



DAILY MARKET INFORMATION REPORT – THURSDAY February 5, 2026

ONTARIO DIRECT TO PACKER RAILGRADE CATTLE TRADE

Prices are on a carcass weight basis before grade and weight discounts for February 4, 2026:

A Grade Steers	\$530.00/cwt delivered with delivery for the week of February 16th
A Grade Heifers	\$529.00/cwt delivered with delivery for the week of February 16th

ONTARIO LIVE CATTLE TRADE

Today at Ontario Livestock Exchange: **200 Fed cattle, 485 Cow, 600 Stockers**

	Price Range	Top
Good Fed Steers	321.00-328.00	339.00
Good Fed Heifers	319.00-329.00	333.00
Holstein Steers	270.00-285.00	
Good Cows	178.00-225.00	287.00
Stocker Steers 700 lb +	393.00-585.00	620.00
Lightweight Steers	583.00-725.00	810.00
Stocker Heifers 700 lb +	366.00-490.00	
Lightweight Heifers	476.00-650.00	675.00

Fed cows sold on a steady trade. Fed steers and heifers sold \$3.00-4.00/cwt higher. Holstein steers continued to sell strong. Stockers continued to sell strong at firm prices. **Vacc Stocker Sales every Wed @ 1:00pm, Regular Stocker Sales every Thursday @ 11:00am.**

Today at Brussels Livestock: **135 Veal**

	Price Range	Top
Beef Veal	360.00-370.00	
Good Holstein Veal	345.00-363.00	
Slightly Heavy Holstein Veal	330.00-355.00	
Heavy Holstein 800 lb +	290.00-348.00	
Medium Holstein Veal	320.00-344.00	
Plain Holsteins	300.00-319.00	

Veal sold steady. Good Drop calves traded stronger from \$1800.00-\$2775.00 per head. Plain drop calves from \$1000.00-\$1750.00 per head. **Stocker Sales every Fri @10:00 am.**

Today at Ontario Stockyards Inc: **800 Stockers**

Market report is unavailable at the time of reporting

At Aylmer Stockyards Inc.: **February 4, 2026 – 63 Fed cattle, 29 Stockers, 258 Cows, 2 Bulls, 12 Veal**

	Price Range	Average	Top
Large & Medium Frame Fed Steers +1250 lbs	237.99-300.99	270.10	300.99
Large & Medium Frame Fed Heifer +1000 lbs	279.99-317.49	310.40	317.49
Fed Heifers, dairy & dairy cross 1000+ lbs	175.00-285.00	250.49	285.00
Cows	110.00-250.99	180.60	264.00

239 Replacement Calves sold between \$90.00 - \$2,675.00 for an average of \$1,778.11 per calf. **Special stocker sales the last Wednesday of each month @ 12:30 pm!**

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

	Volume	Price Range	Average	Top
Large & Medium Frame Fed Steers +1250 lbs	15	235.19 307.39	277.99	317.00
Large & Medium Frame Fed Heifers +1000 lbs	46	290.47 309.43	305.14	317.49
Fed Heifers, dairy & dairy cross 1000+ lbs	54	174.03-273.33	232.42	285.00
Cows	673	138.84 225.24	179.56	300.00
Bulls under 1600 lbs	6	198.50 219.17	206.96	240.00
Bulls over 1600 lbs	6	238.50 251.83	244.50	263.00
Veal 125 lbs and under	189	1400.00 2410.00	1784.29	2850.00

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

ONTARIO STOCKER & FEEDER TRADE

Stocker sale at Ontario Livestock Exchange: **February 4, 2026 - 287 Stockers**

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
1000+	427.00-469.00	452.92	469.00	900+	395.00-395.00	395.00	395.00
900-999	467.50-505.00	483.16	505.00				

Feeders sold actively at stronger prices. **Vacc Stocker Sales every Wed @ 1:00pm, Regular Stocker Sales every Thursday @ 11:00am.**

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

	Choice 600-900	Select 600-900
Cutout Values (noon estimate):	367.25	360.37
Change (from yesterday's close):	-0.77	-1.72
Current Five Day Average:	368.03	363.38

ALBERTA DIRECT TRADE

Alberta direct trade on Wednesday saw light trade develop with dressed sales and bids reported from \$510.00-517.00/cwt delivered, \$2.00-7.00/cwt higher than the previous week. Buying interest has been noted from all western Canadian packers and US buying interest has also been noted. Canadian beef exports for the month of November were 5% larger than last year. In November more beef ended up being shipped to Japan, Mexico, Taiwan and the Philippines. From January to November Canadian beef exports are down 1% versus 2024. This is impressive considering Canadian beef production was down around 3% in 2025.

Steers	Live	N/T	Rail - Del	510.00-517.00
Heifers	Live	N/T	Rail - Del	510.00-517.00

U.S. TRADE (U.S. FUNDS)

The U.S. cash cattle trade saw no new trade reported yesterday. After a strong couple of days live cattle contracts are trading sharply lower today. Two events are upcoming that should support beef demand, Super bowl and Valentines Day. According to the national retail federation latest consumer spending data from its 2026 super bowl spending survey. A record 213 million US adults plan to tune into the game. Consumers are expected to spend over 20 billion dollars on food, drinks decorations and appeal, averaging about \$94.00 dollars per person. That data indicated that 79% of spending is devoted to food and beverages.

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

CHICAGO MERCANTILE EXCHANGE

Closing quotes on futures **today** were as follows:

Live Cattle			Feeder Cattle			Corn		
Feb	235.25	-5.27	Mar	364.07	-6.00	Mar	4.350	+5.4
Apr	235.60	-6.20	Apr	360.50	-7.00	May	4.430	+6.0
Jun	232.20	-5.02	May	356.20	-7.55	Jul	4.492	+6.0
Aug	230.45	-4.27	Aug	355.02	-7.25	Sep	4.470	+4.4
Oct	230.30	-3.90	Sep	352.87	-7.02	Dec	4.610	+3.6
Dec	230.67	-3.97	Oct	350.30	-6.75	Mar	4.726	+3.2

Soybeans

	<i>US \$/bu</i>	
Mar	11.122	+20.0
May	11.260	+21.2
Jul	11.372	+20.4
Aug	11.270	+18.4
Sep	10.974	+13.6
Nov	10.984	+11.0

Soft Red Winter Wheat

	<i>US \$/bu</i>	
Mar	5.352	+8.4
May	5.440	+7.6
Jul	5.546	+7.4
Sep	5.672	+7.0
Dec	5.856	+6.6
Mar	6.014	+6.2

Canadian \$

Spot	73.08	-0.08
Mar	73.22	-0.07
Jun	73.49	-0.08
Sep	73.71	-0.10
Dec	73.90	-0.11
Mar	74.08	-0.09

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ONTARIO STOCKER & FEEDER SPECIAL FALL SALES

Mar TBD	11:00 AM	Hoards Station Sale Barn	Quinte Sale-Vaccinations preferred, catalogued- Farm Fresh
Apr 22	10:00 AM	Kawartha Lakes Community Sale Barn	KLC Calf & Yearling Sale
May 2	10:00 AM	Algoma Co-op Livestock Sales-Thessalon	Stockers- Farm fresh, 50% vaccinated, sold in farmer lots
May 6	10:00 AM	Kawartha Lakes Community Sale Barn	Peterborough Cattlemen/ Victoria Beef Producers
May 7	10:00 AM	Grey-Bruce Livestock Co-op-Wiarton	Stocker Sale - 90% vaccinated
May TBD	11:00 AM	Hoards Station Sale Barn	Quinte Sale-100% Vaccinated, catalogued- Farm Fresh