

WEEKLY LIVESTOCK MARKET REVIEW

CAN/US \$	Apr14/17	75.39	Apr07/17	74.64	Apr15/16	77.77
BANK RATE %	Apr11/17	0.75	Apr04/17	0.75	Apr12/16	0.75

CATTLE SLAUGHTER

WEEK END	Apr08/17 (prel)	Apr01/17 (prel)	Apr09/16
CANADA	51,798	53,595	47,573
EAST	12,292	12,116	11,910
WEST	39,506	41,479	35,663
WEEK END	Apr15/17 (est)	Apr08/17 (est)	Apr16/16
US	457,000	573,000	550,600

CANADIAN CATTLE GRADES

WEEK END	Apr08/17	Apr01/17	Apr09/16
A	40,689	42,634	38,654
B	685	692	542
D	8,480	8,551	6,125
E	378	273	189

A GRADE MARBLING (%)

WEEK END	Apr08/17	Apr01/17	Apr09/16
A	1.9%	1.8%	0.7%
AA	30.3%	31.1%	24.0%
AAA	67.8%	67.2%	75.2%

CANADIAN CATTLE CLASSES

WEEK END	Apr08/17 (prel)	Apr01/17 (prel)	Apr09/16
STEERS	23,541	23,915	22,652
HEIFERS	19,076	20,613	18,337
COWS	8,790	8,784	6,406
BULLS	391	283	178
CALVES	4,175	3,986	4,468

CATTLE FUTURES - US \$/CWT - CLOSE Apr14/2017

MONTH	LIVE	CHANGE	MONTH	FEEDER	CHANGE
APR	125.38	+5.33	APR	137.80	+4.05
JUN	114.70	+2.90	MAY	138.40	+4.53
AUG	110.80	+2.83	AUG	140.28	+4.63
OCT	110.33	+2.67	SEP	140.55	+4.95
DEC	111.22	+2.75	OCT	139.63	+4.97
FEB	111.15	+2.40	NOV	138.03	+5.08
WEEK END	Apr14/17		Apr07/17		
US FSP - US \$/CWT	134.21		132.96		157.01

CATTLE INDICATORS

BY PROD VALUE			
MONTH END	Feb28/17	Jan31/17	Feb29/16
CANADIAN \$/CWT	14.74	14.79	14.41
WEEK END	Apr07/17	Mar31/17	Apr08/16
US-US \$/CWT	11.93	11.84	11.37
CURRENTNESS	Apr01/17	Apr01/17	Apr09/16
WEST-A1%	35.6%	34.6%	36.3%
CAN-A1%	38.6%	37.7%	40.6%
FD:STR RATIO	Apr07/17	Mar31/17	Apr08/16
ALTA BARLEY	47.6	47.7	N/A
US CORN	Apr08/17	Apr01/17	Apr09/16
	38.2	38.6	38.5
AVG CARCASS WT	Apr08/17	Apr01/17	Apr09/16
WEST STR-LBS	877.0	879.0	929.0
CAN STR-LBS	900.0	904.0	942.0
US CATTLE-LBS	817.0	819.0	833.0

CATTLE PRICES (CANFAX) - \$/CWT

WEEK END	Apr07/17	Mar31/17	Apr08/16
ALBERTA RAILGRADE SALES			
STR-LOW	278.50	289.00	N/A
STR-HIGH	286.00	292.50	N/A
HFR-LOW	278.50	289.00	N/A
HFR-HIGH	284.00	290.50	N/A
ALBERTA DIRECT SALES			
STR-RANGE	N/A	173.00 - 176.00	N/A
AVERAGE	170.89	174.40	N/A
VOLUME	5,671	5,742	N/A
HFR-RANGE	N/A	175.50 - 175.50	N/A
AVERAGE	167.69	174.27	N/A
VOLUME	3,078	4,403	N/A

OPEN MARKET - \$/CWT

WEEK END	Apr14/17	Apr07/17	Apr15/16
STEERS - A1,2 AND CHOICE 2-4			
ONTARIO	N/A	143.82 - 171.65	137.45 - 159.16
NEBRASKA*	N/A	119.50 - 127.00	131.00 - 136.00
HEIFERS - A1,2 AND CHOICE 2-4			
ONTARIO	N/A	136.23 - 159.17	133.67 - 161.58
NEBRASKA*	N/A	120.00 - 127.00	133.00 - 135.00
COWS - D1,2			
CLYDE	90.00 - 110.00	90.00 - 110.00	90.00 - 104.00
SIoux F*	74.75	69.50	82.50

800-900 LB FEEDER STEERS

CLYDE	165.00 - 185.00	160.00 - 179.00	180.00 - 193.00
PONOKA	170.00 - 183.50	160.00 - 176.00	177.25 - 190.00
STRATHMORE	N/A	N/A	160.00 - 184.00
ONTARIO	N/A	163.00 - 185.00	171.00 - 197.00

