

Weekly Regional HOG PRICE Report

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Weekly Hog Prices

Cash hogs declined during much of the week, with national cash recorded some mid-week offset rises while regional cash went unreported twice this past week. CME cash declined daily, however recorded more modest moves compared to cash hogs. Wholesale pork primal values were mixed to generally lower, weighing US pork cutout \$2.76/cwt under the previous week's average.

USD	Weekly Averages					
Cash Price	Head	23-Aug	Head	16-Aug	w/w	% Chg
ISM pm		\$82.19		\$83.84	-\$1.64	-2.0%
WCB pm		\$82.20		\$83.92	-\$1.72	-2.0%
Nat pm		\$82.43		\$83.68	-\$1.25	-1.5%
CME Index*		\$89.18		\$90.35	-\$1.17	-1.3%
Sows, 300-449lbs	11,213	\$69.24	12,272	\$66.37	\$2.87	4.3%
Sows, 500+ lbs	8,478	\$76.99	9,922	\$72.14	\$4.85	6.7%
BoC Exch		1.3600		1.3719	-0.0119	-0.9%

^{*} Represents Friday-Thursday average

Cash hogs declined generally \$4-\$6 per hog on the week, with exception to BP4/TC4 which fell shy of \$8/hog. OlyW 20 hogs declined \$5.75/hog, while hogs out of Ontario fell \$5.65/hog. ML Sig 4 and hogs out of Quebec were each down shy of \$5/hog, while the Hylife declined \$4.30/hog and the OlyW 21 was down \$4.20/hog. In the US, Tyson hogs improved \$0.55/hog while JM hogs fell \$3.55/hog lower than the previous week.

Regional Pricing, \$/hog								
		Difference	2024	Difference	Last	Difference	Ending	Difference
Packer/Region	3 Year	to OlyW21	YTD AVG	to OlyW21	13 weeks	to OlyW21	23-Aug-24	to OlyW21
IPM (MMS 5.0)	\$240.13		\$233.55		\$239.22		\$229.60	
OlyW 2021 (R2)**	\$234.92		\$233.82		\$248.53		\$247.11	
OlyW 2020*	\$245.96	\$11.03	\$241.71	\$7.89	\$261.17	\$12.65	\$258.99	\$11.88
ML Sig 4	\$236.20	\$1.27	\$233.05	-\$0.77	\$248.99	\$0.47	\$243.68	-\$3.43
BP4/TCP4	\$232.74	-\$2.19	\$227.74	-\$6.08	\$245.92	-\$2.61	\$244.93	-\$2.18
Hylife	\$235.88	\$0.96	\$231.57	-\$2.25	\$244.18	-\$4.35	\$237.37	-\$9.74
Ontario***	\$239.61	\$4.68	\$236.41	\$2.59	\$254.41	\$5.88	\$247.89	\$0.78
Québec (overall)	\$227.46	-\$7.47	\$227.54	-\$6.28	\$240.47	-\$8.05	\$235.99	-\$11.12
Tyson (USD)	\$188.05	-\$46.87	\$175.04	-\$58.78	\$191.81	-\$56.71	\$187.58	-\$59.53
John Morrell (USD)	\$181.14	-\$53.79	\$167.87	-\$65.94	\$183.57	-\$64.96	\$174.48	-\$72.63

^{* 3} Year average uses actual OlyW'20 only for respective weeks. Starting Jan 2020 prices includes \$0.06 per kg proximity bonus

Note: OlyW and BP4/TCP4 are nearly a full 1 week lag to Sig 4, Hylife, Ontario & Quebec

Note: BP4 covers the freight of shipment in addition to the price reported.

^{** 13} week average and the latest week uses the OlyW'21 including the floor price

^{***} Ontario pricing does not include any pork or cutout based formulas for market hogs

Weekly Hog Margins

Monitored Canadian hog margins weakened on lower hog values, while a modest reduction in feed costs was lightly supportive. Canadian farrow-to-finish feed costs declined \$0.50/hog while those out of the monitored US region edged \$0.20/hog higher from the previous week.

