

Daily Market Information Report



The following information is collected from various sources and disseminated by the Ontario Cattlemen's Association.

Monday November 28, 2005

ONTARIO DIRECT TO PACKER RAILGRADE CATTLE TRADE

Prices are on a carcass weight basis, before grade and weight discounts.

A grade steers Unestablished Unestablished

ONTARIO LIVE CATTLE TRADE

Today at the Ontario Stockyards: 140 veal calves sold steady to stronger.

 Veal calves +600
 80.00-118.00
 141.50

 Veal calves 451-600
 72.00-108.00
 113.00

Today at the Ontario Livestock Exchange: cows sold on a good firm market

Price Range

Good cows 20.00-35.00

At Talbotville Livestock: November 26, 2005 – 635 head

 Price Range
 Top

 Good & choice steers
 87.00-98.00
 111.00

 Good & choice heifers
 85.00-96.00
 102.75

 Cows
 19.00-28.00
 38.00

 Bulls
 30.00-45.00

Fed cattle sold steady and strong. Cows were a little stronger and bulls were steady.

Stocker Sale: Brussel's Livestock, November 25, 2005

STEERS	Price Range	Top	HEIFERS	Price Range	Top
1000+	80.00-115.50	115.50	900+	88.00-110.25	110.25
900-999	109.50-117.75	117.75	800-899	102.50-105.75	105.75
800-899	101.00-116.25	116.25	600-699	89.00-110.00	110.00
700-799	102.00-121.25	124.50	500-599	85.50-117.00	117.00
600-699	100.50-127.25	127.25	400-499	80.00-113.00	114.00
500-599	108.00-130.00	135.00	300-399	86.00-114.00	114.00
400-499	90.00-124.50	134.50			

AVERAGE CARCASS WEIGHTS – CANADA

	Steers	Heiters
November 19, 2005	850	792
November 20, 2004	831	779

FEDERALLY INSPECTED CANADIAN KILL

	Week Ending Nov 19, 2005	YTD	% of Yr. Ago		
Grand Total	67,115	3,278,382	100%		
Alberta Slaughter	41,468	2,174,980	95%		
Ontario Slaughter	13,055	584,692	104%		

USDA ESTIMATED CATTLE KILL

Week Ending Previous Week Year Ago

Nov 26, 2005

Grand Total 545,000 589,000 468,000

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

 Choice 600-900
 Select 600-900

 Cutout Values: (noon estimate)
 150.81
 141.33

 Change: (from yesterday's close)
 -0.08
 +0.78

 Current 5 day average:
 151.14
 141.05

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

U.S. market is quiet with trade not expected until Wednesday or Thursday. Asking prices are starting out firm at \$94 live and \$148-150 dressed.

Choice and select steers and heifers: Live N/T

Rail N/T

CHICAGO MERCANTILE EXCHANGE

Closing quotes on futures today were:

Live C	Cattle		Feede	r Cattle		Corn			Soybe	ans		Canad	ian \$	
\$/cwt	US		\$/cwt	US			\$/bu US	¢/bu		\$/bu US	¢/bu			
Dec	92.75	+0.12	Jan	116.95	+0.92	Dec	1.876	-2.0	Jan	5.582	+4.0	Spot	85.68	+0.11
Feb	95.20	+0.35	Mar	115.15	+0.75	Mar	2.016	-1.0	Mar	5.656	+3.4	Dec	85.77	+0.10
Apr	92.90	+0.35	Apr	113.32	+0.82	May	2.104	-0.6	May	5.710	+3.0	Mar	85.98	+0.10
Jun	87.00	+0.37	May	112.50	+0.60	July	2.186	-0.4	Jul	5.772	+3.0	May	86.21	+0.10

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