



Daily Market Information Report – Thursday November 26, 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:

Prices reported for Wednesday November 25, 2020

A Grade Steers	232.00
A Grade Heifers	231.00-232.00

ONTARIO LIVE CATTLE TRADE

Today at **Ontario Livestock Exchange**: 200 fed Cattle, 650 Cows, 400 Stockers, 10 veal

	Price Range	Top
Good Fed Steers	135.00-144.00	150.00
Good Fed Heifers	133.00-140.50	142.00
Holstein Steers	106.00-118.00	
Good Cows	59.00-76.00	115.00
Steers 700 lbs+	148.00-191.00	
Lightweight steers	173.00-245.00	
Heifers 700 lbs+	142.00-180.00	
Lightweight Heifers	154.00-207.50	

Fed cows sold strong. Fed steers and heifers sold steady, with Holstein steers also at steady prices. Stockers traded on a steady market.

Today at **Ontario Stockyards**- 850 stockers - sale in progress, final results will be posted on Friday.

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
800-899	175.00-195.00	187.83	195.00	900+	132.00-151.50	141.68	151.50
700-799	178.00-201.00	190.35	201.00	800-899	120.00-161.00	139.15	161.00
600-699	197.00-228.00	217.15	228.00	700-799	142.50-168.00	156.65	168.00
500-599	215.00-249.00	233.86	259.00	600-699	156.00-207.00	194.95	207.00
400-499	234.00-281.00	253.25	281.00	500-599	167.50-216.87	194.25	225.00
399	150.00-296.00	230.39	296.00	400-499	185.00-226.00	201.67	226.00
				300-399	190.00-255.00	222.57	255.00

Replacements traded actively at stronger prices. *December 3rd @ 11:00 am- Special Fall Yearling Sale! (in conjunction with regular sale)*

Today at **Brussels Livestock**: 125 Veal

	Price Range	Top
Beef calves	145.00-185.00	190.00
Good Holsteins	126.00-145.00	148.00
Slightly Heavy Holsteins	124.00-132.00	
Heavy Holsteins 800 lbs+	112.00-125.00	
Medium Holsteins	115.00-130.00	
Plain Holsteins	80.00-100.00	

Veal sold on a steady market. *December 16th @ 7:00 pm- Bred Cow Sale.*

At **Aylmer Stockyards Inc.:** **November 18, 2020** – **59** veal, **251** Cows, **34** fed cattle, **4** bulls, **139** stockers

	Price Range	Average	Top
Fed Heifers, Dairy & Dairy Cross	60.99-109.49	97.19	109.49
Cows	42.99-79.00	61.59	107.00
Veal over 600 lbs	86.99-148.99	126.49	148.99

122 replacement calves sold between \$5.00-\$265.00, averaging \$72.76 per head. *Fall stocker sales the last Wednesday of each month.*

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

	Volume	Price Range	Average	Top
Large & Medium Frame Fed Steers 1250 lbs +	24	118.96-141.08	130.70	146.00
Large & Medium Frame Fed Heifers 1000 lbs +	23	87.87-134.78	120.85	138.00
Cows	861	47.96-73.93	60.15	107.00
Bulls, all weights	58	74.54-110.77	93.11	154.93
Veal over 600 lbs	61	87.65-144.24	122.73	148.99
Veal under 125 lbs	201	70.00-290.00	118.00	310.00

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

ONTARIO STOCKER & FEEDER TRADE

Stocker sale at **Ontario Livestock Exchange, November 18, 2020- 323** stockers

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
1000+	160.00-186.00	175.88	186.00	900+	151.00-163.00	158.17	163.00
900-999	169.00-179.00	175.19	179.00				

Feeder cattle on a good demand at stronger prices.

Stocker sale at **Vankleek Hill Livestock Exchange, November 18, 2020- 315** stockers

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
800-899	140.00-173.00	163.53	173.00	800-899	132.00-150.00	139.45	150.00
700-799	150.00-176.00	165.09	180.00	700-799	130.00-170.00	142.52	170.00
600-699	172.00-223.00	189.56	223.00	600-699	146.00-194.00	157.75	194.00
500-599	174.00-236.00	202.36	236.00	500-599	148.00-200.00	177.53	216.00
400-499	180.00-226.00	197.83	226.00	400-499	164.00-210.00	184.99	210.00

ONTARIO BRED COW SALES

Brussels Livestock, November 25, 2020- 130 Bred cows, **30** Cow calf pairs

	Exotic and Exotic X	British and British X
Top quality bred cows	\$1800-\$2400/hd	\$1400-\$1700/hd
Avg quality bred cows	\$1500-\$1800/hd	\$1000-\$1350/hd
Top quality cow/calf pairs	\$1800-\$2500/pair	\$1600-\$1900/pair
Avg quality cow/calf pairs	\$1400-\$1750/pair	\$1300-\$1700/pair

A very active sale at firm prices. *Next Bred Cow Sale December 16th @ 7:00 pm.*

Kawartha Lakes Community Sale Barn, November 25, 2020- 258 Bred cows, **16** Cow calf pairs

	Exotic and Exotic X	British and British X
Top quality bred cows	\$1800-\$2500/hd	\$1500-\$2000/hd
Avg quality bred cows	\$1200-\$1700/hd	\$1000-\$1500/hd
Top quality cow/calf pairs	N/T	N/T
Avg quality cow/calf pairs	N/T	\$1300-\$1600/pair

Top quality cows sold on a strong demand, with second and third cut cows selling more selectively. Prices are per head or pair.

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

ALBERTA DIRECT TRADE

Alberta direct trade on Wednesday was light with prices up \$1.00 from last week at \$229.00 delivered on a dressed basis notes Canfax, with delivery early January. Canfax notes: "Dressed bids have been reported from 225.00-229.00 delivered, bids are anywhere from 3.00 lower than last week to 1.00 higher than last week. US packer interest has been noted, depend on freight and dressing percentage, US bids are working back to the upper 130's FOB the feedlot."

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

The U.S cash cattle trade saw a light to moderate test yesterday with southern trade at prices steady to \$1.00 cwt higher, from \$108.50-\$111.00, majority at \$111.00 live. In the north light to moderate trade ranged from \$171.00-\$174.00 dressed, most at \$174.00 steady to -\$2.00 higher than last week. Some clean up trade is possible on Friday but it appears the bulk of trade is completed. The market is closed today as the U.S. celebrates their Thanksgiving holiday.

Choice and Select Steers and Heifers:	Live	108.50-111.00
	Rail	171.00-174.00

CHICAGO MERCANTILE EXCHANGE is closed as the U.S. celebrates their Thanksgiving Holiday.

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