

WEEKLY LIVESTOCK MARKET REVIEW

CAN/US \$	Oct27/17	77.94	Oct20/17	80.14	Oct28/16	74.71
BANK RATE %	Oct24/17	1.25	Oct17/17	1.25	Oct25/16	0.75

CATTLE SLAUGHTER

WEEK END	Oct21/17 (prel)	Oct14/17 (prel)	Oct22/16
CANADA	58,744	50,457	53,572
EAST	12,526	9,974	12,796
WEST	46,218	40,483	40,776
WEEK END	Oct28/17 (est)	Oct21/17 (est)	Oct29/16
US	617,000	632,000	613,700

CANADIAN CATTLE GRADES

WEEK END	Oct21/17	Oct14/17	Oct22/16
A	46,375	39,755	44,161
B	1,330	1,009	1,071
D	8,698	7,828	6,364
E	507	505	304

A GRADE MARBLING (%)

WEEK END	Oct21/17	Oct14/17	Oct22/16
A	1.7%	1.6%	1.2%
AA	31.7%	33.4%	31.4%
AAA	66.7%	65.0%	67.3%

CANADIAN CATTLE CLASSES

WEEK END	Oct21/17 (prel)	Oct14/17 (prel)	Oct22/16
STEERS	30,174	26,764	31,123
HEIFERS	19,057	14,967	15,387
COWS	9,001	8,217	6,743
BULLS	512	509	319
CALVES	3,854	3,348	3,819

CATTLE FUTURES - US \$/CWT - CLOSE Oct27/2017

MONTH	LIVE	CHANGE	MONTH	FEEDER	CHANGE
OCT	115.38	+3.70	NOV	156.47	+3.40
DEC	120.83	+4.23	JAN	155.95	+4.63
FEB	125.75	+4.47	MAR	153.00	+4.55
APR	125.03	+3.50	APR	152.90	+4.85
JUN	117.08	+2.55	MAY	151.90	+4.80
AUG	114.15	+2.30	AUG	153.25	+4.70
WEEK END	Oct27/17		Oct20/17		
US FSP - US \$/CWT	155.12		154.79		121.84

CATTLE INDICATORS

BY PROD VALUE						
MONTH END	Aug31/17	Jul31/17	Aug31/16	MONTH	FEEDER	CHANGE
CANADIAN \$/CWT	13.86	14.26	13.99	WEEK END	Oct20/17	Oct13/17
WEEK END	Oct20/17	Oct13/17	Oct21/16	US-US \$/CWT	10.20	10.35
CURRENTNESS	Oct21/17	Oct14/17	Oct22/16	WEST-A1%	25.0%	26.3%
WEST-A1%	25.0%	26.3%	29.7%	CAN-A1%	28.0%	30.1%
FD:STR RATIO	Oct20/17	Oct13/17	Oct21/16	ALTA BARLEY	29.8	29.8
ALTA BARLEY	29.8	29.8	34.7	US CORN	Oct21/17	Oct14/17
US CORN	Oct21/17	Oct14/17	Oct22/16	35.1	35.1	32.7
AVG CARCASS WT	Oct21/17	Oct14/17	Oct22/16	WEST STR-LBS	921.0	913.0
WEST STR-LBS	921.0	913.0	921.0	CAN STR-LBS	929.0	922.0
CAN STR-LBS	929.0	922.0	930.0	US CATTLE-LBS	827.0	829.0
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CATTLE PRICES (CANFAX) - \$/CWT

WEEK END	Oct20/17	Oct13/17	Oct21/16
ALBERTA RAILGRADE SALES			
STR-LOW	229.00	224.50	219.00
STR-HIGH	230.50	230.50	220.50
HFR-LOW	227.50	224.50	220.50
HFR-HIGH	230.50	229.50	220.50
ALBERTA DIRECT SALES			
STR-RANGE	137.00 - 137.00	138.50 - 138.50	133.00 - 133.00
AVERAGE	137.69	137.54	132.40
VOLUME	7,607	9,238	10,044
HFR-RANGE	137.00 - 137.00	137.50 - 137.50	132.00 - 132.00
AVERAGE	136.88	136.25	131.41
VOLUME	5,545	6,058	3,952

OPEN MARKET - \$/CWT

WEEK END	Oct27/17	Oct20/17	Oct28/16
STEERS - A1,2 AND CHOICE 2-4			
ONTARIO	N/A	121.73 - 136.70	117.78 - 128.21
NEBRASKA*	N/A	109.50 - 112.00	103.00 - 105.00
HEIFERS - A1,2 AND CHOICE 2-4			
ONTARIO	N/A	120.13 - 137.90	116.27 - 129.90
NEBRASKA*	N/A	111.00 - 112.00	98.00 - 105.00
COWS - D1,2			
CLYDE	82.00 - 94.00	85.00 - 94.00	70.00 - 87.00
SIoux F*	61.17	67.25	63.38
800-900 LB FEEDER STEERS			
CLYDE	180.00 - 208.00	190.00 - 214.00	145.00 - 167.00
PONOKA	187.00 - 209.00	180.00 - 201.25	145.00 - 168.00
STRATHMORE	N/A	170.00 - 207.00	136.00 - 164.00
ONTARIO	N/A	192.00 - 210.00	154.00 - 171.00

