



DAILY MARKET INFORMATION REPORT – MONDAY April 20, 2026

ONTARIO DIRECT TO PACKER RAILGRADE CATTLE TRADE

Prices are on a carcass weight basis before grade and weight discounts for April 20, 2026:

A Grade Steers \$552.00/cwt delivered with delivery for the week of April 27th
A Grade Heifers \$551.00/cwt delivered with delivery for the week of April 27th

Today at Ontario Stockyards Inc: 5 Veal

	Price Range	Top
Veal Calves 600 lbs+	260.00-315.00	315.00

Every Thurs. at 11:00 am - Vaccinated & Non-Vaccinated Stocker Sales. May 16th@12:00 pm – Bred Cow Sale

At Kawartha Lakes Community Sale Barn: **April 18, 2026– 135 cows, 13 fed, 12 stockers, 4 bulls, 91 veal**

	Price Range	Avg.	Top
Cows	180.00-250.00	199.43	285.00
Bulls under 1600 lbs	248.23-282.50	266.14	282.50
Bulls over 1600 lbs	241.00-245.00	243.20	245.00
Veal over 600 lbs	290.00-345.00	311.72	430.00
Veal under 125 lbs	1800.00-2500.00	1976.56	2700.00

Cows sold actively at steady prices. *Apr 22nd@10:00 am – KLC Special Spring Stocker Sale*

ONTARIO STOCKER & FEEDER TRADE

Stocker sale at Brussels Livestock: **April 17, 2026 – 1,451 Stockers**

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
1000+	413.00-475.00	448.79	475.00	900+	370.00-460.50	412.31	460.50
900-999	453.00-481.00	467.60	499.00	800-899	391.00-454.00	430.64	462.50
800-899	463.00-530.00	506.47	546.00	700-799	415.00-512.50	469.97	512.50
700-799	525.00-593.00	558.03	595.00	600-699	480.00-608.00	555.76	625.00
600-699	605.00-687.00	644.74	687.00	500-599	525.00-635.00	599.17	665.00
500-599	660.00-777.50	708.19	814.00	400-499	570.00-720.00	667.59	720.00
400-499	727.50-815.00	746.43	820.00				
<399	865.00-935.00	897.50	935.00				

Calves and yearlings sold on a strong active trade at steady prices. *Jun 13th@1:00 pm – Special Bred Cow Sale*

Stocker sale at Rainy River.: **April 18, 2026 – 1,408 Stockers**

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
1000+	285.00-392.49	377.40	392.49	900+	250.00-475.00	391.29	475.00
900-999	409.99-475.00	456.79	475.00	800-899	337.50-548.00	454.69	548.00
800-899	375.00-551.99	500.00	551.99	700-799	442.49-540.00	512.50	540.00
700-799	377.49-627.50	563.79	627.50	600-699	360.00-634.99	562.10	634.99
600-699	392.49-688.49	630.10	688.49	500-599	400.00-808.00	646.30	808.00
500-599	484.99-819.99	687.19	819.99	400-499	520.00-800.00	708.90	800.00
400-499	545.00-880.00	793.59	880.00	300-399	654.99-805.00	764.20	805.00
<399	600.00-850.00	797.79	850.00				

WEEKLY LIVE CATTLE EXPORTS - ONTARIO (USDA)

	Week ending Apr 4, 2026	Previous Week	Year to Date
Total live slaughter cattle exported through Ontario ports to the U.S.	3,277	3,853	52,542
Steers & Heifers & Cows	3,194	3,709	51,017
Bulls	83	144	1,525

ONTARIO- FEDERALLY INSPECTED PROCESSING-Canfax/CBGA

	Week Ending Apr 11, 2026	# of hd change from week ago	YTD	% Change (Week Ago)	% Change (Year Ago)
Grand Total	10,136	1,413	137,857	16%	-3.1%

CANADIAN- FEDERALLY INSPECTED PROCESSING-Canfax/CBGA

	Week Ending Apr 11, 2026	# of hd change from week ago	YTD	% Change (Week Ago)	% Change (Year Ago)
Grand Total	57,024	10,130	751,285	22%	-3%
Western Processing	45,386	8,579	590,934	23%	-3%
Eastern Processing	11,638	1,551	160,351	15%	-3%

AVERAGE CARCASS WEIGHTS – CANADA-Canfax/CBGA

	Steers	Heifers
11-Apr-26	981	910
4-Apr-26	983	907
5-Apr-25	949	884

AVERAGE CARCASS WEIGHTS – ONTARIO-Canfax/CBGA

	Steers	Heifers
11-Apr-26	1,024	893
4-Apr-26	1,014	889
5-Apr-25	993	861

USDA ESTIMATED CATTLE PROCESSING VOLUME

	Week Ending April 18, 2026	Previous Week	Year Ago
Grand Total	514,000	512,000	578,000

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

	Choice 600-900	Select 600-900
Cutout Values (noon estimate):	383.56	383.61
Change (from yesterday's close):	+2.50	+7.01
Current Five Day Average:	381.95	379.42

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

