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Tuesday October 27, 2009

ONTARIO DIRECT TO PACKER RAILGRADE CATTLE TRADE

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

Prices reported for Monday Oct 26, 2009

A grade steers 134.00-136.00
A grade heifers 133.00-135.00

ONTARIO LIVE CATTLE TRADE

Today at: **Brussels Livestock – 605** fed cattle, **280** cows.

	Price Range	Top
Choice steers & heifers	81.00-85.00	100.50
Second cut cattle	78.00-81.00	
Good Beef Cows	35.00-42.00	50.00
Export Cows	35.00-43.00	52.00

Fed steers and heifers traded at prices \$3.00 higher. Cows sold on a steady market.

Today at the **Ontario Livestock Exchange- 372** veal, **180** Cows-(over 100 left to sell at report time)

	Price Range	Top Price
Cows	36.00-45.50	
Good Beef	105.00-123.00	
Good Hol	85.00-93.00	
Med Hol	78.00-82.00	
Plain Hol	68.0-78.00	
Heavy Hol	72.00-78.00	

Veal sold actively at steady prices. Cows are trading on a steady market.

Today at **Keady Livestock Market- 800** calves- presort sale.

STEERS	Price Range	Avg	Top	HEIFERS	Price Range	Avg	Top
800-899	99.25-105.25	101.11	105.25	700-799	94.00-98.25	94.97	100.00
700-799	105.00-105.25	105.11	114.25	600-699	98.25-105.50	102.23	109.00
600-699	113.50-116.00	114.32	116.00	500-599	105.25-112.50	108.69	112.75
500-599	111.00-130.00	122.57	130.00	400-499	109.50-115.00	113.06	119.00
400-499	125.50-149.00	138.21	149.00	300-399	117.00-119.00	117.92	119.00
399-	125.00-142.00	134.15	149.00				

Exceptional quality calves in the Special Georgian Bay Premium Charolais Calf Sale sold on a sharp demand at premium prices.

Today at **Ontario Stockyards Inc- 850** yearlings

STEERS	Price Range	Avg	Top	HEIFERS	Price Range	Avg	Top
1000+	76.50-90.50	84.95	92.00	900+	72.00-85.50	79.78	92.50
900-999	84.00-95.75	91.19	95.75	800-899	80.00-91.50	87.23	92.00
800-899	88.25-96.75	93.84	96.75	700-799	82.50-96.75	90.67	96.75
700-799	85.25-96.75	92.23	98.00	600-699	65.00-83.00	72.59	98.00
600-699	87.00-98.25	9.94	98.25				
500-599	87.00-90.00	88.51	98.00				

Yearlings traded actively at steady prices.

Ontario auction sales on [Monday](#) saw weighted prices for:

	Price Range	Average	Top Price
Cows	27.45-40.07	33.16	45.50
Bulls- all weights	42.05-58.84	47.66	72.00
Veal calves 600+	72.90-94.14	83.08	113.50
Veal calves -125	38.61-95.58	74.43	175.00

Stocker sale at: [MapleHill Auctions Inc, Oct 26, 2009](#) – 573 stockers

STEERS	Price Range	Avg	Top	HEIFERS	Price Range	Avg	Top
700-799	93.75-106.75	99.36	106.75	700-799	71.00-91.00	81.55	91.00
600-699	93.00-117.25	108.19	122.50	600-699	80.00-99.75	89.62	101.25
500-599	99.00-129.00	116.27	129.00	500-599	91.50-107.50	100.24	107.50
400-499	118.00-125.00	120.03	127.00	400-499	100.00-114.50	109.12	114.50
399-	108.00-123.00	116.63	140.00	300-399	75.00-126.00	101.90	123.00

Stocker sale at: [Vankleek Hill Livestock Exchange, Oct 26, 2009](#) – 92 stockers

STEERS	Price Range	Avg	Top	HEIFERS	Price Range	Avg	Top
700-799	66.00-96.00	78.37	96.00	600-699	72.00-94.00	80.15	94.00
600-699	72.00-104.00	92.12	104.00	500-599	71.00-101.00	82.00	101.00
500-599	87.00-109.00	96.71	109.00				
400-499	70.00-116.00	97.26	116.00				

SPECIAL FALL STOCKER SALES

Stocker sale at: [Selby Livestock & Auctions Center, Oct 26, 2009](#) – 105 stockers

STEERS	Price Range	Avg	Top	HEIFERS	Price Range	Avg	Top
1000+	40.00-74.00	60.87	74.00	500-599	85.00-101.00	92.07	101.00
600-699	80.00-86.00	81.25	86.00	400-499	68.00-110.00	101.86	110.00
500-599	94.00-106.50	100.11	106.50				
400-499	90.00-118.50	114.31	118.50				

Special stocker sale sponsored by Lennox Addington Stocker Sale Committee.

ONTARIO BRED COW SALES

[Temiskaming Livestock Sales, Oct 23, 2009- 250](#) Bred cows & Cow/Calf pairs

	Exotic and Exotic X	British and British X
Top quality bred cows	\$575-\$830	\$500-\$700
Avg quality bred cows	\$340-\$500	\$290-\$475
Top quality cow/calf pairs	\$700-\$800	\$585-\$675
Avg quality cow/calf pairs	\$575-\$620	\$450-\$525

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

	Choice	Select
Cutout Values: (noon estimate)	141.16	135.85
Change: (from Friday's close)	+0.84	+0.94
Current 5 day average:	138.39	133.68

U.S. TRADE (U.S. funds)

U.S. cash cattle trade is quiet with little business expected before the second half of the week. Asking prices are holding at \$88.00-\$89.00 live and \$137.00 dressed.

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

CHICAGO MERCANTILE EXCHANGE

Closing quotes on futures for today were as follows:

Live Cattle			Feeder Cattle			Corn		Soybeans			Canadian \$			
\$/cwt US			\$/cwt US			\$/bu US	¢/bu	\$/bu US	¢/bu					
Oct	86.12	+0.00	Oct	93.85	+0.00	Dec	3.706	-7.2	Nov	9.734	-13.0	Spot	94.07	+0.37
Dec	87.10	-0.05	Nov	95.85	-0.02	Mar	3.830	-7.0	Jan	9.764	-12.2	Dec	94.04	+0.37
Feb	87.67	+0.30	Jan	96.35	+0.35	May	3.916	-7.0	Mar	9.784	-9.6	Mar	94.03	+0.37
Apr	89.42	+0.17	Mar	96.87	+0.20	Jul	3.994	-7.0	May	9.742	-7.0	Jun	94.02	+0.37
Jun	86.22	+0.00	Apr	97.60	+0.10	Sep	4.056	-4.2	Jul	9.752	-4.6	Sep	93.97	+0.37
Aug	86.10	+0.25	May	98.25	+0.25	Dec	4.122	-2.2	Aug	9.726	-3.6	Dec	93.93	+0.37

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