



## Daily Market Information Report – Tuesday December 1, 2020

### 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 November 30, 2020**

<b>A Grade Steers</b>	232.00
<b>A Grade Heifers</b>	231.00-232.00

### ONTARIO LIVE CATTLE TRADE

Today at **Brussels Livestock**: 140 Fed Cattle, 375 cows

	Price Range	Top
<b>Choice fed steers and heifers</b>	135.00-142.00	145.00
<b>Second cut cattle</b>	125.00-135.00	
<b>Aged &amp; medium fed cattle</b>	105.00-126.00	
<b>Good Beef Cows</b>	65.00-80.00	83.00
<b>Good Holsteins</b>	68.00-75.00	79.00
<b>Medium Holsteins</b>	59.00-64.00	
<b>Plain cows</b>	54.00-58.00	

Fed steers and heifers sold on a steady market. Cows sold steady also. *Dec 16th @ 7:00 pm- Bred Cow Sale!*

Today at **Ontario Livestock Exchange**: 333 Veal & 230 Cows

	Price Range	Top
<b>Cows</b>	57.00-69.00	103.00
<b>Good Beef Veal</b>	140.00-199.00	
<b>Good Holstein Veal</b>	128.00-145.00	148.00
<b>Medium Holstein Veal</b>	112.00-128.00	
<b>Plain Holstein Veal</b>	N/T	
<b>Heavy Holstein Veal</b>	105.00-127.00	134.00

Veal sold at barely steady pricing. Fed cows also sold on a barely steady market.

Today at **Keady Livestock Market**: 394 stockers, 65 cows

<b>Steers</b>	Price Range	<b>Heifers</b>	Price Range
<b>1000+</b>	170.00-178.50	<b>900+</b>	119.00-157.00
<b>900-999</b>	170.00	<b>800-899</b>	127.50
<b>800-899</b>	168.00-177.00	<b>700-799</b>	136.00-151.00
<b>700-799</b>	178.00-199.00	<b>600-699</b>	160.00-190.00
<b>600-699</b>	185.00-211.00	<b>500-599</b>	165.00-207.00
<b>500-599</b>	206.00-232.50	<b>400-499</b>	202.50-238.00
<b>400-499</b>	207.50-237.50	<b>399-</b>	215.00-247.50
<b>399-</b>	240.00-256.00		
<b>Cows</b>	55.00-75.00	<b>Bulls</b>	62.00-98.50

A light run of stocker and feeder cattle sold fully steady. Cows and bulls sold easier. Due to the inclement weather there were too few dollar calves to establish a market. *Dec 4<sup>th</sup> @ 7:00 pm- Bred Cow & Heifer Sale! View consigned cattle here: [http://www.keadylivestock.com/auction/special\\_livestock.html](http://www.keadylivestock.com/auction/special_livestock.html)*

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

	Volume	Price Range	Average	Top
Cows	409	46.22-66.64	55.89	79.00
Bulls 1600 lbs and under	7	80.43-106.14	92.34	125.00
Bulls 1600 lbs and over	20	80.45-92.00	85.58	96.00
Veal calves over 600 lbs	84	100.50-124.50	111.11	137.00
Veal calves under 125 lbs	570	54.66-266.86	109.86	320.00

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)

	Choice 600-900	Select 600-900
Cutout Values (noon estimate):	243.34	224.12
Change (from yesterday's close):	-0.34	+1.69
Current Five Day Average:	243.50	220.24

### ALBERTA DIRECT TRADE

Alberta direct trade remains at a standstill with little business expected to develop today. This week's offering is reported to be steady to last week in volume. Canfax notes: "In 15 out of the past 20 years fed prices have strengthened from November to December. Over those 15 years the average increase stands at 4%."

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

The U.S. cash cattle trade saw a couple of deals in Iowa yesterday at \$110.00 live which is steady to last week but not enough to establish a market. Today the market was quiet with just a couple of bids in Nebraska at \$110.00 live but no sales were reported. Asking prices in the south are reported at \$112.00 plus live while the north remains unestablished.

Choice and Select Steers and Heifers: Live 110.00 few yesterday  
Rail N/T

### CHICAGO MERCANTILE EXCHANGE

Closing quotes on futures **today** were as follows:

Live Cattle			Feeder Cattle			Corn		Soybeans		Canadian \$				
\$/cwt US			\$/cwt US			\$/bu US	¢/bu	\$/bu US	¢/bu					
Dec	110.62	+0.45	Jan	141.65	+0.60	Dec	4.146	-5.0	Jan	11.620	-6.4	Spot	77.30	+0.15
Feb	113.17	+0.30	Mar	140.65	+0.67	Mar	4.206	-5.2	Mar	11.630	-6.4	Dec	77.30	+0.14
Apr	116.82	+0.42	Apr	141.87	+0.80	May	4.240	-5.0	May	11.610	-6.6	Mar	77.33	+0.14
Jun	111.92	+0.40	May	142.67	+0.82	Jul	4.246	-5.0	July	11.584	-6.2	Jun	77.34	+0.14
Aug	111.50	+0.37	Aug	147.82	+0.85	Sep	4.080	-3.0	Aug	11.386	-6.2	Sep	77.34	+0.15
Oct	115.17	+0.62	Sep	147.75	+0.75	Dec	4.070	-1.0	Sep	10.824	-5.6	Dec	77.34	+0.16

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