

43.—Yearly Average Prices per 100 lb. of Canadian Livestock at Principal Markets, 1963-66

Item	Toronto				Montreal			
	1963	1964	1965	1966	1963	1964	1965	1966
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Steers, good.....	23.65	22.70	24.00	25.85	24.10	22.40	23.85	25.45
Steers, medium.....	21.59	20.60	21.90	24.30	22.42	20.55	22.20	24.25
Steers, common.....	17.84	17.08	17.28	21.00	18.94	17.17	18.06	20.95
Heifers, good.....	22.32	20.53	21.05	24.45	20.40	20.25	20.85	22.90
Heifers, medium.....	20.26	18.61	18.96	22.40	18.79	18.50	18.57	21.10
Cows, good.....	17.40	16.00	15.50	19.80	18.05	16.60	15.80	19.90
Cows, medium.....	15.98	14.46	14.25	18.20	16.05	14.62	13.45	17.35
Bulls, good.....	19.45	18.29	16.50	20.05	20.05	18.71	15.92	20.65
Feeder steers, good.....	25.30	22.80	22.70	27.70	1	1	1	1
Feeder steers, common.....	20.98	18.44	18.63	23.20	1	1	1	26.50
Calves, veal, good and choice.....	30.70	29.85	30.50	34.95	28.05	27.75	28.80	35.40
Calves, veal, common and medium.....	23.93	22.46	19.89	24.10	22.44	20.82	21.17	26.10
Hogs, Grade B, dressed.....	26.80	26.30	32.40	34.90	26.40	25.80	30.75	33.50
Lambs, good.....	23.30	24.30	26.70	26.50	21.25	23.10	29.70	23.95
Lambs, common.....	19.11	20.29	21.64	23.25	18.45	17.05	18.41	21.90
Sheep, good.....	9.10	8.80	8.32	10.60	9.50	8.87	11.10	12.50

Item	Winnipeg				Edmonton			
	1963	1964	1965	1966	1963	1964	1965	1966
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Steers, good.....	23.00	21.85	23.25	25.15	21.85	20.70	22.15	24.05
Steers, medium.....	21.40	19.92	21.05	23.15	20.48	19.14	20.28	22.65
Steers, common.....	18.81	17.52	17.75	19.40	18.32	16.76	16.68	20.50
Heifers, good.....	21.64	19.74	20.55	23.40	20.21	18.43	19.52	22.10
Heifers, medium.....	19.49	17.65	18.10	21.30	18.84	16.87	19.03	20.75
Cows, good.....	17.10	15.40	14.80	18.85	15.85	14.25	13.30	17.15
Cows, medium.....	15.92	14.33	13.67	17.70	14.51	13.02	11.99	15.95
Bulls, good.....	17.70	16.65	16.13	20.20	16.50	15.15	14.60	18.70
Feeder steers, good.....	23.20	20.85	22.05	25.55	22.65	20.40	21.40	24.70
Feeder steers, common.....	19.90	17.20	19.19	21.80	19.47	16.66	17.49	21.80
Feeder cows and heifers, good.....	19.63	16.52	18.08	21.35	18.54	16.40	15.74	19.80
Feeder cows and heifers, common.....	16.13	13.86	15.29	18.00	14.66	13.41	12.77	17.75
Calves, veal, good and choice.....	32.45	30.70	29.80	34.35	26.90	23.95	22.55	28.20
Calves, veal, common and medium.....	25.36	23.06	23.00	26.65	21.30	18.35	16.46	21.95
Hogs, Grade B, dressed.....	24.80	23.55	30.65	33.45	25.40	22.85	31.00	32.10
Lambs, good.....	18.95	19.80	21.30	21.85	17.80	18.10	20.70	22.00
Lambs, common.....	16.65	17.61	18.51	19.50	15.88	16.68	19.08	19.30
Sheep, good.....	4.65	4.64	4.55	5.00	5.70	5.80	7.04	5.90

¹ No sales reported.

Subsection 8.—Food Consumption

Food consumption figures represent available supplies, including production and imports, adjusted for change of stocks, exports, marketing losses and industrial uses. All calculations are made at the retail stage of distribution, except for meats for which the figures are worked out at the wholesale stage. The amount of food actually eaten would be somewhat lower than indicated because of losses and waste occurring after the products reach the hands of the consumer. It should also be pointed out that there are minor inaccuracies in certain of the figures since statistics of storage stocks in the hands of retailers and consumers are not available.

All basic foods are classified under 12 main commodity groups. The total for each group is computed using a common denominator for the group, for example: milk solids (dry weight) in the dairy products group; fat content for fats and oils; and fresh equivalent for fruits. All foods are included in their basic form, that is, as flour, fat, sugar, etc., rather than in more highly manufactured forms.

The series in Table 44 represents the official estimates of yearly supplies of food moving into consumption, expressed in pounds per capita, for the years 1960-64 as an average for comparison with the years 1964 and 1965.