



# Daily Market Information Report



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**Monday November 23, 2009**

## ONTARIO DIRECT TO PACKER RAILGRADE CATTLE TRADE

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

**A grade steers** 136.00-137.00  
**A grade heifers** 135.00-136.00

## ONTARIO LIVE CATTLE TRADE

Today at **Ontario Stockyards: 120** veal

	Price Range	Top Price
<b>Veal calves + 600 lbs</b>	63.00-97.50	118.00
<b>Veal calves 451-600</b>	75.00-89.50	99.00

Veal calves sold well.

Today at **Brussels Livestock- 996** stockers

STEERS	Price Range	Avg	Top	HEIFERS	Price Range	Avg	Top
<b>900-999</b>	90.25	90.25	90.25	<b>800-899</b>	88.00-89.00	88.44	89.00
<b>800-899</b>	87.00-97.00	90.65	98.00	<b>700-799</b>	85.00-99.00	93.41	99.00
<b>700-799</b>	96.00-100.25	98.74	100.25	<b>600-699</b>	92.00-101.00	96.51	103.00
<b>600-699</b>	97.00-113.50	106.46	113.50	<b>500-599</b>	95.00-107.50	101.68	108.25
<b>500-599</b>	101.00-124.00	114.51	124.00	<b>400-499</b>	96.00-105.50	101.63	111.50
<b>400-499</b>	114.00-137.50	126.26	137.50	<b>300-399</b>	108.00-121.00	112.50	125.00
<b>300-399</b>	103.00-128.00	121.00	128.00	<b>299-</b>			

Vaccinated calf and yearling sale sponsored by the Huron County Beef Producers. Good quality cattle sold on a strong active trade.

**At Talbotville Livestock: Saturday Nov 21, 2009- 167** head

	Price Range	Top
<b>Good &amp; Choice Steers</b>	76.00-84.50	No tops
<b>Good &amp; Choice Heifers</b>	77.00-82.25	No tops
<b>Good Cows</b>	36.00-42.50	55.00
<b>Export Cows</b>	37.00-44.00	
<b>Good heavy bulls</b>	50.00-56.00	
<b>Good veal calves</b>	84.00-92.50	

Fed steers and heifers traded steady to slightly stronger. Cows traded a shade better while bulls sold steady and strong. Good veal calves sold strong and active with no choice calves on offer.

**At Kawartha Lakes Co-op Auction Market: Nov 21, 2009 - 147** cows

	Price Range	Average	Top
<b>Cows</b>	23.50-49.00	35.14	62.00

Cows sold at prices \$1.00 stronger.

Stocker sale at: **Brussels Livestock, Nov 20, 2009 - 1,950** stockers

STEERS	Price Range	Avg	Top	HEIFERS	Price Range	Avg	Top
<b>1000+</b>	80.50-83.75	82.63	92.00	<b>900+</b>	77.50-85.75	82.02	90.25
<b>900-999</b>	81.00-92.25	88.04	93.50	<b>800-899</b>	81.50-86.50	84.12	87.25
<b>800-899</b>	88.00-97.00	92.15	97.00	<b>700-799</b>	80.00-89.50	85.89	89.50
<b>700-799</b>	86.50-97.75	94.74	98.00	<b>600-699</b>	83.00-93.00	86.81	97.00
<b>600-699</b>	89.50-106.50	96.48	108.00	<b>500-599</b>	75.00-95.00	87.02	111.00
<b>500-599</b>	87.50-109.00	97.07	120.00	<b>400-499</b>	87.00-114.00	102.46	114.00
<b>400-499</b>	105.00-120.50	113.43	124.00	<b>300-399</b>	96.00-113.00	100.66	116.00
<b>300-399</b>	106.00-129.00	118.06	134.00	<b>299-</b>	79.00-112.00	100.06	112.00

Stocker sale at: **Kawartha Lakes Coop Auction Mkt, Nov 21, 2009 – 186** stockers

<b>STEERS</b>	Price Range	Avg	Top	<b>HEIFERS</b>	Price Range	Avg	Top
<b>600-699</b>	72.00-101.00	91.32	101.00	<b>700-799</b>	76.50-83.50	80.92	83.50
<b>500-599</b>	60.00-120.00	99.14	120.00	<b>600-699</b>	67.00-87.00	80.96	87.00
				<b>500-599</b>	56.00-98.00	83.72	98.00
				<b>400-499</b>	50.00-104.00	72.73	107.50

Stockers traded actively at steady prices.

