

April 26, 2013 (Atlantic Stockyards Ltd. Sale date, April 25, 2013 www.atlanticstockyards.com)

ALL LIVESTOCK ON OFFER; 307 CATTLE ON OFFER; 154 SHEEP ON OFFER; 93 OTHER LIVESTOCK ON OFFER; 60

### SLAUGHTER COWS (cents per lb)

	#	RANGE	HIGH	Ave (price/wt)	% change last week
D1	10	64-80	80	67/1472	
D2	20	56.5-63.5	63.5	61/1437	
D3	6	45-54	54	50/1245	
D4	1	28	28	28/1035	
Slaughter Bulls					

### BOB CALVES (\$ per head)

	#	RANGE	HIGH	WT'ED AVE	% change last week
GOOD	14	90-300	300	135	
AVERAGE	13	5-35	35	20	

### FEEDER CATTLE (cents per lb)

STEERS	#	RANGE	HIGH	AVE (price/wt)	% change last week
<400	2	130-132	132	131/360	
400-500	2	125-132	132	129/443	
500-600	2	94-121	121	108/573	
600-700	2	110-118	118	114/623	
700-800	5	98-125	125	114/749	
800-900	5	95-112	112	105/854	
900+	1	104	104	104/990	
Feeder bulls	20	54-128	128	101/629	
Breeding bulls (\$)	1	1850	1850	1850	
HEIFERS					
<400	4	106-128	128	115/323	
400-500	4	103-120	120	108/428	
500-600	5	82-116	116	103/529	
600-700	2	110-116	116	113/665	
700-800	2	86-101	101	94/705	
800-900	3	102-108	108	104/835	
900+	2	65-78.5	78.5	72/1273	-

### STOCK COWS (\$ per head)

	#	RANGE	HIGH	WT'ED AVE	% change last week
DAIRY COWS	2	780-875	875	828	
OPEN DAIRY HEIFERS	2	450-675	675	563	
BRED BEEF HEIFERS					
BEEF STOCK COWS	18	600-1340	1340	936	
BEEF COWS/CALF AT SIDE	1+1	1650	1650	1650	
OPEN BEEF COWS	4	660-1030	1030	890	

### SHEEP (cents per lb)

Lambs (lbs)	#	RANGE	HIGH	AVE (price/wt)	% change last week
<50					
50-64	20	70-126	126	111/59	
65-79	20	100-128	128	119/721	
80-94	17	67-133	133	105/88	
95-109	5	100-155	155	120/101	
>109	1	105	105	105/132	
RAMS (\$/HD)	5	40-95	95	72	
EWES (\$)	25	2-81	81	48	
EWES + LAMB (\$)					
RAM LAMBS					

OTHER LIVESTOCK HAY 3 lots hay (\$2.90-5.00), 8 RB straw (\$32/bale), 5 RB hay (\$29-31) GOATS 1 Wether (\$131), 8 Bucks (\$26-160), 3 Does +5 kids (\$185-215), 8 Does (\$87-170) HORSES PIGS 3 weaners (\$78-88), 1 Sow (\$.26/432lbs), 10 barrows (\$.10-.65/143-340lbs), 8 Gilts (\$.12-.58/122-255lbs) OTHER 1 pen rabbits (\$26), 12 pen fowl (\$1-60), 4 lots fence posts (\$1.80-1.90), 54 bags livestock feed (\$10-20)

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### Feed Grain Prices, (supplied by AAFC) per metric ton,

April 22, 2013	Truro (Rail)	St. Jean/St. Hyacinthe	Quebec
Wheat	n/a	295.00	294.50
Oats	n/a	280.00	
Barley	n/a	275.00	270.00
Corn	n/a	231.48	259.50
Soyabean Meal	n/a	519.69	527.33

Eggs	Apr. 13	Producer Price*	Wholesale**/Wgt/Avg	* ungraded, unwashed, f.o.b. the farm., Cape Breton price 2¢ above NS prices Brown eggs 9-10 ¢ higher. **Wholesale prices are estimated by AAFC, and may differ from actual
A Extra Large		2.13	n/a	
A Large		2.13	n/a	
A Medium		2.01	n/a	
A Small		1.53	n/a	

