



## Daily Market Information Report - Thursday, October 5, 2017

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 Wednesday regardless of delivery date).

Prices reported for Wednesday, October 4, 2017

<b>A Grade Steers</b>	226.00-228.00
<b>A Grade Heifers</b>	225.00-227.00

### ONTARIO LIVE CATTLE TRADE

Today at **Ontario Livestock Exchange:** 149 Fed Cattle, 340 Cows, & 288 Stockers, 20 veal

	Price Range	Top
<b>Good Fed Steers</b>	128.00-134.50	135.50
<b>Good Fed Heifers</b>	125.00-133.00	140.00
<b>Holstein Steers</b>	88.00-103.00	107.00
<b>Good Cows</b>	69.00-80.00	106.00
<b>Steers 700 lbs+</b>	150.00-182.50	205.00
<b>Lightweight Steers</b>	200.00-217.50	
<b>Heifers 700 lbs+</b>	120.00-148.00	
<b>Heifers 500-700 lbs</b>	140.00-182.50	

Cows sold on a barely steady market. Fed steers and heifers sold actively at prices \$3.00 higher, while Holstein steers were barely steady. Stockers sold on a steady trade.

Today at **Ontario Stockyards Inc.:** 525 head- sale in progress, final results will be available on Friday's report.

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
<b>900-999</b>	139.00-146.00	142.39	146.00	<b>900+</b>	120.00-125.00	123.99	148.00
<b>800-899</b>	164.00-184.00	176.02	203.00	<b>800-899</b>	130.00-170.00	146.60	174.00
<b>700-799</b>	175.00-216.00	204.03	216.00	<b>700-799</b>	149.00-189.00	162.40	192.00
<b>600-699</b>	187.00-224.00	207.77	228.00	<b>600-699</b>	143.00-186.00	159.79	193.75
<b>500-599</b>	209.00-255.00	233.34	255.00	<b>500-599</b>	172.00-200.00	186.14	200.00
<b>400-499</b>	210.00-260.00	240.87	266.00	<b>400-499</b>	172.50-214.00	199.94	217.50
<b>399</b>	239.00-256.00	247.36	265.00	<b>300-399</b>	200.00-220.00	217.68	220.00

A medium quality offering of stockers is selling actively at steady prices. *October 12th @ 11:00 am- In conjunction with the regular sale is the CDN Angus Certification Program/ CDN Hereford Assoc. Sale & Leeds/Grenville Calf Sale!*

Today at **Brussels Livestock:** 150 Veal

	Price Range	Top
<b>Good Beef Calves</b>	150.00-170.00	173.00
<b>Good Holsteins</b>	140.00-150.00	154.00
<b>Slightly Heavy Holsteins</b>	130.00-140.00	
<b>Heavy Holsteins 800 lbs+</b>	N/T	

Veal sold on a steady market. *October 7th @ 10:00 am- 4H Show and Sale. October 11th @ 7:00 pm- Bred Cow/Calf Sale.*

At **Aylmer Stockyards Inc.:** September 27, 2017 – 55 Veal, 97 Cows, 3 Bulls, 13 Fed Cattle, 8 Stockers

	Price Range	Average	Top
<b>Cows</b>	54.00-109.00	80.30	109.00
<b>Veal over 600 lbs</b>	86.99-155.00	133.00	155.00

*October 25th – Special Stocker Sale!*

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

	Volume	Price Range	Average	Top
Large & Medium Frame Fed Steers +1250 lbs	81	121.75-136.14	130.82	147.00
Large & Medium Frame Fed Heifers +1000 lbs	59	121.25-129.82	126.58	146.00
Fed heifers, dairy and dairy cross +1000 lbs	24	81.27-107.58	90.00	128.75
Cows	396	60.68-91.83	75.24	109.00
Bulls under 1600 lbs	10	81.60-99.10	90.21	112.00
Bulls over 1600 lbs	13	93.46-107.42	101.62	110.00
Veal over 600 lbs	59	97.13-153.02	134.61	155.00
Veal under 125 lbs	188	70.00-182.00	118.21	255.00

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

Stocker sale at **Ontario Livestock Exchange: September 27, 2017 – 565** Stockers

