



Daily Market Information Report – Friday November 16, 2018

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 regardless of delivery date).

A Grade Steers	244.00 on light receipts with limited packer interest
A Grade Heifers	243.00 on light receipts with limited packer interest

ONTARIO LIVE CATTLE TRADE

Today at **Brussels Livestock: 1,650** stockers (600 yearlings left to sell at time of reporting.)

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
900-999	149.00-183.00	164.71	183.00	700-799	135.00-176.00	155.76	176.00
800-899	162.00-175.00	165.20	175.00	600-699	161.00-194.00	178.91	194.00
700-799	187.00-210.00	197.60	210.00	500-599	145.00-198.00	171.77	198.00
600-699	188.00-230.00	211.62	230.00	400-499	135.00-187.00	153.17	195.00
500-599	165.00-229.00	189.03	235.00	300-399	165.00-190.00	173.25	190.00
400-499	161.00-245.50	205.08	245.50	299-	100.00-170.00	135.00	170.00
399-	135.00-202.00	168.94	250.00				

Top quality calves are selling on a strong active trade at steady prices, with 2nd and 3rd cut calves selling easier. Yearlings had not started to trade at time of reporting.

Today at **Keady Livestock Market: 927** stockers – Grass & Yard Yearlings

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
1000+	190.00-195.25	193.23	197.75	900+	150.00-160.00	155.25	164.00
900-99	198.00-206.72	202.08	206.75	800-899	140.00-162.50	153.74	162.50
800-899	185.00-195.00	189.03	200.00				

Steady prices to the last yearling sale, with good buyer interest!

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

	Volume	Price Range	Average	Top
Large & Medium Frame Fed Steers +1250 lbs	43	109.00-137.00	127.19	139.50
Large & Medium Frame Fed Heifers +1000 lbs	20	79.60-132.28	110.53	138.50
Fed steers, dairy and dairy cross +1250 lbs	48	94.50-108.00	103.32	108.00
Cows	703	36.05-49.87	42.97	103.00
Bulls under 1600 lbs	7	53.29-78.14	67.77	107.00
Bulls over 1600 lbs	22	64.00-83.73	73.9	90.00
Veal +600 lbs	145	111.61-142.41	126.55	200.00
Veal Calves 125 lbs & under	38	20.00-62.00	32.45	165.00

Stocker sale at: **Ontario Livestock Exchange, November 15, 2018– 550** Stockers

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
800-899	121.00-175.00	157.79	188.00	900+	90.00-151.00	121.61	151.00
700-799	130.00-200.00	161.00	203.00	800-899	124.00-159.50	147.81	159.50
600-699	92.50-187.50	136.54	220.00	700-799	110.00-152.00	130.33	162.00
500-599	85.00-220.00	147.67	261.00	600-699	110.00-167.50	141.92	175.00
400-499	120.00-230.00	140.97	260.00	500-599	110.00-142.50	124.47	187.50
399-	170.00-210.00	197.50	210.00	400-499	15.00-157.50	143.10	167.50

Stockers sold at steady prices.

Stocker sale at: **Ontario Stockyards Inc. – November 15, 2018– 1,037** Stockers

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
1000+	86.00-164.00	138.00	184.00	900+	125.00-165.50	147.77	165.50
900-999	157.50-188.50	173.45	188.50	800-899	140.00-171.00	152.76	171.00
800-899	150.00-188.00	173.09	188.00	700-799	125.00-170.00	155.51	170.00
700-799	140.00-192.00	169.11	192.00	600-699	141.00-182.00	164.90	182.00
600-699	140.00-208.00	182.59	223.00	500-599	145.00-185.00	169.41	196.00
500-599	147.50-231.00	194.41	236.00	400-499	160.00-197.00	178.16	197.00
400-499	159.00-224.00	197.14	240.00	300-399	135.00-190.00	152.05	205.00
399-	100.00-200.00	159.72	242.50	299-	140.00-220.00	171.66	220.00

Replacement cattle sold at mostly steady prices.

