



Daily Market Information Report – Thursday November 28, 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 27, 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, 610 Cows, 425 Stockers, 10 veal**

	Price Range	Top
Good Fed Steers	134.00-142.50	146.00
Good Fed Heifers	128.00-136.00	
Holstein Steers	101.00-110.00	114.00
Good Cows	49.00-59.00	100.00
Steers 700 lbs+	173.00-202.00	
Lightweight Steers	175.00-227.00	
Heifers 700 lbs+	128.00-147.00	
Lightweight Heifers	145.00-182.50	

Fed cows sold on an active trade at steady prices. Fed steers and heifers sold at prices \$2.00 cwt higher. Holstein steers sold at firmer prices. Stockers sold actively at firm prices.

Today at **Ontario Stockyards Inc.: 1,000** stockers-sale in progress. Final results will be posted on Friday's report.

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
1000+	126.00-151.00	139.60	151.00	900+	120.00-137.00	128.46	137.00
900-999	167.00-185.00	180.87	185.00	800-899	129.00-161.50	147.96	161.50
800-899	160.00-195.00	181.30	195.00	700-799	137.50-168.00	153.68	168.00
700-799	180.00-209.50	204.10	209.50	600-699	137.00-170.00	153.12	191.00
600-699	205.00-230.00	217.10	230.00	500-599	154.00-199.00	173.48	211.00
500-599	212.50-236.00	224.39	241.00	400-499	132.50-186.00	161.44	210.00
400-499	212.50-260.00	237.25	265.00	300-399	140.00-215.00	183.26	215.00
399-	220.00-262.00	242.26	262.00	299-	120.00-125.00	122.41	125.00

Good quality replacements are selling steady to stronger, with all others trading steady. *December 5th @ 11:00 am- Special Fall Yearling Sale in conjunction with regular sale!*

Today at **Brussels Livestock: 100** Veal

	Price Range	Top
Beef calves	165.00-175.00	189.00
Good Holsteins	135.00-145.00	147.00
Slightly Heavy Holsteins	120.00-130.00	
Heavy Holsteins 800 lbs+	90.00-105.00	
Medium Holsteins	115.00-130.00	
Plain Holsteins	80.00-90.00	

Veal sold on an active trade with high buyer demand.

At **Aylmer Stockyards Inc.: November 27, 2019- 40** Veal, **246** Cows, **16** Fed Cattle, **5** bulls

	Price Range	Average	Top
Fed heifers, dairy and dairy cross 100+ lbs	54.00-103.00	82.79	103.00
Cows	33.00-70.49	51.70	106.00
Veal over 600 lbs	93.99-141.99	126.00	141.99

147 replacement calves sold from \$5.00 to \$225.00, averaging \$40.73 per head.

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

	Volume	Price Range	Average	Top
Large & Medium Frame Fed Steers +1250 lbs	59	123.69-129.86	127.49	136.00
Large & Medium Frame Fed Heifers +1000 lbs	78	103.78-135.10	124.89	137.50
Fed heifers, dairy and dairy cross +1000 lbs	28	57.43-94.30	76.51	103.00
Cows	898	37.21-65.11	50.47	106.00
Bulls under 1600 lbs	34	66.75-83.94	73.93	103.00
Bulls over 1600 lbs	26	74.73-92.81	84.29	93.00
Veal over 600 lbs	52	88.61-130.46	113.66	141.99
Veal under 125 lbs	243	50.00-260.00	96.79	340.00

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

Stocker sale at **Aylmer Stockyards Inc: November 27, 2019 – 223** Stockers

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
900-999	101.00-137.00	124.19	137.00	700-799	91.00-169.99	127.80	169.99
800-899	110.49-153.00	125.69	153.00	600-699	104.00-148.99	135.00	148.99
700-799	107.00-188.99	151.20	188.99	500-599	137.50-196.99	173.59	196.99
600-699	107.00-188.99	151.20	188.99	400-499	100.00-210.00	156.60	210.00
500-599	132.49-210.99	193.30	210.99	300-399	150.00-193.99	182.60	193.99
400-499	122.50-210.99	171.90	210.99				
399-	152.49-204.00	188.50	204.00				

Stocker sale at **Ontario Livestock Exchange: November 27, 2019 – 598** Stockers

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
1000+	173.00-198.00	190.06	198.00	900+	143.00-171.50	158.31	171.50
900-999	190.00-206.00	200.44	206.00				
800-899	185.00-206.50	201.16	206.50				

Feeder cattle sold at steady prices.

