

Daily Market Information Report

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

Friday December 11, 2009

ONTARIO DIRECT TO PACKER RAILGRADE PRICES

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

A grade steers 131.00-135.00
A grade heifers 130.00-134.00

ONTARIO LIVE CATTLE TRADE

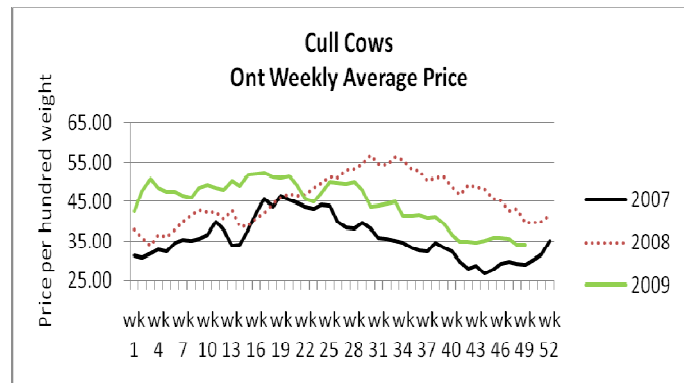
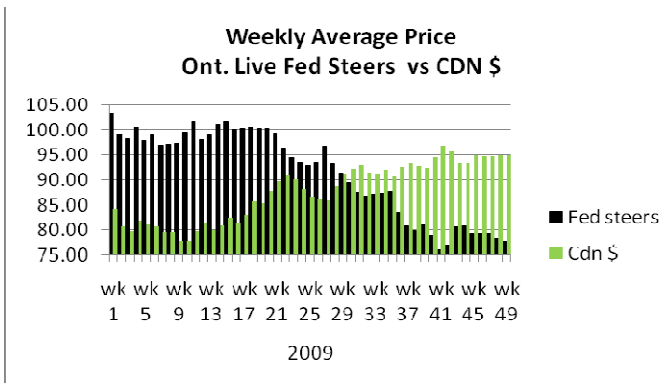
Today at: **Brussels Livestock: 1,250** stockers (350 yearlings left to sell at reporting time)

STEERS	Price Range	Avg	Top	HEIFERS	Price Range	Avg	Top
1000+	71.00-79.00	75.00	84.50	900+	73.00-85.75	80.09	86.00
900-999	84.75-88.00	86.79	88.00	800-899	83.00-92.50	87.38	96.50
800-899	81.50-94.50	88.41	94.50	700-799	79.00-84.00	81.20	84.00
700-799	87.00-96.00	91.83	96.00	600-699	79.00-94.00	88.19	104.50
600-699	89.50-101.50	94.77	110.25	500-599	82.00-95.00	88.84	104.50
500-599	94.00-119.50	105.02	133.00	400-499	77.00-97.00	88.09	100.00
400-499	103.00-120.00	110.11	120.00	300-399	79.00-105.50	94.33	105.50
399-	103.00-129.50	114.00	142.00	299-	80.00-94.00	88.40	94.00

Calves and yearlings sold on a steady market.

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

	Price Range	Avg.	Top
Large & Medium Frame Fed Steers +1250	74.51-80.97	78.12	84.75
Large & Medium Frame Fed Heifers +1000	75.26-81.13	78.80	85.00
Cows	29.51-43.54	35.87	69.50
Bulls	38.30-54.41	46.86	75.00
Veal calves 600 lbs +	85.83-109.39	95.31	125.00
Veal calves 125 lbs & under	51.00-92.00	77.80	100.00



Stocker Sale at: **Ontario Livestock Exchange, Dec 10, 2009 – 192** stockers

STEERS	Price Range	Avg	Top	HEIFERS	Price Range	Avg	Top
800-899	75.50-86.00	81.46	86.00	800-899	63.00-76.50	70.56	76.50
600-699	89.00-96.00	93.75	98.00	700-799	55.50-80.00	67.50	82.00
500-599	81.00-97.00	94.37	112.00	600-699	72.00-87.00	80.50	87.00
400-499	87.00-111.00	98.38	111.00	500-599	77.00-99.00	87.09	99.00
399-	54.00-116.00	76.88	116.00	400-499	71.00-93.00	80.00	93.00
				300-399	45.00-95.00	71.11	101.00

Stocker Sale at: **Ontario Stockyards Inc, Dec 10, 2009 – 1,585** stockers

STEERS	Price Range	Avg	Top	HEIFERS	Price Range	Avg	Top
1000+	79.00-91.50	88.21	91.50	900+	78.25-90.0	82.45	90.00
900-999	85.75-90.00	88.44	93.00	800-899	79.00-84.25	81.52	84.25
800-899	75.50-96.25	88.10	101.50	700-799	70.00-93.25	84.65	93.25
700-799	85.00-102.00	95.15	106.00	600-699	84.50-99.00	92.01	103.00
600-699	97.00-107.00	101.84	110.00	500-599	83.00-105.00	93.68	111.00
500-599	105.50-120.50	112.05	120.50	400-499	90.00-114.00	102.95	116.00
400-499	110.00-125.00	118.04	126.50	300-399	94.00-116.00	105.74	117.00
399-	111.00-128.00	120.88	130.00	299-	98.00-115.00	102.55	115.00

Stocker Sale at: **Ottawa Livestock Exchange, Dec 10, 2009- 209** stockers

STEERS	Price Range	Avg	Top	HEIFERS	Price Range	Avg	Top
600-699	87.00-103.00	95.21	103.00	600-699	77.00-91.00	83.17	91.00
500-599	82.00-102.00	91.09	115.00	500-599	86.00-98.00	90.54	98.00
400-499	91.00-116.00	103.24	119.00	400-499	81.00-97.00	88.97	101.00
399-	76.00-116.00	99.44	116.00	300-399	87.00-105.00	96.50	105.00

Stocker Sale at: **Brussels Livestock, Dec 10, 2009 – 278** stockers

STEERS	Price Range	Avg	Top	HEIFERS	Price Range	Avg	Top
400-499	93.00-115.00	107.02	119.00	400-499	94.00-108.00	101.40	125.00
399-	89.00-116.00	107.07	116.00	300-399	93.00-110.00	102.81	133.00

Stocker Comparison- this week's average price compared to last week & the same time last year.

	This week's Average Price	Last week's Average Price	Change from last week	Year Ago Average Price	Change from last year
Steers	2009			2008	
400-500	112.14	111.66	+0.48	102.17	+9.97
500-600	104.40	102.39	+2.01	102.35	+2.05
600-700	97.79	96.04	+1.75	96.67	+1.12
700-800	90.46	89.68	+0.78	94.92	-4.46
800-900	90.29	86.97	+3.32	95.90	-5.61
900+	90.64	90.56	+0.08	103.61	-12.97
Heifers					
300-400	98.73	97.71	+1.02	89.68	+9.05
400-500	99.79	97.29	+2.50	93.10	+6.69
500-600	92.38	91.35	+1.03	91.08	+1.30
600-700	88.90	85.01	+3.89	86.45	+2.45
700-800	86.83	84.77	+2.06	89.40	-2.57
800+	84.78	87.02	-2.24	91.53	-6.75

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

For the week ending Dec 10, 2009

Price Range

A1, A2 Steers

129.00-131.25

ALBERTA DIRECT TRADE

Alberta direct trade this week saw live average prices \$0.47-\$0.82 lower while rail prices averaged \$3.00 lower than last week. Prices reported for the week are as follows:

Steers Live 73.60-74.75

Flat rail 124.85-126.30

Heifers Live 73.60-75.75

Flat rail 124.85-126.30

