

44.—Yearly Average Prices per 100 lb. of Canadian Livestock at Principal Markets 1953-56

Item	Toronto				Montreal			
	1953	1954	1955	1956	1953	1954	1955	1956
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Steers, up to 1,000 lb., good.....	20.25	19.25	19.60	18.80	20.39	20.10	20.20	18.95
Steers, up to 1,000 lb., medium.....	18.74	17.87	17.56	17.35	18.60	17.67	17.61	17.20
Steers, up to 1,000 lb., common.....	15.63	14.67	13.46	14.09	14.00	14.26	14.25	13.89
Steers, over 1,000 lb., good.....	20.11	19.34	19.60	19.07	20.38	20.12	20.23	19.56
Steers, over 1,000 lb., medium.....	18.55	17.99	17.53	17.37	18.47	18.13	18.04	17.61
Steers, over 1,000 lb., common.....	16.07	15.08	13.61	14.00	14.39	15.14	14.86	14.30
Heifers, good.....	19.82	17.17	17.67	16.88	17.03	16.17	17.10	16.29
Heifers, medium.....	18.17	16.11	15.88	15.67	15.55	13.87	14.37	13.88
Calves, fed, good.....	20.86	19.77	20.13	19.89	20.94	19.81	20.04	19.26
Calves, fed, medium.....	18.95	18.42	18.15	17.84	15.72	17.05	16.99	16.23
Cows, good.....	13.12	12.01	12.60	11.90	13.63	12.12	12.90	12.40
Cows, medium.....	12.27	11.10	11.79	11.12	11.81	10.52	11.27	11.01
Bulls, good.....	13.89	13.10	13.37	13.31	14.46	13.05	13.22	13.42
Stocker and feeder steers, good.....	19.35	18.30	18.75	18.20	20.50	18.00	17.36	1
Stocker and feeder steers, common.....	16.04	15.79	16.30	16.02	17.16	16.50	1	16.00
Stocker cows and heifers, good.....	1	1	1	1	16.93	1	1	1
Stocker cows and heifers, common.....	11.56	1	1	1	12.00	1	1	1
Calves, veal, good and choice.....	24.62	23.78	23.80	24.40	23.30	21.23	20.70	21.40
Calves, veal, common and medium.....	19.33	18.10	17.83	17.88	19.13	17.28	17.18	16.97
Hogs, Grade B-1, dressed.....	30.40	30.90	25.05	26.50	30.90	31.05	25.30	25.60
Lambs, good.....	23.37	21.60	20.40	22.05	22.73	20.38	19.15	19.55
Lambs, common.....	18.63	17.35	16.93	17.50	17.12	14.94	15.71	15.63
Sheep, good.....	9.52	9.03	8.37	8.62	8.95	9.43	9.75	8.48

Item	Winnipeg				Edmonton			
	1953	1954	1955	1956	1953	1954	1955	1956
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Steers, up to 1,000 lb., good.....	18.25	17.45	18.45	17.80	18.42	17.70	17.85	17.00
Steers, up to 1,000 lb., medium.....	16.03	15.12	16.25	15.82	16.69	15.91	16.35	15.54
Steers, up to 1,000 lb., common.....	12.87	11.85	12.67	12.73	12.30	12.44	12.34	11.80
Steers, over 1,000 lb., good.....	18.02	17.35	18.45	18.02	18.14	17.45	17.84	16.85
Steers, over 1,000 lb., medium.....	15.57	15.01	15.98	16.29	16.57	15.85	16.33	15.63
Steers, over 1,000 lb., common.....	12.47	11.85	12.48	13.54	13.18	13.15	14.02	13.33
Heifers, good.....	15.81	14.21	15.82	15.64	16.62	15.02	15.42	14.91
Heifers, medium.....	13.51	11.87	13.55	13.47	14.76	13.45	13.76	12.86
Calves, fed, good.....	18.78	17.52	18.18	17.87	17.99	16.83	17.34	16.58
Calves, fed, medium.....	16.18	15.29	16.21	16.48	16.84	15.60	16.25	15.22
Cows, good.....	11.48	10.64	11.85	10.95	11.26	10.27	11.05	10.05
Cows, medium.....	9.86	9.25	10.02	9.69	9.45	9.11	9.85	9.15
Bulls, good.....	12.30	11.33	11.73	11.01	11.77	11.23	11.40	10.67
Stocker and feeder steers, good.....	15.01	15.15	16.05	16.20	15.54	14.95	15.53	15.10
Stocker and feeder steers, common.....	11.05	10.50	12.39	12.81	11.92	11.70	12.33	12.51
Stocker cows and heifers, good.....	12.47	11.60	12.23	11.54	12.50	10.85	11.19	10.86
Stocker cows and heifers, common.....	9.17	8.06	9.18	9.35	9.09	7.88	8.43	8.13
Calves, veal, good and choice.....	22.68	21.85	23.30	23.20	22.86	19.90	20.75	18.90
Calves, veal, common and medium.....	15.73	14.65	16.47	16.02	14.87	13.23	13.52	13.31
Hogs, Grade B-1, dressed.....	27.40	27.85	22.05	23.40	28.78	28.05	22.20	23.40
Lambs, good.....	19.85	18.45	17.60	18.25	20.19	18.95	17.70	18.25
Lambs, common.....	15.27	13.75	14.17	13.74	17.13	15.67	16.00	15.81
Sheep, good.....	5.32	4.63	4.56	4.65	9.41	9.43	8.23	8.07

¹ No sales reported.

Subsection 10.—Food Consumption

Consumption of Major Foods.—A study of consumption of the major foods was undertaken during World War II by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics in recognition of the national and international significance of such information. Though data on total consumption of certain commodities such as wheat, alcoholic beverages, meats, etc., have been available for a considerable period, it was found necessary to establish a per capita level of consumption of a wide range of products on a comparable basis.