



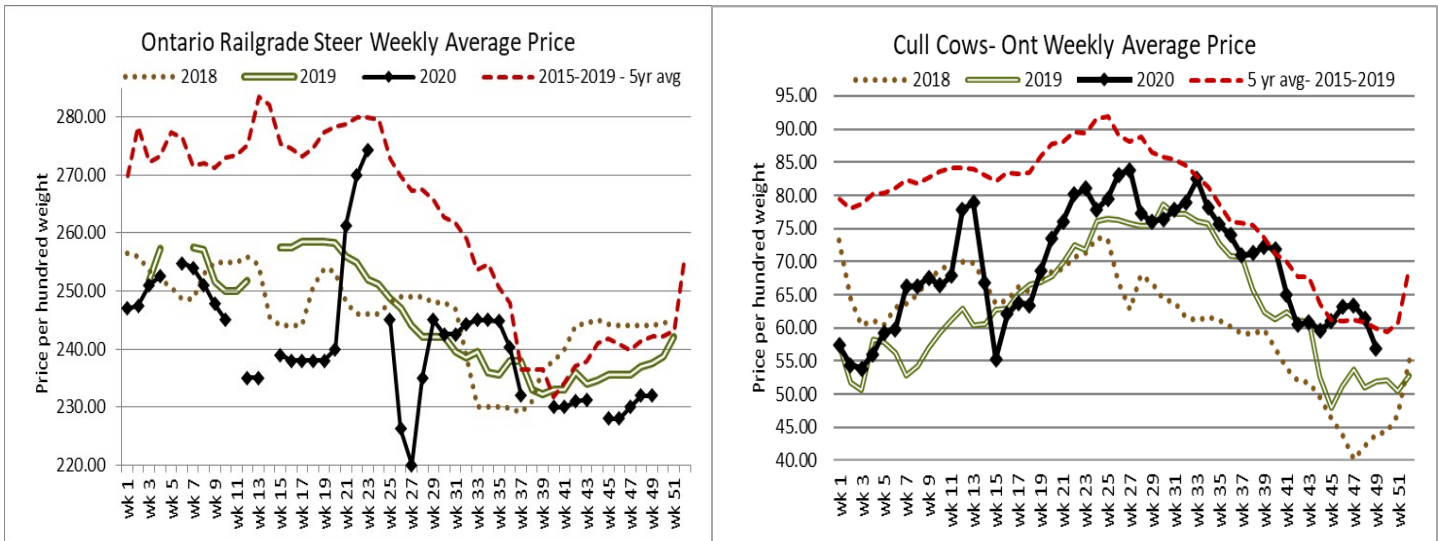
Daily Market Information Report – Friday December 4, 2020

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. (**Prices regardless of delivery date**).

A Grade Steers Prices this week were at 232.00 dressed with delivery in one to three weeks.
A Grade Heifers Prices this week ranged from 231.00-232.00 dressed, with delivery in one to three weeks.



ONTARIO LIVE CATTLE TRADE

Today at **Brussels Livestock- 1,100** stockers- sale in progress

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
1000+	172.00-180.50	177.00	180.50	900+	150.00-163.00	155.31	163.00
900-999	147.00-1894.50	168.95	184.50	800-899	155.00-168.00	161.96	168.00
800-899	167.00-194.25	184.90	194.25	700-799	148.00-179.00	165.44	179.00
700-799	186.00-203.00	183.89	203.00	600-699	152.00-195.00	179.02	196.00
600-699	182.00-219.00	203.21	227.00	500-599	165.00-223.50	198.68	223.50
500-599	203.00-243.50	225.07	255.00	400-499	160.00-227.00	204.41	227.00
400-499	221.00-261.00	235.15	276.00	300-399	170.00-236.00	209.82	236.00
399-	212.00-296.00	257.81	297.00	299-	105.00-225.00	177.56	245.00

All classes of cattle are selling on a strong active trade at steady prices. Final results will be posted on Monday.

