

WEEKLY LIVESTOCK MARKET REVIEW

CAN/US \$	Dec16/16	74.97	Dec09/16	75.96	Dec18/15	72.04
BANK RATE %	Dec13/16	0.75	Dec06/16	0.75	Dec15/15	0.75

CATTLE SLAUGHTER

WEEK END	Dec10/16 (prel)	Dec03/16 (prel)	Dec12/15
CANADA	48,480	53,302	42,645
EAST	13,040	12,562	11,815
WEST	35,440	40,740	30,830
WEEK END	Dec17/16 (est)	Dec10/16 (est)	Dec19/15
US	599,000	611,000	585,700

CANADIAN CATTLE GRADES

WEEK END	Dec10/16	Dec03/16	Dec12/15
A	38,043	39,220	33,039
B	566	695	675
D	7,941	11,168	6,964
E	324	337	214

A GRADE MARBLING (%)

WEEK END	Dec10/16	Dec03/16	Dec12/15
A	1.9%	1.4%	1.5%
AA	35.2%	33.0%	33.2%
AAA	62.9%	65.7%	65.3%

CANADIAN CATTLE CLASSES

WEEK END	Dec10/16 (prel)	Dec03/16 (prel)	Dec12/15
STEERS	25,462	25,660	22,425
HEIFERS	14,294	15,719	12,635
COWS	8,396	11,588	7,403
BULLS	328	335	182
CALVES	4,086	4,087	3,863

CATTLE FUTURES - US \$/CWT - CLOSE Dec16/2016

MONTH	LIVE	CHANGE	MONTH	FEEDER	CHANGE
DEC	112.33	+3.60	JAN	129.90	+3.95
FEB	115.35	+4.82	MAR	126.30	+3.80
APR	113.60	+3.35	APR	125.60	+3.55
JUN	104.25	+2.85	MAY	124.15	+2.90
AUG	99.75	+1.75	AUG	124.47	+2.75
OCT	99.63	+1.28	SEP	122.40	+2.68
WEEK END	Dec16/16		Dec09/16		Dec18/15
US FSP - US \$/CWT	131.10		130.65		154.69

CATTLE INDICATORS

BY PROD VALUE			
MONTH END	Oct31/16	Sep30/16	Oct31/15
CANADIAN \$/CWT	14.12	14.02	13.87
WEEK END	Dec09/16	Dec02/16	Dec11/15
US-US \$/CWT	11.71	11.77	10.97
CURRENTNESS	Dec10/16	Dec03/16	Dec12/15
WEST-A1%	30.9%	31.1%	29.5%
CAN-A1%	35.3%	34.6%	34.2%
FD:STR RATIO	Dec09/16	Dec02/16	Dec11/15
ALTA BARLEY	39.5	39.1	N/A
US CORN	Dec10/16	Dec03/16	Dec12/15
	37.6	37.6	33.8
AVG CARCASS WT	Dec10/16	Dec03/16	Dec12/15
WEST STR-LBS	913.0	920.0	930.0
CAN STR-LBS	930.0	935.0	944.0
US CATTLE-LBS	845.0	842.0	849.0

CATTLE PRICES (CANFAX) - \$/CWT

WEEK END	Dec09/16	Dec02/16	Dec11/15
ALBERTA RAILGRADE SALES			
STR-LOW	251.00	246.50	N/A
STR-HIGH	252.50	250.50	N/A
HFR-LOW	250.50	246.50	N/A
HFR-HIGH	252.50	250.00	N/A
ALBERTA DIRECT SALES			
STR-RANGE	149.25 - 151.00	148.00 - 151.75	N/A
AVERAGE	150.48	148.91	N/A
VOLUME	5,425	7,837	N/A
HFR-RANGE	149.25 - 149.25	147.50 - 151.25	N/A
AVERAGE	149.22	148.89	N/A
VOLUME	3,312	3,447	N/A

OPEN MARKET - \$/CWT

WEEK END	Dec16/16	Dec09/16	Dec18/15
STEERS - A1,2 AND CHOICE 2-4			
ONTARIO	N/A	125.40 - 144.22	141.34 - 158.52
NEBRASKA*	N/A	108.00 - 110.00	115.50 - 117.00
HEIFERS - A1,2 AND CHOICE 2-4			
ONTARIO	N/A	124.89 - 139.40	146.98 - 158.03
NEBRASKA*	N/A	106.00 - 109.00	116.00 - 117.00
COWS - D1,2			
CLYDE	87.00 - 102.00	80.00 - 94.00	80.00 - 97.00
SIoux F*	56.25	55.75	71.00

800-900 LB FEEDER STEERS

CLYDE	165.00 - 177.00	155.00 - 175.00	185.00 - 208.00
PONOKA	164.00 - 173.75	155.00 - 164.25	154.00 - 202.00
STRATHMORE	N/A	142.00 - 186.00	N/A
ONTARIO	N/A	159.00 - 186.00	178.00 - 212.00

