



## Daily Market Information Report - Wednesday, May 21, 2014

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).

<b>A Grade Steers</b>	257.00-264.00
<b>A Grade Heifers</b>	256.00-263.00

### ONTARIO LIVE CATTLE TRADE

Today at Ontario Livestock Exchange: 631 Stockers

	Price Range	Top
<b>Steers +1000 lbs</b>	167.00-172.00	176.50
<b>Steers 800-1000 lbs</b>	170.00-189.25	
<b>Steers 600-800 lbs</b>	191.00-216.50	
<b>Heifers +900 lbs</b>	160.00-167.00	
<b>Heifers 600-800 lbs</b>	175.00-190.00	

Feeder cattle sold on a strong active trade at prices \$3.00-\$4.00 higher.

Today at Ontario Stockyards Inc.: 160 Fed Cattle, 235 Cows, 15 Bulls, and 10 Veal

	Price Range	Top
<b>Fancy Fed Steers</b>	157.00-162.00	164.50
<b>Fancy Fed Heifers</b>	157.00-162.00	170.00
<b>Good Cows</b>	92.00-121.00	126.00
<b>Export Cows</b>	88.00-107.00	111.50
<b>Bulls</b>	109.00-121.00	135.00

Cows and bulls traded actively with prices about steady on the better kinds. All others are slightly lower. Calves were steady. *Tuesday, May 27th @ 11:00am - Stocker Sale - All Vaccinated!*

At Denfield Livestock Exchange Inc.: May 20, 2014 - 112 Fed Cattle, 31 Veal, 8 Bulls, 89 Cows, 134 Drop Calves

	Price Range	Top		Price Range	Top
<b>Choice steers</b>	155.00-160.00	167.00	<b>Good beef cows</b>	105.00-120.00	
<b>Good steers</b>	150.00-154.00		<b>Good Holstein cows</b>	100.00-110.00	
<b>Choice heifers</b>	155.00-160.00	167.00	<b>D1 &amp; D2 Cows</b>	95.00-100.00	
<b>Good heifers</b>	148.00-153.00		<b>D3 &amp; D4 Cows</b>	85.00-95.00	
<b>Good Holstein veal</b>	115.00-121.00		<b>Choice drop calves</b>	\$325.00-\$375.00	
<b>Plain and heavy veal</b>	110.00-115.00		<b>Good drop calves</b>	\$250.00-\$320.00	
<b>Good beef bulls</b>	90.00-125.00	132.00	<b>Plain &amp; Newborns</b>	\$150.00-\$225.00	

Fed cattle sold strong and steady to last week's market. Veal sold \$3.00-\$4.00 higher. All other areas of the market sold steady to last week. *Saturday, May 24, 2014 @ 11:00am - Stocker and Bred Cow Sale.*

At Renfrew Pontiac Livestock Ltd.: May 20, 2014 - 18 Replacement Calves, 96 Cows, and 5 Bulls

	Price Range	Top
<b>Replacement Calves</b>	\$170.00-\$330.00	\$445.00
<b>Cows D1 &amp; D2</b>	105.00-114.00	121.00
<b>Cows D3</b>	98.00-105.00	
<b>Cows D4</b>	76.00-98.00	
<b>Bulls</b>	109.00-126.00	135.00

Cows traded 3-4 cwt higher.

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

	Volume	Price Range	Average	Top
Large & Medium Frame Fed Steers +1250 lbs	25	128.40-158.80	146.68	171.50
Large & Medium Frame Fed Heifers +1000 lbs	120	135.82-157.14	148.34	165.50
Cows	577	80.62-118.14	101.44	193.00
Bulls	42	103.98-123.02	112.75	134.42
Veal over 600 lbs	298	107.57-121.29	114.04	161.00
Veal 125 lbs and less	116	152.41-299.66	237.73	375.00

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: Temiskaming Livestock Sales: May 19, 2014 - 67 stockers**

