



Daily Market Information Report



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

Monday December 7, 2009

ONTARIO DIRECT TO PACKER RAILGRADE CATTLE TRADE

Friday's Prices – As reported on Friday December 4, 2009

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

A grade steers 133.00-136.00
A grade heifers 132.00-135.00

ONTARIO LIVE CATTLE TRADE

Today at **Ontario Stockyards: 130** veal

	Price Range	Top Price
Veal calves + 600 lbs	63.00-97.50	121.50
Veal calves 451-600	70.00-95.50	106.50

Veal sold on a steady market.

At Talbotville Livestock: Saturday Dec 5, 2009- 180 head

	Price Range	Top
Good & Choice Steers	77.00-82.50	No tops
Good & Choice Heifers	78.00-83.00	No tops
Good Cows	35.00-41.50	44.50
Good heavy bulls	38.00-50.00	

Fed steers and heifers sold steady with a good offering of good heifers outselling the steers. Cows sold steady on the top end with the lower grades trading easier.

At Kawartha Lakes Co-op Auction Market: Dec 5, 2009 - 133 cows, **10** bulls

	Price Range	Average	Top
Cows	20.00-42.00	32.81	42.00
Bulls over 1600 lbs	39.50-56.00	47.05	56.00

Cull cows sold \$1.00 easier.

Stocker sale at: **Brussels Livestock, Dec 4, 2009 – 2,001** stockers

STEERS	Price Range	Avg	Top	HEIFERS	Price Range	Avg	Top
1000+	79.85-91.25	86.49	91.75	900+	82.00-88.00	84.93	88.00
900-999	85.00-94.00	88.11	95.25	800-899	85.00-93.75	88.59	95.25
800-899	76.50-99.00	89.69	99.00	700-799	68.00-89.00	82.86	92.50
700-799	76.00-95.00	87.84	99.00	600-699	76.00-105.75	92.21	109.50
600-699	81.00-107.50	94.28	107.50	500-599	81.00-107.50	94.11	110.00
500-599	90.50-114.00	99.68	120.50	400-499	93.00-113.00	103.69	117.00
400-499	97.00-130.00	113.05	130.00	300-399	87.00-112.00	102.50	119.00
300-399	97.00-129.00	109.50	133.00				

Calves and yearlings sold on a good strong active trade.

Stocker sale at: **Kawartha Lakes Coop Auction Mkt, Dec 5, 2009 – 141** stockers

STEERS	Price Range	Avg	Top	HEIFERS	Price Range	Avg	Top
800-899	53.00-86.00	80.75	86.00	900+	64.00-79.00	72.90	79.00
600-699	85.50-99.50	95.31	99.50	600-699	48.00-88.00	79.63	88.00
500-599	84.00-126.50	97.96	126.50	500-599	74.00-97.00	86.06	97.00
400-499	97.00-122.50	110.64	122.50	400-499	81.00-102.00	93.53	102.00

Stockers sold on a steady market. Wed Dec 9th @ 11:00 am- 700 head expected, including 400 predominately black angus stockers.

ONTARIO STOCKER & FEEDER TRADE SPECIAL FALL SALES

Stocker sale at: **Denfield Livestock Exchange- Dec 5, 2009- 198** stockers.

STEERS	Price Range	HEIFERS	Price Range
900-999	78.00-90.50	900+	80.00-88.00
800-899	79.00-87.00	800-899	75.00-89.50
700-799	82.00-96.50	700-799	80.00-95.50
600-699	90.00-103.00	600-699	86.00-93.50
500-599	80.00-108.50	500-599	90.00-107.50
400-499	80.00-109.50	400-499	90.00-108.50
399-	119.00-200.00		

Stocker sale at: **Ottawa Livestock Exchange, Dec 5, 2009 – 415** stockers

STEERS	Price Range	Avg	Top	HEIFERS	Price Range	Avg	Top
800-899	79.00-91.00	83.57	91.00	700-799	74.00-89.00	82.70	89.00
700-799	85.00-95.00	91.16	95.00	600-699	85.00-94.00	89.90	94.00
600-699	86.00-96.00	90.77	97.00	500-599	85.00-97.00	90.66	97.00
500-599	83.00-97.00	91.50	98.00	400-499	80.00-98.00	89.95	98.00
400-499	87.00-104.00	96.59	109.00	300-399	75.00-102.00	90.35	102.00
300-399	84.00-108.00	99.11	108.00				

LIVE CATTLE EXPORTS-ONTARIO

	Week ending Nov 21, 09	Week ending Nov 14, 09	Year to Date
Total live slaughter cattle exported from Ont to the US.	4,241	3,181	121,895
Steers & Heifers	3,156	2,135	96,971
Cows	1,004	1,040	23,634
Bulls	81	6	1,290

AVERAGE CARCASS WEIGHTS – CANADA

	Steers	Heifers
Nov 28, 2009	880	830
Nov 22, 2008	846	800

FEDERALLY INSPECTED CANADIAN KILL

	Week Ending	YTD	% of Yr. Ago
	Nov 28, 2009		
Grand Total	67,782	2,860,705	98%
Alberta Slaughter	52,343	2,148,112	106%
Ontario Slaughter	11,339	499,398	98%

USDA ESTIMATED CATTLE KILL

	Week Ending	Previous Week	Year Ago
	Nov 28, 2009		
Grand Total	530,000	631,000	570,000

CANADIAN BOXED BEEF CUT-OUT VALUES

Week Ending	AAA	AA
Nov 27, 2009	1.4390	1.4247
Nov 20, 2009	1.4415	1.4282
Nov 13, 2009	1.4268	1.4559

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

	Choice	Select
Cutout Values: (noon estimate)	137.23	130.40
Change: (from yesterday's close)	+0.06	-0.52
Current 5 day average:	139.48	132.75

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

U.S. cash cattle was quiet with new showlists being distributed. Early asking prices are \$84.00-\$85.00 live and \$133.00+ dressed.

Choice and select steers and heifers:	Live	N/T
	Rail	N/T

CHICAGO MERCANTILE EXCHANGE

Closing quotes on futures for today were as follows:

Live Cattle			Feeder Cattle			Corn			Soybeans			Canadian \$		
\$/cwt US			\$/cwt US			\$/bu US ¢/bu			\$/bu US ¢/bu					
Dec	81.12	+0.12	Jan	92.85	-0.50	Dec	3.686	-5.0	Jan	10.530	+10.0	Spot	95.00	+0.59
Feb	83.30	+0.10	Mar	93.95	-0.17	Mar	3.836	-4.6	Mar	10.610	+10.4	Dec	94.96	+0.55
Apr	86.32	+0.25	Apr	95.50	-0.07	May	3.946	-4.2	May	10.690	+11.2	Mar	94.96	+0.56
Jun	83.90	+0.12	May	96.40	-0.10	Jul	4.042	-4.4	Jul	10.756	+11.0	Jun	94.95	+0.56
Aug	84.47	+0.12	Aug	98.40	-0.30	Sep	4.114	-5.0	Aug	10.722	+10.4	Sep	94.94	+0.56
Oct	87.40	-0.20	Sep	98.20	+0.00	Dec	4.196	-4.6	Sep	10.560	+6.6	Dec	94.87	+0.56

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Correction to: Auction Markets Holiday Sale Schedules 2009.

Talbotville Livestock Exchange	Dec 12 & 19- Regular sale plus - Special Goat & Lamb Sales Dec 26- Closed- No Sale
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