

July 3, 2009

Sale date: July 2, 2009		LIVESTOCK SALES: Atlantic Stock Yards Limited, Truro				
	No.	Range	High	Average (price/wt)	Last week	
Slaughter Cows (cents per lb.)						
D1	17	44-56.5	56.5	48.2/1420	49.1/1420	
D2	24	35.5-43.5	43.5	41.5/1311	42.1/1192	
D3	1	30	30	30/1235		
D4					17.5/950	
Slaughter Bulls	2	52.5-56	56	54/1630	54.5/1398	
Bob Calves (\$ per head)				Weighted Average		
Good	11	98-195	195	124	124	
Average	6	5-40	40	16	9	
Feeder Cattle (cents per lb.)				Average (price/wt)		
Steers:						
<400 lbs	1	61	61	61/220		
400-500 lbs.						
500-600 lbs.					55/570	
600-700 lbs.	4	85-107	107	101/628	44/673	
700-800 lbs.	3	74-102	102	89/727	72/715	
800-900 lbs.					55/820	
900+ lbs.						
Feeder Bulls	3	78-86	86	76.3/662	74/659	
Breeding Bulls (per head)						
Heifers:						
<400 lbs	1	77	77	77/260		
400-500 lbs.	1	101	101	101/480	75/455	
500-600 lbs.	3	74-97	97	86/560	70/583	
600-700 lbs.	1	89	89	89/660	68/650	
700-800 lbs.	3	68-75	75	71/745	70/735	
800-900 lbs.					44/945	
900 + lbs	1	51.5	51.5	51.5/1185		
Stock Cows (\$ per head)				Weighted Average		
Dairy Cows	1	590	590	590	540	
Open Dairy Heifer						
Open Beef Cows						
Beef Stock Cows	2	560-590	590	575		
Beef cows/calf at side					575	
Bred Beef Heifers						
Lambs (cents per lb.)				Average(price/wt)		
<50	6	145-160	160	150/41.7		
50-64 lbs.	7	120-178	178	163/57	140-59.5	
65-79 lbs.	10	169-181	181	177/70	128-72.4	
80-94 lbs.	1	179	179	179/84	122/89	
95-109 lbs.	1	169	169	169/98	138/98	
>109 lbs					94/136	
Rams (\$ per head)						
Ewes + Lambs (\$)						
Ewes (\$ per head)	12	37-75	75	46	47	
Goats (\$ per head) does	1	99				
Goats (\$ per head) bucks						
Goats (\$ per head) does + kids						
Goats (\$ per head) wethers						
Ram Lambs						
Pigs , weaners, per head						
Hay (\$ per bale)	2	1.00-1.15				
Straw (\$ per round bale)						

FEED GRAIN PRICES, June 29, 2009 (supplied by AAFC) Broker selling price (avg.) to buyers (feed mills), per metric ton, f.o.b.:

	Truro (rail)	St- Jean/St-Hyacinthe	Quebec	Thunder Bay*
Wheat	286.00	259.75	251.25	214.00
Oats	N/A	228.33		
Barley	235.00	201.15	213.08	152.10
Corn	244.02	189.42	213.83	
Soyabean Meal	591.20	514.00	531.35	*WCE Cash Price

June 20	Producer Price*	Wholesale Selling	Retail	
A Extra Large	1.69	2.23		
A Large	1.69	2.20		
A Medium	1.57	2.08		
A Small	1.09	1.60		
* ungraded, unwashed, f.o.b. the farm Cape Breton price 2¢ above listed N.S. prices. Brown eggs 9-10¢ higher.				
Poultry (per kg)	Producer Price	Last Week	Ontario	Quebec
Chicken			June 20	June 20
less than 2.3 kg (live) average	1.51	1.51	1.43-1.60	1.43
Turkey			June 20	June 20
under 5.4 kg (live)	1.88	1.88	1.87	1.80
5.4-9.0 kg (live)	1.88	1.88	1.80	1.77
over 9.0 kg (live)	1.84	1.83	1.84	1.85
Hogs	June 29-July 3	June 22-26	Ont. Avg. (per kg.)	Ont. Avg. (per kg.)
Nova Scotia (\$ per cwt/per kg)	Dressed	Dressed	June 29-July3	June 22-26
Index 100	56.88/1.2540	54.72/1.2064	1.1910	1.2078
Sows	39.82/.8778	38.31/.8445		
Rail Grade Beef Prices:	Alta. June 26	Alta. June 19	Ont. June 30	Ont. June 25
Steers	145.50-147.00	143.50-144.85	159.00-163.00	157.00-162.00
Heifers	145.50-147.00	143.50-144.85	158.00-162.00	156.00-161.00

Lamb prices (live weight, paid by Northumberland)	July 7	June 30	June 24
Old Crop Lambs per pound (dressed weight)			
New Crop Lambs per pound (dressed weight)	3.65	3.70	3.70

NOVA SCOTIA PRODUCE, Delivered Prices: Halifax

June 9, 2009	WHOLESALE PAYING	SELLING TO RETAILER
Apples, Macs, 12 x 3 lbs.	21.00-21.50	22.00-26.50
Apples, Macs, 125 CT.	23.00-24.00	24.00-29.50
Cabbage, Green, 50 lbs.	12.00-13.00	17.30-18.30
Cucumbers, GH, 12 CT.	13.00	16.75
Potatoes, Russet, 10 x 5 lbs.	13.00-13.50	15.50-16.50
Potatoes, Russet, 10 lbs.	2.25-2.30	2.90-3.00
Potatoes, Russet, 50 lbs.	10.00-10.50	13.85-14.35
Rutabagas, 50 lbs.	18.50-19.00	22.50-23.80
Tomatoes, Cluster, 10 lbs.	13.00	16.50

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