



Daily Market Information Report - Tuesday, September 23, 2014

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 today regardless of delivery date).

Prices reported for Monday September 22, 2014

A Grade Steers	274.00-275.00
A Grade Heifers	273.00-274.00

ONTARIO LIVE CATTLE TRADE

Today at **Brussels Livestock**: **280** Fed Cattle and **200** Cows

	Price Range	Top
Choice Steers & Heifers	162.00-165.00	176.00
Second Cut Cattle	157.00-162.00	
Good Beef Cows	105.00-125.00	127.00
Export Cows	80.00-110.00	112.50

Fed steers and heifers sold on an active trade at prices steady to last week's stronger market. Cows sold on a steady market.

Today at **Ontario Livestock Exchange**: **305** Veal and **250** Cows

	Price Range	Top
Good quality Cows	99.00-110.00	137.00
Good Beef Veal	175.00-197.00	
Good Holstein Veal	155.00-165.00	
Medium Holstein Veal	146.00-154.00	
Plain Holstein Veal	136.00-146.00	
Heavy Holstein Veal	140.00-150.00	

Veal sold actively at steady prices. Cows traded slightly under pressure.

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

	Volume	Price Range	Average	Top
Cows	290	83.89-118.26	98.16	162.00
Bulls all weights	22	100.93-149.45	129.90	157.00
Veal calves over 600 lbs	71	129.20-158.70	143.16	169.50
Veal calves under 125 lbs	466	154.41-294.59	236.05	400.00

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

Stocker sale at **Maple Hill Auctions Ltd, September 22, 2014**: **376** Stockers

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
1000+	200.00-220.50	215.65	220.00	900+	178.50-200.25	193.95	207.00
900-999	221.00-228.00	224.17	228.00	800-899	198.50-227.00	221.35	227.00
800-899	211.00-237.50	228.27	237.50				

Next regular stocker sale Monday September 29th @ 7:00 pm. *September 27th @ 1:00 pm- "Uppin the Ante" Charolais Sale.*

Stocker sale at **Vankleek Hill Livestock Exchange, September 22, 2014: 93** Stockers

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
700-799	N/T	N/T	N/T	500-599	130.00-268.00	192.95	268.00
600-699	206.00-274.00	249.27	274.00	400-499	227.00-280.00	257.78	280.00
500-599	172.00-295.00	254.31	295.00	300-399	N/T	N/T	N/T
400-499	246.00-322.00	260.43	322.00				

September 24th @ 2:00 pm- Special Stocker Sale.

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

	Choice 600-900	Select 600-900
Cutout Values (noon estimate):	241.10	228.09
Change (from yesterday's close):	-1.92	-0.38
Current Five Day Average:	245.03	231.09

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

The U.S. cash cattle trade remains quiet this afternoon with bids and asking prices still not clearly defined. Trade is not expected until Thursday or Friday.

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		Soybeans		Canadian \$	
	\$/cwt US		\$/cwt US		\$/bu US		¢/bu		¢/bu
Oct	155.45 -0.05	Sep	230.90 +0.60	Dec	3.254 -4.6	Nov	9.362 -2.0	Spot	90.31 -0.32
Dec	158.72 +0.07	Oct	230.15 +0.87	Mar	3.382 -4.4	Jan	9.436 -2.0	Dec	90.13 -0.33
Feb	159.90 -0.70	Nov	228.52 +1.10	May	3.466 -4.4	Mar	9.510 -1.2	Mar	89.93 -0.33
Apr	159.67 -0.32	Jan	222.17 +0.42	Jul	3.540 -4.2	May	9.580 -0.6	Jun	89.75 -0.32
Jun	151.55 -0.20	Mar	220.35 +0.80	Sep	3.614 -4.0	Jul	9.634 -0.6	Sep	89.59 -0.31
Aug	149.62 +0.22	Apr	220.00 +0.50	Dec	3.722 -4.0	Aug	9.660 -0.6	Dec	89.46 -0.33

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