



Daily Market Information Report – Friday November 15, 2019

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 No sales today. Prices for the week ranged from 235.00-236.00
A Grade Heifers No sales today. Prices for the week ranged from 235.00-236.00

ONTARIO LIVE CATTLE TRADE

Today at **Brussels Livestock: 1,650** stockers (900 yearlings left to sell at time of reporting.)

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
800-899	182.00-205.00	198.57	205.00	700-799	156.00-180.50	167.58	180.50
700-799	174.00-201.50	187.15	201.50	600-699	131.00-175.00	160.89	188.50
600-699	189.00-228.00	212.53	228.00	500-599	151.00-190.00	173.36	192.50
500-599	176.00-235.00	215.34	236.00	400-499	132.00-177.00	154.91	210.00
400-499	190.00-252.00	223.04	257.00	300-399	130.00-187.00	164.07	205.00
399-	190.00-235.00	206.87	248.00	299-	125.00-192.00	150.40	192.00

Calves are selling on a strong active trade at steady to higher prices. Yearlings were not sold at time of reporting. Final results will be available on Monday's report.

Today at **Keady Livestock Market: 837** stockers

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
1000+	181.00-196.00	187.82	205.00	900+	152.00-179.00	162.94	179.00
900-999	192.00-199.50	197.42	199.50	800-899	163.00-167.00	165.00	167.00
800-899	197.00-202.50	201.58	202.50				

Grass & Yard Yearling sale- A good sale with prices \$3.00-\$5.00 higher.

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

	Volume	Price Range	Average	Top
Large & Medium Frame Fed Steers +1250 lbs	247	124.61-137.27	131.24	138.50
Large & Medium Frame Fed Heifers +1000 lbs	49	119.14-133.98	128.12	135.00
Fed steers, dairy and dairy cross +1250 lbs	47	95.00-111.00	104.34	111.00
Cows	710	47.40-61.45	52.96	104.00
Bulls all weights	24	72.04-87.32	79.01	95.00
Veal +600 lbs	107	60.00-136.05	112.44	209.00
Veal Calves 125 lbs & under	14	20.00-34.00	23.42	90.00

Stocker sale at: **Ontario Livestock Exchange, November 14, 2019– 430** Stockers

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
1000+	110.00-170.50	152.08	170.50	900+	65.00-135.00	110.28	135.00
900-999	140.00-170.00	157.88	170.00	800-899	112.50-145.00	136.25	145.00
800-899	115.00-190.50	181.50	190.50	700-899	80.00-174.00	140.75	174.00
700-799	130.00-147.50	137.50	157.50	600-699	72.50-135.00	114.00	135.00
600-699	122.50-165.00	143.27	182.50	500-599	137.50-167.50	151.80	167.50
500-599	142.50-215.00	171.74	215.00	400-499	80.00-167.50	144.47	167.50
400-499	162.50-205.00	188.42	218.00	300-399	152.50-177.50	166.25	177.50
399-	172.50-220.00	195.24	220.00	299-	80.00-150.00	124.58	175.00

Stockers sold at steady prices.

Stocker sale at **Ontario Stockyards Inc., November 14, 2019– 1,155** Stockers

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
1000+	80.00-131.00	95.50	183.00	900+	97.00-150.00	131.84	150.00
900-999	120.00-197.00	180.59	197.00	800-899	131.00-167.50	157.53	167.50
800-899	155.00-202.50	189.82	202.50	700-799	137.50-177.50	162.38	178.00
700-799	149.00-191.00	170.12	199.00	600-699	100.00-163.00	135.91	187.50
600-699	137.50-196.00	173.29	230.00	500-599	132.50-175.00	156.60	190.00
500-599	170.00-229.00	204.68	237.50	400-499	150.00-210.00	180.84	235.00
400-499	177.50-260.00	217.71	260.00	300-399	170.00-235.00	200.87	235.00
399-	210.00-258.00	232.64	270.00	299-	145.00-225.00	169.61	245.00

Good quality replacements traded actively at steady prices. Some medium quality and plainer types sold barely steady to slightly lower.

Stocker sale at: **Ottawa Livestock Exchange, November 14, 2019– 207** Stockers

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
700-799	62.00-172.00	126.25	196.00	600-699	130.00-168.00	152.67	174.00
600-699	163.00-208.00	185.57	208.00	500-599	128.00-184.00	156.00	190.00
500-599	122.00-218.00	182.82	220.00	400-499	163.00-198.00	180.83	198.00
400-499	138.00-252.00	195.76	256.00	300-399	50.00-144.00	91.14	178.00
399-	122.00-228.00	163.80	250.00				

Price Comparison- this week's average price compared to the previous week & the same time last year.

	Weekly Avg Price	Previous week - Avg Price	Change from last week	Year Ago - Avg Price	Change from last year
	2019			2018	
Fed steer live 1250+	130.10	131.47	-1.37	131.82	-1.72
Fed heifer live 1000+	126.50	126.95	-0.45	125.22	+1.28
Rail steer	235.50	235.50	+0.00	244.00	-8.50
Rail heifer	235.50	235.00	+0.00	243.00	-7.50
Cull cow	51.23	48.01	+3.22	44.03	+7.20
Stocker Steers					
400-499	218.14	217.37	+0.77	224.01	-5.87
500-599	212.10	209.26	+2.84	205.11	+6.99
600-699	196.54	202.43	-5.89	192.01	+4.53
700-799	177.79	184.86	-7.07	180.84	-3.05
800-899	180.09	178.68	+1.41	174.74	+5.35
900-999	185.97	177.76	+8.21	182.01	+3.96
1000+	175.81	169.68	+6.13	175.77	+0.04
Heifers					
300-399	172.83	176.39	-3.56	170.25	+2.58
400-499	181.87	181.16	+0.71	178.24	+3.63
500-599	169.94	178.82	-8.88	176.03	-6.09
600-699	166.49	173.26	-6.77	167.53	-1.04
700-799	159.51	164.66	-5.15	156.09	+3.42
800-899	162.76	162.18	-1.42	159.06	+3.70
900+	142.34	143.41	-1.07	156.61	-14.27

