

November 25, 2024

Commodity Market Analysis For Hedgers and Investors



Growing Financial Success

CONTENTS

- ➤ Corn Price Analysis
- > Soybean Price Analysis
- ➤ Wheat Price Analysis

CottonPriceAnalysis

- ➤ SugarPriceAnalysis
- ➤ CoffeePriceAnalysis
- ➤ <u>LumberPriceAnalysis</u>
- ➤ OatsPriceAnalysis
- > OrangeJuicePriceAnalysis
- ➤ Rice Price Analysis
- ➤ MilkPriceAnalysisLivestock
- ➤ Cocoa Price Analysis

-Published By
Hackett Financial Advisors, Inc.
Shawn Hackett, President
8321 Via Leonessa
Boca Raton, FL 33433
561-573-3766
561-319-8125 text

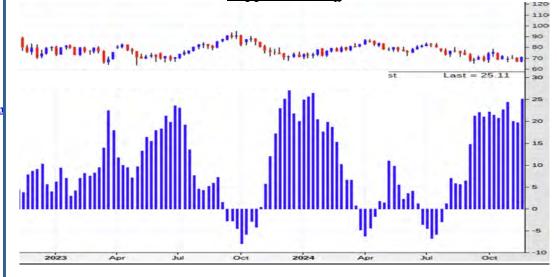
Email: Shawn@HackettAdvisors.com www.HackettAdvisors.com ISSN 1937-7207

Subscription includes 24 issues. To subscribe, please contact us via email or phone or register on our website.

https://www.hackettadvisors.com/s ubscribe.asp



Strong Crude Oil Smart Money Buying Suggesting an Imminent Rally With \$65
Support Holding





November 25, 2024

Commodity Market Analysis For Hedgers and Investors



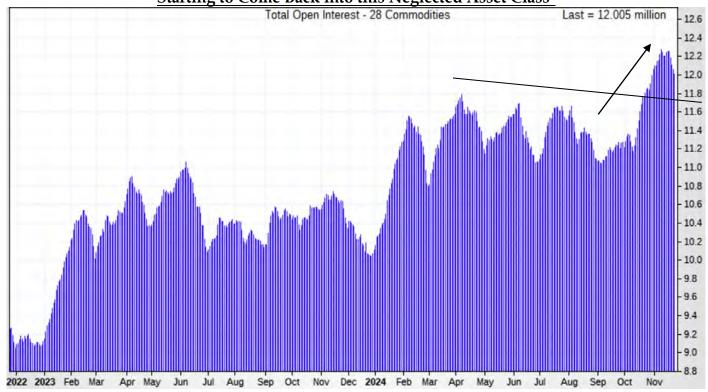




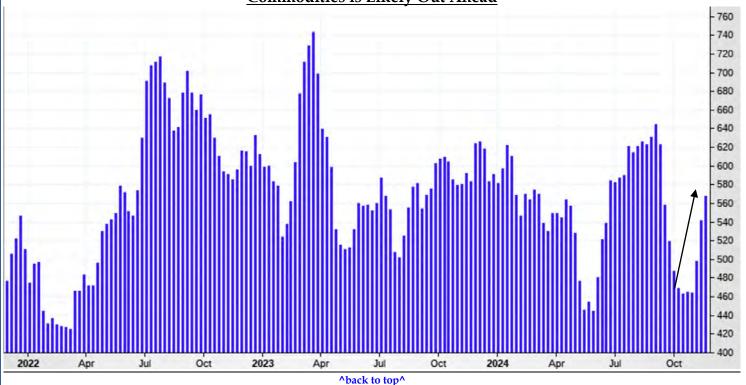
November 25, 2024

Commodity Market Analysis For Hedgers and Investors

<u>Total Open Interest in Overall Commodities has Been Surging Suggesting that Capital Flows are</u>
Starting to Come Back into this Neglected Asset Class-



Smart Money in Overall Commodites Showing Renewed Suggesting that a New Rally in Commodities is Likely Out Ahead





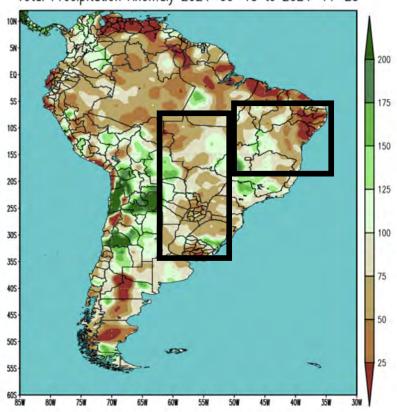
November 25, 2024

Commodity Market Analysis For Hedgers and Investors

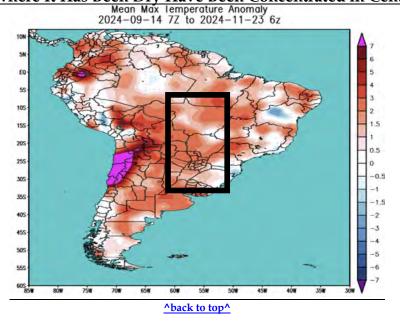
Global Weather Highlights

Rainfall in South America Growing Season Since 09-15-2024-Northeast Brazil and Central West Brazil Remain Most Vulnerable to a Dry December

