

WEEKLY LIVESTOCK MARKET REVIEW

CAN/US \$	Dec08/17	77.86	Dec01/17	77.59	Dec09/16	75.96
BANK RATE %	Dec05/17	1.25	Nov28/17	1.25	Dec06/16	0.75

CATTLE SLAUGHTER

WEEK END	Dec02/17 (prel)	Nov25/17 (prel)	Dec03/16
CANADA	57,296	62,230	53,302
EAST	13,411	14,093	12,562
WEST	43,885	48,137	40,740
WEEK END	Dec09/17 (est)	Dec02/17 (est)	Dec10/16
US	633,000	595,000	608,400

CANADIAN CATTLE GRADES

WEEK END	Dec02/17	Nov25/17	Dec03/16
A	42,227	47,156	39,220
B	905	1,079	695
D	11,586	11,007	11,168
E	436	506	337

A GRADE MARBLING (%)

WEEK END	Dec02/17	Nov25/17	Dec03/16
A	1.4%	1.0%	1.4%
AA	32.3%	28.8%	33.0%
AAA	66.3%	70.2%	65.7%

CANADIAN CATTLE CLASSES

WEEK END	Dec02/17 (prel)	Nov25/17 (prel)	Dec03/16
STEERS	25,540	26,517	25,660
HEIFERS	19,157	23,728	15,719
COWS	12,135	11,462	11,588
BULLS	464	523	335
CALVES	4,021	4,039	4,087

CATTLE FUTURES - US \$/CWT - CLOSE Dec08/2017

MONTH	LIVE	CHANGE	MONTH	FEEDER	CHANGE
DEC	115.58	-1.65	JAN	145.22	-5.10
FEB	118.30	-3.67	MAR	143.32	-4.70
APR	120.20	-2.83	APR	143.65	-4.50
JUN	113.10	-2.68	MAY	143.72	-3.70
AUG	110.58	-2.08	AUG	145.53	-3.78
OCT	110.90	-1.60	SEP	145.07	-3.45
WEEK END	Dec08/17		Dec01/17		Dec09/16
US FSP - US \$/CWT	154.40		157.20		130.65

CATTLE INDICATORS

BY PROD VALUE					
MONTH END			MONTH		
CANADIAN \$/CWT	Aug31/17	13.86	Jul31/17	14.26	13.99
WEEK END	Dec01/17	10.64	Nov24/17	10.53	11.77
US-US \$/CWT	Dec02/17	10.64	Nov25/17	10.53	11.77
CURRENTNESS	Dec02/17	28.0%	Nov25/17	23.2%	31.1%
WEST-A1%		28.0%		23.2%	31.1%
CAN-A1%		31.4%		27.4%	34.6%
FD:STR RATIO	Dec01/17	30.8	Nov24/17	31.2	39.1
ALTA BARLEY	Dec02/17	38.8	Nov25/17	37.9	37.6
US CORN					
WEEK END	Dec02/17	905.0	Nov25/17	908.0	920.0
WEST STR-LBS		925.0		925.0	935.0
CAN STR-LBS		829.0		830.0	842.0
US CATTLE-LBS					

CATTLE PRICES (CANFAX) - \$/CWT

WEEK END	Dec01/17	Nov24/17	Dec02/16
ALBERTA RAILGRADE SALES			
STR-LOW	249.00	249.00	246.50
STR-HIGH	252.50	251.00	250.50
HFR-LOW	248.25	245.50	246.50
HFR-HIGH	252.00	250.75	250.00
ALBERTA DIRECT SALES			
STR-RANGE	150.50 - 150.50	N/A	148.00 - 151.75
AVERAGE	150.70	149.96	148.91
VOLUME	4,421	4,541	7,837
HFR-RANGE	N/A	N/A	147.50 - 151.25
AVERAGE	148.59	148.06	148.89
VOLUME	3,096	3,031	3,447

OPEN MARKET - \$/CWT

WEEK END	Dec08/17	Dec01/17	Dec09/16
STEERS - A1,2 AND CHOICE 2-4			
ONTARIO	N/A	129.74 - 140.59	125.40 - 144.22
NEBRASKA*	117.00 - 118.00	118.00 - 121.00	108.00 - 110.00
HEIFERS - A1,2 AND CHOICE 2-4			
ONTARIO	N/A	130.38 - 141.53	124.89 - 139.40
NEBRASKA*	117.00 - 117.50	119.00 - 121.50	106.00 - 109.00
COWS - D1,2			
CLYDE	70.00 - 87.00	72.00 - 92.00	80.00 - 94.00
SIoux F*	66.25	67.00	55.75

800-900 LB FEEDER STEERS

CLYDE	180.00 - 200.00	180.00 - 210.00	155.00 - 175.00
PONOKA	177.00 - 196.50	183.00 - 199.50	155.00 - 164.25
STRATHMORE	N/A	170.00 - 207.00	142.00 - 186.00
ONTARIO	N/A	168.00 - 200.00	159.00 - 186.00

