



## Daily Market Information Report - Tuesday, October 21, 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 October 20, 2014

<b>A Grade Steers</b>	280.00
<b>A Grade Heifers</b>	279.00

### ONTARIO LIVE CATTLE TRADE

Today at **Brussels Livestock**: **240** Fed Cattle and **360** Cows

	Price Range	Top
<b>Choice Steers &amp; Heifers</b>	168.00-172.00	187.00
<b>Second Cut Cattle</b>	164.00-168.00	
<b>Good Beef Cows</b>	107.00-129.00	141.00
<b>Export Cows</b>	80.00-115.00	116.50

Fed steers and heifers sold on a good active trade at prices \$2.00 higher. Cows sold on an active trade at steady prices. *October 24th @ 1:00 pm in regular stocker sale- Hereford Influence Stocker Sale! October 27th @ 10:00 am- Bred Cow, Cow/calf pair & Stocker sale! Cows must be in before 9:00 am the day of sale!*

Today at **Ontario Livestock Exchange**: **213** Veal and **200** Cows

	Price Range	Top
<b>Good quality Cows</b>	108.00-123.00	142.00
<b>Good Beef Veal</b>	188.00-220.00	
<b>Good Holstein Veal</b>	168.00-175.00	
<b>Medium Holstein Veal</b>	160.00-170.00	
<b>Plain Holstein Veal</b>	150.00-160.00	
<b>Heavy Holstein Veal</b>	158.00-168.00	

Veal sold actively at steady prices. Cows continue to sell on a good demand at prices \$2.00-\$3.00 higher.

Today at **Keady Livestock Market**: **1,060** Stockers, **120** cows and **bulls**

Stocker and feeder cattle are selling on a strong demand at steady prices. Cow and bulls results were not available at time of reporting. *Calf-O-Rama Week! October 25- 9:00 am- Bruce Peninsula Calf Club Sale (Charolais)- Presort sale. October 28- 9:00 am- Georgian Bay Premium Charolais Calf Association, mainly Charolais- presort sale. October 30- 9:00 am- Bluewater Black Calf Club Sale- Presort sale. November 1- 9:00 am- Central Calf Association- all breeds- owner lots.*

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

	Volume	Price Range	Average	Top
Cows	361	84.35-115.05	99.14	140.00
Bulls all weights	21	121.52-140.81	131.36	148.00
Veal calves over 600 lbs	72	140.32-164.09	152.19	175.00
Veal calves under 125 lbs	468	158.69-299.08	246.16	395.00

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, October 20, 2014: 338** Stockers

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
1000+	210.50-234.75	226.75	236.25	900+	218.50-231.00	224.54	231.00
900-999	223.00-247.50	244.47	247.50	800-899	234.00-137.50	235.59	237.50
800-899	254.75-262.25	259.57	262.25	700-799	234.50-245.50	241.00	245.50
700-799	236.25-271.00	247.68	271.00				

November 1, 2014 @ 1:00 pm- Walnut Drive Farms- c/o John Vancise - Hereford/Angus Production Sale

Stocker sale at **Temiskaming Livestock Sales, October 20, 2014: 82** Stockers

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
800-899	200.00-216.00	212.50	216.00				
700-799	205.00-267.00	239.88	267.00				
600-699	218.50-264.00	244.83	266.00				
500-599	228.50-294.00	273.56	294.00				
400-499	203.50-332.00	283.29	332.00				

Stocker sale at **Vankleek Hill Livestock Exchange, October 20, 2014: 144** Stockers

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
700-799	187.00-272.00	249.89	272.00	700-799	150.00-220.00	186.24	220.00
600-699	194.00-278.00	249.31	278.00	600-699	162.00-265.00	213.65	265.00
500-599	232.00-292.00	269.97	292.00	500-599	230.00-292.00	253.06	292.00
400-499	215.00-314.00	265.36	314.00	400-499	225.00-276.00	245.65	276.00
399-	255.00-282.00	275.65	282.00				

October 29<sup>th</sup> @ 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):	250.04	235.56
Change (from yesterday's close):	+0.20	+0.39
Current Five Day Average:	249.56	235.28

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

The U.S. cash cattle trade was very quiet with no bids on the table and little business expected before the second half of the week. Asking prices are around \$167.00-\$168.00 live and \$260.00 plus dressed.

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			
Oct	166.55 -1.35	Oct	238.95 -1.80	Dec	3.560 +7.6	Nov	9.642 +20.0	Spot	89.06 +0.43
Dec	167.05 -0.97	Nov	233.92 -2.90	Mar	3.694 +7.6	Jan	9.716 +19.4	Dec	88.95 +0.46
Feb	166.05 -0.85	Jan	228.25 -2.82	May	3.784 +8.0	Mar	9.790 +18.6	Mar	88.74 +0.46
Apr	164.65 -0.12	Mar	226.35 -2.75	Jul	3.854 +7.4	May	9.870 +18.0	Jun	88.54 +0.46
Jun	154.35 -0.45	Apr	226.45 -2.80	Sep	3.926 +7.2	Jul	9.926 +16.6	Sep	88.36 +0.47
Aug	152.35 -0.55	May	226.27 -2.80	Dec	4.014 +6.4	Aug	9.940 +16.0	Dec	88.21 +0.45

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**UPCOMING SPECIAL FALL BRED COW SALES-new additions!**

Oct 25 10:30 am	Ottawa Livestock Exchange	Bred Cow & Cow/calf sale Sale – 160 on offer.
Oct 27 10:00 am	Brussels Livestock	Bred Cow, Cow/calf pairs and Stocker sale.