

November 20, 2009

Sale date: November 19		LIVESTOCK SALES: Atlantic Stock Yards Limited, Truro			
	No.	Range	High	Average (price/wt)	Last week
Slaughter Cows (cents per lb.)					
D1	18	28.5-35	35	29.8/1531	30.4/1468
D2	41	20-27.5	27.5	24.5/1327	24.8/1356
D3	6	16-19	19	17.6/1232	16.5/965
D4					
Slaughter Bulls	1	35	35	35/1640	34/1818
Bob Calves (\$ per head)				Weighted Average	
Good	28	36-195	195	88.6	81.5
Average	21	2-20	20	6.9	7.1
Feeder Cattle (cents per lb.)				Average (price/wt)	
Steers:					
<400 lbs	6	67-101	101	82.8/318	77.5/325
400-500 lbs.	3	86-98	98	90.3/415	90.6/476
500-600 lbs.	8	46-95	95	76.1/535	78.3/547
600-700 lbs.	13	38-85	85	72.8/657	75.3/648
700-800 lbs.	3	25-74	74	57.7/707	75.7/725
800-900 lbs.	5	74	74	74/819	56.2/845
900+ lbs.	1	59	59	59/1000	57.7/1099
Feeder Bulls	36	40-98	98	80.7/465	70.3/624
Breeding Bulls (per head)	1	860	860	860	50.3/995
Heifers:					
<400 lbs	19	60-91	91	74.6/338	72.5/338
400-500 lbs.	18	10-98	98	73.3/456	68.5/467
500-600 lbs.	14	44-90	90	76.4/548	66.1/535
600-700 lbs.	5	75-81	81	78.8/649	54.5/651
700-800 lbs.	6	46-76.5	76.5	66.3/741	54.6/747
800-900 lbs.	1	53	53	53/880	55.6/842
900 + lbs	1	51	51	51/950	50.3/995
Stock Cows (\$ per head)				Weighted Average	
Dairy Cows	8	330-875	875	611	887
Open Dairy Heifer	8	290-570	570	391	575
Open Beef Cows	4	200-455	455	359	283
Beef Stock Cows	1	250	250	250	380
Beef cows/calf at side	4+4	480-860	860	699	541
Open Beef Heifers					
Lambs (cents per lb.)				Average(price/wt)	
<50	5	110-126	126	116.4/42	127.3/43.8
50-64 lbs.	9	110-139	139	133.8/60	150.2/62.4
65-79 lbs.	8	120-141	141	139.9/68	152.2/72.8
80-94 lbs.	5	127-156	156	150.8/87.2	140.2/85.2
95-109 lbs.	6	148-168	168	155.7/100	146.9/103.5
>109 lbs	1	160	160	160/117	145.6/120.3
Rams (\$ per head)	4	55-140	140	84	100
Ewes (\$ per head)	17	23-91	91	64	76.8
Goats (\$ per head) does	1	90	90		
Goats (\$ per head) kids	3	16	16		
Goats (\$) wethers					
Pigs, feeders (\$)					
Pigs , weaners, per head					
Boar (\$)					
Hay (\$ per bale)	5	2.30-3.00	2RB \$29 each		34-36
Straw (\$)	6	3.20-3.70	2RB \$20-\$24		

FEED GRAIN PRICES, Nov. 9, 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	250.00	168.25	182.25	168.00
Oats	N/A	186.67		
Barley	230.00	168.00	233.36	138.00
Corn	237.01	191.24	198.73	
Soyabean Meal	443.83	396.67	430.11	*WCE Cash Price
November 7		Producer Price*	Wholesale Selling	Retail
A Extra Large		1.72	2.26	
A Large		1.72	2.23	
A Medium		1.60	2.11	
A Small		1.12	1.63	
* 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
Chicken				November 14
less than 2.7 kg (live) average	1.51		1.53	1.45-1.49
Turkey				November 7
under 6.2 kg (live)	1.86		1.86	1.85
6.2 kg-8.5 kg (live)	1.86		1.86	1.80
over 9.0 kg (live)	1.80		1.80	1.85
Hogs		November 16-20	November 9-13	Ont. Avg. (per kg.)
Nova Scotia (\$ per cwt/per kg)		Dressed	Dressed	November 16-20
Index 100		n/a	48.97/1.0795	104.82
Sows			34.28/.7557	106.15
Rail Grade Beef Prices:		Alta. Nov. 13	Alta. Nov. 6	Ont. Nov. 17
Steers		128.00-130.85	136.85-137.35	137.00-138.00
Heifers		130.85-130.85	136.50-137.35	136.00-137.00
Lamb prices (live weight, paid by Northumberland)			Oct. 16	
Old Crop Lambs per pound (dressed weight)				
New Crop Lambs per pound (dressed weight)			3.40	
NOVA SCOTIA PRODUCE, Delivered Prices: Halifax				
Not Available		WHOLESALE PAYING		SELLING TO RETAILER
Apples, Macs, 125 CT.				Not available
Apples, Cortlands, 12 x 3				
Beans, Green				
Beans, Yellow				
Beets, 25 lbs.				
Broccoli, 18 CT.				
Cabbage, Green, 50 lbs.				
Carrots, 24 x 2 lbs., 10 x 5 lbs.				
Cauliflower, 12 CT.				
Cranberries, 24 x 12				
Corn, dozen				
Cucumbers, Field, 24 CT.				
Onions, 24 x 2 lbs., 10 x 5 lbs.				
Parsnips, 24 x 1 lb.				
Potatoes, New, Round, 10 x 5 lbs.				
Potatoes, New, Round, 10 lbs.				
Potatoes, New, Round, 50 lbs.				
Rutabagas, 50 lbs.				
Squash, Butternut, 50 lbs.				
Tomatoes, , 10 lbs.				
Zucchini, Green, 20 lbs.				