Steers	Price Range	Avg	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Avg	Top
600-699	168.50-191.00	183.61	191.00	700-799	117.00-135.00	126.00	135.00
500-599	131.00-170.50	154.13	183.00	600-699	162.00-184.50	177.75	184.50
400-499	129.00-189.50	168.88	218.50	400-499	150.00-188.00	174.00	188.00

**Stocker sale at: Community Livestock Exchange, May 20, 2014 – 185 Stockers**

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
700-799	117.00-177.00	147.80	177.00	700-799	101.00-172.50	146.10	172.50
600-699	113.99-236.00	186.60	236.00	600-699	126.00-191.00	161.00	191.00
500-599	121.00-244.00	210.70	244.00	500-599	145.00-202.50	177.20	202.50
400-499	129.00-247.00	212.90	247.00	400-499	131.00-200.00	177.70	200.00

**Stocker sale at: Keady Livestock Market, May 20, 2014 – 1,143 Stockers**

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
900-999	179.50-188.00	181.46	188.00	900+	143.00-167.00	156.00	167.00
800-899	194.25-209.50	200.18	209.50	800-899	164.00-175.50	169.41	175.50
700-799	213.00-224.50	218.29	229.00	700-799	174.50-188.00	180.08	194.00
600-699	213.00-240.25	230.14	240.25	600-699	198.00-225.50	214.22	225.50
500-599	223.00-252.00	238.57	252.00	500-599	204.00-241.00	224.08	241.00
400-499	224.00-269.00	250.11	269.00	400-499	215.00-238.00	229.34	238.00
399-	261.00-283.00	274.87	283.00	300-399	222.00-257.00	250.87	257.00

All classes of stocker and feeder cattle sold on a strong demand at sharply higher prices. Cull cows sold higher.

**Stocker sale at: Renfrew Pontiac Livestock Ltd., May 20, 2014 – 236 Stockers**

Steers	Price Range	Heifers	Price Range
900-999	163.00-173.00	800-899	149.00-155.00
800-899	172.00-179.00	700-799	155.00-163.00
700-799	179.00-195.00	600-699	163.00-180.00
600-699	195.00-209.00	500-599	180.00-198.00
500-599	209.00-240.00	400-499	196.00-212.00
400-499	232.00-248.00	300-399	192.00-210.00

Stockers sold on a steady market.

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

	Choice 600-900	Select 600-900
Cutout Values (noon estimate):	231.65	220.24
Change (from yesterday's close):	+1.42	+1.21
Current Five Day Average:	226.74	216.84

**ALBERTA DIRECT TRADE**

The Alberta direct trade for Tuesday saw no new trade to report.

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

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

The U.S. cash cattle trade was quiet today. Asking prices are around \$147.00 - \$148.00 in the south and \$237.00 plus in the north.

**Choice and Select Steers and Heifers sold:**      Live      N/T  
   Rail      N/T

### **CHICAGO MERCANTILE EXCHANGE**

Closing quotes on futures today were as follows:

Live Cattle			Feeder Cattle			Corn		Soybeans			Canadian \$			
Jun	138.27	-0.47	May	189.20	+0.15	Jul	4.744	+1.0	Jul	15.052	+35.4	Spot	91.61	-0.18
Aug	139.60	-0.50	Aug	196.52	+0.60	Sep	4.724	+0.2	Aug	14.306	+25.4	Jun	91.55	-0.18
Oct	143.37	-0.37	Sep	197.55	+0.55	Dec	4.716	-0.2	Sep	13.072	+22.4	Sep	91.35	-0.18
Dec	145.90	+0.05	Oct	197.42	+0.32	Mar	4.812	+0.2	Nov	12.534	+21.2	Dec	91.15	-0.17
Feb	147.45	+0.25	Nov	196.27	+0.37	May	4.872		Jan	12.592	+21.2	Mar	90.95	-0.17
Apr	147.97	-0.02	Jan	191.67	+0.77	Jul	4.926	+0.2	Mar	12.632	+21.0	Jun	90.76	-0.18

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