Total Precipitation Anomaly 2024-09-15 to 2024-11-23



Heat Extremes Where It Has Been Dry Have Been Concentrated in Central West Brazil

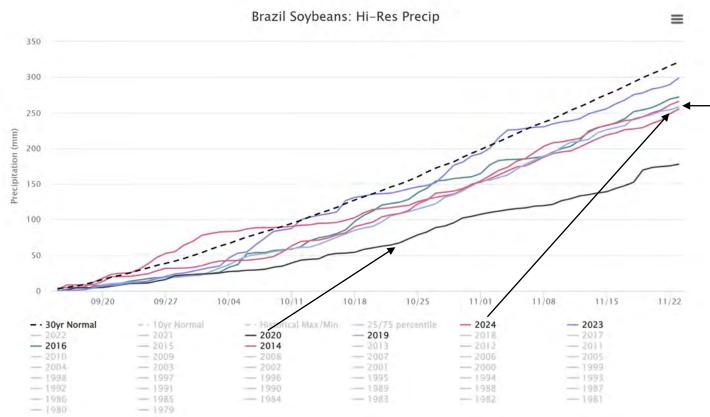




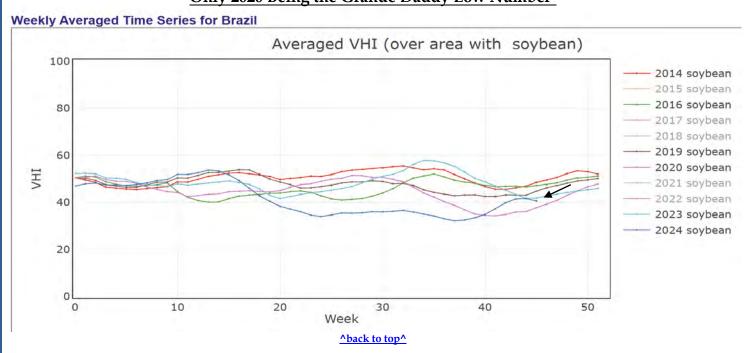
November 25, 2024

Commodity Market Analysis For Hedgers and Investors

In Looking at the 6-Driest Years for Brazil Soybeans Since 1980 for the Period 09-15 Through 11-23 Only 2020 was Materially Drier-



<u>Vegetative Health for All Brazil Soybeans is the 2nd Worst Since 1980 and Worse Than Last Year with</u>
Only 2020 Being the Grande Daddy Low Number-

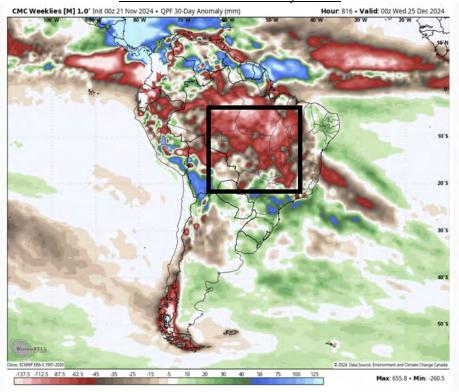




November 25, 2024

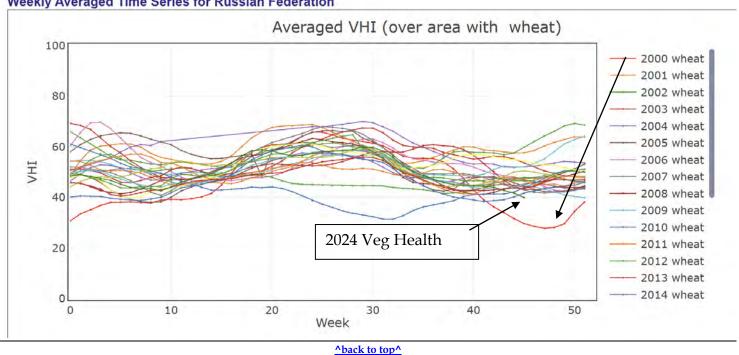
Commodity Market Analysis For Hedgers and Investors