Stocker sale at **Vankleek Hill Livestock Exchange: November 27, 2019 – 325** Stockers

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
700-799	158.00-188.00	168.83	188.00	800-899	102.00-144.00	127.51	144.00
600-699	160.00-214.00	180.12	214.00	700-799	134.00-146.00	138.71	146.00
500-599	172.00-219.00	188.64	219.00	600-699	134.00-166.00	148.71	166.00
400-499	156.00-196.00	174.93	202.00	500-599	144.00-170.00	154.65	174.00
399-	148.00-200.00	167.08	200.00	400-499	130.00-180.00	145.21	180.00
				300-399	110.00-170.00	130.25	170.00

ONTARIO BRED COW SALES

Kawartha Lakes Community Sale Barn, November 27, 2019- 166 Bred cows, **26** Cow calf pairs

	Exotic and Exotic X	British and British X
Top quality bred cows	\$1400-\$1850	\$1200-\$1500
Avg quality bred cows	\$1100-\$1350	\$800-\$1150
Top quality cow/calf pairs	\$1500-\$1725	\$1400-\$1700
Avg quality cow/calf pairs	\$1300-\$1500	\$1000-\$1300

Cows traded actively with good buyer interest! (prices are per head & per pair)

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

	Choice 600-900	Select 600-900
Cutout Values (noon estimate):	N/T	N/T
Change (from yesterday's close):	N/T	N/T
Current Five Day Average:	N/T	N/T

ALBERTA DIRECT TRADE

Alberta direct trade on Wednesday, was reported by Canfax as light, "with live sales just over \$148.00 picked up. Prices are fully steady with last week's weighted average price." On a dressed basis Canfax reports trade locally at \$250.00 delivered, up \$4.00 from last week. US buying interest has been noted once again this week.

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 on Tuesday was light in Iowa with live trade at \$117.00 and \$183.00-\$184.00 dressed, steady to \$1.00 higher. On Wednesday, business started out in Kansas and Texas at \$118.00 live, but as the day progressed, prices were noted at \$119.00. In the north trade was reported from \$117.00-\$119.00 live and \$187.00-\$188.00 dressed. Business on Wednesday was up \$2.00-\$4.00 cwt and northern prices were reported as being on par with southern trade for the first time in a long while. Some of the strength could be attributed to the reopening of the Finney plant next week and steady supplies this week for a full processing week next week. This, along with a severe winter storm in several states causing some packing plants to close and possibly some producers taking some cattle off of show lists as they dig out. It looks like we could see some more trade surface on Friday, but today, the market was closed as the US celebrated Thanksgiving.

Choice and Select Steers and Heifers: Live 117.00-119.00
Rail 187.00-188.00

CHICAGO MERCANTILE EXCHANGE

Closing quotes on futures today were as follows:

Live Cattle		Feeder Cattle		Corn		Soybeans		Canadian \$	
Dec	N/TH	Nov	N/T	Dec	N/T	Jan	N/T	Spot	75.29 +0.00
Feb	N/T	Jan	N/T	Mar	N/T	Mar	N/T	Dec	
Apr	N/T	Mar	N/T	May	N/T	May	N/T	Mar	
Jun	N/T	Apr	N/T	Jul	N/T	Jul	N/T	Jun	
Aug	N/T	May	N/T	Sep	N/T	Aug	N/T	Sep	
Oct	N/T	Aug	N/T	Dec	N/T	Sep	N/T	Dec	

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