

WEEKLY LIVESTOCK MARKET REVIEW

CAN/US \$	Feb20/15	79.96	Feb13/15	80.33	Feb21/14	89.86
BANK RATE %	Feb17/15	1.00	Feb10/15	1.00	Feb18/14	1.25

CATTLE SLAUGHTER

WEEK END	Feb14/15 (prel)	Feb07/15 (prel)	Feb15/14
CANADA	52,172	48,889	52,936
EAST	12,121	11,859	12,268
WEST	40,051	37,030	40,668
WEEK END	Feb21/15 (est)	Feb14/15 (est)	Feb22/14
US	524,000	537,000	537,500

CANADIAN CATTLE GRADES

WEEK END	Feb14/15	Feb07/15	Feb15/14
A	41,188	37,248	41,320
B	455	685	528
D	8,784	9,418	9,895
E	112	136	76

A GRADE MARBLING (%)

WEEK END	Feb14/15	Feb07/15	Feb15/14
A	0.8%	0.9%	1.4%
AA	34.3%	34.4%	39.2%
AAA	64.9%	64.7%	59.4%

CANADIAN CATTLE CLASSES

WEEK END	Feb14/15 (prel)	Feb07/15 (prel)	Feb15/14
STEERS	25,965	22,603	27,658
HEIFERS	16,688	16,505	14,583
COWS	9,404	9,640	10,627
BULLS	115	141	68
CALVES	3,878	3,761	4,036

CATTLE FUTURES - US \$/CWT - CLOSE Feb20/2015

MONTH	LIVE	CHANGE	MONTH	FEEDER	CHANGE
FEB	156.70	-3.30	MAR	199.18	-4.67
APR	148.53	-4.70	APR	198.35	-4.90
JUN	141.88	-4.15	MAY	197.82	-4.70
AUG	140.80	-3.20	AUG	201.00	-3.97
OCT	143.45	-2.88	SEP	200.38	-4.13
DEC	144.05	-2.70	OCT	199.10	-3.93
WEEK END	Feb20/15	Feb13/15	Feb21/14		
US FSP - US \$/CWT	210.58	211.18	170.77		

CATTLE INDICATORS

BY PROD VALUE			
MONTH END	Nov30/14	Oct31/14	Nov30/13
CANADIAN \$/CWT	16.38	16.32	13.79
WEEK END	Feb13/15	Feb06/15	Feb14/14
US-US \$/CWT	14.69	15.09	14.81
CURRENTNESS	Feb14/15	Feb07/15	Feb15/14
WEST-A1%	43.7%	40.0%	52.9%
CAN-A1%	47.0%	43.3%	55.6%
FD:STR RATIO	Feb13/15	Feb06/15	Feb14/14
ALTA BARLEY	N/A	43.0	36.1
US CORN	Feb14/15	Feb07/15	Feb15/14
	43.4	42.8	31.6
AVG CARCASS WT	Feb14/15	Feb07/15	Feb15/14
WEST STR-LBS	853.0	868.0	837.0
CAN STR-LBS	871.0	881.0	849.0
US CATTLE-LBS	815.0	815.0	803.0

CATTLE PRICES (CANFAX) - \$/CWT

WEEK END	Feb13/15	Feb06/15	Feb14/14
ALBERTA RAILGRADE SALES			
STR-LOW	N/A	311.00	228.75
STR-HIGH	N/A	312.75	228.75
HFR-LOW	N/A	311.00	228.75
HFR-HIGH	N/A	312.75	228.75
ALBERTA DIRECT SALES			
STR-RANGE	N/A	N/A	134.50 - 136.00
AVERAGE	N/A	187.06	135.09
VOLUME	N/A	4,331	7,253
HFR-RANGE	N/A	N/A	N/A
AVERAGE	N/A	185.36	133.82
VOLUME	N/A	1,608	1,832

OPEN MARKET - \$/CWT

WEEK END	Feb20/15	Feb13/15	Feb21/14
STEERS - A1,2 AND CHOICE 2-4			
ONTARIO	N/A 175.22 - 196.15	137.81 - 156.40	
NEBRASKA*	N/A 160.00 - 163.50	144.00 - 148.00	
HEIFERS - A1,2 AND CHOICE 2-4			
ONTARIO	N/A 168.96 - 196.23	119.69 - 150.47	
NEBRASKA*	N/A 162.00 - 163.50	144.00 - 148.00	
COWS - D1,2			
CLYDE	110.00 - 144.00	110.00 - 143.00	80.00 - 95.00
SIoux F*	102.50	103.17	92.33

800-900 LB FEEDER STEERS

CLYDE	210.00 - 246.00	210.00 - 245.00	150.00 - 168.50
PONOKA	235.00 - 245.00	235.00 - 251.00	162.00 - 171.00
STRATHMORE	205.00 - 244.00	205.00 - 243.00	140.00 - 172.00
ONTARIO	N/A	213.00 - 240.00	148.00 - 168.00

