



Daily Market Information Report - Wednesday, November 4, 2020

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.*

A Grade Steers	228.00 – delivery the week of November 16 th
A Grade Heifers	227.00-228.00 – delivery the week of November 16 th

ONTARIO LIVE CATTLE TRADE

Today at **Ontario Livestock Exchange: 600** stockers

Steers	Price Range	Heifers	Price Range
1000+	161.00-185.50	800+	150.00-166.50
800-1000	165.00-189.50		

Feeder cattle sold barely steady. *November 18th @ 1:00 pm- Special Angus Stocker Sale in conjunction with regular stocker sale!*

Today at **Ontario Stockyards Inc.: 85** fed steers & heifers, **225** Cows, **30** Bulls

	Price Range	Top
Fancy Fed Steers	135.00-140.00	
Fancy Fed Heifers	135.00-142.00	145.00
Good to choice steers & heifers	125.00-135.00	
Aged & medium steers & heifers	100.00-120.00	
Good Beef Cows	70.00-86.00	98.00
Good Dairy Cows	63.00-70.00	94.00
Export Cows	55.00-63.00	66.00
Bulls	84.00-103.00	108.00

Fed cattle traded at easier prices. Dairy cows sold \$3.00-\$4.00 cwt stronger. Bulls and beef cows traded at fully steady prices. *800 stockers are expected for Thursday's sale! November 17th @ 11:00 am- All Vaccinated Stocker Sale!*

Today at **Kawartha Lakes Community Sale Barn- 836** stockers

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
800-899	169.00-188.00	182.40	188.00	700-799	151.00-178.00	170.18	178.00
700-799	189.00-211.00	195.46	211.00	600-699	167.50-197.00	180.43	197.00
600-699	197.50-228.00	213.59	229.75	500-599	181.00-214.00	197.90	216.00
500-599	215.50-244.00	227.37	255.00	400-499	180.00-236.00	218.45	236.00
400-499	227.50-260.00	247.58	260.00	300-399	195.00-233.00	211.62	233.00
399	250.00-260.00	251.86	260.00	299-	135.00-190.00	166.34	190.00

Peterborough/Victoria Counties- All Vaccinated Sale- *November 11th @10:00 am- Fall Stocker Sale!*

Denfield Livestock Exchange Inc., November 3, 2020: 223 Fed Cattle, **12** Veal, **85** Cows, **5** bulls

	Price Range	Average	Top
Large & Medium Frame Fed Steers +1250 lbs	131.00-140.25	137.01	158.00
Large & Medium Frame Fed Heifers +1000 lbs	132.75-140.00	136.86	157.50
Cows	49.00-69.50	60.57	80.00
Veal over 600 lbs	90.00-126.00	116.79	126.00

A larger offering of fed cattle sold at prices \$2.00-\$3.00 cwt lower this week. Veal traded barely steady with a light offering. Cows traded stronger and drop calves sold barely steady. *November 21st @ 11:00 am- Fall Stocker Sale! (no cows please)*

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

	Volume	Price Range	Average	Top
Large & Medium Frame Fed Steers +1250 lbs	138	130.43-139.078	135.99	158.00
Large & Medium Frame Fed Heifers +1000 lbs	137	128.12-139.06	134.40	157.50
Cows	746	52.52-73.03	62.51	106.00
Bulls under 1600 lbs	10	63.90-91.05	80.55	107.50
Bulls over 1600 lbs	29	82.65-105.90	92.23	116.50
Veal 600 lbs and over	337	117.21-140.27	129.83	170.00
Veal 125 & less	72	39.69-105.16	70.41	268.18

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

Stocker sale at: **Community Livestock Exchange: November 3, 2020 – 153** Stockers

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
600-699	162.50-214.99	200.49	214.99	600-699	114.99-167.99	146.19	167.99
500-599	130.00-247.99	207.39	247.99	500-599	117.50-187.99	170.70	187.99
400-499	207.50-217.49	213.60	275.00	400-499	150.00-197.50	178.69	197.50

November 27th @ 11:00 am- Fall Quinte Cattlemen's Stocker Sale, Farm Fresh, Catalogued with 100% Vaccinated!

