

# WEEKLY LIVESTOCK MARKET REVIEW

CAN/US \$	May23/14	92.00	May16/14	91.89	May24/13	96.87
BANK RATE %	May20/14	1.25	May13/14	1.25	May21/13	1.25

## CATTLE SLAUGHTER

WEEK END	May17/14 (prel)	May10/14 (prel)	May18/13
CANADA	52,863	50,878	54,009
EAST	10,433	10,711	12,534
WEST	42,430	40,167	41,475
WEEK END	May24/14 (est)	May17/14 (est)	May25/13
US	599,000	591,000	653,300

## CANADIAN CATTLE GRADES

WEEK END	May17/14	May10/14	May18/13
A	44,791	42,930	44,446
B	764	799	766
D	5,882	5,670	7,218
E	157	118	148

## A GRADE MARBLING (%)

WEEK END	May17/14	May10/14	May18/13
A	2.4%	2.6%	1.8%
AA	41.5%	38.2%	38.9%
AAA	56.1%	59.2%	59.3%

## CANADIAN CATTLE CLASSES

WEEK END	May17/14 (prel)	May10/14 (prel)	May18/13
STEERS	28,216	26,001	26,734
HEIFERS	18,528	18,894	19,421
COWS	6,022	5,906	7,719
BULLS	97	77	135
CALVES	4,192	4,155	3,879

## CATTLE FUTURES - US \$/CWT - CLOSE May23/2014

MONTH	LIVE	CHANGE	MONTH	FEEDER	CHANGE
JUN	136.30	-1.60	AUG	192.85	-0.47
AUG	137.13	-1.25	SEP	194.15	-0.15
OCT	141.15	-1.15	OCT	194.10	-0.28
DEC	144.25	-0.53	NOV	193.32	+0.05
FEB	146.35	+0.45	JAN	189.25	+0.25
APR	147.15	+0.40	MAR	187.65	-0.53
WEEK END	May23/14		May16/14		May24/13
US FSP - US \$/CWT	189.35		184.25		131.67

## CATTLE INDICATORS

BY PROD VALUE			
MONTH END	Apr30/14	Mar31/14	Apr30/13
CANADIAN \$/CWT	15.62	15.19	11.34
WEEK END	May16/14	May09/14	May17/13
US-US \$/CWT	15.63	15.70	14.22
CURRENTNESS	May17/14	May10/14	May18/13
WEST-A1%	58.7%	53.5%	56.6%
CAN-A1%	60.1%	55.7%	57.2%
FD:STR RATIO	May16/14	May09/14	May17/13
ALTA BARLEY	30.9	32.6	18.6
	May17/14	May10/14	May18/13
US CORN	28.9	27.1	17.8
AVG CARCASS WT	May17/14	May10/14	May18/13
WEST STR-LBS	808.0	819.0	857.0
CAN STR-LBS	825.0	835.0	869.0
US CATTLE-LBS	790.0	792.0	780.0

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

WEEK END	May16/14	May09/14	May17/13
ALBERTA RAILGRADE SALES			
STR-LOW	243.50	249.25	197.00
STR-HIGH	252.75	254.50	198.50
HFR-LOW	N/A	250.00	196.50
HFR-HIGH	N/A	254.50	198.50
ALBERTA DIRECT SALES			
STR-RANGE	146.25 - 148.00	149.00 - 149.00	119.00 - 121.00
AVERAGE	148.03	150.53	119.48
VOLUME	8,525	6,312	8,111
HFR-RANGE	N/A	N/A	119.50 - 121.00
AVERAGE	N/A	149.63	118.16
VOLUME	N/A	3,625	6,104

## OPEN MARKET - \$/CWT

WEEK END	May23/14	May16/14	May24/13
STEERS - A1,2 AND CHOICE 2-4			
ONTARIO	N/A	145.50 - 161.62	117.40 - 127.69
NEBRASKA*	144.00 - 145.50	145.00 - 147.50	124.00 - 126.00
HEIFERS - A1,2 AND CHOICE 2-4			
ONTARIO	N/A	136.23 - 161.46	107.29 - 127.52
NEBRASKA*	144.00 - 145.00	145.00 - 147.50	125.00 - 126.00
COWS - D1,2			
CLYDE	90.00 - 108.00	95.00 - 107.00	72.00 - 77.00
SIoux F*	96.88	97.83	80.80

## 800-900 LB FEEDER STEERS

CLYDE	186.00 - 203.00	185.00 - 196.00	118.00 - 127.75
PONOKA	194.00 - 200.00	173.00 - 194.00	121.00 - 127.00
STRATHMORE	N/A	170.00 - 191.00	110.00 - 125.00
ONTARIO	N/A	169.00 - 192.00	115.00 - 133.00

