



Daily Market Information Report - Monday, November 3, 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).

A Grade Steers	288.00
A Grade Heifers	287.00

ONTARIO LIVE CATTLE TRADE

Today at **Ontario Stockyards Inc.:** 80 veal on offer.

	Price Range	Top
Veal calves +600 lbs	152.00-186.00	196.00
Veal calves 451-600 lbs	141.00-164.50	165.50

Veal sold on a strong demand. *November 11th @ 11:00 am- Ontario Stockyards All Vaccinated Sale!*

At **Kawartha Lakes Co-op Auction Market:** **November 1, 2014** – 14 fed cattle, 174 cows, 6 bulls, 67 veal

	Price Range	Average	Top
Cows	67.50-136.00	106.49	165.99
Bulls over 1600 lbs	119.99-136.00	127.89	136.00
Veal over 600 lbs	115.99-171.99	156.20	171.99
Veal under 125 lbs	130.00-300.00	204.19	320.00

All classes of cattle sold on a good strong steady market.

Stocker sale at **Brussels Livestock:** **October 31, 2014** – 2,102 stockers

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
1000+	205.25-225.00	214.08	233.00	900+	179.00-214.00	197.35	223.00
900-999	210.00-242.00	225.13	255.00	800-899	211.00-235.75	227.61	235.75
800-899	218.00-245.25	237.14	249.00	700-799	220.50-249.50	240.52	249.50
700-799	230.00-255.00	244.23	263.00	600-699	232.00-258.00	245.62	260.00
600-699	244.50-290.00	267.91	290.00	500-599	245.00-280.00	258.87	292.00
500-599	250.00-298.00	278.41	319.00	400-499	257.00-303.00	288.62	310.00
400-499	278.00-320.50	304.11	336.00	300-399	270.00-322.00	298.74	322.00
399-	310.00-350.00	327.44	350.00	299-	152.00-290.00	198.00	290.00

All classes of cattle sold on a strong active trade with calves selling \$2.00-\$3.00 higher while yearlings sold on a steady market. *November 24th @ 10:00 am- Bred Cow and Stocker Sale.*

Stocker sale at **Kawartha Lakes Community Sale Barn Inc:** **November 1, 2014** – 133 stockers

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
800-899	163.99-197.50	180.20	197.50	600-699	169.99-231.99	206.49	231.99
700-799	173.99-239.99	206.70	239.99	500-599	144.99-247.50	212.90	247.50
600-699	157.00-270.99	239.69	270.99	400-499	194.99-247.50	227.70	247.50
500-599	189.99-300.00	257.90	300.00	300-399	185.00-204.99	194.79	204.99
400-499	210.00-295.00	256.70	295.00				
399-	270.00-402.50	309.20	402.50				

Stockers sold on a good strong steady market. *November 5th @ 11:00 am- Peterborough/Victoria Cattlemen's Certified Calf Sale.*

ONTARIO STOCKER & FEEDER TRADE SPECIAL FALL STOCKER SALES

Stocker sale at **Temiskaming Livestock Exchange: October 31, 2014 – 123** stockers

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
600-699	236.00-263.00	247.18	263.00	600-699	197.00-210.50	203.75	219.50
500-599	220.00-279.00	241.88	279.00	500-599	218.50-258.00	235.43	258.00
400-499	240.00-304.00	276.40	304.00	400-499	249.00-250.00	249.67	250.00
399-	260.00-318.00	285.00	318.00	300-399	251.00- 12 hd		

Stocker sale at **Keady Livestock Market: November 1, 2014 – 404** stockers- Central Calf Association Sale

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
700-799	274.00-285.50	179.87	285.50	800-899	213.50 – 44 hd		
600-699	288.50-316.00	305.96	316.00	700-799	186.00-238.00	212.00	238.00
500-599	310.00-333.00	325.50	350.00	600-699	241.00-276.50	260.18	276.50
400-499	326.00-359.00	329.94	359.00	500-599	261.00-290.00	276.30	297.50
399-				400-499	280.00-300.00	295.17	300.00
				300-399	253.00-361.00	323.00	351.00

All classes of cattle sold on a high demand at continued strong prices. *Friday November 7th @ 9:00 am- Local Calf Sale- pre-weaned and right off the cow.*

ONTARIO BRED COW SALES

Keady Livestock Market, November 1, 2014- 25 Bred heifers

	Exotic and Exotic X	British and British X
Top quality bred heifers	\$1,700.00-\$3,150.00 each	N/T

An excellent set of home raised bred heifers sold on high demand.

LIVE CATTLE EXPORTS-ONTARIO

	Week ending Oct 18, 2014	Week ending Oct 11, 2014	Year to Date
Total live slaughter cattle exported from Ontario to the U.S.	3,471	3,674	140,127
Steers & Heifers	701	808	32,332
Cows	2,458	2,369	87,757
Bulls	312	497	20,038

AVERAGE CARCASS WEIGHTS – CANADA

	Steers	Heifers
Oct 25, 2014	915	818
Oct 26, 2013	880	813

FEDERALLY INSPECTED CANADIAN KILL

	Week Ending October 25, 2014	# of hd Change (Week Ago)	YTD	% Change (Year Ago)
Grand Total	49,067	-3,198	2,230,845	+4%
Western Slaughter	36,812	-5,674	1,720,867	+6%
Eastern Slaughter	12,255	+2,476	509,978	+0%

USDA ESTIMATED CATTLE KILL

	Week Ending November 1, 2014	Previous Week	Year Ago
Grand Total	553,000	576,000	623,000

CANADIAN BOXED BEEF CUT-OUT VALUES

Week Ending	AAA	AA
October 10, 2014	2.7293	2.6233
October 3, 2014	2.6508	2.5058
September 26, 2014	2.6268	2.4937

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

	Choice 600-900	Select 600-900
Cutout Values (noon estimate):	251.32	239.19
Change (from yesterday's close):	+0.12	+0.56
Current Five Day Average:	251.79	238.58

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

The U.S. cash cattle trade on Friday was light with live sales from \$165.00-\$170.00. The USDA Mandatory Price Report lists the average price for steer at \$167.46 down from \$168.79 the previous week, while heifers averaged \$167.63 live, down from \$169.36. Dressed sales ranged from \$261.00-\$265.00 with steers averaging \$263.23 down from \$264.79 the previous week and heifers averaging \$263.24 down from \$264.75 dressed. Today the market was quiet as both sides took inventory. This week's offering is smaller in volume than last week with early asking prices around \$170.00 live and \$268.00-\$270.00 dressed. Active trade is not expected to develop before the second half of the week.

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 \$				
\$/cwt US			\$/cwt US			\$/bu US		¢/bu						
Dec	167.05	+1.00	Nov	235.57	+1.42	Dec	3.734	-3.2	Nov	10.286	-17.6	Spot	88.10	-0.60
Feb	167.27	+1.17	Jan	229.80	+1.32	Mar	3.860	-3.2	Jan	10.296	-19.4	Dec	87.89	-0.71
Apr	165.80	+0.20	Mar	226.92	+1.17	May	3.946	-3.2	Mar	10.336	-19.4	Mar	87.69	-0.70
Jun	156.40	+0.70	Apr	226.90	+0.90	Jul	4.010	-3.2	May	10.390	-19.0	Jun	87.48	-0.70
Aug	153.75	+0.75	May	227.07	+1.50	Sep	4.066	-3.4	Jul	10.430	-19.6	Sep	87.30	-0.70
Oct	154.90	+0.65	Aug	227.47	+0.92	Dec	4.150	-3.4	Aug	10.434	-19.2	Dec	87.17	-0.69