



## Daily Market Information Report – Tuesday December 3, 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 Monday December 2, 2019

**A Grade Steers** No bids or sales reported  
**A Grade Heifers** No bids or sales reported

### ONTARIO LIVE CATTLE TRADE

Today at **Brussels Livestock**: **100** Fed Cattle, **325** cows

	Price Range	Top
<b>Choice Steers &amp; Heifers</b>	127.00-137.00	138.50
<b>Second Cut Cattle</b>	120.00-127.00	
<b>Good Beef Cows</b>	55.00-65.00	79.00
<b>D1 &amp; D2 Cows</b>	57.00-65.00	76.00
<b>D3 Cows</b>	50.00-56.00	
<b>D4 Cows</b>	40.00-49.00	

Fed steers and heifers sold steady. Cows sold steady.

Today at **Ontario Livestock Exchange**: **291** Veal & **225** Cows

	Price Range	Top
<b>Cows</b>	48.00-56.00	109.00
<b>Good Beef Veal</b>	129.00-178.00	
<b>Good Holstein Veal</b>	129.00-146.00	149.00
<b>Medium Holstein Veal</b>	108.00-128.00	
<b>Plain Holstein Veal</b>	80.00-95.00	
<b>Heavy Holstein Veal</b>	110.00-121.00	

Veal sold on a stronger trade. Fed cows sold steady.

Today at **Keady Livestock Market**: **440** stockers, **94** cows, **88** dollar calves

**Price Range**  
**Good cows** 42.00-61.00

Good quality vaccinated calves sold steady while plainer unvaccinated calves sold under pressure. Cull cows and bulls sold \$5.00 cwt higher. Dollar calves sold higher with Holstein calves from \$5.00-\$120.00 and x-bred calves from \$135.00-\$305.00 per head. *Dec 6<sup>th</sup> @ 5:00 pm- Special Bred Heifer & Cow Sales!*

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

	Volume	Price Range	Average	Top
<b>Cows</b>	311	45.18-61.31	52.47	73.00
<b>Fed Heifers, Dairy and Dairy Cross 1000+ lbs</b>	17	59.94-95.41	69.53	101.50
<b>Veal calves over 600 lbs</b>	57	94.77-123.37	112.59	177.00
<b>Veal calves under 125 lbs</b>	457	55.08-287.16	102.98	345.00

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

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

	<b>Choice 600-900</b>	<b>Select 600-900</b>
<b>Cutout Values</b> (noon estimate):	231.28	213.90
<b>Change</b> (from yesterday's close):	-1.33	+0.92
<b>Current Five Day Average:</b>	232.41	211.63

**ALBERTA DIRECT TRADE**

**Alberta direct trade** remains untested this week. According to Canfax, asking prices have been reported from 257.00-\$258.00/cwt delivered. Showlist volumes are larger than last week.

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

**The U.S. cash cattle trade** was quiet today. Asking prices have been seen around \$122.00 in the South, and \$193.00 or higher in the North. No bids have been reported. Active trade is not expected to develop until the second half of the week.

<b>Choice and Select Steers and Heifers:</b>	Live	N/T
	Rail	N/T

**CHICAGO MERCANTILE EXCHANGE**

*Closing quotes on futures today were as follows:*

<b>Live Cattle</b>			<b>Feeder Cattle</b>			<b>Corn</b>		<b>Soybeans</b>		<b>Canadian \$</b>				
\$/cwt US			\$/cwt US			\$/bu US	¢/bu	\$/bu US	¢/bu					
<b>Dec</b>	120.55	-0.20	<b>Jan</b>	142.37	+0.22	<b>Dec</b>	3.720	-1.4	<b>Jan</b>	8.710	+0.4	<b>Spot</b>	75.18	-0.02
<b>Feb</b>	125.65	-0.15	<b>Mar</b>	142.92	-0.10	<b>Mar</b>	3.812	-0.6	<b>Mar</b>	8.854	+0.2	<b>Dec</b>	75.18	-0.02
<b>Apr</b>	126.22	+0.02	<b>Apr</b>	144.95	-0.02	<b>May</b>	3.872	+0.6	<b>May</b>	9.006	+0.4	<b>Mar</b>	75.21	-0.03
<b>Jun</b>	117.77	+0.00	<b>May</b>	146.30	+0.05	<b>Jul</b>	3.916	+1.4	<b>Jul</b>	9.140	+0.4	<b>Jun</b>	75.22	-0.02
<b>Aug</b>	115.32	-0.02	<b>Aug</b>	151.47	+0.20	<b>Sep</b>	3.884	+0.6	<b>Aug</b>	9.192	+0.6	<b>Sep</b>	75.20	-0.04
<b>Oct</b>	116.67	+0.02	<b>Sep</b>	152.20	+0.30	<b>Dec</b>	3.922	+1.0	<b>Sep</b>	9.196	+0.6	<b>Dec</b>	75.18	-0.04

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