Drought to Return to Central North and Central West Brazil for the Key Pod Setting Period for **December for Brazil Soybeans**



Vegetative Health for Russia Winter Wheat is the 2nd Worst Rated Over the Last 25 Years with Only the Year 2000 in Worse Shape

Weekly Averaged Time Series for Russian Federation





November 25, 2024

Commodity Market Analysis For Hedgers and Investors

CORN PRICE ANALYSIS

March 2025 Corn Prices Are Completing a Wedge Pattern in December that Should Break Out to the



Corn Synopsis

Corn fundamentals remain bullish at current prices. Pressure from US harvest is abating and ending stocks in the US keep falling as demand and supply keep nudging tighter. We feel fair value for corn is \$4.50-\$4.70 given what we believe will be a 1.7-1.8-billion-bushel carryout final destination in future USDA reports.

With South American corn production likely to stagnate at last years levels given lower planted acres in Argentina and a slight improvement in Brazil production will keep buyers finding US supplies attractive at current giveaway prices.

The March 2025 corn prices chart has a very well-defined completing wedge pattern in December that we feel is likely to break out to the upside. Producers should be looking at making cash sales on old crop supplies in the \$4.50-\$4.70 overhead resistance area based on the March contract.

We are not yet interested in pricing new corn crop.

Current corn prices offer a good opportunity for hedgers and traders to protect price risks.



November 25, 2024

Commodity Market Analysis
For Hedgers and Investors

SOYBEAN PRICE ANALYSIS

March 2025 Soybean Prices Are Developing a Descendign Wedge Pattern and Trying to Hold Prior



Soybean Synopsis

Soybean prices have been struggling on the backs of better rainfall in some Brazil areas over the last few weeks, endless worries over a Trump tariff war and endless worry over a less supportive policy over renewable diesel.

We feel ultimately the Trump tariff policies will support a renewed domestic demand for US bean oil as imported vegetable oil feed stocks diminish.

We also feel that a drier weather pattern for parts of key Central North and Central west Brazil in the key pod setting month of December offers the possibility of putting some weather premium back into soybean prices.

A usually bullish descending wedge pattern has been developing as key \$9.90 support has held on a weekly closing basis. We feel the odds favor a bounce back into the \$10.75-\$11.00 overhead resistance area that was tested during the planting season weather worries from a month ago.

Remember, planting of soybeans did not catch up. That is a gross distortion. Planting was seriously delayed, and a much greater proportion of the crop was planted in the back half of the planting season window that evenly distributed throughout. This does not mean planting was done on time.

^back to top^



November 25, 2024

Commodity Market Analysis For Hedgers and Investors

It means there is a higher concentration of soybean areas that will be setting pods at the same time in the back half of December into early January that are at great risk IF an unfavorable ill-timed weather pattern develops. We believe that the odds are decent that an unfavorably dry weather pattern will develop to at least cause soybeans to have a tradeable rally.

Producers should be looking to make old crop cash sales in the \$10.75-\$11.00 overhead resistance window based on the March contract. We are not interested yet in making new cash crop sales.

Bean Meal

March 2025 Bean Meal Prices Are Back Retesting the Covid Low Support Area-A Well Defined Descending Wedge Pattern With Lower Support Having Ben reached and an Oversold Condition





November 25, 2024

Commodity Market Analysis For Hedgers and Investors

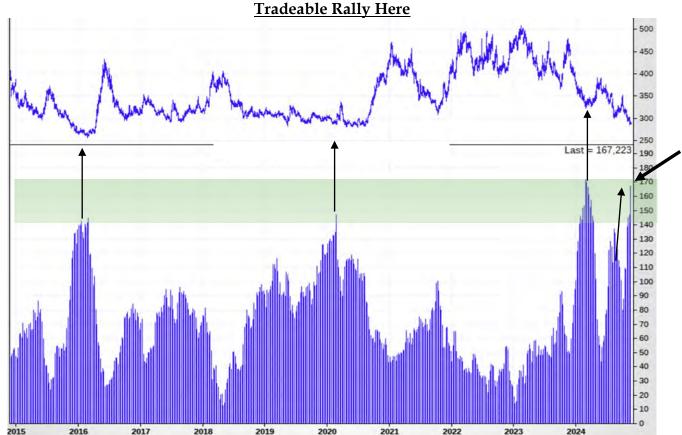
Bean Meal Synopsis

End users need to be protecting upside price risks in bean meal at this time. Undervaluation here is very extreme at the 2020 Covid support levels.

Demand always finds its way to markets that have compelling long term economic value which meal certainly provides.

Don't screw around with this. Get it done.

