



Daily Market Information Report – Thursday November 21, 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, regardless of delivery date:

Prices reported for Wednesday November 20, 2019

A Grade Steers	235.00-236.00
A Grade Heifers	235.00-236.00

ONTARIO LIVE CATTLE TRADE

Today at **Ontario Livestock Exchange**: 200 Fed Cattle, 550 Cows, 391 Stockers, 10 veal

	Price Range	Top
Good Fed Steers	130.00-141.00	147.00
Good Fed Heifers	125.00-134.00	136.00
Holstein Steers	99.00-106.00	
Good Cows	53.00-62.50	99.00
Steers 700 lbs+	160.00-187.00	
Lightweight Steers	164.00-220.00	
Heifers 700 lbs+	125.00-140.00	
Lightweight Heifers	142.00-175.00	

Fed cows sold at strong prices. Fed steers and heifers sold at steady firm prices. Stockers sold steady with quality considered.

Today at **Ontario Stockyards Inc.:** 830 stockers-sale in progress. Final results will be posted on Friday's report.

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
1000+	97.00-162.00	146.46	162.00	900+	95.00-139.00	129.74	139.00
900-999	138.00-195.00	174.54	195.00	800-899	132.50-162.00	145.16	162.00
800-899	180.00-202.50	196.01	202.50	700-799	130.00-162.00	141.82	165.00
700-799	167.50-187.00	178.55	187.00	600-699	130.00-181.00	163.89	181.00
600-699	150.00-216.00	198.84	220.00	500-599	145.00-177.00	159.62	188.00
500-599	170.00-246.00	205.05	246.00	400-499	142.50-194.00	168.04	227.00
400-499	192.50-260.00	232.37	263.00	300-399	120.00-205.00	156.63	270.00
399-	207.50-230.00	218.92	280.00	299-	110.00-130.00	115.92	280.00

Replacement cattle are trading at steady prices. *November 22nd @ 7:00 pm- Bred Cow Sale!*

Today at **Brussels Livestock**: 125 Veal

	Price Range	Top
Beef calves	145.00-185.00	188.00
Good Holsteins	130.00-138.00	140.00
Slightly Heavy Holsteins	115.00-125.00	
Heavy Holsteins 800 lbs+	85.00-100.00	
Medium Holsteins	110.00-125.00	
Plain Holsteins	75.00-85.00	

Veal sold steady.

At **Aylmer Stockyards Inc.:** November 20, 2019- 51 Veal, 206 Cows, 28 Fed Cattle, 11 bulls, 12 Stockers

	Price Range	Average	Top
Fed heifers, dairy and dairy cross 100+ lbs	56.49-106.49	91.30	106.49
Cows	43.49-73.49	59.89	73.49
Veal over 600 lbs	89.00-138.99	124.19	138.99

124 replacement calves sold from \$5.00 to \$210.00, averaging \$31.35 per head.

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

	Volume	Price Range	Average	Top
Large & Medium Frame Fed Steers +1250 lbs	74	120.97-138.73	129.18	139.00
Large & Medium Frame Fed Heifers +1000 lbs	59	123.73-136.51	128.35	145.00
Fed heifers, dairy and dairy cross +1000 lbs	37	58.41-93.51	80.53	106.49
Cows	766	45.51-68.07	56.26	90.00
Bulls under 1600 lbs	19	58.16-85.13	73.44	89.00
Bulls over 1600 lbs	29	76.45-91.81	83.54	99.49
Veal over 600 lbs	69	89.00-130.66	116.82	138.99
Veal under 125 lbs	398	50.00-120.00	69.60.	185.00

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

Stocker sale at **Ontario Livestock Exchange: November 20, 2019 – 769** Stockers

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
1000+	180.00-198.25	188.98	198.25	900+	140.00-173.50	163.58	173.50
900-999	182.00-202.00	195.22	202.00				
800-899	184.50-201.00	192.43	201.00				
700-799	163.00-202.50	197.56	202.50				
600-699	152.50-193.00	176.80	193.00				

Feeder cattle sold actively at stronger prices.

ONTARIO STOCKER & FEEDER TRADE SPECIAL FALL SALES

Stocker sale at: **Kawartha Lakes Community Sale Barn, November 20, 2019- 283** Stockers

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
1000+	158.00-167.50	160.33	167.50	900+	119.00-151.00	129.69	151.00
900-999	176.00-183.25	180.78	183.25	800-899	150.00-160.50	156.24	160.50
800-899	155.00-196.00	185.11	196.00	700-799	122.50-171.00	143.36	171.00
700-799	140.00-215.00	195.75	215.00	600-699	102.50-180.00	145.62	180.00
600-699	195.00-229.00	209.70	229.00	500-599	122.00-209.00	175.34	209.00
500-599	160.00-261.25	232.02	261.25	400-499	149.00-225.00	194.98	225.00
400-499	192.50-271.00	244.17	271.00	300-399	152.50-191.00	178.50	191.00
399-	235.00-272.00	249.26	272.00				

Peterborough/Victoria County Sale- A light offering of cattle sold actively at high prices. *November 27th @ 7:00 pm- Bred Cow Sale! December 11th @ 10:00 am- Special Fall Stocker Sale!*

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

	Choice 600-900	Select 600-900
Cutout Values (noon estimate):	236.13	213.56
Change (from yesterday's close):	-2.08	-1.21
Current Five Day Average:	239.64	215.20

ALBERTA DIRECT TRADE

Alberta direct trade was light with Canfax reporting prices at \$246.00 delivered on a dressed basis, up around \$3.00 cwt from last week's trade. Canfax also reported that US packers were paying a premium to local packers. Business is expected to continue today with asking prices reported around \$250.00 cwt delivered, on a dressed basis.

Steers	Live FOB	N/T	Rail FOB	N/T
Heifers	Live FOB	N/T	Rail FOB	N/T

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

The U.S cash cattle trade was light to moderate in the south yesterday at \$115.00-\$116.00 live which is steady to \$1.00 higher. Business in the north was light with dressed trade from \$180.00-\$184.00, mostly \$184.00 up \$2.00 from last week. Today, bids are sitting at \$115.00-\$117.00 live and at \$184.00 dressed in the north, but no trade has developed. The south is very quiet today. Asking prices are holding firm at \$117.00-\$118.00 live in the south and \$188.00 dressed in the north.

Choice and Select Steers and Heifers: Live 115.00-117.00
 Rail 180.00-184.00

CHICAGO MERCANTILE EXCHANGE

Closing quotes on futures today were as follows:

Live Cattle			Feeder Cattle			Corn			Soybeans			Canadian \$		
Dec	119.32	+0.02	Nov	145.52	-1.07	Dec	3.684	++1.6	Jan	9.010	-4.0	Spot	75.31	+0.19
Feb	125.05	-0.42	Jan	142.60	-0.47	Mar	3.790	+1.6	Mar	9.152	-3.6	Dec	75.31	+0.19
Apr	125.77	-0.47	Mar	142.80	-1.35	May	3.842	+1.2	May	9.284	-3.4	Mar	75.35	+0.18
Jun	117.20	-0.65	Apr	144.10	-1.27	Jul	3.900	+0.6	Jul	9.402	-3.4	Jun	75.35	+0.18
Aug	114.95	-0.65	May	144.92	-1.22	Sep	3.896	+0.2	Aug	9.440	-3.4	Sep	75.35	+0.18
Oct	116.15	-0.45	Aug	149.67	-1.22	Dec	3.940	-0.2	Sep	9.422	-3.4	Dec	75.34	+0.17

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