

# WEEKLY LIVESTOCK MARKET REVIEW

CAN/US \$	Apr25/14	90.56	Apr18/14	90.93	Apr26/13	98.33
BANK RATE %	Apr22/14	1.25	Apr15/14	1.25	Apr23/13	1.25

## CATTLE SLAUGHTER

WEEK END	Apr19/14 (prel)	Apr12/14 (prel)	Apr20/13
CANADA	44,137	N/A	54,298
EAST	10,222	N/A	13,428
WEST	33,915	N/A	40,870
WEEK END	Apr26/14 (est)	Apr19/14 (est)	Apr27/13
US	585,000	568,000	625,200

## CANADIAN CATTLE GRADES

WEEK END	Apr19/14	Apr12/14	Apr20/13
A	36,655	0	44,765
B	707	0	850
D	5,640	0	6,772
E	52	N/A	135

## A GRADE MARBLING (%)

WEEK END	Apr19/14	Apr12/14	Apr20/13
A	2.0%	0.0%	1.7%
AA	35.0%	0.0%	32.2%
AAA	63.0%	0.0%	66.1%

## CANADIAN CATTLE CLASSES

WEEK END	Apr19/14 (prel)	Apr12/14 (prel)	Apr20/13
STEERS	18,632	N/A	23,383
HEIFERS	19,804	N/A	23,510
COWS	5,676	N/A	7,296
BULLS	25	N/A	109
CALVES	3,599	N/A	4,159

## CATTLE FUTURES - US \$/CWT - CLOSE Apr25/2014

MONTH	LIVE	CHANGE	MONTH	FEEDER	CHANGE
APR	145.00	+0.80	MAY	180.00	+1.95
JUN	136.78	+2.40	AUG	184.63	+3.22
AUG	135.60	+2.78	SEP	185.13	+3.85
OCT	139.68	+2.30	OCT	185.13	+4.10
DEC	141.78	+2.10	NOV	184.85	+4.17
FEB	142.65	+2.20	JAN	181.65	+3.90
WEEK END	Apr25/14		Apr18/14		Apr26/13
US FSP - US \$/CWT	179.10		178.95		134.35

## CATTLE INDICATORS

BY PROD VALUE			
MONTH END	Mar31/14	Feb28/14	Mar31/13
CANADIAN \$/CWT	15.19	14.67	N/A
WEEK END	Apr18/14	Apr11/14	Apr19/13
US-US \$/CWT	16.05	16.11	14.45
CURRENTNESS	Apr19/14	Apr12/14	Apr20/13
WEST-A1%	48.2%	0.0%	43.8%
CAN-A1%	51.8%	0.0%	48.3%
FD:STR RATIO	Apr18/14	Apr11/14	Apr19/13
ALTA BARLEY	34.3	34.2	18.0
	Apr19/14	Apr12/14	Apr20/13
US CORN	28.0	27.9	18.8
AVG CARCASS WT	Apr19/14	Apr12/14	Apr20/13
WEST STR-LBS	840.0	N/A	857.0
CAN STR-LBS	855.0	N/A	882.0
US CATTLE-LBS	794.0	794.0	789.0

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

WEEK END	Apr18/14	Apr11/14	Apr19/13
ALBERTA RAILGRADE SALES			
STR-LOW	242.50	242.50	189.00
STR-HIGH	243.25	242.50	191.75
HFR-LOW	243.25	236.75	189.00
HFR-HIGH	243.25	243.00	191.75

## ALBERTA DIRECT SALES

STR-RANGE	146.00 - 146.00	146.00 - 148.00	114.00 - 114.00
AVERAGE	145.65	145.24	113.86
VOLUME	7,094	7,417	5,981
HFR-RANGE	146.00 - 147.50	147.25 - 147.25	114.00 - 115.00
AVERAGE	146.02	144.88	114.32
VOLUME	5,152	2,986	3,329

## OPEN MARKET - \$/CWT

WEEK END	Apr25/14	Apr18/14	Apr26/13
STEERS - A1,2 AND CHOICE 2-4			
ONTARIO	N/A	142.94 - 153.11	110.15 - 124.25
NEBRASKA*	N/A	147.50 - 148.00	127.50 - 127.50
HEIFERS - A1,2 AND CHOICE 2-4			
ONTARIO	N/A	129.61 - 157.03	108.10 - 120.64
NEBRASKA*	N/A	146.50 - 148.00	N/A
COWS - D1,2			
CLYDE	90.00 - 105.00	92.00 - 110.00	72.00 - 80.00
SIOUX F*	98.88	97.50	76.88

## 800-900 LB FEEDER STEERS

CLYDE	163.00 - 180.00	165.00 - 175.00	115.00 - 127.00
PONOKA	175.00 - 189.00	160.00 - 175.00	120.00 - 130.00
STRATHMORE	N/A	N/A	N/A
ONTARIO	N/A	168.00 - 183.00	109.00 - 129.00

