

# Bridge World Markets News

## FILE DESCRIPTION

**Bridge World Markets News** provides comprehensive, up-to the minute news from the world financial and commodity markets. The file includes continuous updates from: Bridge Capital Markets News, Bridge Commodities Markets News, and Bridge Emerging Markets News.

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## SUBJECT COVERAGE

### Bridge Capital Markets News

- Credit and Derivatives
- Banking and Their Financial Institutions
- Economic Indicators and Policy
- Federal Reserve Activity, Policies
- Money Supply
- Foreign Exchange
- Mortgaged-Backed And Asset-Backed Securities

### Bridge Commodity Markets News

- Agriculture Futures Regulation, Exchange and Trade
- Energy - Global Oil, Gas, and Electricity Markets
- Grains - Includes Wheat, Feed Grains, Oilseeds, and Rice
- Livestock - World Beef, Hogs, and Poultry Markets
- Base Metals - Aluminum, Copper, and others
- Precious Metals - Gold, Silver, Platinum, and Palladium
- Industrials - Lumber and Other Industrials Markets
- Textiles - Cotton, Wool, and others
- Softs - Includes Coffee, Cocoa, and Sugar
- Global Weather Service-Crop Area Analysis, and Forecasts

### Bridge Emerging Markets News

- Coverage from the world s emerging markets with a similar focus as the Bridge Capital Markets News

## TIPS

### USE FILE 609

to track prices and developments worldwide for commodity and financial markets.

### USE FILE 809

to locate financial and commodity market news covering the period of 1989 through December 1999.

### USE FILE 809 and SF=TABLE

to find tabular records. Use SF=NEWS to find textual news stories.

### USE SECTION HEADINGS (SH=, /SH)

(Only in File 809) to view a list of subjects covered  
EXPAND SH=A

to see the complete list or, start with a specific term. For example:

EXPAND SH=FOREIGN EXCHANGE

### FOR TODAY'S NEWS

enter today's date:

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## DIALOG FILE DATA

Inclusive Dates:

March 2000 to October 01, 2001 (File 609)

January 1989 through December 1999 (File 809)

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SAMPLE RECORD FROM FILE 609

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00000441 BDTKQTR (THIS IS THE FULLTEXT)
CME PORK ALERT: Hogs end mixed; bellies reject 3rd straight highs (B)
BRIDGENEWS GLOBAL MARKETS
Thursday, March 2, 2000 19:44 GMT
JOURNAL CODE: MAR LANGUAGE: ENGLISH RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT
DOCUMENT TYPE: NEWSWIRE
WORD COUNT: 681

/LP, TX

TEXT:
Bridge News--Chicago, Thursday, Mar 2

Central Time

REVIEW:

Lean hog futures ended mixed after pulling below highs hit earlier in the day. Apr through Jly hit 2 1/2-week tops, and Apr and Jun ended higher on the day on cash-connected buying while Jly dipped to a modest loss.

The nearbys ended higher despite larger-than-expected slaughter. Analysts expect this week's slaughter to total about 1.935 million head, which would be the largest since the middle of January.

/TX

Early cash-connected purchases in Apr and Jun touched off technical buying as these months broke through chart resistance points. The Goldman roll began early in lean hogs, pressuring Apr while strengthening Jun.

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Lean hogs held early gains after gapping to 2 1/2-week highs on the open. Jun lead the stronger months as spreaders prepared for next week's rolling of long positions out of Apr and into that month. Cargill was an Apr buyer and

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The 20-day line made a bearish cross through the 40-day line Wednesday. (Story .3109)

Table with 4 columns: Apr hogs, Jun hogs, Mar frozen bellies, and various market metrics like second resistance, first resistance, etc.

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For Bridge and Telerate users, please double click for the following chart:

Media://Analytics:Lead-Month-Hogs:/cmd=US@LH.1/CH/MA/HZ2/NVO
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SAMPLE RECORD FROM FILE 809

DIALOG(R)File 809:Bridge World Markets News  
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**NO=** 4026702 4871  
**/TI** FORD (F) JOINS CHRYSLER, TOYOTA IN REPORTING HIGHER OCT SALES

**PD=,PY=,TM=** DATE: November 05, 1996 15:45 E.T. WORD COUNT: 391

Bridge News

**/LP, TX** Detroit--Nov 5--Ford Motor Co. (NYSE:F) reported a 2.5% gain in light vehicle sales for October. Its performance mirrored a continued industrywide shift from cars to light trucks.

