



## Daily Market Information Report - Wednesday, October 29, 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>	285.00-288.00
<b>A Grade Heifers</b>	284.00-287.00

### ONTARIO LIVE CATTLE TRADE

Today at **Ontario Livestock Exchange: 691** Stockers

	Price Range	Top
<b>Steers +1000 lbs</b>	225.00-242.50	
<b>Steers 800-1000 lbs</b>	231.00-250.00	
<b>Steers 600-800 lbs</b>	225.00-262.50	
<b>Heifers +800 lbs</b>	223.00-245.00	
<b>Heifers 600-800 lbs</b>	210.00-254.50	

Feeder cattle are selling on a stronger trade at higher prices.

Today at **Ontario Stockyards Inc.: 230** Fed Cattle, **260** Cows, **25** Bulls, **10** Veal

	Price Range	Top
<b>Fancy Fed Steers</b>	174.00-178.00	
<b>Fancy Fed Heifers</b>	174.00-178.00	185.00
<b>Aged &amp; Medium Fed Steers &amp; Heifers</b>	N/T	
<b>Good Cows</b>	100.00-135.00	136.00
<b>Export Cows</b>	90.00-109.00	115.00
<b>Bulls</b>	106.00-131.00	144.00

Fed steers and heifers traded at prices \$3.00-\$4.00 higher. Cows and bulls sold actively at stronger prices. Veal sold steady to Monday. *There are 1,600 stockers expected for Thursday's sale. Also, directly following Thursday's stocker sale- Bred Cow Sale - Complete herd of 76 Angus cows and 2 bulls, all cows preg checked before sale. November 11th @ 11:00 am- Ontario Stockyards All Vaccinated Sale.*

At **Denfield Livestock Exchange Inc.: October 28, 2014 – 64** Fed Cattle, **23** Veal, **5** Bulls, **66** Cows, **98** Drop Calves

	Price Range	Top		Price Range	Top
<b>Choice steers</b>	176.00-180.00		<b>Good beef cows</b>	105.00-120.00	
<b>Good steers</b>	168.00-174.00		<b>Good Holstein cows</b>	105.00-117.00	
<b>Choice heifers</b>	176.00-180.00		<b>D1 &amp; D2 Cows</b>	80.00-90.00	
<b>Good heifers</b>	168.00-174.00		<b>D3 &amp; D4 Cows</b>	60.00-70.00	
<b>Good Holstein veal</b>	180.00-195.00		<b>Choice drop calves</b>	\$300.00-\$400.00	
<b>Plain and heavy veal</b>	160.00-170.00		<b>Good drop calves</b>	\$200.00-\$300.00	
<b>Good beef bulls</b>	119.00-133.50		<b>Plain &amp; Newborns</b>	\$100.00-\$200.00	
<b>Good Holstein bulls</b>	110.00-117.00				

Fed cattle sold \$4.00-\$5.00 higher. Veal sold up to \$25.00 higher. Cows, bulls and drop calves all traded steady to last week's good market. *November 1<sup>st</sup> @ 11:00 am- Local calf sale, no cows please.*

At **Renfrew Pontiac Livestock Ltd.:** **October 28, 2014 - 28** Replacement Calves, **121** Cows, **17** Bulls

	<b>Price Range</b>	<b>Top</b>
<b>Replacement Calves</b>	\$130.00-\$180.00	\$300.00
<b>Cows D1 &amp; D2</b>	112.00-124.00	133.00
<b>Cows D3</b>	95.00-111.00	
<b>Cows D4</b>	70.00-94.00	
<b>Bulls</b>	115.00-132.00	144.00

Cows sold steady.

