

WEEKLY LIVESTOCK MARKET REVIEW

CAN/US \$	Aug17/18	76.03	Aug10/18	76.69	Aug18/17	79.07
BANK RATE %	Aug14/18	1.75	Aug07/18	1.75	Aug15/17	1.00

CATTLE SLAUGHTER

WEEK END	Aug11/18 (prel)	Aug04/18 (prel)	Aug12/17
CANADA	52,680	59,954	49,916
EAST	10,806	13,254	10,124
WEST	41,874	46,700	39,792
WEEK END	Aug18/18 (est)	Aug11/18 (est)	Aug19/17
US	660,000	645,000	634,900

CANADIAN CATTLE GRADES

WEEK END	Aug11/18	Aug04/18	Aug12/17
A	43,793	49,725	41,274
B	924	1,011	1,621
D	5,523	6,745	5,725
E	303	323	312

A GRADE MARBLING (%)

WEEK END	Aug11/18	Aug04/18	Aug12/17
A	2.1%	2.1%	2.0%
AA	36.8%	37.8%	40.9%
AAA	61.1%	60.1%	57.1%

CANADIAN CATTLE CLASSES

WEEK END	Aug11/18 (prel)	Aug04/18 (prel)	Aug12/17
STEERS	33,792	39,921	29,682
HEIFERS	11,924	11,719	14,019
COWS	6,637	8,001	5,898
BULLS	327	313	317
CALVES	3,453	3,588	3,805

CATTLE FUTURES - US \$/CWT - CLOSE Aug17/2018

MONTH	LIVE	CHANGE	MONTH	FEEDER	CHANGE
AUG	109.42	+1.17	AUG	150.95	+1.05
OCT	110.88	+1.63	SEP	151.82	+2.30
DEC	114.63	+1.53	OCT	151.85	+2.38
FEB	118.03	+1.65	NOV	151.65	+1.72
APR	118.88	+1.00	JAN	150.00	+1.35
JUN	112.85	+1.00	MAR	149.15	+1.33
WEEK END	Aug17/18		Aug10/18		
US FSP - US \$/CWT	149.59		151.12		145.80

CATTLE INDICATORS

BY PROD VALUE			
MONTH END	May31/18	Apr30/18	May31/17
CANADIAN \$/CWT	12.02	12.41	14.54
WEEK END	Aug10/18	Aug03/18	Aug11/17
US-US \$/CWT	9.26	9.11	11.00
CURRENTNESS	Aug11/18	Aug04/18	Aug12/17
WEST-A1%	35.2%	37.4%	32.5%
CAN-A1%	36.3%	38.7%	35.7%
FD:STR RATIO	Aug10/18	Aug03/18	Aug11/17
ALTA BARLEY	25.2	26.3	32.6
	Aug11/18	Aug04/18	Aug12/17
US CORN	33.9	33.3	33.2
AVG CARCASS WT	Aug11/18	Aug04/18	Aug12/17
WEST STR-LBS	856.0	872.0	878.0
CAN STR-LBS	886.0	883.0	885.0
US CATTLE-LBS	809.0	809.0	810.0

CATTLE PRICES (CANFAX) - \$/CWT

WEEK END	Aug10/18	Aug03/18	Aug11/17
ALBERTA RAILGRADE SALES			
STR-LOW	235.50	241.50	233.00
STR-HIGH	241.50	245.75	237.50
HFR-LOW	235.50	242.00	233.00
HFR-HIGH	241.50	243.50	237.50
ALBERTA DIRECT SALES			
STR-RANGE	142.50 - 142.50	146.50 - 146.50	141.50 - 141.50
AVERAGE	142.76	146.22	141.79
VOLUME	9,063	12,421	12,176
HFR-RANGE	139.25 - 141.25	N/A	139.25 - 139.25
AVERAGE	141.08	144.58	140.73
VOLUME	4,834	4,242	4,546

OPEN MARKET - \$/CWT

WEEK END	Aug17/18	Aug10/18	Aug18/17
STEERS - A1,2 AND CHOICE 2-4			
ONTARIO	N/A	132.80 - 143.20	132.50 - 147.42
NEBRASKA*	N/A	113.00 - 114.00	109.00 - 110.50
HEIFERS - A1,2 AND CHOICE 2-4			
ONTARIO	N/A	120.70 - 143.05	131.55 - 141.27
NEBRASKA*	N/A	113.00 - 114.00	109.00 - 110.50
COWS - D1,2			
CLYDE	75.00 - 87.00	75.00 - 89.00	92.00 - 105.00
SIoux F*	67.00	67.13	72.00
800-900 LB FEEDER STEERS			
CLYDE	180.00 - 209.00	185.00 - 210.00	170.00 - 195.00
PONOKA	180.00 - 203.50	190.00 - 209.00	177.00 - 190.50
STRATHMORE	N/A	178.00 - 207.00	160.00 - 197.00
ONTARIO	N/A	178.00 - 200.00	169.00 - 195.00