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
<b>1000+</b>	169.00-189.50	181.80	189.50	<b>900+</b>	145.00-164.00	153.50	164.00
<b>900-999</b>	184.00-198.00	193.60	198.00	<b>800-899</b>	161.00-172.50	170.10	172.50
<b>800-899</b>	188.50-200.50	195.25	200.50	<b>700-799</b>	173.50-13 hd		
<b>700-799</b>	186.50-218.00	199.69	218.00				
<b>600-699</b>	194.50-199.00	197.38	199.00				

Feeder cattle sold on a good demand at prices \$3.00-\$5.00 cwt higher.

### ONTARIO STOCKER & FEEDER TRADE SPECIAL FALL SALES

Stocker sale at: **Kawartha Lakes Community Sale Barn, October 4, 2017- 664** Stockers

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
<b>1000+</b>	150.00-190.50	185.39	190.50	<b>900+</b>	150.00-182.50	173.59	182.50
<b>900-999</b>	175.00-199.50	189.81	199.50	<b>800-899</b>	171.50-191.50	178.28	191.50
<b>800-899</b>	160.00-205.50	192.31	205.50	<b>700-799</b>	120.00-174.00	158.58	174.00
<b>700-799</b>	198.00-228.00	209.21	228.00	<b>600-699</b>	162.50-200.00	196.59	200.00
<b>600-699</b>	200.00-246.00	224.68	246.00	<b>500-599</b>	190.50-215.50	206.61	215.50
<b>500-599</b>	170.00-263.00	226.77	263.00	<b>400-499</b>	221.00-227.00	222.33	227.00
<b>400-499</b>	177.50-266.00	244.78	266.00	<b>300-399</b>			
<b>399-</b>	225.00-242.50	232.08	242.50				

Peterborough/Victoria Counties Yearling Sale! A good offering of stockers sold actively with steady to higher prices! *October 18th @ 10:00 am- Stocker sale highlighted by Angus Cattle!*

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

	Choice 600-900	Select 600-900
Cutout Values (noon estimate):	197.66	189.22
Change (from yesterday's close):	+0.25	-0.33
Current Five Day Average:	197.10	188.89

### ALBERTA DIRECT TRADE

The Alberta direct cattle trade remains untested, but Canfax notes that the market tone appears to be steady to last week.

<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 remained at a standstill today with bids sitting at \$106.00 live in the south and \$168.00-\$170.00 dressed in the north, but no cattle were bought at these prices. Asking prices are reported to be firm now, sitting at \$110.00-\$112.00 live in the south and \$174.00-\$176.00 dressed in the north following stronger cattle futures today. It appears that active trading is going to be delayed until Friday.

**Choice and Select Steers and Heifers:**      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>	110.15	+1.07	<b>Oct</b>	153.57	+1.47	<b>Dec</b>	3.494	+1.2	<b>Nov</b>	9.682	+10.0	<b>Spot</b>	79.54	-0.61
<b>Dec</b>	116.05	+1.12	<b>Nov</b>	154.85	+1.35	<b>Mar</b>	3.624	+1.2	<b>Jan</b>	9.790	+10.2	<b>Oct</b>	79.54	-0.61
<b>Feb</b>	119.77	+0.85	<b>Jan</b>	152.57	+1.55	<b>May</b>	3.714	+1.2	<b>Mar</b>	9.880	+9.6	<b>Dec</b>	79.57	-0.61
<b>Apr</b>	121.10	+0.85	<b>Mar</b>	150.55	+1.55	<b>Jul</b>	3.792	+1.0	<b>May</b>	9.970	+9.6	<b>Mar</b>	79.61	-0.61
<b>Jun</b>	114.47	+0.77	<b>Apr</b>	150.37	+1.47	<b>Sep</b>	3.864	+1.0	<b>Jul</b>	10.044	+9.6	<b>Jun</b>	79.62	-0.60
<b>Aug</b>	111.55	+0.45	<b>May</b>	149.42	+1.42	<b>Dec</b>	3.956	+1.6	<b>Aug</b>	10.050	+9.6	<b>Sep</b>	79.63	-0.60

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