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

	<b>Volume</b>	<b>Price Range</b>	<b>Average</b>	<b>Top</b>
Large & Medium Frame Fed Steers +1250 lbs	83	169.75-177.00	173.81	179.00
Large & Medium Frame Fed Heifers +1000 lbs	86	152.00-178.00	166.82	178.00
Cows	730	79.59-120.92	102.13	151.00
Bulls	46	98.42-137.69	119.93	204.99
Veal over 600 lbs	156	165.50-202.00	184.76	203.50
Veal 125 lbs and less	125	120.64-258.48	187.85	340.00

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: **Community Livestock Exchange, October 28, 2014 – 346** Stockers

<b>Steers</b>	<b>Price Range</b>	<b>Average</b>	<b>Top</b>	<b>Heifers</b>	<b>Price Range</b>	<b>Average</b>	<b>Top</b>
<b>1000+</b>	110.00-134.00	117.60	187.00	<b>800-899</b>	112.50-135.00	118.20	194.00
<b>900-999</b>	127.00-217.00	194.60	217.00	<b>700-799</b>	125.00-164.00	150.80	194.00
<b>800-899</b>	190.00-230.00	204.60	230.00	<b>600-699</b>	130.00-239.00	200.30	239.00
<b>700-799</b>	200.99-237.00	225.00	237.00	<b>500-599</b>	162.00-285.00	247.40	285.00
<b>600-699</b>	210.00-269.00	243.70	269.00	<b>400-499</b>	175.00-319.00	273.70	319.00
<b>500-599</b>	180.00-311.00	267.30	311.00	<b>300-399</b>	240.00-296.00	271.70	296.00
<b>400-499</b>	179.00-350.00	297.70	350.00				

*November 28th @ 11:00 am- Quinte Cattlemen's Association- Fall Stocker Sale - vaccinated, catalogued and farm fresh!*

Stocker sale at: **Keady Livestock Market, October 28, 2014 – 1,078** Stockers *Georgian Bay Premium Charolais Calf Association, pre-sort sale*

<b>Steers</b>	<b>Price Range</b>	<b>Average</b>	<b>Top</b>	<b>Heifers</b>	<b>Price Range</b>	<b>Average</b>	<b>Top</b>
<b>800-899</b>	232.00-254.50	247.65	270.00	<b>700-799</b>	229.00-246.50	238.66	250.50
<b>700-799</b>	266.00-280.50	271.17	282.50	<b>600-699</b>	241.50-264.00	256.19	280.50
<b>600-699</b>	282.50-296.00	287.27	308.00	<b>500-599</b>	278.00-307.50	296.91	311.50
<b>500-599</b>	287.00-327.00	309.84	346.00	<b>400-499</b>	305.50-339.00	325.37	351.00
<b>400-499</b>	327.00-355.00	342.09	368.00	<b>300-399</b>	320.00-351.00	340.39	351.00
<b>399-</b>	346.00-368.00	362.50	368.00				

Top quality presorted and vaccinated calvs sold on strong demand with good buyer representation. *Calf-O-Rama Week! October 30- 9:00 am- Bluewater Black Calf Club Sale- Pre-sort sale. November 1- 9:00 am- Central Calf Association- all breeds- owner lots.*

Stocker sale at: **Renfrew Pontiac Livestock Ltd., October 28, 2014 – 761** Stockers

<b>Steers</b>	<b>Price Range</b>	<b>Heifers</b>	<b>Price Range</b>
<b>900-999</b>	190.00-210.00	<b>800-899</b>	180.00-216.00
<b>800-899</b>	215.00-240.00	<b>700-799</b>	195.00-218.00
<b>700-799</b>	240.00-252.00	<b>600-699</b>	215.00-245.00
<b>600-699</b>	250.00-298.00	<b>500-599</b>	245.00-275.00
<b>500-599</b>	295.00-335.00	<b>400-499</b>	275.00-290.00
<b>400-499</b>	335.00-365.00	<b>300-399</b>	290.00-310.00
<b>399-</b>	340.00-370.00	<b>299-</b>	290.00-300.00

Stockers sold well at steady prices.

