

Daily Market Information Report

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

Thursday November 19, 2009

ONTARIO DIRECT TO PACKER RAILGRADE PRICES

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

Prices reported for Wed Nov 18, 2009

A grade steers 133.00-137.00
A grade heifers 132.00-136.00

ONTARIO LIVE CATTLE TRADE

Today at the **Ontario Livestock Exchange** –650 fed cattle, 750 cows, 300 stockers, 40 veal

	Price Range	Top
Good fed steers	79.00-84.75	95.00
Good fed heifers	78.00-81.75	85.25
Good Cows	38.00-47.00	60.00
Steers 700+	85.00-92.00	
Lightweight steers	97.00-116.00	
Heifers 700+	84.00-90.00	
Lightweight heifers	87.00-103.00	

Cows sold at prices \$1.00 higher. Fed steers and heifers sold on a good active steady and firm trade. Stockers sold on a good active trade.

Today at **Ontario Stockyards Inc-** 1,400 stockers

STEERS	Price Range	Avg	Top	HEIFERS	Price Range	Avg	Top
1000+	87.50	87.50	87.50	900+	67.50-78.50	73.12	86.00
900-999	82.00-90.00	86.49	90.00	800-899	78.50-87.75	85.36	87.75
800-899	82.00-92.00	89.50	93.50	700-799	83.00-90.50	87.49	91.25
700-799	84.00-96.25	92.24	99.00	600-699	89.00-97.50	92.86	97.50
600-699	95.00-106.50	100.14	117.00	500-599	84.00-99.75	92.53	109.00
500-599	102.00-121.00	111.62	127.00	400-499	89.50-112.75	104.22	124.75
400-499	111.00-128.25	118.96	129.00				
399-	125.00-132.50	130.23	132.50				

Replacements sold actively at steady prices.

Today at: **Brussels Livestock:** 230 veal

	Price Range	Top
Veal: Good Beef calves	100.00-120.00	
Good Holsteins	80.00-90.00	96.00
Med Holsteins	70.00-80.00	
Heavy Holstein	75.00-85.00	

Holstein veal calves traded \$1.00-\$2.00 easier while beef veal calves sold steady.

Ontario Auction Sales on **Wednesday** saw weighted prices for:

	Price Range	Avg.	Top
Large & Medium Frame Fed Steers +1250	76.25-82.25	79.50	89.75
Large & Medium Frame Fed Heifers +1000	76.50-83.75	79.35	89.50
Cows	30.44-43.12	35.89	58.00
Bulls	45.53-63.30	55.21	76.75
Veal 125 lbs and under	55.00-97.00	78.87	157.00

Stocker sale: **Ontario Livestock Exchange –Nov 18, 2009 – 596** stockers

STEERS	Price Range	Avg	Top	HEIFERS	Price Range	Avg	Top
+1000	86.50-95.00	90.88	95.00	900+	77.50-83.50	81.07	83.50
900-999	84.00-94.25	90.98	94.25				
600-699	75.00-100.50	90.19	100.50				
500-599	64.00-100.00	88.00	100.00				

SPECIAL ONTARIO FALL STOCKER SALES

Stocker sale: **Kawartha Lakes Coop Auction Market –Nov 18, 2009 – 771** stockers

STEERS	Price Range	Avg	Top	HEIFERS	Price Range	Avg	Top
1000+	64.50-88.00	80.58	88.00	900+	64.00-85.00	75.77	85.00
900-999	77.00-87.25	85.25	87.25	800-899	67.00-85.50	82.44	85.50
800-899	83.25-98.00	95.47	98.00	700-799	79.00-101.50	87.94	101.50
700-799	71.00-98.75	94.42	98.75	600-699	77.00-104.00	97.95	104.00
600-699	90.00-118.25	104.66	118.25	500-599	90.00-106.00	100.67	106.00
500-599	92.00-128.50	117.40	128.50	400-499	87.50-112.00	105.43	112.00
400-499	105.00-135.00	125.73	135.00	300-399	87.50-112.00	101.00	112.00

Peterborough/Victoria County Cattlemen’s Vaccinated stocker sale-Co-mingled and large producer lots. Quality stockers sold on a good demand. Note: Evening bred cow sale Wed Nov 25th @ 6pm- 150 head expected.

ALBERTA DIRECT TRADE

Alberta direct trade on Wednesday was light to moderate with prices \$0.50 lower.

Steers	Live	76.85-77.35	Flat rail	130.00
Heifers	Live	76.85-78.00	Flat rail	N/T

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

US cash cattle trade was untested this afternoon but some light trade is still possible later today or into Friday as southern trade volumes Wednesday were smaller than first thought. Asking prices on the remaining cattle are \$85.00-\$86.00 live and \$132.00 dressed.

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

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

	Choice	Select
Cutout Values: (noon estimate)	139.89	132.28
Change: (from yesterday’s close)	-0.86	+0.16
Current 5 day average:	140.08	132.57

Closing quotes on futures today were as follows:

Live Cattle		Feeder Cattle		Corn		Soybeans		Canadian \$	
\$/cwt US		\$/cwt US		\$/bu US ¢/bu		\$/bu US ¢/bu			
Dec	83.67 +0.60	Nov	93.02 +0.07	Dec	3.950 -3.0	Jan	10.390 +12.0	Spot	94.13 -0.50
Feb	85.37 +0.40	Jan	91.82 +0.10	Mar	4.106 -3.0	Mar	10.446 +11.4	Dec	94.12 -0.49
Apr	87.87 +0.00	Mar	92.85 -0.07	May	4.204 -3.0	May	10.462 +11.0	Mar	94.12 -0.50
Jun	84.87 +0.07	Apr	94.00 -0.02	Jul	4.286 -2.0	Jul	10.500 +10.6	Jun	94.10 -0.49
Aug	85.30 +0.17	May	95.00 -0.10	Sep	4.330 -2.4	Aug	10.464 +9.0	Sep	94.04 -0.50
Oct	88.17 +0.07	Aug	97.00 +0.25	Dec	4.382 -2.2	Sep	10.290 +3.4	Dec	93.98 -0.48

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