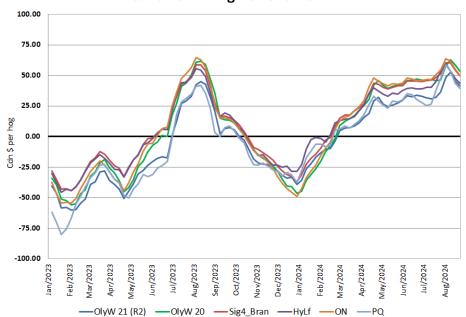
OlyW 20 hog margins weakened \$5.30 to \$53.40/hog profits, followed by those out of Ontario which were down \$5.20 to \$50.10/hog profits. ML Sig 4 margins declined \$4.45 on the week, with Brandon margins down to \$49.80/hog profits and Lethbridge margins at \$45.60/hog profits. Hylife margins fell \$3.85 to \$43.50/hog profits while OlyW 21 margins were down \$3.75 to \$41.55/hog profits and Quebec hog margins weakened \$4.40 to \$39.15/hog profits. In the US, Tyson hog margins improved \$0.30 to \$50/hog profits while JM margins weakened \$3.80 to \$38.65/hog profits.

Regional MARGINS, \$/hog							
	23-Aug-24	Farrow t	Farrow to Finish		Weekly		
Packer/Region	Hog Price	Feed*	Fixed COP	СОР	Margin		
OlyW 20/Alberta	\$258.99	\$134.37	\$71.20	\$205.57	\$53.42		
OlyW 21 (R2)/Alberta	\$247.11	\$134.37	\$71.20	\$205.57	\$41.54		
ML Sig 4/Manitoba	\$243.68	\$123.17	\$70.70	\$193.87	\$49.81		
Hylife/Manitoba	\$237.37	\$123.17	\$70.70	\$193.87	\$43.50		
Ontario	\$247.89	\$124.10	\$73.68	\$197.78	\$50.11		
Québec (overall)	\$235.99	\$126.67	\$70.15	\$196.82	\$39.17		
Tyson (USD)/Iowa	\$187.58	\$83.39	\$54.17	\$137.56	\$50.02		
John Morrell (USD)/ND	\$174.48	\$81.66	\$54.17	\$135.83	\$38.65		

^{*} Feed cost variables- 285 lb hog, 1.57 F:G nursery, 2.89 F:G feeder-finish, \$20 GMD

