

WEEKLY LIVESTOCK MARKET REVIEW

CAN/US \$	Oct26/18	76.48	Oct19/18	76.59	Oct27/17	77.94
BANK RATE %	Oct23/18	1.80	Oct16/18	1.75	Oct24/17	1.25

CATTLE SLAUGHTER

WEEK END	Oct20/18 (prel)	Oct13/18 (prel)	Oct21/17
CANADA	64,082	53,766	58,744
EAST	13,481	11,808	12,526
WEST	50,601	41,958	46,218
WEEK END	Oct27/18 (est)	Oct20/18 (est)	Oct28/17
US	633,000	625,000	625,200

CANADIAN CATTLE GRADES

WEEK END	Oct20/18	Oct13/18	Oct21/17
A	41,744	43,186	46,375
B	1,111	881	1,330
D	7,973	6,722	8,698
E	362	416	507

A GRADE MARBLING (%)

WEEK END	Oct20/18	Oct13/18	Oct21/17
A	1.8%	1.4%	1.7%
AA	40.3%	32.7%	31.7%
AAA	57.9%	65.8%	66.7%

CANADIAN CATTLE CLASSES

WEEK END	Oct20/18 (prel)	Oct13/18 (prel)	Oct21/17
STEERS	35,085	30,585	30,174
HEIFERS	19,383	15,028	19,057
COWS	9,239	7,731	9,001
BULLS	375	422	512
CALVES	3,517	2,897	3,854

CATTLE FUTURES - US \$/CWT - CLOSE Oct26/2018

MONTH	LIVE	CHANGE	MONTH	FEEDER	CHANGE
OCT	113.88	+1.63	NOV	154.80	+0.70
DEC	118.40	+1.63	JAN	149.70	+0.95
FEB	123.45	+2.30	MAR	147.82	+0.77
APR	124.17	+2.00	APR	149.32	+1.05
JUN	116.05	+1.52	MAY	150.00	+1.22
AUG	113.63	+1.20	AUG	152.93	+0.88
WEEK END	Oct26/18		Oct19/18		
US FSP - US \$/CWT	154.01		155.36		155.12

CATTLE INDICATORS

BY PROD VALUE			
MONTH END	Aug31/18	Jul31/18	Sep30/17
CANADIAN \$/CWT	N/A	12.33	13.10
WEEK END	Oct19/18	Oct12/18	Oct20/17
US-US \$/CWT	9.08	9.09	10.20
CURRENTNESS	Oct20/18	Oct13/18	Oct21/17
WEST-A1%	27.3%	25.6%	25.0%
CAN-A1%	36.7%	27.1%	28.0%
FD:STR RATIO	Oct19/18	Oct12/18	Oct20/17
ALTA BARLEY	27.6	27.8	29.8
US CORN	Oct20/18	Oct13/18	Oct21/17
	34.7	34.7	35.1
AVG CARCASS WT	Oct20/18	Oct13/18	Oct21/17
WEST STR-LBS	918.0	918.0	921.0
CAN STR-LBS	924.0	924.0	929.0
US CATTLE-LBS	830.0	829.0	827.0

CATTLE PRICES (CANFAX) - \$/CWT

WEEK END	Oct19/18	Oct12/18	Oct20/17
ALBERTA RAILGRADE SALES			
STR-LOW	250.50	251.00	229.00
STR-HIGH	251.50	254.00	230.50
HFR-LOW	250.50	252.50	227.50
HFR-HIGH	255.00	254.00	230.50
ALBERTA DIRECT SALES			
STR-RANGE	N/A	150.50 - 151.25	137.00 - 137.00
AVERAGE	150.36	152.36	137.69
VOLUME	7,372	10,396	7,607
HFR-RANGE	N/A	150.50 - 151.25	137.00 - 137.00
AVERAGE	150.19	151.27	136.88
VOLUME	6,062	4,237	5,545

OPEN MARKET - \$/CWT

WEEK END	Oct26/18	Oct19/18	Oct27/17
STEERS - A1,2 AND CHOICE 2-4			
ONTARIO	N/A	128.00 - 146.75	127.17 - 139.42
NEBRASKA*	N/A	109.00 - 111.50	115.00 - 119.50
HEIFERS - A1,2 AND CHOICE 2-4			
ONTARIO	N/A	122.50 - 142.95	119.75 - 136.42
NEBRASKA*	N/A	108.00 - 111.50	113.00 - 119.00
COWS - D1,2			
CLYDE	70.00 - 82.00	72.00 - 88.00	82.00 - 94.00
SIoux F*	66.00	66.25	61.17
800-900 LB FEEDER STEERS			
CLYDE	180.00 - 205.00	180.00 - 208.00	180.00 - 208.00
PONOKA	180.00 - 204.25	170.00 - 197.25	187.00 - 209.00
STRATHMORE	N/A	175.00 - 202.00	N/A
ONTARIO	N/A	185.00 - 215.00	189.00 - 212.00