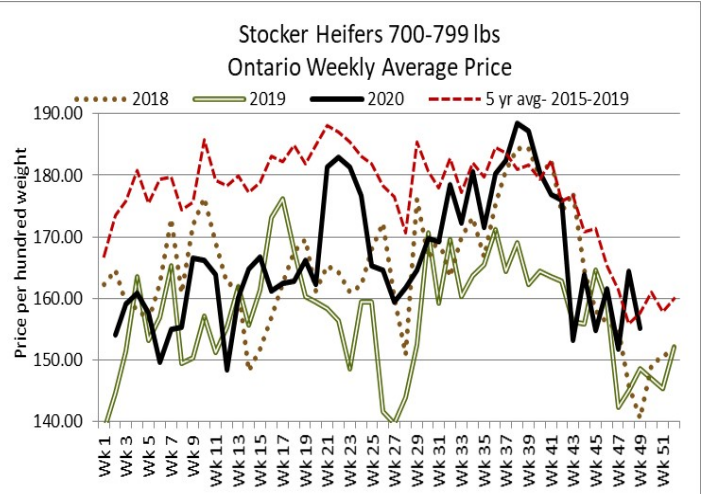
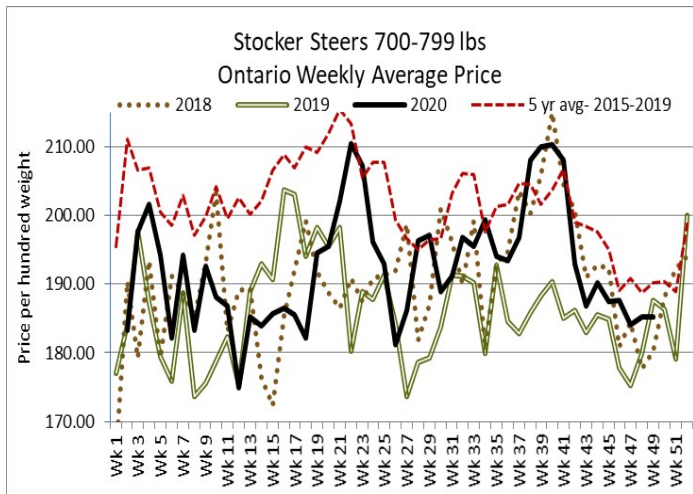
Ontario auction sales on **Thursday** saw weighted prices for:

	Volume	Price Range	Average	Top
Large & Medium Frame Fed Steers +1250 lbs	146	130.00-140.50	137.64	145.00
Large & Medium Frame Fed Heifers +1000 lbs	35	99.29-133.43	115.25	143.50
Fed steers, dairy and dairy cross +1250 lbs	43	91.58-114.05	108.99	115.00
Cows	769	46.17-61.62	52.99	115.00
Bulls all weights	39	73.09-98.26	85.18	117.00
Veal +600 lbs	94	135.69-146.44	134.63	199.00

At **Ontario Livestock Exchange, Thursday December 3, 2020: 240 fed Cattle, 679 Cows, 375 Stockers, 3 veal**

	Price Range	Top
Good Fed Steers	137.00-140.50	145.00
Good Fed Heifers	132.00-136.00	143.50
Holstein Steers	104.00-115.00	
Good Cows	51.00-63.00	107.00

Fed steers and heifers sold at barely steady prices. Holstein steers sold at steady prices. Fed cows sold at lower prices. Stockers continue to sell firm on a good demand. Bob calves sold on a stronger market.