## 700-800 LB FEEDER STEERS

CLYDE	190.00 - 210.00	190.00 - 206.25	125.00 - 138.50
PONOKA	185.00 - 205.00	190.00 - 205.00	130.00 - 143.00
STRATHMORE	N/A	N/A	N/A
C.NEBRAS*	N/A	176.00 - 178.00	127.25 - 149.50

## 600-700 LB FEEDER STEERS

CLYDE	210.00 - 225.00	200.00 - 215.00	138.00 - 150.00
PONOKA	200.00 - 225.00	205.00 - 225.00	135.00 - 151.00
STRATHMORE	N/A	N/A	N/A

## 500-600 LB FEEDER STEERS

CLYDE	215.00 - 231.00	220.00 - 240.00	145.00 - 160.00
PONOKA	215.00 - 237.00	210.00 - 235.00	135.00 - 155.00
STRATHMORE	N/A	N/A	N/A
ONTARIO	N/A	178.00 - 224.00	116.00 - 154.00

## 700-800 LB FEEDER HEIFERS

CLYDE	165.00 - 175.00	165.00 - 178.00	110.00 - 124.00
PONOKA	172.00 - 189.00	180.00 - 195.00	114.00 - 127.00
STRATHMORE	N/A	N/A	N/A

## 500-600 LB FEEDER HEIFERS

CLYDE	185.00 - 215.00	185.00 - 197.00	120.00 - 130.50
PONOKA	165.00 - 211.00	200.00 - 215.00	125.00 - 142.00
STRATHMORE	N/A	N/A	N/A

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

## PRELIM LIVE ANIMAL TRADE - WEEK ENDING Apr11/2014

CATTLE	FROM US	TO US	TO US	TO US
	SLTR	SLTR	FDR	HOGS
CANADA	0	18,583	13,026	15,924
EAST	0	4,190	0	6,280
WEST	0	14,393	13,026	9,644

## BEEF WHOLESALE PRICES - \$/CWT

WEEK END	Apr18/14	Apr11/14	Apr19/13
CDA CUTOOUT AAA	236.13	236.07	185.55
CDA CUTOOUT AA/A	233.93	232.23	184.26

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

WEEK END	Apr25/14	Apr18/14	Apr26/13
CHOICE 6-900	N/A	231.91	192.89
SELECT 6-900	N/A	220.41	184.43

## HOG SLAUGHTER

WEEK END	Apr19/14 (prel)	Apr12/14 (prel)	Apr20/13
CANADA	358,865	392,355	407,649
EAST	220,392	226,077	239,084
WEST	138,473	166,278	168,565
AB/BC**	47,720	56,686	51,253
WEEK END	Apr26/14 (est)	Apr19/14 (est)	Apr27/13
US	1,999,000	2,002,000	2,145,200

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

WEEK END	Apr25/14	Apr18/14	Apr26/13
ALTA AVG	2.298	2.358	1.471
ONT AVG	N/A	N/A	1.739

## INTERIOR IOWA MINNESOTA HOG CASH PRICES

WEEK END	Apr25/14	Apr18/14	Apr26/13
US \$/CWT	111.88	114.07	83.21
CAN EQVT \$/KG	2.357	2.393	1.614

## US PORK CARCASS CUTOUT

US \$/CWT	N/A	120.60	86.68
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## HOG FUTURES - US \$/CWT

MONTH	LEAN	CHANGE	MONTH	FUTURES	CHANGE
MAY	120.92	-2.58	JUN	0.9048	-0.0026
JUN	124.53	-0.30	SEP	0.9029	-0.0025
JUL	122.67	-0.40	DEC	0.9009	-0.0025
AUG	120.45	-1.45	MAR	0.8989	-0.0025
OCT	101.78	+2.48	JUN	0.8972	-0.0026
DEC	91.28	+2.53	SEP	0.8958	-0.0026

## HOG INDICATORS

WEEK END	Apr19/14	Apr12/14	Apr20/13
AV DRSD WT US-LBS	215.00	214.00	207.00
FD: HOG RATIO	Apr18/14	Apr11/14	Apr19/13
US CORN	23.9	24.7	11.7
ALTA BARLEY	20.2	21.2	8.4

## SHEEP AND LAMB PRICES - Most Recent Sale to Apr24/2014

	MARKET LAMBS	FEEDER LAMBS	SHEEP
	(95-109 LBS)	(<80 LBS)	ALL WTS.
ONTARIO (\$/HD)	212.69 - 232.61	159.62 - 293.65	N/A
TEXAS (US \$/CWT)	N/A	N/A	66.50

## SHEEP AND LAMB PRICES - Most Recent Sale to Apr17/2014

SLAUGHTER LAMB (LIVE WT.) - \$/CWT	130.08 - 143.04
SLAUGHTER SHEEP (LIVE WT.) - \$/CWT	40.00
(CENTRAL ALTA, INNISFAIL)	

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