

Daily Market Information Report



The following information is collected from various sources and disseminated by the Ontario Cattlemen's Association.

Friday October 19, 2007

ONTARIO DIRECT TO PACKER RAILGRADE PRICES

Prices are on a carcass weight basis, before grade and weight discounts.

A grade steers 129.00-131.00
A grade heifers 128.00-130.00

ONTARIO LIVE CATTLE TRADE

Today at **Brussels Livestock** : 1,150 stockers – 100 yearlings left to sell at time of reporting.

STEERS	Price Range	Avg	Top	HEIFERS	Price Range	Avg	Top
1000+	75.00-84.00	80.55	84.00	900+	74.25-80.25	77.73	81.00
900-999	82.00-90.25	84.60	90.25	800-899	76.75-82.50	79.61	88.50
800-899	85.50-93.50	89.46	93.50	700-799	75.00-92.75	87.90	92.75
700-799	88.00-97.50	93.48	97.50	600-699	79.00-99.25	86.81	99.25
600-699	87.50-107.00	95.49	110.50	500-599	72.00-98.00	83.70	103.50
500-599	100.00-117.50	109.25	117.50	400-499	97.00-114.00	103.61	114.00
400-499	111.50-126.00	119.22	126.00	300-399	101.00-110.00	106.76	120.00
399-	112.00-130.00	120.00	130.00				

Calves and yearlings sold on a good strong active trade.

Ontario auction sales on **Thursday** saw weighted prices for:

	Price Range	Average	Top
Large & Med. Frame Fed Steers	69.83-78.78	74.28	81.50
Large & Med. Frame Fed Heifers	64.47-76.35	70.64	80.75
Cows	20.52-35.47	28.27	57.50
Bulls	30.94-45.32	37.87	54.50

ONTARIO REPLACEMENT TRADE

Stocker Sale at: **Brussels Livestock** – Oct 18, 2007

STEERS	Price Range	Avg	Top	HEIFERS	Price Range	Avg	Top
400-499	115.00-131.00	126.39	131.00	400-499	92.00-111.00	101.18	111.00
399	99.00-135.00	120.27	135.00	300-399	95.00-116.00	106.43	117.00
				299-	110.00-130.00	121.40	139.00

Stocker Sale at: **Ontario Stockyards** - Oct 18, 2007

STEERS	Price Range	Avg	Top	HEIFERS	Price Range	Avg	Top
1000+	53.00-77.50	63.67	77.50	900+	58.50-71.50	65.98	79.50
900-999	79.00-82.00	80.40	84.00	800-899	76.00-84.26	80.00	84.25
800-899	76.50-87.75	84.56	87.75	700-799	80.00-85.00	83.32	88.00
700-799	84.00-92.00	88.15	92.50	600-699	77.00-87.00	81.95	89.50
600-699	84.50-96.50	90.87	101.00	500-599	83.50-90.00	86.43	97.50
500-599	86.50-103.50	94.09	103.50	400-499	82.00-96.00	88.25	107.00
400-499	79.00-106.00	97.02	120.50				
399-	56.00-118.50	103.22	118.50				

Stocker Sale at: **Ontario Livestock Exchange** – Oct 18, 2007

STEERS	Price Range	Avg	Top	HEIFERS	Price Range	Avg	Top
700-799	73.00-95.00	85.78	95.00	800-899	56.00-80.50	74.46	80.50
600-699	79.00-96.50	91.50	96.50	700-799	61.00-75.00	68.40	75.00
500-599	81.00-103.00	92.68	103.00	600-699	66.00-80.00	72.46	80.00
400-499	71.00-100.00	89.70	100.00	500-599	56.00-840.00	73.00	84.00
399-	68.00-118.00	95.56	118.00				

Stocker Sale at: **Ottawa Livestock Exchange** – Oct 18, 2007

STEERS	Price Range	Avg	Top	HEIFERS	Price Range	Avg	Top
700-799	57.00-92.00	72.70	92.00	700-799	72.00-83.00	76.15	83.00
600-699	69.00-94.00	84.70	112.00	600-699	65.00-85.00	78.15	85.00
500-599	90.00-103.00	96.31	107.00	500-599	58.00-89.00	76.17	91.00
400-499	85.00-109.00	96.97	113.00	400-499	61.00-94.00	78.33	94.00
399-	72.00-130.00	99.81	130.00	300-399	69.00-90.00	77.11	111.00
				299-	80.00-121.00	105.00	121.00

ONTARIO REPLACEMENT TRADE- SPECIAL FALL STOCKER SALE

Stocker sale: **Grey Bruce Livestock, Wiarton, Oct 18, 2007**

STEERS	Price Range	HEIFERS	Price Range
600-699	95.00-103.50	600-699	88.00-95.00
500-599	104.50-122.50	500-599	101.00-130.00
400-499	110.00-136.00	400-499	106.00-150.00
399-	120.00-141.00	300-399	112.00-139.00

ALBERTA DIRECT TRADE

Alberta direct trade on Thursday light with prices steady to Wednesday.