700-800 LB FEEDER STEERS			
CLYDE	180.00 - 209.00	185.00 - 212.00	200.00 - 220.00
PONOKA	185.00 - 212.00	170.00 - 218.50	192.00 - 218.75
STRATHMORE	N/A	185.00 - 211.00	N/A
C.NEBRAS*	140.00 - 172.00	152.00 - 184.70	152.50 - 189.75

600-700 LB FEEDER STEERS			
CLYDE	185.00 - 212.00	190.00 - 217.00	200.00 - 229.00
PONOKA	187.00 - 216.25	180.00 - 216.50	200.00 - 235.75
STRATHMORE	N/A	190.00 - 216.00	N/A

500-600 LB FEEDER STEERS			
CLYDE	190.00 - 222.00	190.00 - 225.00	210.00 - 242.00
PONOKA	190.00 - 223.50	190.00 - 229.00	215.00 - 250.00
STRATHMORE	N/A	208.00 - 239.00	N/A
ONTARIO	N/A	175.00 - 241.00	177.00 - 248.00

700-800 LB FEEDER HEIFERS			
CLYDE	160.00 - 188.00	170.00 - 184.00	170.00 - 192.00
PONOKA	160.00 - 184.75	165.00 - 185.00	185.00 - 200.00
STRATHMORE	N/A	170.00 - 188.00	N/A

500-600 LB FEEDER HEIFERS			
CLYDE	170.00 - 195.00	170.00 - 200.00	180.00 - 215.00
PONOKA	170.00 - 194.00	180.00 - 205.00	190.00 - 215.00
STRATHMORE	N/A	182.00 - 220.00	N/A

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

PRELIM LIVE ANIMAL TRADE - WEEK ENDING Oct12/2018

CATTLE	FROM US	TO US	TO US	TO US
	SLTR	SLTR	FDR	HOGS
CANADA	0	6,874	2,826	13,281
EAST	0	2,539	228	4,702
WEST	0	4,335	2,598	8,579

BEEF WHOLESALE PRICES - \$/CWT

WEEK END	Oct12/18	Oct05/18	Oct13/17
CDA CUTOOUT AAA	260.89	261.03	243.55
CDA CUTOOUT AA/A	244.69	247.48	232.97

US BOXED BEEF CUTOOUT - US \$/CWT

WEEK END	Oct26/18	Oct19/18	Oct27/17
CHOICE 6-900	211.50	205.74	201.05
SELECT 6-900	197.90	192.44	192.10

HOG SLAUGHTER

WEEK END	Oct20/18 (prel)	Oct13/18 (prel)	Oct21/17
CANADA	431,022	359,105	446,409
EAST	252,692	204,282	269,724
WEST	178,330	154,823	176,685
AB/BC**	62,089	50,443	61,082
WEEK END	Oct27/18 (est)	Oct20/18 (est)	Oct28/17
US	2,569,000	2,589,000	2,515,400

HOG CASH PRICES - INDEX 100 - \$/KG

WEEK END	Oct26/18	Oct19/18	Oct27/17
ALTA AVG	1.478	1.508	1.496
ONT AVG	N/A	1.907	1.772
INTERIOR IOWA MINNESOTA HOG CASH PRICES			
WEEK END	Oct26/18	Oct19/18	Oct27/17
US \$/CWT	57.93	58.50	63.87
CAN EQWT \$/KG	1.445	1.457	1.563
US PORK CARCASS CUTOOUT			
US \$/CWT	N/A	77.75	75.97

HOG FUTURES - US \$/CWT

MONTH	LEAN	CHANGE	MONTH	FUTURES	CHANGE
DEC	57.92	+6.32	NOV	0.7642	+0.0014
FEB	66.38	+7.35	DEC	0.7645	+0.0014
APR	71.50	+5.78	JAN	0.7652	+0.0013
MAY	76.75	+5.08	FEB	0.7655	+0.0012
JUN	82.83	+4.88	MAR	0.7659	+0.0011
JUL	83.03	+4.30	JUN	0.7669	+0.0010

HOG INDICATORS

WEEK END	Oct20/18	Oct13/18	Oct21/17
AV DRSD WT US-LBS	209.00	209.00	211.00
FD: HOG RATIO	Oct19/18	Oct12/18	Oct20/17
US CORN	18.7	19.7	19.5
ALTA BARLEY	10.1	10.2	10.8

SHEEP AND LAMB PRICES - Most Recent Sale to Oct25/2018

	MARKET LAMBS	FEEDER LAMBS	SHEEP
	(95-109 LBS)	(<80 LBS)	ALL WTS.
ONTARIO (\$/HD)	204.30 - 227.76	188.64 - 256.14	N/A
TEXAS (US \$/CWT)	N/A	N/A	71.50
LIVE SHEEP AND LAMB PRICES - Most Recent Sale to Oct23/2018			
	MARKET LAMBS	FEEDER LAMBS	
	(>106 LBS)	(70-85 LBS)	
AB (\$/CWT)***	170.00 - 203.00	180.00 - 191.00	

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