700-800 LB FEEDER STEERS

CLYDE	160.00 - 178.00	160.00 - 178.00	200.00 - 215.00
PONOKA	168.00 - 179.75	160.00 - 174.50	184.00 - 210.00
STRATHMORE	N/A	150.00 - 198.00	N/A
C.NEBRAS*	122.25 - 146.50	119.00 - 147.00	130.00 - 174.50

600-700 LB FEEDER STEERS

CLYDE	175.00 - 191.00	165.00 - 188.00	220.00 - 241.00
PONOKA	177.00 - 196.75	170.00 - 197.00	198.00 - 230.50
STRATHMORE	N/A	160.00 - 200.00	N/A

500-600 LB FEEDER STEERS

CLYDE	190.00 - 219.00	190.00 - 212.00	240.00 - 280.00
PONOKA	185.00 - 214.00	185.00 - 215.50	226.25 - 256.00
STRATHMORE	N/A	170.00 - 219.00	N/A
ONTARIO	N/A	164.00 - 224.00	210.00 - 270.00

700-800 LB FEEDER HEIFERS

CLYDE	145.00 - 160.00	140.00 - 162.00	180.00 - 200.00
PONOKA	155.00 - 169.75	150.00 - 162.25	155.00 - 184.00
STRATHMORE	N/A	140.00 - 172.00	N/A

500-600 LB FEEDER HEIFERS

CLYDE	175.00 - 200.00	160.00 - 182.00	200.00 - 232.00
PONOKA	172.00 - 191.00	168.00 - 186.50	216.00 - 245.50
STRATHMORE	N/A	155.00 - 189.00	N/A

NOTE: * denotes price in US Dollars

** Alberta breakdown not available

*** Alberta selected auction markets

PRELIM LIVE ANIMAL TRADE - WEEK ENDING Dec02/2016

CATTLE	FROM US	TO US	TO US	TO US
	SLTR	SLTR	FDR	HOGS
CANADA	0	11,632	237	16,770
EAST	0	4,251	172	7,410
WEST	0	7,381	65	9,360

BEEF WHOLESALE PRICES - \$/CWT

WEEK END	Dec09/16	Dec02/16	Dec11/15
CDA CUTOOUT AAA	249.01	253.34	262.69
CDA CUTOOUT AA/A	230.20	232.10	248.82

US BOXED BEEF CUTOOUT - US \$/CWT

WEEK END	Dec16/16	Dec09/16	Dec18/15
CHOICE 6-900	192.05	189.85	196.56
SELECT 6-900	177.06	172.26	186.07

HOG SLAUGHTER

WEEK END	Dec10/16 (prel)	Dec03/16 (prel)	Dec12/15
CANADA	429,522	432,763	447,394
EAST	267,624	253,077	268,490
WEST	161,898	179,686	178,904
AB/BC**	59,799	60,695	61,361
WEEK END	Dec17/16 (est)	Dec10/16 (est)	Dec19/15
US	2,544,000	2,443,000	2,499,000

HOG CASH PRICES - INDEX 100 - \$/KG

WEEK END	Dec16/16	Dec09/16	Dec18/15
ALTA AVG	1.290	1.191	1.296
ONT AVG	N/A	N/A	1.664
INTERIOR IOWA MINNESOTA HOG CASH PRICES			
WEEK END	Dec16/16	Dec09/16	Dec18/15
US \$/CWT	53.46	52.73	49.02
CAN EQVT \$/KG	1.360	1.324	1.298
US PORK CARCASS CUTOOUT			
US \$/CWT	N/A	74.51	73.57

HOG FUTURES - US \$/CWT

MONTH	LEAN	CHANGE	MONTH	FUTURES	CHANGE
FEB	64.70	+3.15	DEC	0.7489	-0.0108
APR	68.30	+2.35	MAR	0.7498	-0.0107
MAY	73.90	+1.98	JUN	0.7507	-0.0107
JUN	77.95	+1.38	SEP	0.7516	-0.0107
JUL	77.63	+0.97	DEC	0.7526	-0.0106
AUG	77.95	+0.92	MAR	0.7538	-0.0105

HOG INDICATORS

WEEK END	Dec10/16	Dec03/16	Dec12/15
AV DRSD WT US-LBS	211.00	211.00	213.00
FD: HOG RATIO	Dec09/16	Dec02/16	Dec11/15
US CORN	16.6	14.5	14.9
ALTA BARLEY	11.3	10.3	9.9

SHEEP AND LAMB PRICES - Most Recent Sale to Dec15/2016

	MARKET LAMBS	FEEDER LAMBS	SHEEP
	(95-109 LBS)	(<80 LBS)	ALL WTS.
ONTARIO (\$/HD)	191.59 - 213.58	215.14 - 382.74	N/A
TEXAS (US \$/CWT)	N/A	160.00	83.00

LIVE SHEEP AND LAMB PRICES - Most Recent Sale to Dec13/2016

	MARKET LAMBS	FEEDER LAMBS
	(>106 LBS)	(70-85 LBS)
AB (\$/CWT)***	186.00 - 216.00	170.00 - 185.00

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