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

	Choice 600-900	Select 600-900
Cutout Values (noon estimate):	141.58	215.07
Change (from yesterday's close):	+0.52	-0.77
Current Five Day Average:	240.32	215.31

ONTARIO STOCKER & FEEDER TRADE SPECIAL FALL SALES

Stocker sale at **Kawartha Lakes Community Sales Barn., November 13, 2019– 675** Stockers

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
1000+	100.00-181.00	149.28	181.00	900+	105.00-152.00	124.64	152.00
900-999	140.00-194.00	174.15	194.00	800-899	105.00-150.25	143.50	150.25
800-899	140.00-198.00	172.67	198.00	700-799	140.00-169.50	157.37	169.50
700-799	155.00-215.00	192.08	215.00	600-699	135.00-178.00	169.15	178.00
600-699	145.00-242.00	213.00	242.00	500-599	155.00-207.00	188.84	207.00
500-599	175.00-246.00	220.83	246.00	400-499	176.00-220.00	186.68	220.00
400-499	192.50-242.00	212.11	242.00	300-399	160.00-217.00	184.97	217.00
399-	90.00-222.50	199.39	222.50	299-			

ALBERTA DIRECT TRADE

Alberta's direct trade on Thursday, was light with sales at \$243.00 delivered on a dressed basis, up \$2.00-\$6.00 from last week, with delivery the first week in December notes Canfax. On a picked up basis, Canfax reported live sales from \$144.50-\$148.75 with steers averaging \$148.75 and heifers \$146.94, up \$6.54 from last week's average price. On the rail sales ranged from \$240.00-\$242.00 dressed, on a picked up basis, with steers averaging \$240.92 up \$4.47 and heifers \$241.79 up \$3.51 from last week's weighted average prices. Canfax notes that US packers have purchased Alberta fed cattle this week, at a premium over local packers.

Steers	Live FOB	148.75	Rail FOB	240.00-242.00
Heifers	Live FOB	144.50-148.75	Rail FOB	240.00-242.00

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

The U.S. cash cattle trade on Thursday was light to moderate in the north with prices from at \$115.00-\$117.50 live, mostly \$115.00-\$116.00, and \$180.00-\$182.50 dressed, most at \$182.00, up \$1.00 from last week. Asking prices are sitting around \$116.00-\$117.00 live in the south and \$184.00 plus dressed in the north but no trade has developed. We could see some clean up trade develop today but it appears the bulk of trade for the week has been completed.

Choice and Select Steers and Heifers:	Live	114.00-117.50
	Rail	180.00-183.00

CHICAGO MERCANTILE EXCHANGE

Closing quotes on futures today were as follows:

Live Cattle			Feeder Cattle			Corn		Soybeans		Canadian \$				
Dec	119.10	+0.02	Nov	146.25	-0.37	Dec	3.712	-4.4	Jan	9.182	+1.4	Spot	75.59	+0.15
Feb	124.97	+0.05	Jan	144.27	+0.22	Mar	3.806	-4.0	Mar	9.306	+1.2	Dec	75.59	+0.16
Apr	126.07	-0.02	Mar	144.22	+0.15	May	3.864	-4.2	May	9.422	+1.0	Mar	75.63	+0.16
Jun	117.60	-0.07	Apr	145.45	+0.05	Jul	3.924	-4.0	Jul	9.524	+1.2	Jun	75.64	+0.16
Aug	115.10	-0.10	May	146.07	+0.10	Sep	3.910	-3.0	Aug	9.556	+1.4	Sep	75.64	+0.16
Oct	115.95	-0.20	Aug	150.47	+0.05	Dec	3.956	-3.2	Sep	9.520	+1.2	Dec	75.64	+0.17

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UPCOMING FALL STOCKER AND FEEDER SALES

Date	Time	Location	Event
Nov 16	11:00 am	Denfield Livestock Exchange	Stockers & Bred Cow, Cow/Calf Sale
Nov 19	11:00 am	Ontario Stockyards Inc	All Vaccinated Stocker Sale
Nov 20	10:00 am	Kawartha Lakes Community Sale Barn	Peterborough/Victoria County Stocker Sale
Nov 20	7:00 pm	Brussels Livestock	Bred Cow, Cow/Calf Pair Sale
Nov 22	9:00 am	Keady Livestock Market	Special Calf Sale – owner lots.
Nov 22	7:00 pm	Ontario Stockyards Inc	Bred Cow Sale
Nov 23	11:00 am	Denfield Livestock Exchange	Special Bred Cow, Cow/Calf Sale
Nov 27	2:00 pm	Vankleek Hill Livestock Exchange	Fall Stocker Sale
Nov 27	7:00 pm	Kawartha Lakes Community Sale Barn	Bred Cow Sale
Nov 29	11:00 am	Community Livestock Exchange	Quinte Cattlemen's Stocker Sale
Nov 29	5:00 pm	Keady Livestock Market	Special Bred Heifer & Cow Sale