**/TX** Sales of new Ford cars were down 2.9%, to 140,806 units. Sales of new Ford trucks, however, jumped 8.3%, to 191,399 units.

In announcing a sales gain in October, Ford joined Chrysler (NYSE:C), which last week announced a 18.6% sales rise. Toyota's (NASDAQ:TOYOY) sales were up 15.7% in October. Honda's (NYSE:HMC) sales were up 8.8%.

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Still, Swonk asked, "Why do you offer incentives? You offer incentives because you see some weakening in the market." End

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**SR=** ROUTE NUMBER: E871  
**/CO,CO=** COMPANY: FORD MOTOR CO; CHRYSLER CORP; HONDA MOTOR CO LTD; GENERAL MOTORS CORP

**TS=** TICKER SYMBOL: F; C; HMC; GM; TOYOY  
**EX=** STOCK EXCHANGE: NYS; NDQ

SEARCH OPTIONS

BASIC INDEX

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/CO	CO	Company Name <sup>1,2</sup>	Word	S PACKERS(W)TRADING/CO
/DE	DE	Descriptor <sup>2,3,4</sup>	Word	S CONTRACTS(1W)ORDER?/DE
/GN	GN	Geographic Name <sup>1,2,4</sup>	Word	S NORTH(W)AMERICA/GN
/LP	LP	Lead Paragraph <sup>4</sup>	Word	S HOG(2W)FUTURE?/LP
/PN	PN	Industry Name <sup>1,2,4</sup>	Word	S LIVESTOCK?/PN
/TI	TI	Title	Word	S PORK(2W)ALERT/TI
/TX	TX	Text	Word	S HOG(2N)FUTURE?/TX

<sup>1</sup> Searchable in the Basic Index and in the Additional Indexes.

<sup>4</sup> Available only in File 609.

<sup>2</sup> Contains INFOSORT terms (see HELP INFOSORT).

<sup>3</sup> Also /DF.

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EN= GN=	EN GN	Event Name <sup>2,4,7</sup> Geographic Name <sup>1,2,4</sup>	Phrase	S EN=CONTRACTS 'AND' ORDERS S GN=NORTH AMERICA
JC= JN=	JC JN	Journal Code Journal Name	Phrase	S JC=MAR S JN=BRIDGENEWS GLOBAL?
LA= MO=	LA MO	Language <sup>4</sup> Publication Month <sup>4</sup>	Phrase	S LA=ENGLISH S MO=MARCH
NO= NO=	NO NO	Story Code <sup>5,8</sup> Story Number <sup>6</sup>	Phrase	S NO=BDTKQTR S NO=2371
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PY= RT=	PY RT	Publication Year Record Type <sup>4</sup>	Phrase	S PY=2000 S RT=FULLTEXT
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— TS=	TM TS	Time Ticker Symbol <sup>6</sup>	Phrase	S TS=GM
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<sup>5</sup> Available only in File 609. Also searchable as NO= in File 609.

<sup>8</sup> Also searchable as AA= in File 609.

<sup>6</sup> Available only in File 809.

<sup>7</sup> Also searchable as /DE.

## SPECIAL FEATURES

For command descriptions, enter HELP LIMIT, HELP SORT, HELP RANK, HELP CURRENT online.

<b>LIMIT</b>	/LONG -- Word Count of 1,000 words or more <sup>4</sup> /SHORT -- Word Count of less than 1,000 words <sup>4</sup> /YYYY -- Publication Year	S S3/LONG S S3/SHORT S S2/2000
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5	--	Bibliographic Citation, Indexing, Lead Paragraph, and Word Count <sup>4</sup>
6	Short	Title, Publication Date, and Word Count
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9	Full	Full Record
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<b>USER DEFINED FORMATS</b>	User-defined formats may be specified using the display codes indicated in the Search Options tables.	TYPE S3/TI,PD/1-5
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