

## Daily Market Summary

Thursday, April 23, 2015

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## Cash Markets

Texas Direct Feeder Steers	650-850 lbs	\$/cwt	208.70	211.58	-2.88	172.48	36.22
Feeder Steers	OKC 500-600 lbs	\$/cwt	270.55	278.59	-8.04	217.32	53.23
Feeder Steers	OKC 700-800 lbs	\$/cwt	214.20	218.37	-4.17	181.64	32.56
Slaughter Cows	OKC	\$/cwt	117.90	118.35	-0.45	103.00	14.90
Fed Cattle, Cash	TX-OK-NM (live weight)	\$/cwt	158.00	n/a		145.82	12.18
Fed Cattle, Formula Net	TX-OK-NM (dressed wt)	\$/cwt	256.85	256.71	0.14	n/a	
Beef, Choice Grade cut-out		\$/cwt	260.06	259.82	0.24	232.83	27.23
Beef, Select Grade cut-out		\$/cwt	249.52	249.55	-0.03	221.64	27.88
Slaughter Hogs	National avg direct purch	\$/cwt	48.29	47.96	0.33	85.82	-37.53
Slaughter Lambs	San Angelo 40-80 lbs	\$/cwt	210.00	211.00	-1.00	169.00	41.00
Slaughter Goats	San Angelo 40-80 lbs	\$/cwt	298.00	298.00	0.00	220.00	78.00
Eggs	South Central region	\$/dozen	1.17	1.34	-0.17	1.36	-0.19
Broilers	Central States avg	cents/lb	101.49	98.95	2.54	104.95	-3.46
Milk	Monthly average	\$/cwt	17.60	18.20	-0.60	26.70	-9.10
Cotton	West Texas	cents/lb	60.63	60.63	0.00	84.25	-23.62
Grain Sorghum	TX High Plains, Triangle	\$/cwt	6.93	6.94	-0.01	8.98	-2.05
Wheat	TX High Plains, Triangle	\$/bu	4.75	4.77	-0.02	7.67	-2.92
Corn	TX High Plains, Triangle	\$/bu	3.96	3.96	0.00	5.60	-1.64
Hay, small bales	East TX Coastal bermuda	\$/bale	7.50	7.50	0.00	6.50	1.00
Hay, large round bales	East TX Coastal bermuda	\$/roll	65.00	65.00	0.00	65.00	0.00
Oranges		\$/carton	n/a	14.97		n/a	
Grapefruit		\$/carton	14.04	n/a		12.65	
Cabbage		\$/50 lbs.	8.13	9.00	-0.87	8.00	0.13
Saw Logs, Pine (Sept-Oct)	TX Forest Service	\$/1000 bd ft	228.53	244.78	-16.25	192.67	35.86
Pulpwood, Pine (Sept-Oct)	TX Forest Service	\$/ton	8.79	8.77	0.02	7.76	1.03

## Futures Markets

Live (Fed) Cattle	Apr	\$/cwt	156.30	156.30	0.00	145.00	11.30
Feeder Cattle	Apr	\$/cwt	212.55	212.65	-0.10	180.00	32.55
Lean (Slaughter) Hogs	May	\$/cwt	70.70	71.60	-0.90	120.92	-50.22
Milk	Apr	\$/cwt	15.83	15.84	-0.01	24.29	-8.46
Cotton	May	cents/lb	62.49	62.63	-0.14	n/a	
Wheat, KC Hard Red Winter	May	\$/bu	5.12	5.14	-0.02	7.76	-2.64
Corn	May	\$/bu	3.73	3.73	0.00	5.07	-1.34
Rough Rice	May	\$/cwt	10.16	9.98	0.18	15.42	-5.26
Soybeans	May	\$/bu	9.71	9.75	-0.04	14.98	-5.27
Soybean Meal	May	\$/ton	315.50	315.80	-0.30	490.60	-175.10
Lumber, random length	May	\$/1000 bd ft	252.90	242.90	10.00	335.50	-82.60
S&P GSCI Commodity Index		Number	426.56	426.16	0.40	n/a	

## Stock Markets

Dow-Jones Average		Number	18,038	17,949	89	16,361	1,677
S&P 500		Number	2,107	2,097	10	1,863	244
NASDAQ		Number	5,035	5,014	21	4,076	959
D-J Total Market		Number	22,093	21,994	99	19,510	2,583

## Interest Rates (weekly, Wall Street Journal online)

Fed Funds Rate		Percent	0.120	0.120	0.000	0.090	0.030
LIBOR, 3-Month		Percent	0.274	0.276	-0.002	0.228	0.046
Prime Rate		Percent	3.250	3.250	0.000	3.250	0.000
30 Year Mortgage		Percent	3.780	3.780	0.000	4.240	-0.460
U.S. Treasury Bill 3 Month	Yield	Percent	0.020	0.030	-0.010	0.018	0.002
U.S. Treasury Note 10 Year	Yield	Percent	1.870	1.950	-0.080	2.667	-0.797

## Exchange Rates (weekly, Wall Street Journal online)

Mexican Pesos		Pesos	15.335	15.227	0.108	13.132	2.203
Euros		Euros	1.081	0.943	0.138	0.723	0.358
Japanese Yen		Yen	118.920	120.200	-1.280	102.190	16.730
Dollar Index		Number	97.520	99.338	-1.818	79.762	17.758

## Energy

Crude Oil Futures WTI	May	\$/ barrel	56.16	55.26	0.900	100.60	-44.440
Natural Gas Futures	May	\$/ mmBTU	2.606	2.575	0.031	4.647	-2.041
Ethanol Futures	May	\$/ gallon	1.624	1.638	-0.014	2.255	-0.631
Gasoline, TX	USDOE, weekly avg	\$/ gallon	2.340	2.287	0.053	3.573	-1.233
Gasoline, U.S.	USDOE, weekly avg	\$/ gallon	2.570	2.494	0.076	3.758	-1.188
Diesel, Highway, Gulf region	USDOE, weekly avg	\$/ gallon	2.659	2.620	0.039	3.820	-1.161
Diesel, Highway, U.S.	USDOE, weekly avg	\$/ gallon	2.780	2.754	0.026	3.971	-1.191