700-800 LB FEEDER STEERS

CLYDE	230.00 - 266.00	230.00 - 270.00	165.00 - 179.50
PONOKA	265.00 - 270.00	255.00 - 270.00	171.00 - 181.00
STRATHMORE	220.00 - 272.00	220.00 - 262.00	150.00 - 182.00
C.NEBRAS*	N/A	200.00 - 245.25	167.00 - 188.00

600-700 LB FEEDER STEERS

CLYDE	255.00 - 292.00	255.00 - 295.00	184.00 - 201.00
PONOKA	290.00 - 305.00	275.00 - 300.00	185.00 - 200.00
STRATHMORE	244.00 - 292.00	244.00 - 294.00	160.00 - 206.00

500-600 LB FEEDER STEERS

CLYDE	290.00 - 335.00	290.00 - 340.00	190.00 - 215.50
PONOKA	310.00 - 330.00	300.00 - 330.00	198.00 - 215.00
STRATHMORE	270.00 - 340.00	270.00 - 342.00	160.00 - 208.00
ONTARIO	N/A	251.00 - 314.00	157.00 - 203.00

700-800 LB FEEDER HEIFERS

CLYDE	220.00 - 247.00	220.00 - 250.00	145.00 - 162.75
PONOKA	240.00 - 250.00	230.00 - 247.00	155.00 - 170.00
STRATHMORE	200.00 - 254.00	200.00 - 244.00	135.00 - 168.00

500-600 LB FEEDER HEIFERS

CLYDE	260.00 - 306.00	255.00 - 291.00	170.00 - 190.00
PONOKA	295.00 - 310.00	275.00 - 295.00	175.00 - 190.00
STRATHMORE	245.00 - 307.00	245.00 - 315.00	150.00 - 192.00

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

PRELIM LIVE ANIMAL TRADE - WEEK ENDING Feb06/2015

CATTLE	FROM US	TO US	TO US	TO US
	SLTR	SLTR	FDR	HOGS
CANADA	0	11,105	12,180	23,768
EAST	0	4,377	0	11,796
WEST	0	6,728	12,180	11,972

BEEF WHOLESALE PRICES - \$/CWT

WEEK END	Feb06/15	Jan30/15	Feb07/14
CDA CUTOOUT AAA	N/A	N/A	221.94
CDA CUTOOUT AA/A	N/A	N/A	221.44

US BOXED BEEF CUTOUT - US \$/CWT

WEEK END	Feb20/15	Feb13/15	Feb21/14
CHOICE 6-900	239.47	238.69	212.98
SELECT 6-900	235.32	234.27	210.69

HOG SLAUGHTER

WEEK END	Feb14/15 (prel)	Feb07/15 (prel)	Feb15/14
CANADA	410,126	403,766	394,018
EAST	246,025	239,687	237,680
WEST	164,101	164,079	156,338
AB/BC**	61,754	56,865	55,014
WEEK END	Feb21/15 (est)	Feb14/15 (est)	Feb22/14
US	2,285,000	2,222,000	2,111,300

HOG CASH PRICES - INDEX 100 - \$/KG

WEEK END	Feb20/15	Feb13/15	Feb21/14
ALTA AVG	1.298	1.379	1.741
ONT AVG	N/A	1.703	2.023

INTERIOR IOWA MINNESOTA HOG CASH PRICES

WEEK END	Feb20/15	Feb13/15	Feb21/14
US \$/CWT	59.57	57.28	93.69
CAN EQVT \$/KG	1.421	1.360	1.989
US PORK CARCASS CUTOUT			
US \$/CWT	N/A	72.65	96.39

HOG FUTURES - US \$/CWT

MONTH	LEAN	CHANGE	MONTH	FUTURES	CHANGE
APR	67.40	+1.38	MAR	0.7976	-0.0039
MAY	77.30	+1.17	JUN	0.7970	-0.0038
JUN	81.72	+1.60	SEP	0.7967	-0.0038
JUL	81.97	+1.42	DEC	0.7967	-0.0037
AUG	81.60	+0.88	MAR	0.7972	-0.0036
OCT	68.95	-1.77	JUN	0.7982	-0.0036

HOG INDICATORS

WEEK END	Feb14/15	Feb07/15	Feb15/14
AV DRSD WT US-LBS	216.00	216.00	213.00
FD: HOG RATIO	Feb13/15	Feb06/15	Feb14/14
US CORN	15.4	16.2	19.8
ALTA BARLEY	11.6	12.6	16.1

SHEEP AND LAMB PRICES - Most Recent Sale to Feb19/2015

MARKET LAMBS	FEEDER LAMBS	SHEEP
(95-109 LBS)	(<80 LBS)	ALL WTS.
ONTARIO (\$/HD)	205.13 - 227.83	222.76 - 300.88
TEXAS (US \$/CWT)	N/A	N/A

SHEEP AND LAMB PRICES - Most Recent Sale to Feb12/2015

SLAUGHTER LAMB (LIVE WT.) - \$/CWT	N/A
SLAUGHTER SHEEP (LIVE WT.) - \$/CWT	N/A
(CENTRAL ALTA, INNISFAIL)	

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