700-800 LB FEEDER STEERS			
CLYDE	190.00 - 215.00	185.00 - 217.00	180.00 - 198.00
PONOKA	185.00 - 222.00	195.00 - 219.50	185.00 - 199.00
STRATHMORE	N/A	188.00 - 216.00	172.00 - 204.00
C.NEBRAS*	157.50 - 171.00	150.00 - 159.00	143.50 - 164.00

600-700 LB FEEDER STEERS			
CLYDE	190.00 - 225.00	190.00 - 225.00	180.00 - 209.00
PONOKA	190.00 - 226.50	200.00 - 225.00	185.00 - 205.00
STRATHMORE	N/A	200.00 - 226.00	175.00 - 206.00

500-600 LB FEEDER STEERS			
CLYDE	200.00 - 230.00	200.00 - 235.00	190.00 - 218.00
PONOKA	200.00 - 239.75	210.00 - 235.00	195.00 - 213.00
STRATHMORE	N/A	210.00 - 238.00	190.00 - 229.00
ONTARIO	N/A	175.00 - 239.00	174.00 - 223.00

700-800 LB FEEDER HEIFERS			
CLYDE	170.00 - 192.00	180.00 - 200.00	160.00 - 180.00
PONOKA	180.00 - 198.25	170.00 - 185.50	168.00 - 181.25
STRATHMORE	N/A	175.00 - 196.00	155.00 - 187.00

500-600 LB FEEDER HEIFERS			
CLYDE	190.00 - 210.00	190.00 - 210.00	170.00 - 200.00
PONOKA	185.00 - 219.00	195.00 - 216.00	170.00 - 183.25
STRATHMORE	N/A	185.00 - 208.00	170.00 - 197.00

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

PRELIM LIVE ANIMAL TRADE - WEEK ENDING Aug04/2018

CATTLE	FROM US	TO US	TO US	TO US
	SLTR	SLTR	FDR	HOGS
CANADA	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
EAST	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
WEST	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

BEEF WHOLESALE PRICES - \$/CWT

WEEK END	Jul20/18	Jul13/18	Jul21/17
CDA CUTOOUT AAA	274.18	275.73	266.85
CDA CUTOOUT AA/A	260.02	259.02	248.00

US BOXED BEEF CUTOOUT - US \$/CWT

WEEK END	Aug17/18	Aug10/18	Aug18/17
CHOICE 6-900	209.70	205.91	197.06
SELECT 6-900	200.78	198.31	194.81

HOG SLAUGHTER

WEEK END	Aug11/18 (prel)	Aug04/18 (prel)	Aug12/17
CANADA	377,864	385,337	374,969
EAST	230,852	226,921	227,511
WEST	147,012	158,416	147,458
AB/BC**	47,492	59,292	52,164
WEEK END	Aug18/18 (est)	Aug11/18 (est)	Aug19/17
US	2,459,000	2,333,000	2,340,300

HOG CASH PRICES - INDEX 100 - \$/KG

WEEK END	Aug17/18	Aug10/18	Aug18/17
ALTA AVG	1.229	1.385	1.846
ONT AVG	N/A	1.830	2.254
INTERIOR IOWA MINNESOTA HOG CASH PRICES			
WEEK END	Aug17/18	Aug10/18	Aug18/17
US \$/CWT	40.13	45.22	73.11
CAN EQWT \$/KG	1.007	1.125	1.764
US PORK CARCASS CUTOOUT			
US \$/CWT	N/A	70.77	91.82

HOG FUTURES - US \$/CWT

CAN/US \$ CLOSE Aug17/2018					
MONTH	LEAN	CHANGE	MONTH	FUTURES	CHANGE
OCT	58.60	+7.43	SEP	0.7664	+0.0048
DEC	55.27	+7.80	OCT	0.7669	+0.0048
FEB	61.65	+7.67	NOV	0.7673	+0.0050
APR	67.40	+6.40	DEC	0.7677	+0.0049
MAY	73.50	+4.50	JAN	0.7680	+0.0000
JUN	78.60	+4.52	MAR	0.7688	+0.0050

HOG INDICATORS

WEEK END	Aug11/18	Aug04/18	Aug12/17
AV DRSD WT US-LBS	207.00	207.00	207.00
FD: HOG RATIO	Aug10/18	Aug03/18	Aug11/17
US CORN	14.8	17.7	23.2
ALTA BARLEY	8.9	10.1	15.6

SHEEP AND LAMB PRICES - Most Recent Sale to Aug16/2018

MARKET LAMBS	FEEDER LAMBS	SHEEP
(95-109 LBS)	(<80 LBS)	ALL WTS.
ONTARIO (\$/HD)	254.18 - 272.17	183.12 - 288.60
TEXAS (US \$/CWT)	N/A	N/A
		56.50

LIVE SHEEP AND LAMB PRICES - Most Recent Sale to Aug14/2018

MARKET LAMBS	FEEDER LAMBS
(>106 LBS)	(70-85 LBS)
AB (\$/CWT)**	190.00 - 248.00
	190.00 - 224.00

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