^{*} Feed & Fixed COP expenses updated January 2024 onward





Monthly Hog & Feeder Pig Margins

Farrow-to-Finish	Lean Hog Marketing			Corn	Soymeal	Wheat	Barley				
Market & Range	USD Contract(s)	\$/ckg	\$/hog	Price /MT	Price /MT	Price /MT	Price /MT	Feed COP	Fixed COP	Total	Margin
September 2024	Aug/Oct, \$80.40	\$208.14	\$242.88	\$276.29	\$618.59	\$264.31	\$244.72	\$135.27	\$76.20	\$211.47	\$32.32
OlyW 20		\$203.98	\$247.14								\$36.58
OlyW 21 R2		\$218.39	\$238.83								\$28.27
ML Lethbridge		\$202.05	\$242.68								\$32.12
October 2024	Oct/Dec, \$79.14	\$201.62	\$235.62	\$273.78	\$602.93	\$258.86	\$242.08	\$133.67	\$76.20	\$209.87	\$26.66
OlyW 20		\$195.64	\$237.55								\$28.59
OlyW 21 R2		\$212.51	\$232.74								\$23.78
ML Lethbridge		\$196.71	\$236.57								\$27.61
November 2024	Oct/Dec, \$71.40	\$189.18	\$221.84	\$272.00	\$581.87	\$254.09	\$240.21	\$132.00	\$76.20	\$208.20	\$14.54
OlyW 20		\$183.39	\$223.48								\$16.19
OlyW 21 R2		\$199.57	\$219.35								\$12.05
ML Lethbridge		\$184.57	\$222.68								\$15.38
December 2024	Dec/Feb, \$71.25	\$183.70	\$215.68	\$272.18	\$565.67	\$252.86	\$240.40	\$131.19	\$76.20	\$207.39	\$9.20
OlyW 20		\$174.64	\$213.43								\$6.95
OlyW 21 R2		\$196.43	\$216.09								\$9.61
ML Lethbridge		\$180.04	\$217.51								\$11.03
January 2025	Dec/Feb, \$73.48	\$179.74	\$211.18	\$274.38	\$558.67	\$256.82	\$242.71	\$131.59	\$76.20	\$207.79	\$4.29
OlyW 20		\$168.98	\$206.92								\$0.04
OlyW 21 R2		\$195.21	\$214.83								\$7.95
ML Lethbridge		\$175.03	\$211.77								\$4.89
February 2025	Feb/Apr, \$74.45	\$176.22	\$207.29	\$277.89	\$556.39	\$272.86	\$246.40	\$133.63	\$76.20	\$209.83	-\$1.64
OlyW 20		\$168.61	\$206.49								-\$2.44
OlyW 21 R2		\$191.44	\$210.93								\$2.00
ML Lethbridge		\$168.62	\$204.44								-\$4.49

\$/ckg values converted to \$/hog utilizing the following variables: 103.5 kg dressed, Oly20@111.0/Oly21@100.00/ML@110.5 indices, Oly premiums \$12.75 per hog & ML premiums \$11.56 per hog Fixed COP includes: variable costs of \$41.45, fixed costs of \$23.42 & labour of \$11.33 for a total of \$76.20 in Non-Feed COP per hog, which does not include Depreciation or Interest Feed COP represents a 6-month feeding period, calculated weekly.

Margin includes cull sow revenue.

Feed	Price per MT	Consumption	Cost	
Sow Lactation Ration	\$ 404.90 /MT	6.18 kg/day	\$ 4.88 /hog	
Sow Gestation Ration	\$ 347.55 /MT	2.76 kg/day	\$ 9.89 /hog	
Boar Ration	\$ 350.00 /MT	0.00 kg/day	\$ 0.00 /hog	
Creep Feed	\$ 1250.00 /MT	0.00 kg/day	\$ 0.00 /hog	
N1	\$ 853.27 /MT	1.20 kg/hog	\$ 1.02 /hog	
N2	\$ 558.54 /MT	5.00 kg/hog	\$ 2.79 /hog	
N3	\$ 422.26 /MT	22.49 kg/hog	\$ 9.50 /hog	
F1	\$ 383.59 /MT	78.43 kg/hog	\$ 30.08 /hog	
F2	\$ 354.71 /MT	97.86 kg/hog	\$ 34.71 /hog	
F3	\$ 341.95 /MT	120.74 kg/hog	\$ 41.29 /hog	

Isowean & Feeder Pig Pricing & Margins							
Isowean Pricing & Margins (CDN\$)	23/Aug/24	13-Week Avg	3-Year Avg				
Com Pro MMS 2.0	44.92	42.46	57.29				
USDA Cash	40.15	43.23	56.67				
USDA Formula	53.87	53.25	59.52				
52% CME Futures	50.58	51.80	60.47				
Com Pro MMS 2.0 ISO Margins	0.29	-3.38	8.01				
Feeder Pricing & Margins (CDN\$)	23/Aug/24	13-Week Avg	3-Year Avg				
Com Pro MMS 2.0	75.06	75.49	87.01				
USDA Cash	69.18	69.85	89.34				
84% CME Futures	82.82	81.21	97.97				
Com Pro MMS 2.0 Feeder Margins	5.38	4.10	12.96				

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