Smart Money Buying is Piling on to Historical Buy Signal Levels for Bean Meal Supporting a Likely





November 25, 2024

Commodity Market Analysis For Hedgers and Investors

<u>March 2025 Bean Oil Prices Will Complete a Wedge Pattern in January 2025-We Believe an Upside</u> Break Out is Likely Here-



^back to top^

We believe that the most likely driver for bean oil prices in 2025 will be the Trump tariff policy limiting imported vegetable oil as feed stock for renewable diesel thereby increasing the demand for US bean oil supplies and driving prices higher as a result.

With a completing wedge pattern in January of 2025, March bean oil prices look set up for an upside breakout. End users should be protecting upside price risks at this time.



November 25, 2024

Commodity Market Analysis For Hedgers and Investors

March 2025 Canola Prices Have Corrected from Key Overhead Resistance and Have Strong Support at \$565-A wedge Pattern Completes in January-



Ongoing fears over the China dumping investigation against Canadian canola exports, fears over the elimination of vegetable oil from the US diet from RFK and massive uncertainty over renewable diesel policy keeps this market on the defensive.

Prices have started to correct from key overhead resistance and should have further to fall to the \$565 support zone based on the March contract.

Physical buyers of canola and derivatives should look to that area to add physical purchases and to protect upside prices risks.



November 25, 2024

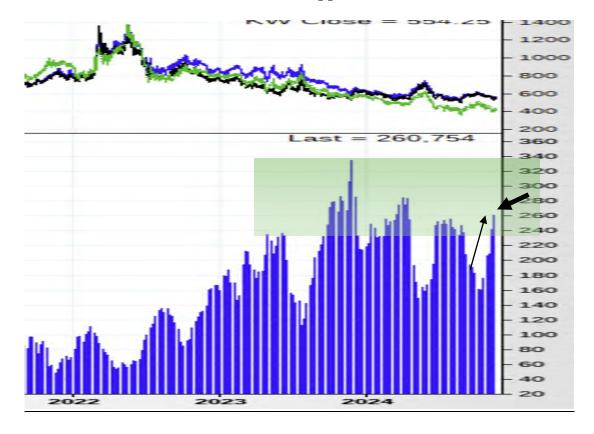
Commodity Market Analysis For Hedgers and Investors

WHEAT PRICE ANALYSIS

CBOT SRW March 2025 Prices Remain Stuck in a Tight Range as a Bullish Coiling Pattern
Continues to Develop-An Upside Breakout Would be Expected With \$5.40 Strong Support Basis the
March Contract-



Renewed Smart Money Buying into the Buy Signal Area Supports Higher Prices Ahead from Triple
Bottom Support





November 25, 2024

Commodity Market Analysis For Hedgers and Investors

Wheat Synopsis

War escalation risks ahead of the January 20th inauguration of President Trump continue to build as a flight to safety has developed for bitcoin, the US Dollar, US Treasury bonds and Gold.

While wheat has been selling off over the typical bearish implications for a strong US Dollar, any verification thar war with Russia/Ukraine is reaching a new normal for escalation and wheat prices will quickly see safe haven buying from one of the must have food supplies in the world.

As time goes on the gradual withdrawal of Russia from the global export market should eventually raise Russian cash wheat prices allowing for differential prices with other exporters to see increased demand.

Prices have been building a long term base and a triple bottom that is classic of a bottoming coiling pattern. Strong support exists at \$5.40 with \$6.40, the first initial overhead resistance zone.

With smart Money buying piling in again a rally grows in probability.

COTTON Price Analysis-Smart Money





November 25, 2024

Commodity Market Analysis For Hedgers and Investors

Cotton Synopsis

The 1.4 trillion Chinese liquidity/monetary policy infusion announced a few weeks ago has as its primary focus to stimulate greater Chinese consumer demand should help improve China's imports of US cotton at a time of snug supplies.

Any indication in the weekly exports numbers that this is happening and a quick move to \$.80 overhead resistance would be expected.

That is a place where producers should be very active in making cash sales.

COCOA PRICE ANALYSIS-Smart Money

<u>March 2025 Cocoa Prices Broke out of a Classic Continuation Wedge Pattern and Quickly Rallied</u> <u>back to Prior Highs-A Correction From this Area Would be Expected with an Immense Overbought</u>





November 25, 2024

Commodity Market Analysis For Hedgers and Investors

Cocoa Synopsis

Even though West African production has rebounded some from last years crop failure, the reality is that the rebound could not possibly be enough to eradicate the shortage given the fact the so many trees had to be ripped out and replanted from disease. Those trees take several years to begin producing new cocoa production of which would be impossible to occur for the current crop cycle.