700-800 LB FEEDER STEERS

CLYDE	180.00 - 207.00	190.00 - 214.00	160.00 - 178.00
PONOKA	185.00 - 209.50	190.00 - 214.50	160.00 - 174.50
STRATHMORE	N/A	190.00 - 219.00	150.00 - 198.00
C.NEBRAS*	152.00 - 178.50	145.50 - 187.75	119.00 - 147.00

600-700 LB FEEDER STEERS

CLYDE	190.00 - 220.00	200.00 - 229.00	165.00 - 188.00
PONOKA	195.00 - 226.00	200.00 - 238.75	170.00 - 197.00
STRATHMORE	N/A	190.00 - 229.00	160.00 - 200.00

500-600 LB FEEDER STEERS

CLYDE	200.00 - 246.00	200.00 - 250.00	190.00 - 212.00
PONOKA	200.00 - 245.00	215.00 - 246.00	185.00 - 215.50
STRATHMORE	N/A	210.00 - 251.00	170.00 - 219.00
ONTARIO	N/A	188.00 - 252.00	164.00 - 224.00

700-800 LB FEEDER HEIFERS

CLYDE	160.00 - 190.00	170.00 - 195.00	140.00 - 162.00
PONOKA	170.00 - 185.25	180.00 - 195.00	150.00 - 162.25
STRATHMORE	N/A	175.00 - 200.00	140.00 - 172.00

500-600 LB FEEDER HEIFERS

CLYDE	180.00 - 210.00	190.00 - 215.00	160.00 - 182.00
PONOKA	190.00 - 220.00	193.00 - 208.25	168.00 - 186.50
STRATHMORE	N/A	185.00 - 232.00	155.00 - 189.00

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

PRELIM LIVE ANIMAL TRADE - WEEK ENDING Nov24/2017

CATTLE	FROM US	TO US	TO US	TO US
	SLTR	SLTR	FDR	HOGS
CANADA	0	9,102	2,010	12,129
EAST	0	3,002	259	5,061
WEST	0	6,100	1,751	7,068

BEEF WHOLESALE PRICES - \$/CWT

WEEK END	Nov24/17	Nov17/17	Nov25/16
CDA CUTOOUT AAA	257.29	249.28	248.39
CDA CUTOOUT AA/A	244.66	240.64	231.83

US BOXED BEEF CUTOOUT - US \$/CWT

WEEK END	Dec08/17	Dec01/17	Dec09/16
CHOICE 6-900	206.87	207.08	189.85
SELECT 6-900	185.22	185.63	172.26

HOG SLAUGHTER

WEEK END	Dec02/17 (prel)	Nov25/17 (prel)	Dec03/16
CANADA	454,510	453,853	432,763
EAST	269,361	263,811	253,077
WEST	185,149	190,042	179,686
AB/BC**	65,964	65,297	60,695
WEEK END	Dec09/17 (est)	Dec02/17 (est)	Dec10/16
US	2,537,000	2,290,000	2,448,200

HOG CASH PRICES - INDEX 100 - \$/KG

WEEK END	Dec08/17	Dec01/17	Dec09/16
ALTA AVG	1.440	1.402	1.191
ONT AVG	N/A	1.809	1.545

INTERIOR IOWA MINNESOTA HOG CASH PRICES

WEEK END	Dec08/17	Dec01/17	Dec09/16
US \$/CWT	59.37	58.78	52.73
CAN EQWT \$/KG	1.455	1.445	1.324
US PORK CARCASS CUTOOUT			
US \$/CWT	N/A	82.22	74.51

HOG FUTURES - US \$/CWT

CAN/US \$ CLOSE Dec08/2017					
MONTH	LEAN	CHANGE	MONTH	FUTURES	CHANGE
DEC	63.67	-1.60	DEC	0.7773	-0.0105
FEB	68.85	-1.88	JAN	0.7779	-0.0104
APR	73.13	-1.33	FEB	0.7782	-0.0102
MAY	78.53	-1.00	MAR	0.7784	-0.0102
JUN	83.28	-0.10	APR	0.7787	-0.0102
JUL	83.22	-0.03	JUN	0.7792	-0.0101

HOG INDICATORS

WEEK END	Dec02/17	Nov25/17	Dec03/16
AV DRSD WT US-LBS	213.00	212.00	211.00
FD: HOG RATIO	Dec01/17	Nov24/17	Dec02/16
US CORN	18.8	18.3	14.5
ALTA BARLEY	10.4	10.6	10.3

SHEEP AND LAMB PRICES - Most Recent Sale to Dec07/2017

MARKET LAMBS	FEEDER LAMBS	SHEEP
(95-109 LBS)	(<80 LBS)	ALL WTS.
ONTARIO (\$/HD)	196.54 - 217.12	209.73 - 338.72
TEXAS (US \$/CWT)	N/A	N/A

LIVE SHEEP AND LAMB PRICES - Most Recent Sale to Dec05/2017

MARKET LAMBS	FEEDER LAMBS	SHEEP
(>106 LBS)	(70-85 LBS)	
AB (\$/CWT)***	189.00 - 224.00	160.00 - 183.00

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