

March 29, 2013 (Atlantic Stockyards Ltd. Sale date, March 28, 2013 www.atlanticstockyards.com)

ALL LIVESTOCK ON OFFER; 214 CATTLE ON OFFER; 127 SHEEP ON OFFER; 47 OTHER LIVESTOCK ON OFFER; 40

**SLAUGHTER COWS (cents per lb)**

	#	RANGE	HIGH	Ave (price/wt)	% change last week
D1	17	58.5-66	66	62/1517	
D2	20	51-58.5	58.5	55/1388	
D3	6	27-44	44	38//178	
D4					
Slaughter Bulls	1	80	80	80/2250	

**BOB CALVES (\$ per head)**

	#	RANGE	HIGH	WT'ED AVE	% change last week
GOOD	12	62-220	220	118	
AVERAGE	16	5-55	55	27	

**FEEDER CATTLE (cents per lb)**

STEERS	#	RANGE	HIGH	AVE (price/wt)	% change last week
<400	1	126	126	126/375	
400-500	6	61-64	64	64/488	hostein
500-600					
600-700					
700-800					
800-900					
900+	1	66	66	66/1210	
Feeder bulls	12	57-126	126	83/479	
Breeding bulls (\$)					
<b>HEIFERS</b>					
<400					
400-500	1	116	116	116/495	
500-600					
600-700	3	118-122	122	119/670	
700-800	2	111	111	111/778	
800-900					
900+	1	67	67	67/1000	-

**STOCK COWS (\$ per head)**

	#	RANGE	HIGH	WT'ED AVE	% change last week
DAIRY COWS	6	675-1125	1125	875	
OPEN DAIRY HEIFERS	9	160-700	700	351	
OPEN BEEF COWS	5	680-1125	1125	974	
BEEF STOCK COWS	6	825-950	950	880	
BEEF COWS/CALF AT SIDE	1+1	800	800	800	
OPEN BEEF HEIFERS					

**SHEEP (cents per lb)**

Lambs (lbs)	#	RANGE	HIGH	AVE (price/wt)	% change last week
<50					
50-64					
65-79	1	130	130	130/65	
80-94	5	116-126	126	122/94	
95-109					
>109	12	112-120	120	114/116	
RAMS (\$/HD)	1	90	90	90	
EWES (\$)	28	75-158	158	129	
EWES + LAMB (\$)					
RAM LAMBS					

**OTHER LIVESTOCK** HAY 4 lots hay (\$1.00-3.50), 2 lots straw (\$2.90-3.00), 8 RB straw (\$38-40/bale) **GOATS**  
8 Does (\$40-170), 2 Bucks (\$40-120) **HORSES** 2 Donkey's (\$280-310), 1 Mare (\$155), 1 Gelding (\$95) **PIGS** 1 Barrow  
(\$1.80/lb/190lbs), 1 Gilt (\$1.91/lb/203lbs) **OTHER** 7 pens rabbits (\$9-26), 17 pens fowl(\$2-50), 72 fence posts (\$1.25-  
1.50/post)

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

	N/A	Truro (Rail)	St. Jean/St. Hyacinthe	Quebec	Thunder Bay*
<b>Wheat</b>					
<b>Oats</b>					
<b>Barley</b>					
<b>Corn</b>					
<b>Soyabean Meal</b>					
<b>Eggs</b>	<b>Mar. 23</b>	<b>Producer Price*</b>	<b>Wholesale**/Wgt/Avg</b>	* 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		
<b>Poultry (per kg)</b>		<b>Nova Scotia</b>	<b>Nova Scotia</b>	<b>Quebec</b>	<b>Ontario</b>
<b>Chicken</b>		<b>Mar. 30</b>	<b>Mar. 23</b>	<b>Mar. 30</b>	<b>Mar. 30</b>
1.4 - 2.7 kg (live) average		1.80	1.80	1.71	1.72
<b>Turkey</b>		<b>Mar. 23</b>	<b>Mar. 16</b>	<b>Mar. 23</b>	<b>Mar. 23</b>
under 6.2 kg (live)		2.04	2.03	2.00	2.02
6.2 kg-8.5 kg (live)		2.04	2.04	1.91	1.99
8.5 kg-10.8kg (live)		2.04	2.04	1.90	1.99
<b>Pork</b>	<b>Nova Scotia Prices March 18-22, 2013 (provided by Pork Nova Scotia)</b>				<b>Carcass Value</b>
	<b>Price (kg)</b>	<b>Change</b>	<b>Price (cwt)</b>	<b>Change</b>	
<b>Hogs</b>	1.5258	-0.0191	69.21	-0.87	152.11
<b>Sows</b>	1.2969	-0.0162	58.83	-0.74	(change)
<b>Rail Grade Beef Prices:</b>		<b>Alberta Mar. 29</b>	<b>Alberta Mar. 22</b>	<b>Ontario Mar. 28</b>	<b>Ontario Mar. 20</b>
Steers		189.50-190.50	187.75-189.75	196.00-198.00	201.00
Heifers		189.50-190.50	188.50-189.75	195.00-197.00	200.00
<b>Lamb prices (dressed weight paid by NorthumberLamb)</b>			<b>Mar. 20</b>	<b>Feb. 27</b>	
Lambs per pound: New Crop (dressed weight)			3.75		
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Mutton per pound (dressed weight)			1.50	1.50	

**Weekly Wholesale to Retail Market Prices - Halifax, compiled by AAFC**

Commodity	Variety	Origin	Mar. 22 Unit Quantity	Low High compiled by InfoHort/AAFC	
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	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	United States	Bag 50 Lbs Jbo	\$22.25	\$22.25
	Mini	Nova Scotia	Ctn 40x12 Oz	\$33.75	\$33.75
	Unspecified	Canada	Ctn 10x5 Lbs	\$21.50	\$22.75
		Nova Scotia	Ctn 50 Lbs Jbo	\$20.75	\$20.75
			Bag 24x2 Lbs	\$21.50	\$22.75
Cucumbers	G.H. -Long English	Nova Scotia	Ctn 12 Sml	\$17.75	\$17.75
		Ontario	Ctn 12 Med	\$17.75	\$17.75
Onions	Red	Nova Scotia	Ctn 25 Lbs	\$31.00	\$31.00
	Spanish	Nova Scotia	Bag 50 Lbs	\$28.75	\$28.75
	Yellow	Nova Scotia	Ctn 10x5 Lbs	\$16.75	\$21.00
				Ctn 24x2 Lbs	\$16.75
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	\$17.75	\$17.75
	White	Prince Edward Island	Bag 10 Lbs	\$2.00	\$2.00
			Bag 50 Lbs	\$10.00	\$10.00
Squash	Acorn	Nova Scotia	Ctn 35 Lbs	\$31.00	\$31.00
	Butternut	Nova Scotia	Ctn 35 Lbs	\$31.00	\$31.00
	Spaghetti	Nova Scotia	Ctn 35 Lbs	\$36.50	\$36.50
Turnips	Unspecified	Nova Scotia	Ctn 50 Lbs Med	\$22.75	\$23.75

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