700-800 LB FEEDER STEERS

CLYDE	200.00 - 220.00	210.00 - 225.00	150.00 - 162.00
PONOKA	192.00 - 218.75	195.00 - 220.50	148.00 - 168.25
STRATHMORE	N/A	185.00 - 225.00	140.00 - 178.00
C.NEBRAS*	152.50 - 189.75	145.50 - 181.00	105.00 - 136.85

600-700 LB FEEDER STEERS

CLYDE	200.00 - 229.00	215.00 - 232.00	155.00 - 170.00
PONOKA	200.00 - 235.75	200.00 - 234.00	150.00 - 174.50
STRATHMORE	N/A	190.00 - 231.00	150.00 - 181.00

500-600 LB FEEDER STEERS

CLYDE	210.00 - 242.00	220.00 - 242.00	160.00 - 177.00
PONOKA	215.00 - 250.00	215.00 - 249.25	160.00 - 180.50
STRATHMORE	N/A	200.00 - 247.00	155.00 - 189.00
ONTARIO	N/A	192.00 - 248.00	166.00 - 204.00

700-800 LB FEEDER HEIFERS

CLYDE	170.00 - 192.00	170.00 - 197.00	130.00 - 142.00
PONOKA	185.00 - 200.00	174.00 - 193.50	140.00 - 156.00
STRATHMORE	N/A	175.00 - 201.00	130.00 - 164.00

500-600 LB FEEDER HEIFERS

CLYDE	180.00 - 215.00	190.00 - 217.00	140.00 - 152.00
PONOKA	190.00 - 215.00	190.00 - 210.25	138.00 - 157.50
STRATHMORE	N/A	180.00 - 229.00	130.00 - 162.00

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

PRELIM LIVE ANIMAL TRADE - WEEK ENDING Oct13/2017

CATTLE	FROM US	TO US	TO US	TO US
	SLTR	SLTR	FDR	HOGS
CANADA	0	9,558	2,110	15,524
EAST	0	2,244	93	6,436
WEST	0	7,314	2,017	9,088

BEEF WHOLESALE PRICES - \$/CWT

WEEK END	Oct20/17	Oct13/17	Oct21/16
CDA CUTOOUT AAA	246.31	243.55	231.77
CDA CUTOOUT AA/A	232.78	232.97	230.06

US BOXED BEEF CUTOOUT - US \$/CWT

WEEK END	Oct27/17	Oct20/17	Oct28/16
CHOICE 6-900	201.05	198.63	182.00
SELECT 6-900	192.10	190.28	168.70

HOG SLAUGHTER

WEEK END	Oct21/17 (prel)	Oct14/17 (prel)	Oct22/16
CANADA	445,383	376,118	454,403
EAST	269,724	217,009	268,628
WEST	175,659	159,109	185,775
AB/BC**	61,082	54,100	65,294
WEEK END	Oct28/17 (est)	Oct21/17 (est)	Oct29/16
US	2,526,000	2,485,000	2,406,900

HOG CASH PRICES - INDEX 100 - \$/KG

WEEK END	Oct27/17	Oct20/17	Oct28/16
ALTA AVG	1.496	1.374	1.139
ONT AVG	N/A	1.666	1.563
INTERIOR IOWA MINNESOTA HOG CASH PRICES			
WEEK END	Oct27/17	Oct20/17	Oct28/16
US \$/CWT	63.87	65.21	44.87
CAN EQWT \$/KG	1.563	1.552	1.146
US PORK CARCASS CUTOOUT			
US \$/CWT	N/A	73.97	72.36

HOG FUTURES - US \$/CWT

CAN/US \$ CLOSE Oct27/2017					
MONTH	LEAN	CHANGE	MONTH	FUTURES	CHANGE
DEC	64.45	-0.40	NOV	0.7783	-0.0138
FEB	70.25	+1.15	DEC	0.7785	-0.0137
APR	74.25	+1.35	JAN	0.7789	-0.0136
MAY	78.17	+1.00	FEB	0.7791	-0.0136
JUN	81.33	+0.85	MAR	0.7792	-0.0135
JUL	81.22	+0.65	JUN	0.7798	-0.0133

HOG INDICATORS

WEEK END	Oct21/17	Oct14/17	Oct22/16
AV DRSD WT US-LBS	211.00	211.00	210.00
FD: HOG RATIO	Oct20/17	Oct13/17	Oct21/16
US CORN	19.5	17.6	15.4
ALTA BARLEY	10.8	10.1	10.9

SHEEP AND LAMB PRICES - Most Recent Sale to Oct26/2017

	MARKET LAMBS	FEEDER LAMBS	SHEEP
	(95-109 LBS)	(<80 LBS)	ALL WTS.
ONTARIO (\$/HD)	194.71 - 220.45	130.08 - 266.75	N/A
TEXAS (US \$/CWT)	N/A	N/A	72.50

LIVE SHEEP AND LAMB PRICES - Most Recent Sale to Oct24/2017

	MARKET LAMBS	FEEDER LAMBS
	(>106 LBS)	(70-85 LBS)
AB (\$/CWT)***	195.00 - 225.00	180.00 - 190.00

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