While there has been some demand destruction, the reality is that demand still remains very strong relative to the lower global supplies.

Our feeling is that the next crop cycle further increases in production and additional demand destruction from current high prices should finally rebalanced this market assuming no more weather anomalies.

Our best guess is that the current surge that may carry over into the Easter time period may place the final cathartic high for the greatest bull market in cocoa history.

Prices are retesting prior highs and would be expected to correct from here short term. Bottom line for now technicals remain bullish for overall higher prices ahead.

SUGAR PRICE ANALYSIS-Smart Money

March 2025 Sugar Prices Have Continued to Correct to Initial Support Near \$.21 cents that Should be





November 25, 2024

Commodity Market Analysis For Hedgers and Investors

Sugar Synopsis

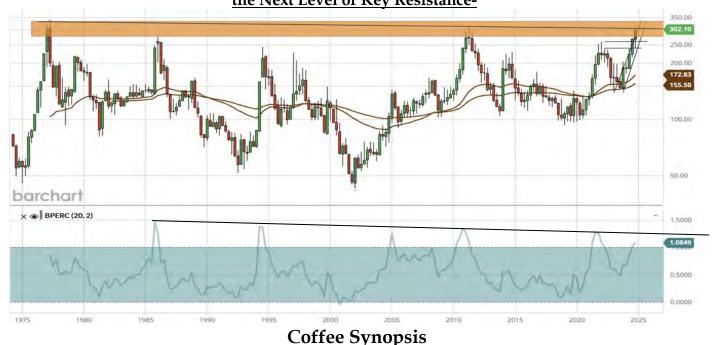
So long as India does not remove their sugar export ban in favor of producing more domestic ethanol the sugar market will remain tight. Thailand production has improved will not be the holy grail for offsetting lost Indian exports.

In Brazil the crop will be below expected production and how weather plays out over the next few months will be critical to how much below original expectations the sugar crop will be.

Prices should be well support at current support level prices.

Coffee Price Analysis

March 2025 Coffee Prices Remain in a Bullish Up trending Channel With the 2011 and 1977 Highs the Next Level of Key Resistance-



Our long-standing forecast for coffee prices has been that all-time highs would likely been achieved that would at minimum increase 50% above those all-time highs to possible double those all-time highs based on historical pattern recognition of past commodity pathways to new all-time high levels.

Basis the March contract's all-time high from 1977 was \$3.2905. Any weekly closure above that level would be the trigger for all out epic supply squeeze. With prices closing above \$3.00 this past week for the first time since 2011, it is starting to greatly validate this forecast.



November 25, 2024

Commodity Market Analysis For Hedgers and Investors

We had warned that no amount of rain could create a good flowering set because of the historic drought that preceded it.

Make no mistake, the rains have been perfect the last 30 days, and the coffee trees look lush and fertile having refoliated and are now growing branches in a very healthy vegetative growth rate.

What the trees are not expending energy on are flower sets and bean formations. We warned about this likely reality, and it has been confirmed that the flower set will not deliver on the crop size needed to alleviate the greatest coffee shortage in history.

The crop harvest for summer of 2026, however, could be a monster given the positive rains rehabilitating coffee health.

Our best guess is that whatever highs that are needed to ration demand and buy time to get to this larger crop should occur between now and May at the latest.

Of course, the large 2026 crop potential is assuming no more weather anomalies.

The market risks to a correction grow the closer we get to the all-time highs. Any correction for those that want to add or get into this market needs to be watched with great precision as major bull runs give buyers very few opportunities to get in. Watch \$2.72 support if a correction develops for a chance to buy.





November 25, 2024

Commodity Market Analysis For Hedgers and Investors

Lumber Price Analysis-Smart Money

<u>March 2025 Lumber Prices Have Entered the Ideal Resistance Zone for a Top within an</u> Overbought Condition



Lumber Synopsis

The lumber market has been way to eager to rally on the Federal Reserve, lowering interest rates. The reality is that despite the lowering of short-term rates long-term rates have risen considerably adding pressure to the costs of new mortgages.

In addition, the possible escalation of war may begin to hold the Federal Reserve back from further easing in the short run further rupturing bullish sentiment in the lumber market.

With prices at key overhead resistance and greatly overbought the lumber market is vulnerable to a stiff correction here.

This bidding up of lumber prices in addition from fears over a similar trade war to the last president Trump presidency between Canada and the US that catapulted lumber to new all-time highs we believe are sadly mistaken this go around.



