

Daily Market Summary

Thursday, March 31, 2016

Current

Previous

Change

Last Year

Change

Cash Markets

			Current	Previous	Change	Last Year	Change
Texas Direct Feeder Steers	650-850 lbs	\$/cwt	157.01	157.88	-0.87	234.03	-77.02
Feeder Steers	OKC 500-600 lbs	\$/cwt	192.57	195.33	-2.76	277.94	-85.37
Feeder Steers	OKC 700-800 lbs	\$/cwt	158.45	161.07	-2.62	233.81	-75.36
Slaughter Cows	OKC	\$/cwt	78.21	78.21	0.00	112.50	-34.29
Fed Cattle, Cash	TX-OK-NM (live weight)	\$/cwt	132.97	134.00	-1.03	170.00	-37.03
Fed Cattle, Formula Net	TX-OK-NM (dressed wt)	\$/cwt	217.22	220.76	-3.54	256.42	-39.20
Beef, Choice Grade cut-out		\$/cwt	220.99	221.87	-0.88	249.20	-28.21
Beef, Select Grade cut-out		\$/cwt	210.48	212.68	-2.20	235.99	-25.51
Slaughter Hogs	National avg direct purch	\$/cwt	48.12	47.99	0.13	69.22	-21.10
Slaughter Lambs	San Angelo 40-80 lbs	\$/cwt	204.00	191.00	13.00	222.50	-18.50
Slaughter Goats	San Angelo 40-80 lbs	\$/cwt	287.00	272.00	15.00	245.00	42.00
Eggs	South Central region	\$/dozen	1.03	1.05	-0.02	1.31	-0.28
Broilers	Central States avg	cents/lb	78.66	73.24	5.42	97.88	-19.22
Milk	Monthly average	\$/cwt	17.80	17.10	0.70	25.00	-7.20
Cotton	West Texas	cents/lb	54.62	54.62	0.00	64.00	-9.38
Grain Sorghum	TX High Plains, Triangle	\$/cwt	5.02	5.30	-0.28	6.39	-1.37
Wheat	TX High Plains, Triangle	\$/bu	4.01	3.90	0.11	5.72	-1.71
Corn	TX High Plains, Triangle	\$/bu	3.56	3.69	-0.13	4.16	-0.60
Hay, small bales	East TX Coastal bermuda	\$/bale	8.00	8.00	0.00	6.50	1.50
Hay, large round bales	East TX Coastal bermuda	\$/roll	40.00	62.50	-22.50	55.00	-15.00
Onions		\$/40 lb	28.00	n/a		n/a	
Watermelons		\$/lb	0.18	0.36	-0.18	0.16	0.02
Cabbage		\$/50 lbs.	n/a	n/a		n/a	
Saw Logs, Pine (Jul-Aug)	TX Forest Service	\$/1000 bd ft	237.02	231.61	5.41	223.01	14.01
Pulpwood, Pine (Jul-Aug)	TX Forest Service	\$/ton	8.18	8.94	-0.76	8.71	-0.53

Futures Markets

Live (Fed) Cattle	Apr	\$/cwt	132.92	132.35	0.57	169.55	-36.63
Feeder Cattle	Jan	\$/cwt	157.07	152.57	4.50	238.22	-81.15
Lean (Slaughter) Hogs	Apr	\$/cwt	68.35	68.92	-0.57	89.05	-20.70
Milk	Apr	\$/cwt	13.78	13.76	0.02	23.90	-10.12
Cotton	May	cents/lb	58.44	57.67	0.77	63.67	-5.23
Wheat, KC Hard Red Winter	May	\$/bu	4.76	4.66	0.10	5.95	-1.19
Corn	May	\$/bu	3.52	3.67	-0.15	3.63	-0.11
Rough Rice	May	\$/cwt	9.69	10.03	-0.34	12.24	-2.55
Soybeans	May	\$/bu	9.11	9.09	0.02	10.06	-0.95
Soybean Meal	May	\$/ton	270.30	271.90	-1.60	376.80	-106.50
Lumber, random length	May	\$/1000 bd ft	210.70	312.30	-101.60	334.10	-123.40
S&P GSCI Commodity Index		Number	323.42	323.30	0.12	537.29	-213.87

Stock Markets

Dow-Jones Average		Number	17,685	17,716	-31	16,818	867
S&P 500		Number	2,059	2,063	-4	1,962	97
NASDAQ		Number	4,869	4,869	0	4,486	383
D-J Total Market		Number	21,179	21,201	-22	20,384	795

Interest Rates (weekly, Wall Street Journal online)

Fed Funds Rate		Percent	0.340	0.360	-0.020	0.090	0.250
LIBOR, 3-Month		Percent	0.621	0.618	0.003	0.234	0.387
Prime Rate		Percent	3.500	3.500	0.000	3.250	0.250
30 Year Mortgage		Percent	3.650	3.750	-0.100	4.020	-0.370
U.S. Treasury Bill 3 Month	Yield	Percent	0.310	0.313	-0.003	0.013	0.297
U.S. Treasury Note 10 Year	Yield	Percent	1.732	2.055	-0.323	2.266	-0.534

Exchange Rates (weekly, Wall Street Journal online)

Mexican Pesos		Pesos	17.598	18.810	-1.212	13.556	4.042
Euros		Euros	1.118	1.129	-0.011	0.789	0.329
Japanese Yen		Yen	112.370	115.080	-2.710	108.120	4.250
Dollar Index		Number	87.770	89.280	-1.510	85.699	2.071

Energy

Crude Oil Futures WTI	May	\$/ barrel	38.34	38.32	0.020	81.00	-42.660
Natural Gas Futures	May	\$/ mmbTU	1.959	1.996	-0.037	3.561	-1.602
Ethanol Futures	Apr	\$/ gallon	1.436	1.445	-0.009	1.760	-0.324
Gasoline, TX	USDOE, weekly avg	\$/ gallon	1.968	1.910	0.058	2.919	-0.951
Gasoline, U.S.	USDOE, weekly avg	\$/ gallon	2.169	2.109	0.060	3.139	-0.970
Diesel, Highway, Gulf region	USDOE, weekly avg	\$/ gallon	2.001	1.991	0.010	3.563	-1.562
Diesel, Highway, U.S.	USDOE, weekly avg	\$/ gallon	2.121	2.119	0.002	3.653	-1.532