## 700-800 LB FEEDER STEERS

CLYDE	200.00 - 220.25	200.00 - 213.00	130.00 - 138.50
PONOKA	196.00 - 215.00	194.00 - 214.00	135.00 - 144.00
STRATHMORE	N/A	180.00 - 218.00	115.00 - 142.00
C.NEBRAS*	N/A	172.00 - 203.00	133.00 - 159.25

## 600-700 LB FEEDER STEERS

CLYDE	215.00 - 235.00	215.00 - 230.00	143.00 - 150.00
PONOKA	200.00 - 227.00	196.00 - 223.00	140.00 - 152.00
STRATHMORE	N/A	180.00 - 244.00	125.00 - 157.00

## 500-600 LB FEEDER STEERS

CLYDE	220.00 - 250.00	220.00 - 243.75	149.00 - 161.00
PONOKA	230.00 - 245.00	225.00 - 243.00	148.00 - 158.00
STRATHMORE	N/A	180.00 - 242.00	125.00 - 159.00
ONTARIO	N/A	185.00 - 238.00	113.00 - 158.00

## 700-800 LB FEEDER HEIFERS

CLYDE	180.00 - 193.00	185.00 - 195.00	117.00 - 120.75
PONOKA	178.00 - 192.00	188.00 - 202.00	114.00 - 125.00
STRATHMORE	N/A	160.00 - 198.00	110.00 - 126.00

## 500-600 LB FEEDER HEIFERS

CLYDE	200.00 - 227.00	210.00 - 223.00	120.00 - 126.00
PONOKA	210.00 - 217.00	195.00 - 214.00	130.00 - 139.00
STRATHMORE	N/A	170.00 - 205.00	115.00 - 136.00

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

## PRELIM LIVE ANIMAL TRADE - WEEK ENDING May09/2014

CATTLE	FROM US	TO US	TO US	TO US
	SLTR	SLTR	FDR	HOGS
CANADA	0	14,315	8,186	15,489
EAST	0	4,115	0	6,252
WEST	0	10,200	8,186	9,237

## BEEF WHOLESALE PRICES - \$/CWT

WEEK END	May09/14	May02/14	May10/13
CDA CUTOOUT AAA	237.71	237.29	190.00
CDA CUTOOUT AA/A	233.36	232.33	184.15

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

WEEK END	May23/14	May16/14	May24/13
CHOICE 6-900	230.48	225.34	210.47
SELECT 6-900	219.74	215.16	192.11

## HOG SLAUGHTER

WEEK END	May17/14 (prel)	May10/14 (prel)	May18/13
CANADA	410,294	395,543	389,874
EAST	250,223	229,706	230,353
WEST	160,071	165,837	159,521
AB/BC**	58,942	57,403	52,643
WEEK END	May24/14 (est)	May17/14 (est)	May25/13
US	1,973,000	1,999,000	2,072,300

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

WEEK END	May23/14	May16/14	May24/13
ALTA AVG	2.160	2.175	1.669
ONT AVG	N/A	2.550	1.969

## INTERIOR IOWA MINNESOTA HOG CASH PRICES

WEEK END	May23/14	May16/14	May24/13
US \$/CWT	107.60	108.96	90.21
CAN EQVT \$/KG	2.231	2.262	1.776

## US PORK CARCASS CUTOUT

US \$/CWT	N/A	113.16	94.02
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## HOG FUTURES - US \$/CWT

MONTH	LEAN	CHANGE	MONTH	FUTURES	CHANGE
JUN	116.85	-2.08	JUN	0.9196	+0.0000
JUL	123.72	-1.53	SEP	0.9176	+0.0000
AUG	126.95	+1.35	DEC	0.9156	+0.0000
OCT	105.60	-0.50	MAR	0.9136	+0.0001
DEC	95.13	+1.35	JUN	0.9117	+0.0000
FEB	89.95	+0.00	SEP	0.9101	-0.0002

## HOG INDICATORS

WEEK END	May17/14	May10/14	May18/13
AV DRSD WT US-LBS	217.00	216.00	208.00
FD: HOG RATIO	May16/14	May09/14	May17/13
US CORN	23.3	22.2	12.6
ALTA BARLEY	16.5	17.7	9.3

## SHEEP AND LAMB PRICES - Most Recent Sale to May22/2014

	MARKET LAMBS	FEEDER LAMBS	SHEEP
	(95-109 LBS)	(<80 LBS)	ALL WTS.
ONTARIO (\$/HD)	204.22 - 231.98	198.14 - 235.48	N/A
TEXAS (US \$/CWT)	N/A	168.00	60.00

## SHEEP AND LAMB PRICES - Most Recent Sale to May15/2014

SLAUGHTER LAMB (LIVE WT.) - \$/CWT	142.08 - 144.48
SLAUGHTER SHEEP (LIVE WT.) - \$/CWT	40.00
(CENTRAL ALTA, INNISFAIL)	

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