November 25, 2024

Commodity Market Analysis For Hedgers and Investors

Oats Price Analysis

March 2025 Oats Prices Have Corrected from Overhead Resistance and Should find a bid at \$3.50-



Oats Synopsis

With the oats crop in Canada a fairly inexpensive crop to plant and with all the uncertainty over the true nature of renewable diesel policy as well as for the China dumping case against Canadian Canola exports it is hard to see oats prices rising beyond \$4.00 for the foreseeable sutures.

At the same time, we do not see the cause for prices to fall to \$3.00 either. This suggests a tight range of two-sided trade in the \$3.50-\$4.00 range heading into the planting season.



November 25, 2024

Commodity Market Analysis For Hedgers and Investors

Orange Juice Price Analysis

March 2025 OJ Prices Remain in a Strong Uptrend and Have Broken out of an Ascending Wedge pattern Suggesting More Upside Ahead So Long as \$450 support Holds.



Orange Juice Synopsis

The recent report out of Brazil suggested that citrus greening in the last year has grown from $\sim 35\%$ of the trees to now $\sim 45\%$ of the trees has been another shock to supply fears. This continued alarming spread of this debilitating disease keeps the orange market fearful over extended reduced supplies ahead despite ongoing demand destruction.

Brazil is becoming more efficient ton OJ yield per orange and weather being as historically anomalously as it has been eventually will improve helping to offset citrus greening to some extent.

The bottom line is that supplies will remain very tight until better prospects for 2026 coming closer into view. Like coffee prices OJ should price all of this in by May at the latest.

For now, the technicals remains bullish, suggesting higher prices ahead for now.



November 25, 2024

Commodity Market Analysis For Hedgers and Investors

Rice Price Analysis

March 2025 Rice Prices Have Rebounded from Key Support and Are Likely to Test the \$16



Rice Synopsis

Asian rice prices have been in a strong correction on the backs of India's removal of their export ban. This reality has caused sales in the US rice futures market, but the reality is that US rice prices are largely driven by Western Hemisphere supply/demand and not Asia's.

As such, prices are undervalued relative to the historical tightness that currently exists in the Western Hemisphere region and will continue to be the case though spring 2025.

It does not mean that Asia is not a factor, it is just not as much a factor as Western Hemisphere tightness. Prices at \$14.50 were grossly undervalued while we believe \$16 is a more representative balance between the two fundamental drivers.

Of course, an escalation of war could dramatically change the pricing mechanism for rice prices higher that must also be modeled into probabilistic expectations.

With Smart Money in a very bullish position and with prices bouncing off of support we feel that a further rally to \$16 overhead resistance makes sense her.



November 25, 2024

Commodity Market Analysis For Hedgers and Investors

Milk Price Analysis-Smart Money

March 2025 Class III Milk Prices Are Correcting from Key Overhead Resistance and Have Further to



The market catapulted ahead of worries of a serious US supply contraction which did not happen. Instead, production improved still and that has necessitated the market to correct lower to recalibrate the appropriate price level for true supply and demand.

Avian flu US supply shock fears according to the USDA production reports have been overstated.

That along with what had been a very bearish Smart Money positioning, and a correction was a highly probable forecast here which has verified.

We still feel that weak domestic demand and a strong US dollar negative impact to future exports warrant a further decline in prices to \$18 support before the bear case gets fully prices in.

For a more detailed analysis and specific recommendations please subscribe to our flagship Hackett Dairy Report by going to the link below to our website:

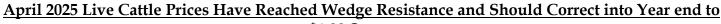
https://www.hackettadvisors.com/subscribe. Asp



November 25, 2024

Commodity Market Analysis For Hedgers and Investors

Cattle Price Analysis





<u>April 2025 Feeder Cattle Prices Have Reached Upper Wedge Resistance and Should Correct into</u> Yearend or \$2.35-\$2.40 Support-





November 25, 2024

Commodity Market Analysis For Hedgers and Investors

Cattle Analysis

US cattle prices have been building a long-term wedge continuation pattern since the 4th quarter of 2023 that will complete in the first quarter of 2025.

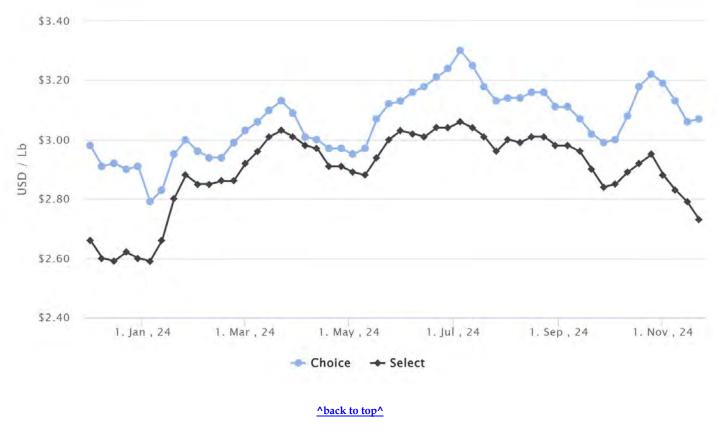
Short-term weakening of beef cutout prices should bring sellers into the cattle market as both feeders and live cattle prices have reached key upper wedge resistance.