**SPECIAL ONTARIO FALL STOCKER SALES**

Stocker sale at: **Keady Livestock Market, Nov 20, 2009 – 597** local calves

<b>STEERS</b>	Price Range	Avg	Top	<b>HEIFERS</b>	Price Range	Avg	Top
<b>800-899</b>	87.50-90.00	88.33	90.00	<b>600-699</b>	91.50-95.00	93.45	95.00
<b>700-799</b>	98.00-003.00	100.69	103.00	<b>500-599</b>	95.00-105.00	100.86	105.00
<b>600-699</b>	103.25-115.00	109.23	115.00	<b>400-499</b>	104.50-126.50	115.34	135.00
<b>500-599</b>	103.00-127.50	118.28	127.50	<b>300-399</b>	116.00-131.00	125.54	131.00
<b>400-499</b>	117.50-135.00	128.11	135.00				
<b>399-</b>	116.00-140.00	134.27	140.00				

Catalogued Local Calf Sale, vaccinated and non-vaccinated. Good quality calves sold on a steady market.

**LIVE CATTLE EXPORTS-ONTARIO**

	Week ending Oct 31, 09	Week ending Oct 24, 09	Year to Date
Total live slaughter cattle exported from Ont to the US.	<b>3,744</b>	<b>3,579</b>	<b>114,473</b>
Steers & Heifers	2,552	2,580	91,680
Cows	1,186	992	21,590
Bulls	6	7	1,203

**AVERAGE CARCASS WEIGHTS – CANADA**

	<b>Steers</b>	<b>Heifers</b>
<b>Nov 14, 2009</b>	888	819
<b>Nov 8, 2008</b>	851	807

**FEDERALLY INSPECTED CANADIAN KILL**

	Week Ending	YTD	% of Yr. Ago
	Nov 14, 2009		
<b>Grand Total</b>	61,841	2,734,659	98%
<b>Alberta Slaughter</b>	46,881	2,052,497	106%
<b>Ontario Slaughter</b>	11,198	477,031	98%

**USDA ESTIMATED CATTLE KILL**

	Week Ending	Previous Week	Year Ago
	Nov 21, 2009		
<b>Grand Total</b>	631,000	625,000	636,000

**CANADIAN BOXED BEEF CUT-OUT VALUES**

Week Ending	<b>AAA</b>	<b>AA</b>
Nov 13, 2009	1.4268	1.4559
Nov 6, 2009	1.4382	1.4508
Oct 30, 2009	1.4473	1.4438

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

	<b>Choice</b>	<b>Select</b>
<b>Cutout Values:</b> (noon estimate)	139.54	131.98
<b>Change:</b> (from yesterday's close)	+0.36	0.01
<b>Current 5 day average:</b>	140.10	132.26

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

U.S. cash cattle trade was quiet with show list distribution the business for the day. This week's offering appears to be larger in all areas except Nebraska, which is steady in volume. Early asking prices are at \$86.00-\$87.00 live and \$133.00-\$135.00 dressed. We could see business develop on Wednesday given the Thanksgiving Holiday on Thursday, if not, trade will be delayed until Friday.

<b>Choice and select steers and heifers:</b>	Live	N/T
	Rail	N/T

**CHICAGO MERCANTILE EXCHANGE**

Closing quotes on futures for today were as follows:

<b>Live Cattle</b>			<b>Feeder Cattle</b>			<b>Corn</b>		<b>Soybeans</b>		<b>Canadian \$</b>				
\$/cwt US			\$/cwt US			\$/bu US	¢/bu	\$/bu US	¢/bu					
<b>Dec</b>	84.05	+0.10	<b>Jan</b>	92.87	+0.20	<b>Dec</b>	3.872	-3.6	<b>Jan</b>	10.420	-4.0	<b>Spot</b>	94.77	+1.42
<b>Feb</b>	85.82	+0.40	<b>Mar</b>	93.90	+0.32	<b>Mar</b>	4.032	-3.6	<b>Mar</b>	10.476	-2.4	<b>Dec</b>	94.75	+1.41
<b>Apr</b>	88.37	+0.32	<b>Apr</b>	95.22	+0.30	<b>May</b>	4.132	-3.6	<b>May</b>	10.492	-1.2	<b>Mar</b>	94.75	+1.40
<b>Jun</b>	85.10	-0.07	<b>May</b>	96.17	+0.27	<b>Jul</b>	4.212	-4.2	<b>Jul</b>	10.524	-1.0	<b>Jun</b>	94.73	+1.41
<b>Aug</b>	85.55	+0.05	<b>Aug</b>	98.05	-0.05	<b>Sep</b>	4.274	-2.6	<b>Aug</b>	10.490	-0.4	<b>Sep</b>	94.67	+1.40
<b>Oct</b>	88.35	+0.05	<b>Sep</b>	98.00	+0.00	<b>Dec</b>	4.344	-1.0	<b>Sep</b>	10.344	+2.4	<b>Dec</b>	94.61	+1.39

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