Stocker sale at **Ontario Livestock Exchange: December 3, 2020 – 375 Stockers**

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
900-999	140.00-172.50	152.80	172.50	900+	117.50-137.50	123.44	137.50
800-899	165.00-199.00	193.97	199.00	800-899	125.00-170.00	148.38	170.00
700-799	143.00-199.00	176.63	199.00	700-799	107.50-152.50	137.72	190.00
600-699	165.00-204.00	193.97	215.00	600-699	152.50-181.00	169.34	181.00
500-599	163.00-222.50	194.06	242.50	500-599	117.50-160.00	143.29	176.00
400-499	205.00-252.50	231.92	255.00	400-499	120.00-225.00	167.50	225.00
399	180.00-257.50	213.57	277.50	300-399	160.00-217.50	186.88	217.50

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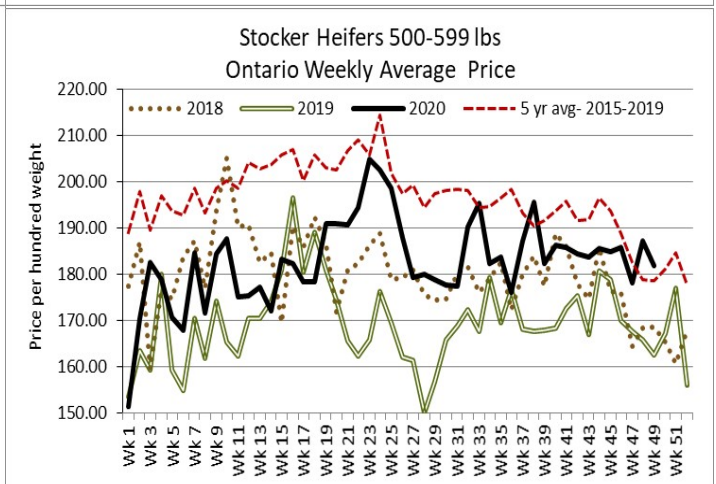
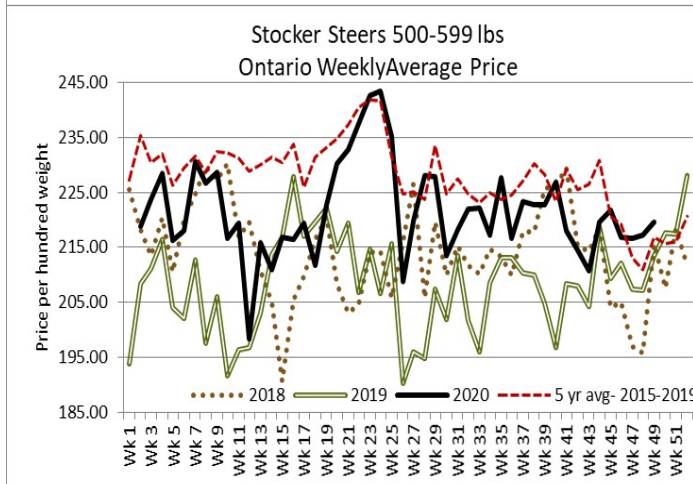
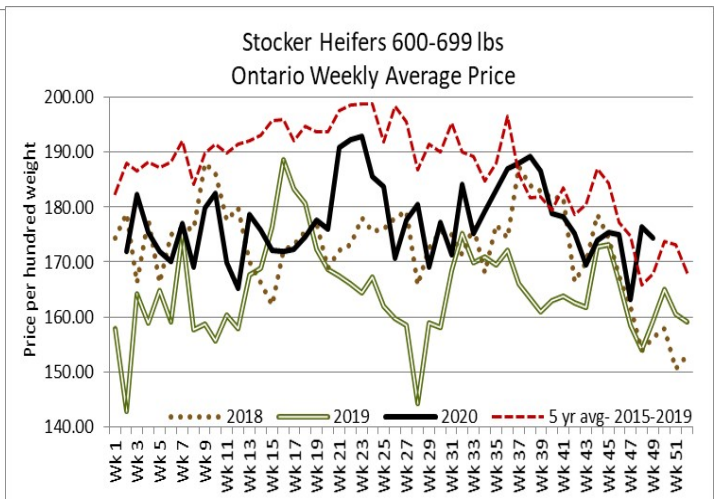
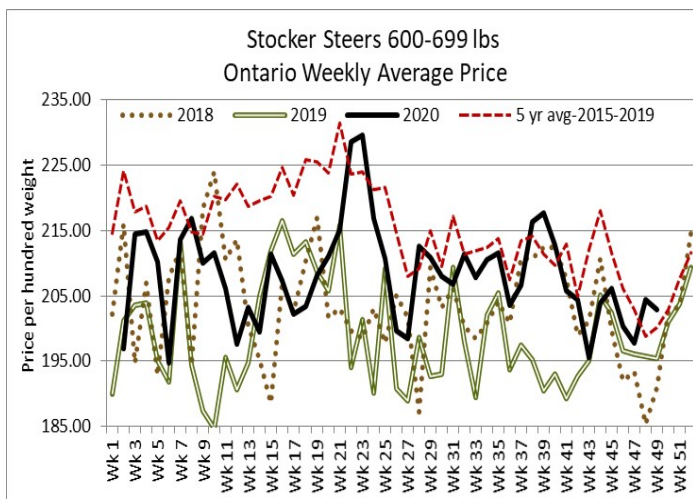
Stocker sale at: **Ontario Stockyards Inc: December 3, 2020– 1,094 Stockers**