Longer term the fantastic rains that have alleviated the US drought in key cattle ranching areas have all but removed herd liquidation risks and evidence from JBS and others are suggesting that the long-awaited herd rebuilding phase of retaining animals for future production is now in the early stages of getting underway.

Historical precedent suggests that peak cattle prices occur in the year herd rebuilding begins which would be 2025. This would argue for new all-time highs to be seen in 2025 for both feeders and live cattle.

Keep a very close eye on any break above the current wedge patterns for signs this next blow off top phase has been triggered.

Beef Cut Out Prices Showing Weakness especially the lower cuts.





November 25, 2024

Commodity Market Analysis For Hedgers and Investors

Lean Hogs-Smart Money

April 2025 Lean Hog Prices Have Been on a Steady Rise and Are at Key Wedge Overhead Resistance



Lean Hogs Synopsis

While the shocking miscalculation by the USDA that US pork production would rise when it instead has turned flat to down was justification for prices to surge, we also believe the market may be understating the risk to US pork exports under trump tariffs and the forward negative impacts to a strong US dollar and suspect domestic consumer demand.

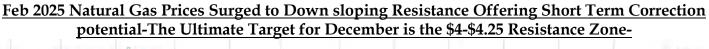
Prices looking very toppy having reached key resistance while being overbought and a stiff correction would be expected into year end.

Producers should be protecting downside price risks at this time.



November 25, 2024

Commodity Market Analysis For Hedgers and Investors





With our cold first half of winter forecast and especially the month of December verifying from recent weather model runs, the demand for natural gas at a time of lower trends in US production and against exponential increases in natural gas produced electrical power for the parabolic increase in artificial intelligence data centers spells for a further rise in Natural gas prices heading into late December.

Longer term meaning in 2 years' time we see Natural Gas prices once again achieving and exceeding the \$10 level.



November 25, 2024

Commodity Market Analysis For Hedgers and Investors

Apply for an account online with the following link:

https://rraos.rjobrien.com/Account/Register

We also put God first in our dealings with you and our approach to the markets. Our heart is in the right place and through his honor and grace wonderful things are possible. We take the view that the more successful you are the more you can give back to those in need. It hardly makes any sense to do it for any other reason.

Also remember that you can also open an account with us at Hackett Financial Advisors Inc. We clear all our operations through R.J. O'Brien & Associates which is the oldest and largest independent futures brokerage and clearing firm in the United States. A futures commission merchant (FCM), RJO is a full clearing member of the CME Group (founding member of the Chicago Mercantile Exchange) and all its markets; Intercontinental Exchange (ICE); NYSE Life U.S.; and the CBOE Futures Exchange (CFE).

R.J. O'Brien & Associates, LLC is the oldest and largest independent futures brokerage and clearing firm in the United States. A futures commission merchant (FCM), RJO is a full clearing member of the CME Group (founding member of the Chicago Mercantile Exchange) and all its markets; Intercontinental Exchange (ICE) and the CBOE Futures Exchange (CFE).

RJO offers the state-of-the-art in order entry technology coupled with 24-hour execution and clearing on every futures exchange worldwide. Clearing more than 80,000 client accounts, the firm provides a full range of services to the industry's largest global network for introducing brokers (IBs) and to commercial, institutional, international and individual investors. These include more than 300 IBs and many of the world's largest financial, industrial and agricultural institutions. We do not engage in speculative proprietary trading; all our business focuses on our valued clients.

Founded in 1914, RJO is one of the last 'boutique' futures firms in the industry. It is a privately held business, majority owned by the O'Brien family of Chicago. The O'Brien's have been instrumental in the development of the futures industry and remain committed to the continued growth of the company and our leadership within the industry.

With client assets of approximately \$4 billion, RJO is a well-diversified, fully integrated FCM. The firm regularly captures top-tier market share in both agricultural and financial futures products at both the CME and CBOT.



November 25, 2024

Commodity Market Analysis For Hedgers and Investors

If you have any questions about any of the content in this report, please call me at (888) 535-5525 or e-mail me at Shawn@HackettAdvisors.com. Thank you for reading and I hope your future investment decisions turn out to be prosperous ones.