700-800 LB FEEDER STEERS

CLYDE	175.00 - 200.00	170.00 - 197.00	200.00 - 216.00
PONOKA	185.00 - 204.00	180.00 - 193.50	197.00 - 219.75
STRATHMORE	N/A	N/A	180.00 - 212.00
C.NEBRAS*	134.50 - 158.00	130.00 - 153.00	149.00 - 178.50

600-700 LB FEEDER STEERS

CLYDE	190.00 - 235.00	180.00 - 222.00	205.00 - 235.00
PONOKA	195.00 - 224.50	195.00 - 210.00	200.00 - 222.00
STRATHMORE	N/A	N/A	185.00 - 237.00

500-600 LB FEEDER STEERS

CLYDE	200.00 - 238.00	190.00 - 237.00	210.00 - 252.00
PONOKA	200.00 - 230.00	195.00 - 224.00	200.00 - 225.00
STRATHMORE	N/A	N/A	187.00 - 243.00
ONTARIO	N/A	174.00 - 222.00	195.00 - 238.00

700-800 LB FEEDER HEIFERS

CLYDE	150.00 - 175.00	150.00 - 182.00	170.00 - 189.00
PONOKA	164.00 - 179.50	160.00 - 178.00	191.00 - 210.00
STRATHMORE	N/A	N/A	165.00 - 191.00

500-600 LB FEEDER HEIFERS

CLYDE	180.00 - 200.00	170.00 - 204.00	190.00 - 218.00
PONOKA	195.00 - 209.00	175.00 - 195.00	185.00 - 215.00
STRATHMORE	N/A	N/A	180.00 - 218.00

NOTE: * denotes price in US Dollars

** Alberta breakdown not available

*** Alberta selected auction markets

PRELIM LIVE ANIMAL TRADE - WEEK ENDING Mar31/2017

CATTLE	FROM US	TO US	TO US	TO US
	SLTR	SLTR	FDR	HOGS
CANADA	0	13,378	7,180	16,139
EAST	0	3,345	87	6,936
WEST	0	10,033	7,093	9,203

BEEF WHOLESALE PRICES - \$/CWT

WEEK END	Apr07/17	Mar31/17	Apr08/16
CDA CUTOOUT AAA	276.25	281.34	281.32
CDA CUTOOUT AA/A	265.68	272.92	273.53

US BOXED BEEF CUTOOUT - US \$/CWT

WEEK END	Apr14/17	Apr07/17	Apr15/16
CHOICE 6-900	N/A	209.99	221.51
SELECT 6-900	N/A	200.00	211.96

HOG SLAUGHTER

WEEK END	Apr08/17 (prel)	Apr01/17 (prel)	Apr09/16
CANADA	430,262	433,496	420,929
EAST	257,259	251,432	247,849
WEST	173,003	182,064	173,080
AB/BC**	61,095	60,412	64,302
WEEK END	Apr15/17 (est)	Apr08/17 (est)	Apr16/16
US	1,773,000	2,306,000	2,195,400

HOG CASH PRICES - INDEX 100 - \$/KG

WEEK END	Apr14/17	Apr07/17	Apr15/16
ALTA AVG	1.486	1.552	1.485
ONT AVG	N/A	N/A	1.855
INTERIOR IOWA MINNESOTA HOG CASH PRICES			
WEEK END	Apr14/17	Apr07/17	Apr15/16
US \$/CWT	56.73	58.74	63.45
CAN EQVT \$/KG	1.436	1.501	1.556
US PORK CARCASS CUTOOUT			
US \$/CWT	N/A	74.54	77.94

HOG FUTURES - US \$/CWT

MONTH	LEAN	CHANGE	MONTH	FUTURES	CHANGE
APR	62.45	-0.88	APR	0.7526	+0.0071
MAY	68.30	-0.70	MAY	0.7529	+0.0071
JUN	72.50	-0.28	JUN	0.7532	+0.0071
JUL	73.63	+0.38	JUL	0.7536	+0.0071
AUG	74.17	+0.90	SEP	0.7543	+0.0071
OCT	65.17	+0.72	DEC	0.7554	+0.0070

HOG INDICATORS

WEEK END	Apr08/17	Apr01/17	Apr09/16
AV DRSD WT US-LBS	212.00	212.00	213.00
FD: HOG RATIO	Apr07/17	Mar31/17	Apr08/16
US CORN	18.7	18.8	18.2
ALTA BARLEY	15.7	15.9	11.7

SHEEP AND LAMB PRICES - Most Recent Sale to Apr13/2017

	MARKET LAMBS	FEEDER LAMBS	SHEEP
	(95-109 LBS)	(<80 LBS)	ALL WTS.
ONTARIO (\$/HD)	245.69 - 299.43	272.86 - 373.43	N/A
TEXAS (US \$/CWT)	N/A	N/A	N/A

LIVE SHEEP AND LAMB PRICES - Most Recent Sale to Apr11/2017

	MARKET LAMBS	FEEDER LAMBS
	(>106 LBS)	(70-85 LBS)
AB (\$/CWT)**	225.00 - 270.00	190.00 - 208.00

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