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
1000+	109.00-156.00	127.67	182.00	900+	114.00-146.00	140.74	146.00
900-999	180.00-191.25	185.19	191.25	800-899	111.00-155.00	136.17	165.00
800-899	158.00-189.00	177.02	197.00	700-799	144.00-175.00	156.54	179.00
700-799	175.00-205.00	189.69	205.00	600-699	150.00-203.75	184.82	213.00
600-699	188.00-226.50	209.58	226.50	500-599	162.50-213.00	189.30	214.00
500-599	200.00-241.00	223.00	250.00	400-499	165.00-219.00	187.51	270.00
400-499	224.00-265.00	243.32	275.00	300-399	157.50-221.00	191.94	224.00
399	227.00-282.50	255.43	290.00	299-	180.00-220.00	203.93	220.00

Replacements traded very actively at stronger prices.

Stocker sale at **Ottawa Livestock Exchange: December 3, 2020– 115 Stockers**

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
600-699	160.00-189.00	176.44	189.00	600-699	162.00-185.00	177.50	185.00
500-599	160.00-229.00	195.06	230.00	500-599	140.00-184.00	155.86	198.00
400-499	214.00-248.00	237.09	248.00	400-499	138.00-180.00	153.80	196.00
399-	215.00-254.00	233.71	254.00				

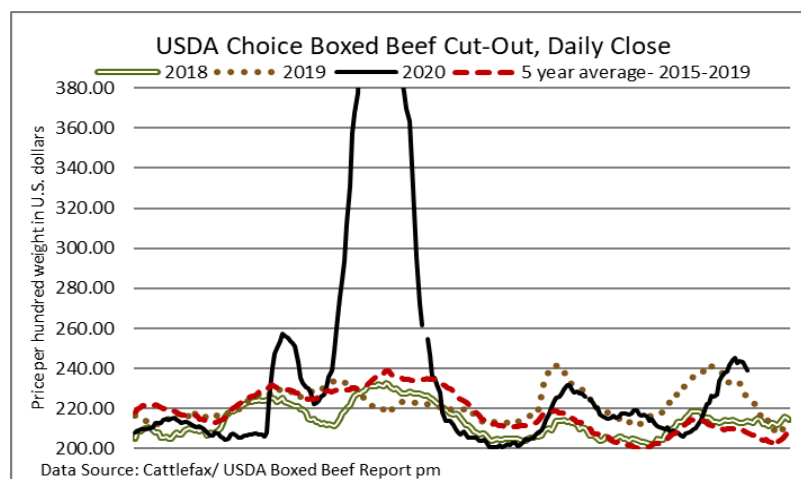


U.S. BOXED BEEF CUT-OUT VALUES (U.S. funds)