Poultry (per kg)	Nova Scotia	Nova Scotia	Quebec	Ontario
Chicken	April 20	April 13	April 20	April 20
1.4 - 2.7 kg (live) average	1.80	1.80	1.71	1.72
Turkey	April 13	April 6	April 13	April 13
under 6.2 kg (live)	2.04	2.04	2.01	2.03
6.2 kg-8.5 kg (live)	2.04	2.04	1.92	2.00
8.5 kg-10.8kg (live)	2.01	2.02	1.91	2.00

Pork	Nova Scotia Prices April 22-26, 2013 (provided by Pork Nova Scotia)				Carcass Value
	Price (kg)	Change	Price (cwt)	Change	159.79
Hogs	1.6028	0.0189	72.70	0.86	1.88
Sows	1.3624	0.0161	61.80	0.73	(change)

Rail Grade Beef Prices:	Alberta Apr. 19	Alberta Apr. 12	Ontario Apr. 24	Ontario Apr.17
Steers	189.00-191.75	185.75-188.50	195.00-197.00	195.00-197.00
Heifers	189.00-191.75	188.00-188.50	194.00-196.00	194.00-196.00

Lamb prices (dressed weight paid by NorthumberLamb)	May 8	May 1	April 24
Lambs per pound: New Crop (dressed weight)	3.50	3.55	3.60
Lambs per pound: Old Crop (dressed weight)	3.30	3.35	3.40
Mutton per pound (dressed weight)	1.50	1.50	1.50

Weekly Wholesale to Retail Market Prices - Halifax, compiled by AAFC			Apr. 19	Low	High
Commodity	Variety	Origin	Unit Quantity	compiled by InfoHort/AAFC	

The information in the report is believed to be accurate but is not warranted. Published data is subject to revision at any time.

Apples	Cortland	Nova Scotia	Ctn 12x3 Lbs	\$39.25	\$39.25
	Honeycrisp	Nova Scotia	T/P 113	\$88.50	\$88.50
	Mcintosh	Canada	T/P 125	\$44.25	\$44.25
		Nova Scotia	Ctn 12x3 Lbs	\$39.25	\$39.25
	Red Delicious	United States	Bag 12x3	\$39.25	\$39.25
Washington		T/P 113	\$47.00	\$47.00	
Beets	Unspecified	Nova Scotia	Ctn 25 Lbs	\$9.25	\$9.25
Cabbage	Green	Nova Scotia	Ctn 50 Lbs Lge	\$15.75	\$16.00
	Red	Nova Scotia	Ctn 35 Lbs	\$20.75	\$20.75
Carrots	Jumbo	Nova Scotia	Ctn 50 Lbs Jbo	\$20.75	\$20.75
		United States	Bag 50 Lbs Jbo	\$22.25	\$22.25
	Mini	United States	Ctn 40x12 Oz	\$33.75	\$33.75
	Unspecified	Canada	Ctn 10x5 Lbs	\$22.75	\$22.75
		Nova Scotia	Bag 24x2 Lbs	\$22.75	\$22.75
United States		Bag 10x5 Lbs	\$31.00	\$31.00	
Cucumbers	G.H. -Long English	Nova Scotia	Ctn 12 Sml	\$15.00	\$15.00
		Ontario	Ctn 12 Med	\$15.00	\$15.00
	Red	Nova Scotia	Ctn 25 Lbs	\$42.00	\$42.00
		Nova Scotia	Bag 50 Lbs	\$31.00	\$31.00
Yellow	Nova Scotia	Ctn 10x5 Lbs	\$16.75	\$21.00	
		Ctn 24x2 Lbs	\$16.75	\$21.00	
Parsnips	Unspecified	Nova Scotia	Ctn 12x1 Lbs	\$16.50	\$16.50
Potatoes	Red	Canada	Bag 50 Lbs Size B	\$14.25	\$14.25
		Nova Scotia	Ctn 10x5 Lbs	\$17.25	\$17.25
	White	Prince Edward Island	Bag 50 Lbs	\$10.00	\$10.00
			Bag 10 Lbs	\$2.00	\$2.00
Squash	Acorn	Nova Scotia	Ctn 35 Lbs	\$42.25	\$42.25
	Butternut	Nova Scotia	Ctn 35 Lbs	\$42.25	\$42.25
	Spaghetti	Nova Scotia	Ctn 35 Lbs	\$42.25	\$42.25
Turnips	Unspecified	Nova Scotia	Ctn 50 Lbs Med	\$22.75	\$23.75