## ONTARIO STOCKER & FEEDER TRADE SPECIAL FALL STOCKER SALES

Stocker sale at: **Ontario Stockyards Inc., October 28, 2014– 690 yearlings**

<b>Steers</b>	<b>Price Range</b>	<b>Average</b>	<b>Top</b>	<b>Heifers</b>	<b>Price Range</b>	<b>Average</b>	<b>Top</b>
<b>1000+</b>	208.00-229.75	220.98	236.50	<b>900+</b>	213.50-239.00	229.82	239.00
<b>900-999</b>	231.00-239.50	236.35	240.00	<b>800-899</b>	209.50-247.00	237.01	247.50
<b>800-899</b>	244.00-260.00	253.00	261.00	<b>700-799</b>	243.00-258.00	249.65	258.00
<b>700-799</b>	247.00-268.00	264.08	268.00	<b>600-699</b>	175.00-252.00	222.06	258.00
<b>600-599</b>	251.00-254.50	252.83	254.50	<b>500-599</b>	175.00-201.00	187.42	239.00
<b>500-599</b>	240.00-274.00	256.75	179.00				

A good active trade on yearlings with prices fully steady.

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

	<b>Choice 600-900</b>	<b>Select 600-900</b>
<b>Cutout Values</b> (noon estimate):	254.05	240.06
<b>Change</b> (from yesterday's close):	+2.49	+0.96
<b>Current Five Day Average:</b>	249.72	235.28

### ALBERTA DIRECT TRADE

The Alberta direct trade on Tuesday remained untested. Canfax has reported: "There is a chance trade could develop by this afternoon. Technical price levels have eased from the beginning of the week. The weak Alberta/Nebraska cash to cash basis should continue to encourage US buying interest."

<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)

The U.S. cash cattle trade remains untested was untested again today, however we did see a few starter bids develop in scattered parts of the country today with bids in Kansas at \$168.00 live and a few in Nebraska at 263.00 dressed. Asking prices are holding at \$272.00-\$273.00 live and \$270.00 plus dressed. Active trading is not expected until Thursday at the earliest.

<b>Choice and Select Steers and Heifers sold:</b>	Live	N/T
	Rail	N/T

### CHICAGO MERCANTILE EXCHANGE

Closing quotes on futures today were as follows:

<b>Live Cattle</b>			<b>Feeder Cattle</b>			<b>Corn</b>		<b>Soybeans</b>		<b>Canadian \$</b>				
<b>Oct</b>	169.00	-0.20	<b>Oct</b>	238.85	+0.57	<b>Dec</b>	3.752	+10.6	<b>Nov</b>	10.430	+35.0	<b>Spot</b>	89.30	-0.07
<b>Dec</b>	166.75	-1.02	<b>Nov</b>	233.05	-0.60	<b>Mar</b>	3.884	+10.4	<b>Jan</b>	10.490	+34.0	<b>Dec</b>	89.22	-0.05
<b>Feb</b>	167.37	-0.32	<b>Jan</b>	227.95	-1.10	<b>May</b>	3.970	+10.2	<b>Mar</b>	10.560	+35.0	<b>Mar</b>	89.01	-0.05
<b>Apr</b>	165.55	-0.22	<b>Mar</b>	225.65	-1.40	<b>Jul</b>	4.034	+9.6	<b>May</b>	10.626	+35.0	<b>Jun</b>	88.80	-0.04
<b>Jun</b>	154.90	-0.70	<b>Apr</b>	225.67	-1.35	<b>Sep</b>	4.092	+8.6	<b>Jul</b>	10.692	+36.0	<b>Sep</b>	88.60	-0.05
<b>Aug</b>	152.70	-0.45	<b>May</b>	225.62	-1.25	<b>Dec</b>	4.162	+7.6	<b>Aug</b>	10.676	+36.2	<b>Dec</b>	88.45	-0.04

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### OBCFPP LICENCE CHANGES

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