FUTURES	CHANGE
FEB	56.63	-3.92	MAR	0.7181	-0.0099
APR	62.05	-2.65	JUN	0.7183	-0.0098
MAY	70.78	-1.22	SEP	0.7188	-0.0097
JUN	75.05	-1.13	DEC	0.7196	-0.0096
JUL	75.60	-0.85	MAR	0.7205	-0.0096
AUG	75.03	-1.07	JUN	0.7217	-0.0094

HOG INDICATORS

WEEK END	Dec12/15	Dec05/15	Dec13/14
AV DRSD WT US-LBS	213.00	213.00	215.00
FD: HOG RATIO	Dec11/15	Dec04/15	Dec12/14
US CORN	14.9	14.8	21.9
ALTA BARLEY	9.9	9.6	14.9

SHEEP AND LAMB PRICES - Most Recent Sale to Dec17/2015

MARKET LAMBS	FEEDER LAMBS	SHEEP
(95-109 LBS)	(<80 LBS)	ALL WTS.
ONTARIO (\$/HD)	N/A	N/A
TEXAS (US \$/CWT)	N/A	88.00

ALTA SHEEP AND LAMB PRICES - Most Recent Sale to Dec10/2015

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

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