Best Regards,

Shawn Hackett, President

The information, tools and material presented on HACKETTADVISORS.COM (this web site), in the HACKETT MONEY FLOW REPORT and in the HACKETT STOCK REPORT are provided for informational purposes only and are not to be used or considered as an offer or a solicitation to sell or an offer or solicitation to buy or subscribe for securities, investment products or other financial instruments, nor to constitute any advice or recommendation with respect to such securities, investment products or other financial instruments.

The information presented on HACKETTADVISORS.COM (this web site), in the HACKETT MONEY FLOW REPORT and in the HACKETT STOCK REPORT is prepared for general circulation. It does not have regard to the specific investment objectives, financial situation and the particular needs of any specific person who may receive this information.

You should independently evaluate particular investments and consult an independent financial adviser before making any investments or entering into any transaction in relation to any securities mentioned on HACKETTADVISORS.COM (this web site), in the HACKETT MONEY FLOW REPORT and in the HACKETT STOCK REPORT.

The use of HACKETADVISORS.COM is at your own sole risk. HACKETTADVISORS.COM is provided on an "as is" and "as available" basis. Hackett Financial Advisors, Inc. makes no warranty that HACKETTADVISORS.COM will be uninterrupted, timely, secure or error free.

No charts, graphs, formulae, theories or methods of securities analysis can guarantee profitable results. This document does not purport to be a complete description of the securities or commodities, market or developments to which reference is made.

The information contained in HACKETTADVISORS.COM (this website), in the HACKETT MONEYFLOW REPORT and in the HACKETT STOCK REPORT has been taken from trade and statistical services and other sources, which we believe are reliable. Hackett Financial Advisors, Inc. does not guarantee that such information is accurate or complete and it should not be relied upon as such. The HACKETT MONEY FLOW REPORT and the HACKETT STOCK REPORT are written as weekly tools to help investors make better financial decisions. Any opinions expressed reflect judgments at this date and are subject to change without notice. The principals of Hackett Financial Advisors, Inc. and others associated or affiliated with it may recommend or have positions which may not be consistent with the recommendations made. Each of these persons exercises judgment in trading and readers are urged to exercise their own judgment in trading. Past Performance is not indicative of future results.

FUTURES AND COMMODITIES TRADING AND STOCK INVESTING AND TRADING INVOLVES SIGNIFICANT RISK AND IS NOT SUITABLE FOR EVERY INVESTOR. INFORMATION CONTAINED HEREIN IS STRICTLY THE OPINION OF ITS AUTHOR AND IS INTENDED FOR INFORMATIONAL PURPOSES AND IS NOT TO BE CONSTRUED AS AN OFFER TO SELL OR A SOLICITATION TO BUY OR TRADE IN ANY COMMODITY OR SECURITY MENTIONED HEREIN. INFORMATION IS OBTAINED FROM SOURCES BELIEVED RELIABLE, BUT IS IN NO WAY GUARANTEED. OPINIONS, MARKET DATA AND RECOMMENDATIONS ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE AT ANY TIME. PAST RESULTS ARE NOT INDICATIVE OF FUTURE RESULTS.



November 25, 2024

Commodity Market Analysis For Hedgers and Investors

This material has been prepared by a sales or trading employee or agent of Hackett Financial Advisors Inc. and is, or is, a solicitation. This material is not a research report prepared by R.J. O'Brien's Research Department. By accepting this communication, you agree that you are an experienced user of the futures markets, capable of making independent trading decisions, and agree that you are not, and will not, rely solely on this communication in making trading decisions.

DISTRIBUTION IN SOME JURISDICTIONS MAY BE PROHIBITED OR RESTRICTED BY LAW. PEOPLE IN POSSESSION OF THIS COMMUNICATION INDIRECTLY SHOULD INFORM THEMSELVES ABOUT AND OBSERVE ANY SUCH PROHIBITION OR RESTRICTIONS. TO THE EXTENT THAT YOU HAVE RECEIVED THIS COMMUNICATION INDIRECTLY AND SOLICITATIONS ARE PROHIBITED IN YOUR JURISDICTION WITHOUT REGISTRATION, THE MARKET COMMENTARY IN THIS COMMUNICATION SHOULD NOT BE CONSIDERED A SOLICITATION.

The risk of loss in trading futures and/or options is substantial and each investor and/or trader must consider whether this is a suitable investment. Past performance, whether actual or indicated by simulated historical tests of strategies, is not indicative of future results. Trading advice is based on information taken from trade and statistical services and other sources that Hackett Financial Advisors Inc. believes are reliable. We do not guarantee that such information is accurate or complete and it should not be relied upon as such. Trading advice reflects our good faith judgment at a specific time and is subject to change without notice. There is no guarantee that the advice we give will result in profitable trade.