Steers	Live	76.75-79.00	Flat rail	132.35-132.85
Heifers	Live	78.25-79.75	Flat rail	132.00

QUEBEC ELECTRONIC AUCTION MARKET (F.O.B. the feedlot)

Week Ending Oct 18, 2007

Price Range

A1, A2 Steers & Heifers 124.50-126.75

U.S. TRADE (U.S funds)

US cash cattle trade was moderate to active in the north with prices \$3.00 higher than last week. Southern business had not developed at time of reporting with bids \$3.00-\$4.00 lower than the asking price of \$95.00 live.

Choice and select steers and heifers:	Live	N/T
	Rail	145.00

U.S. BOXED BEEF CUT-OUT VALUES (U.S. funds)

	Choice	Select
Cutout Values: (noon estimate)	144.73	132.87
Change: (from yesterday's close)	-0.67	-0.24
Current 5 day average:	144.83	133.53

CHICAGO MERCANTILE EXCHANGE

Closing quotes on futures today were as follows:

Live Cattle		Feeder Cattle		Corn		Soybeans		Canadian \$	
\$/cwt US		\$/cwt US		\$/bu US		\$/bu US			
Oct	95.30 -0.10	Oct	111.50 -0.75	Dec	3.702 +3.0	Nov	9.832 -8.2	Spot	103.66 +0.93
Dec	97.30 -0.40	Nov	111.30 -0.92	Mar	3.860 +2.4	Jan	10.012 -9.0	Dec	103.68 +0.95
Feb	98.97 -0.42	Jan	111.15 -1.10	May	3.970 +3.2	Mar	10.156 -7.4	Mar	103.67 +0.93
Apr	98.67 -0.25	Mar	111.65 -0.70	Jul	4.044 +2.2	May	10.200 -6.4	Jun	103.67 +0.93

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Special Fall Sales- Upcoming Week

Oct 20	9:00 am	Keady Livestock Market	1200-1500	Bruce Peninsula Calf Assoc Members only- Mainly Charolais-Vaccinated-Presorted & Age Verified
Oct 20	10:00 am	Ottawa Livestock Exchange	1000-1200	Stockers and Yearlings
Oct 21	1:00 pm	Kawartha Lakes Co-op Auction Mkt		Purebred Sale: Autumn Harvest Angus Sale
Oct 22	10:00 am	Brussels Livestock	800	Vaccinated Calves/yearlings Sponsored by Huron County Beef Producers
Oct 22	11:00 am	Kawartha Lakes Co-op Auction Mkt	700-800	Stockers, Vacc & non-vacc.
Oct 22	7:00 pm	Tri-County Cattle Co	1000-1200	Local Calf Sale
Oct 23	9:00 am	Keady Livestock Market	1200-1500	Georgian Bay Premium Charolais Cross Calf Assoc. Mainly Char Vaccinated, presorted calves, age verified.
Oct 23	11:00 am	Ontario Stockyards Inc		Yearlings
Oct 24	11:00 am	Galetta Livestock Sales		Vaccinated Sale
Oct 25	9:00 am	Keady Livestock Market	1200-1500	Bluewater Angus Calf Assoc. Sale, Mainly Angus- vaccinated, presorted and age verified
Oct 26	11:00 am	D.H. Hickson (Hoards)		All Vaccinated & Catalogued
Oct 26	12:00 pm	Temiskaming Livestock Exchange		Bred Beef Cows
Oct 26	1:00 pm	Listowel Livestock		Local Vaccinated Calves
Oct 26	7:00 pm	Cargill Auction Market		Local Calf Sale
Oct 27	9:00 am	Keady Livestock Market	1200-1500	Central Calf Assoc. Sale All breeds, vaccinated, owner lots, age verified.
Oct 27	9:00 am	Rainy River Cattlemen's Assoc.		Calves and Yearlings
Oct 27	11:00 am	Denfield Livestock Sales		Bred Cows, Calves & Yearlings
Oct 27	11:00 am	Selby Livestock & Auction Mkt	600	100% Vaccinated