



## Daily Market Information Report - Thursday, November 28, 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).

Prices reported for Wednesday November 27, 2013

**A Grade Steers** 210.00-213.00

**A Grade Heifers** 209.00-212.00

### ONTARIO LIVE CATTLE TRADE

Today at Ontario Livestock Exchange: 300 Fed Cattle, 875 Cows, 200 Stockers, 20 Veal

	Price Range	Top
Good Fed Steers	119.00-132.75	144.50
Good Fed Heifers	119.00-131.00	133.00
Good Cows	65.00-75.00	102.00
Steers +700 lbs	132.00-147.00	
Steers 600-700 lbs	141.00-163.00	
Heifers +700 lbs	128.00-146.00	
Lightweight Heifers	133.00-155.00	

Cows sold on a steady market. Fed steers and heifers sold at prices \$2.00-\$3.00 higher. Stockers sold on a steady market.

Today at Ontario Stockyards Inc.: 1,000 Stockers (sale is in progress)

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
1000+	129.00-154.25	144.40	154.25	+900 lbs	129.25-138.00	133.10	138.50
900-999	126.00-158.25	148.12	158.25	800-899	135.00-150.00	146.58	150.00
800-899	136.50-160.50	151.83	160.50	700-799	131.00-153.00	144.88	153.00
700-799	145.00-166.75	157.97	166.75	600-699	132.00-155.00	148.46	155.00
600-699	133.00-173.50	159.19	174.50	500-599	133.00-153.00	143.97	162.00
500-599	140.00-200.25	172.67	200.25	400-499	138.00-164.00	155.17	175.00
400-499	180.00-211.25	203.13	211.25	300-399	156.00-170.00	161.08	170.00
300-399	150.00-160.00	153.42	194.00				

Replacement cattle traded actively with prices steady to last Thursday's sale. Final results will be posted on Friday's report. Dec 5<sup>th</sup> @ 11:00 am- Special Fall Yearling Sale in regular sale! Dec 6<sup>th</sup> @ 7:00 pm- Bred Cow Sale.

Today at Brussels Livestock: 125 Veal

	Price Range	Top
Good beef calves	170.00-200.00	205.50
Good Holsteins	145.00-160.00	168.00
Medium Holsteins	130.00-140.00	
Heavy Holsteins	140.00-150.00	

All classes of veal sold on a very strong market with prices \$5.00 higher right across the board.

At: Aylmer Stockyards Inc., November 27, 2013 – 19 veal, 215 cows, 1 bull,

	Price Range	Avg	Top
Cows	40.00-83.99	65.80	112.99
Veal over 600 lbs	103.00-150.00	124.39	150.00
Replacement calves	\$25.00-\$185.00		\$200.00

Cows and veal remain high.

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

	Volume	Price Range	Average	Top
Large & Medium Frame Fed Steers +1250 lbs	66	117.00-129.75	125.89	129.75
Large & Medium Frame Fed Heifers +1000 lbs	116	123.00-133.00	128.19	136.00
Cows	925	51.44-77.29	64.40	112.99
Bulls	31	70.93-92.89	80.12	121.00
Veal Under 125 lbs	227	60.00-170.00	131.81	188.00

To check out individual auction market results on the Ontario Beef website go to <http://www.ontariobeef.com/markets/market-reports.aspx>

**Stocker Sale at Ontario Livestock Exchange, November 20, 2013 – 573 Stockers**

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
+1000 lbs	141.50-165.00	156.05	165.00	900+	140.25-147.25	143.36	147.25
900-999	152.75-167.50	159.44	167.50	800-899	146.50-151.25	148.81	151.25
800-899	150.00-166.00	161.72	166.00				

**ONTARIO STOCKER & FEEDER TRADE SPECIAL FALL STOCKER SALES**

Stocker sale at: **Vankleek Hill Livestock Exchange, November 27, 2013 – 368 stockers**

Steers	Price Range	Avg	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Avg	Top
800-899	90.00-168.00	139.96	168.00	700-799	125.00-135.00	131.74	135.00
700-799	130.00-170.00	156.93	170.00	600-699	100.00-142.00	119.32	142.00
600-699	120.00-170.00	149.62	171.00	500-599	115.00-177.00	128.34	157.00
500-599	98.00-182.00	146.39	182.00	400-499	42.00-161.00	115.89	161.00
400-499	94.00-178.00	145.87	178.00	300-399	45.00-148.00	98.93	148.00
399-	74.00-173.00	119.07	173.00				

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

	Choice 600-900	Select 600-900
Cutout Values (noon estimate):	N/A	N/A

**ALBERTA DIRECT TRADE**

Alberta direct trade on Wednesday remained untested with business expected to develop today.

<b>Steers</b>	Live	N/T	Flat Rail	N/T
<b>Heifers</b>	Live	N/T	Flat Rail	N/T

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

U.S. cash cattle trade saw active trading in the north yesterday ahead of the Thanksgiving holiday, with prices \$2.00-\$3.00 higher from \$209.00-\$211.00 dressed while light trade in parts of the south were \$1.00-\$2.00 higher at \$132.00 live. Some light trade could develop on Friday in the south but at this point it looks like the northern business is completed. Today the market is untested as the U.S. celebrates their Thanksgiving holiday.

<b>Choice and Select Steers and Heifers:</b>	Live	132.00
	Rail	209.00-211.00

**CHICAGO MERCANTILE EXCHANGE is closed as the U.S. celebrates the Thanksgiving Holiday!**

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