Stocker sale at: **Keady Livestock Market: November 3, 2020 – 497** Stockers

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
1000+	155.50-174.50	161.14	174.50	900+	131.00-174.00	150.92	174.00
900-999	184.75-189.00	186.93	189.00	800-899	171.00-179.00	176.54	179.00
800-899	189.00-199.00	195.50	199.00	700-799	150.00-185.00	170.92	185.00
700-799	167.50-186.00	175.50	186.00	600-699	140.00-162.50	150.00	162.50
600-699	171.00-206.00	185.81	210.00	500-599	152.00-204.50	179.03	204.50
500-599	190.00-222.50	210.43	225.00	400-499	182.00-230.00	212.63	230.00
400-499	218.00-251.00	238.21	255.00	300-399	205.00-241.00	229.29	241.00
399-	245.00-272.50	263.33	272.50				

Good quality feeder cattle sold at fully steady prices. November 6th @ 9:00 am- Special Calf Sale- selling in owner lots, vaccinated & non-vaccinated, fully catalogued. November 13th @ 9:00 am- Special Grass & Yard Yearling Sale.

Stocker sale at: **Renfrew Pontiac Livestock: November 3, 2020 – 339** Stockers

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
700-799	164.99-193.99	182.40	193.99	600-699	132.49-194.99	180.00	194.99
600-699	155.00-225.00	201.39	225.00	500-599	135.00-208.00	188.99	208.00
500-599	164.99-243.00	207.79	243.00	400-499	125.00-214.99	187.20	214.99
400-499	139.99-272.99	227.40	272.99	300-399	132.49-217.49	164.79	217.49
399-	180.00-270.99	222.40	270.99				

ONTARIO STOCKER & FEEDER TRADE SPECIAL FALL SALES

Stocker sale at: **Ontario Stockyards Inc: November 3, 2020 – 515** Stockers

Steers	Price Range	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Top
800-899	175.00-179.50	185.00	600-699	174.00-202.00	210.00
700-799	182.00-196.00	200.00	500-599	176.00-206.00	212.00
600-699	181.00-211.00	216.50	400-499	177.50-230.00	265.00
500-599	207.00-235.00	246.00			
400-499	217.00-257.00	270.00			
399-	220.00-265.00	280.00			

Replacement cattle traded actively at steady prices. November 17th @ 11:00 am- All Vaccinated Stocker Sale!

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

	Choice 600-900	Select 600-900
Cutout Values (noon estimate):	210.27	196.54
Change (from yesterday's close):	+0.83	+1.09
Current Five Day Average:	207.86	192.02

ALBERTA DIRECT TRADE

Alberta direct trade remains untested, however some trade could start to surface this afternoon. Canfax notes that asking prices are sitting around \$230.00 delivered on a dressed basis.

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

The U.S. cash cattle trade remains quiet with no packer interest noted at this time. No bids are on the table and asking prices are sitting at \$110.00 live in the south, while the north continues to be unestablished. Buying interest should surface this afternoon but active trade is not expected to develop before Thursday at the earliest.

At the Fed Cattle Exchange online auction today, there were five lots on offer totaling 634 head. Asking prices ranged from \$106.00-\$107.00 live, with two lots totaling 296 head selling from \$106.75-\$107.25 up \$1.00 from last week. One lot passed bids at \$107.00 live and two lots received no bids.

Choice and Select Steers and Heifers:	Live	N/T
	Rail	N/T

CHICAGO MERCANTILE EXCHANGE

Closing quotes on futures today were as follows:

Live Cattle			Feeder Cattle			Corn			Soybeans			Canadian \$		
Dec	107.87	+0.05	Nov	137.70	+1.57	Dec	4.052	+4.2	Nov	10.790	+20.0	Spot	76.19	+0.26
Feb	110.77	+0.47	Jan	135.15	+1.97	Mar	4.112	+5.2	Jan	10.862	+22.0	Dec	76.20	+0.27
Apr	114.67	+0.97	Mar	134.87	+1.72	May	4.140	+5.0	Mar	10.796	+22.0	Mar	76.22	+0.27
Jun	108.90	+1.02	Apr	136.85	+1.70	Jul	4.154	+5.0	May	10.754	+20.6	Jun	76.23	+0.27
Aug	108.52	+0.97	May	137.75	+1.60	Sep	3.942	+3.6	July	10.730	+19.2	Sep	76.23	+0.26
Oct	111.17	+0.80	Aug	143.57	+0.97	Dec	3.932	+3.4	Aug	10.596	+17.6	Dec	76.23	+0.26

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