



Daily Market Information Report - Wednesday, November 6, 2013

The following information is collected from various sources and disseminated by Beef Farmers of Ontario.

ONTARIO DIRECT TO PACKER RAILGRADE CATTLE TRADE

Prices are on a carcass weight basis before grade and weight discounts. (Prices for today regardless of delivery date).

A Grade Steers	208.00-210.00
A Grade Heifers	207.00-209.00

ONTARIO LIVE CATTLE TRADE

Today at Ontario Livestock Exchange: 500 Stockers

	Price Range	Top
Steers +1000 lbs	145.00-150.00	153.00
Steers 800-1000 lbs	150.00-160.50	
Heifers 800+ lbs	139.00-141.75	

Stockers sold actively at steady prices.

Today at Ontario Stockyards Inc.: 300 Fed Cattle, 365 Cows, 30 Bulls, and 20 Veal

	Price Range	Top
Fancy Fed Steers	124.00-129.00	136.00
Fancy Fed Heifers	124.00-129.00	135.00
Good Cows	64.00-77.00	83.00
Export Cows	60.00-72.00	77.00
Bulls	76.00-88.00	94.00

Fed steers and heifers sold actively at about steady prices, with extra fancy lots selling higher. Cows and bulls traded mostly steady, with plainer types further discounted. Veal was steady to Monday. *1,100 stockers are expected for Thursday's sale. 200 cows expected for Nov 8th @ 7:00 pm- Bred cow and cow/calf sale. Nov 12th @ 11:00 am- All vaccinated sale!*

At Denfield Livestock Exchange Inc., November 5, 2013: 101 Fed Cattle, 89 Cows, 7 Bulls, 26 Veal, and 103 Drop Calves

	Price Range	Top		Price Range	Top
Choice steers	130.00-135.00		Good beef cows	65.00-75.00	91.50
Good steers	125.00-130.00		Good Holstein cows	65.00-75.00	
Choice heifers	130.00-135.00		D1 & D2 Cows	60.00-65.00	
Good heifers	125.00-130.00		D3 & D4 Cows	47.00-60.00	
Good Holstein veal	132.00-141.00		Choice drop calves	\$150.00-\$195.00	
Plain and heavy veal	125.00-130.00		Good drop calves	\$100.00-\$150.00	
Good beef bulls	81.00-84.00		Plain & Newborns	\$50.00-\$100.00	

All markets traded steady to last week. *Nov 16 @ 11:00 am- Stockers and Bred Cow, Cow/calf sale.*

At Renfrew Pontiac Livestock Ltd., November 5, 2013: 7 Replacement Calves, 84 Cows, and 7 Bulls

	Price Range	Top
Replacement Calves	\$65.00-\$95.00	\$110.00
Cows D1 & D2	78.00-81.00	88.00
Cows D3	71.00-77.00	
Cows D4	57.00-69.00	
Bulls	73.00-85.00	89.00

A very active sale with prices steady to last week. *Friday Nov 8th @ 7:00 pm- Bred Cow Sale- 80 xbred cows from three farms, 20 cow calf pairs.*

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

	Volume	Price Range	Average	Top
Large & Medium Frame Fed Steers +1250 lbs	46	115.00-127.50	123.97	139.25
Large & Medium Frame Fed Heifers +1000 lbs	117	121.50-129.75	125.09	137.50
Cows	849	51.74-76.49	64.60	104.00
Bulls	41	65.10-83.47	74.10	95.00
Veal over 600 lbs	164	124.00-142.50	133.94	168.00
Veal 125 lbs and less	103	35.97-75.19	60.68	100.00

Stocker Sale at: Community Livestock Exchange, November 5, 2013 – 102 Stockers

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
500-599	125.00-180.00	156.20	180.00	500-599	101.00-145.00	129.40	145.00
400-499	136.00-206.00	171.70	206.00				

Nov 29th @ 11:00 am- Quinte Cattlemen's Association Special Stocker Sale. 100% vaccinated, catalogued and farm fresh.

Stocker Sale at: Keady Livestock Market- November 5, 2013 – 740 Stockers

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
900-999	149.00-156.00	153.77	156.00	900+	115.00-144.50	135.11	144.50
800-899	133.50-166.75	151.73	166.75	800-899	120.00-140.50	133.91	140.50
700-799	130.00-166.00	146.33	166.00	700-799	102.00-145.50	129.73	149.00
600-699	135.00-166.00	152.79	177.00	600-699	106.00-153.00	133.38	153.00
500-599	145.00-187.00	166.98	189.50	500-599	135.00-176.00	159.30	176.00
400-499	170.00-206.00	189.96	206.00	400-499	150.00-174.00	165.38	189.00
399-	131.00-169.00	150.38	169.00	300-399	145.00-167.00	160.21	178.00

All classes of cattle sold in accordance with the current market trend. Nov 8th @ 9:00 am- Local calf sale, preweaned or right off the cow.

Stocker Sale at: Renfrew Pontiac Livestock Ltd., November 5, 2013 – 337 Stockers

Steers	Price Range	Heifers	Price Range
900-999	144.00-154.00	800-899	127.00-134.00
800-899	153.00-159.00	700-799	131.00-139.00
700-799	157.00-167.00	600-699	138.00-154.00
600-699	158.00-177.00	500-599	153.00-166.00
500-599	178.00-184.00	400-499	166.00-175.00
400-499	185.00-200.00	300-399	170.00-175.00
399-	190.00-205.00		

Stockers sold steady to last week.

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

	Choice 600-900	Select 600-900
Cutout Values (noon estimate):	203.94	190.58
Change (from yesterday's close):	-1.51	+0.60
Current Five Day Average:	205.29	189.75

ALBERTA DIRECT TRADE

Alberta direct trade on Tuesday remained untested with business expected to develop today. Canfax reports that steady prices are anticipated.

Steers	Live	N/T	Flat Rail	N/T
Heifers	Live	N/T	Flat Rail	N/T

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

U.S. cash cattle trade was untested today with just a few bids reported at \$129.00 live and \$204.00 dressed, which are far below asking prices which are holding at \$134.00-\$135.00 live and \$210.00 dressed. Active trading is not expected to surface before Thursday at the earliest.

Choice and Select Steers and Heifers:

Live	N/T
Rail	N/T

CHICAGO MERCANTILE EXCHANGE

Closing quotes on futures today were as follows:

Live Cattle			Feeder Cattle			Corn			Soybeans			Canadian \$		
Dec	132.02	-0.02	Nov	164.85	+0.07	Dec	4.212	-3.6	Nov	12.630	+3.6	Spot	95.98	+0.38
Feb	133.90	+0.07	Jan	165.55	+0.47	Mar	4.314	-4.0	Jan	12.550	+4.6	Dec	95.87	+0.39
Apr	134.22	+0.07	Mar	165.37	+0.42	May	4.394	-3.6	Mar	12.404	+4.2	Mar	95.65	+0.39
Jun	128.57	-0.27	Apr	166.65	+0.32	Jul	4.464	-3.6	May	12.314	+4.2	Jun	95.43	+0.38
Aug	127.32	+0.02	May	167.20	+0.37	Sep	4.526	-4.0	Jul	12.284	+4.0	Sep	95.21	+0.40
Oct	129.42	+0.00	Aug	167.97	+0.07	Dec	4.616	-4.0	Aug	12.154	+4.0	Dec	94.98	+0.38

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