Cutout Values (noon estimate):
Change (from yesterday's close):
Current Five Day Average:

Choice
600-900
237.48
-1.71
242.00

Select
600-900
220.74
+0.81
221.82



QUEBEC ELECTRONIC AUCTION MARKET (F.O.B. THE FEEDLOT)

For the week ending December 3, 2020

Price
234.25-238.25

Change from Last Week
+2.48

ALBERTA DIRECT TRADE

Alberta's direct trade this week saw a light trade on Wednesday at \$230.00 delivered on a dressed basis, up \$1.00-\$2.00 from the previous week's trade. Thursday business continued with prices steady to Wednesday at \$230.00 cwt. On a picked-up basis, Canfax noted trade at \$228.50 dressed, up \$1.35 for steers and \$1.14 for heifers, from last week's market. Canfax reports: "Cattle that traded this week were being scheduled for the middle of December to early January delivery. US buying interest has been noted over the past couple of weeks but heavy weight discounts on carcasses weighing over 1050 lbs are deterring sellers from sending cattle south. Seasonally this is the time of the year that fed prices start to rally however prices continue to trend mostly sideways."

Steers	Live FOB	N/T	Rail FOB	228.50
Heifers	Live FOB	N/T	Rail FOB	228.50

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

The U.S. cash cattle trade on Thursday was light to moderate with northern sales from \$172.00-\$175.00 dressed, steady to early week trade but \$1.00 higher to \$1.00 lower than last week. In the south trade ranged from \$109.00-\$110.00 live, steady to \$1.00 lower than Wednesday and steady to \$1.00 lower than last week. Today, a few clean up deals in Texas are steady with yesterday at \$110.00 live. Bids in the north are sitting at \$172.00 dressed but no trade has been reported. Asking prices are at \$112.00 plus live in the south and \$175.00 plus dressed in the north. It appears the bulk of trade for the week is completed.

Choice and Select Steers and Heifers:	Live	109.00-110.00
	Rail	172.00-175.00

CHICAGO MERCANTILE EXCHANGE

Closing quotes on futures today were as follows:

Live Cattle			Feeder Cattle			Corn			Soybeans			Canadian \$		
Dec	108.87	-0.72	Jan	139.77	-0.02	Dec	4.170	-5.4	Jan	11.630	-5.2	Spot	78.24	+0.45
Feb	112.40	-0.17	Mar	139.42	+0.10	Mar	4.204	-6.0	Mar	11.650	-5.2	Dec	78.25	+0.46
Apr	116.17	-0.12	Apr	140.77	+0.07	May	4.232	-5.4	May	11.636	-4.4	Mar	78.28	+0.46
Jun	111.05	-0.22	May	141.62	+0.07	Jul	4.240	-5.4	Jul	11.606	-4.2	Jun	78.29	+0.46
Aug	110.62	-0.22	Aug	146.85	-0.07	Sep	4.104	-2.0	Aug	11.406	-3.6	Sep	78.29	+0.46
Oct	114.45	-0.15	Sep	146.55	-0.20	Mar	4.102	-0.4	Sep	10.844	-1.6	Dec	78.29	+0.46

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ONTARIO STOCKER & FEEDER TRADE SPECIAL FALL SALES

Dec 4- 5:00 pm	Keady Livestock Market	Special Bred Heifer & Cow Sale
Dec 5- 11:00 am	Denfield Livestock Exchange	Fall Stocker Sale (no cows please)
Dec 9- 10:00 am	Kawartha Lakes Community Sales Barn	Fall Stocker Sale
Dec 10-11:00 am	Ontario Stockyards Inc	All Vaccinated Stocker Sale (in regular sale)
Dec 15-9:00 am	Keady Livestock Market	Last regular sale of 2020
Dec 16-7:00 pm	Brussels Livestock	Bred Cow Sale