Stocker sale at: **Ottawa Livestock Exchange, November 15, 2018– 266** Stockers

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
700-799	149.00-169.00	158.46	169.00	700-799	84.00-143.00	110.46	159.00
600-699	150.00-176.00	160.96	183.00	600-699	82.00-138.00	116.43	146.00
500-599	144.00-174.00	160.49	227.00	500-599	112.00-174.00	142.86	174.00
400-499	142.00-250.00	190.04	250.00	400-499	117.00-166.00	141.76	166.00
399-	100.00-200.00	159.85	235.00	300-399	86.00-188.00	126.00	208.00

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

	Choice 600-900	Select 600-900
Cutout Values (noon estimate):	213.33	197.56
Change (from yesterday's close):	-0.22	-0.02
Current Five Day Average:	214.31	198.57

QUEBEC ELECTRONIC AUCTION MARKET (F.O.B. THE FEEDLOT)

	Price	Change from Last Week
For the week ending November 15, 2018	235.00-238.75	-2.25

ALBERTA DIRECT TRADE

Alberta direct trade was steady to slightly stronger than last week. Canfax reported dressed sales through the week from \$248.00-\$250.00 delivered on a dressed basis, which is steady to \$2.00 higher. Canfax reported prices for cattle picked up from \$245.00-\$248.50 dressed, with steers averaging \$247.38 up \$1.38 from last week on average, while heifers averaged \$247.82 up \$1.48. Canfax reports "Cattle that were bought this week were being scheduled for the first week of December delivery."

Steers	Live FOB	N/T	Rail FOB	245.00-248.50
Heifers	Live FOB	N/T	Rail FOB	245.00-248.50

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

The U.S. cash cattle trade has seen sales trickling in throughout the week from \$110.00-\$114.00 live and \$174.00-\$178.00 dressed, but not enough to establish the week's market trend. Today, trade is developing at \$114.00 live in the south which is steady to last week, while business in the north is being reported at \$178.00 dressed, down around \$2.00 from last week on average. Business is expected to continue until late afternoon with bids sitting at \$113.00 live and \$176.00 dressed while asking prices are reported at \$116.00 plus live and \$180.00 plus dressed.

Choice and Select Steers and Heifers:	Live	114.00
	Rail	178.00

CHICAGO MERCANTILE EXCHANGE

Closing quotes on futures today were as follows:

Live Cattle			Feeder Cattle			Corn			Soybeans			Canadian \$		
Dec	115.35	+0.20	Jan	146.52	-1.32	Dec	3.646	-2.6	Jan	8.922	+3.4	Spot	75.96	+0.02
Feb	119.72	+0.62	Mar	143.97	-0.57	Mar	3.756	-2.4	Mar	9.056	+3.4	Dec	76.04	+0.06
Apr	121.55	+0.60	Apr	144.32	-0.67	May	3.834	-2.2	May	9.186	+3.2	Mar	76.20	+0.07
Jun	113.52	-0.12	May	144.47	-0.72	Jul	3.900	-2.4	Jul	9.304	+2.4	Jun	76.25	+0.04
Aug	111.87	-0.32	Aug	148.37	-0.67	Sep	3.920	-1.6	Aug	9.346	+2.2	Sep	76.35	+0.04
Oct	113.37	-0.32	Sep	148.15	-0.80	Dec	3.980	-1.0	Sep	9.342	+1.2	Dec	76.45	+0.00

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UPCOMING ONTARIO AUCTION MARKETS SPECIAL FALL SALES

Nov 17	11:00 am	Denfield Livestock Exchange	Vaccinated Stocker & Bred Cow, Cow/Calf Pair Sale
Nov 20	11:00 am	Ontario Stockyards Inc	All Vaccinated Stocker Sale
Nov 21	10:00 am	Kawartha Lakes Community Sale Barn	Peterborough/Victoria Counties Stocker Sale
Nov 21	7:00 pm	Brussels Livestock	Bred Cow & Cow/Calf Pair Sale
Nov 23	9:00 am	Keady Livestock Market	Special Calf Sale- selling in owner lots
Nov 23	11:00 am	Community Livestock Exchange	Quinte Cattlemen's Vaccinated Stocker Sale
Nov 28	2:00 pm	Vankleek Hill Livestock Exchange	Fall Stocker Sale
Nov 28	7:00 pm	Kawartha Lakes Community Sale Barn	Bred Cow Sale
Nov 30	5:00 pm	Keady Livestock Market	Special Bred Heifer and Cow Sale
Dec 1	11:00 am	Denfield Livestock Exchange	Vaccinated Stocker & Bred Cow, Cow/Calf Pair Sale
Dec 6	11:00 am	Ontario Stockyards	All Vaccinated Stocker Sale (in regular sale)
Dec 7	5:00 pm	Keady Livestock Market	Special Bred Heifer and Cow Sale
Dec 12	10:00 am	Kawartha Lakes Community Sale Barn	Fall Stocker Sale
Dec 13	11:00 am	Ontario Stockyards Inc	All Vaccinated Stocker Sale (in regular sale)
Dec 18	9:00 am	Keady Livestock Market	Last sale of 2018