



Daily Market Information Report - Wednesday, April 14, 2021

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	245.00
A Grade Heifers	244.00-245.00

ONTARIO LIVE CATTLE TRADE

Today at **Ontario Livestock Exchange: 699** stockers

Steers	Price Range	Heifers	Price Range
1000+	161.00-182.00	800+	156.00-167.00
800-1000	165.00-190.00		

Feeder cattle sold on a steady market. *Vaccinated Stocker Sales every Wednesday @ 1:00 pm.*

Today at **Ontario Stockyards Inc.: 49** fed steers & heifers, **186** cows & bulls, **13** veal

	Price Range	Top
Fancy Fed Steers & Heifers	144.00-152.00	156.00
Good to Choice Fed Steers & Heifers	138.00-146.00	
Aged & Medium Fed Steers & Heifers	115.00-122.00	
Good Beef Cows	79.00-105.00	114.00
Good Dairy Cows	74.00-85.00	98.00
Export Cows	64.00-75.00	
Bulls	93.00-113.00	

Cows continue to trade at stronger prices. Bulls sold steady. Fats traded at fully steady prices. *600 stockers are expected for Thursday's sale which includes the Leeds & Grenville Counties Special Calf Sale! Tuesday May 11th @ 11:00 - All Vaccinated Stocker Sale!*

Today at: **Kawartha Lakes Community Sales Barn – 785** Stockers

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
1000+	163.00-175.50	167.11	175.50	900+	139.00-161.50	150.72	161.50
900-999	167.00-1286.75	177.37	186.75	800-899	119.00-170.50	161.81	170.50
800-899	140.00-201.00	175.28	201.00	700-799	160.00-196.00	171.40	196.00
700-799	162.50-222.00	203.75	223.00	600-699	170.00-198.00	187.96	213.00
600-699	211.00-241.50	229.78	244.00	500-599	163.00-24..50	194.95	242.50
500-599	220.00-257.00	243.83	257.50	400-499	185.00-240.00	209.45	240.00
400-499	242.00-289.50	268.32	289.50	300-399	85.00-239.00	217.59	239.00
399-	75.00-240.00	197.62	240.00				

A good offering of grass cattle sold actively at higher prices! *May 5th @ 10:00 am- Peterborough Cattlemen's & Victoria Beef Farmers Spring Stocker Sale!*

Denfield Livestock Exchange Inc., April 13, 2021: 220 Fed Cattle, **41** Veal, **108** Cows, **7** Bulls, **9** stockers

	Price Range	Average	Top
Large & Medium Frame Fed Steers +1250 lbs	142.50-149.25	146.51	158.00
Large & Medium Frame Fed Heifers +1000 lbs	142.75-152.00	148.13	169.00
Cows	62.00-86.50	75.00	98.50
Veal over 600 lbs	105.00-117.00	111.41	147.00

Fed cattle traded very strong with a good demand at prices \$2.00-\$3.00 cwt higher. Cull cows sold on a steady market. Veal traded slightly lower on the market. Drop calves sold higher. *Saturday April 24th @ 11:00 am- Vaccinated Stocker Sale!*

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

	Volume	Price Range	Average	Top
Large & Medium Frame Fed Steers +1250 lbs	125	138.67-147.74	144.14	158.00
Large & Medium Frame Fed Heifers +1000 lbs	203	134.18-151.76	145.58	169.00
Fed Heifers, Dairy & Dairy Cross +1000 lbs	43	100.49-119.72	108.63	130.00
Cows	704	63.09-85.33	74.48	112.00
Bulls all weights	43	90.21-108.40	97.99	128.40
Veal 600 lbs and over	469	107.80-131.89	121.34	179.00
Veal 125 & less	71	134.88-341.31	213.74	718.31

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: April 13, 2021 – 98 Stockers**

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
700-799	135.00-186.00	169.30	186.00	600-699	137.00-200.00	169.30	200.00
600-699	165.99-216.00	196.99	216.00	500-599	137.50-212.00	181.00	212.00
500-599	182.49-256.00	225.89	256.00				
400-499	208.99-262.50	230.89	262.50				

May 7th @ 11:00 am- *Quinte Cattlemen's Stocker Sale, Farm Fresh, Catalogued with 95% Vaccinated!*

Stocker sale at: **Keady Livestock Market: April 13, 2021 – 506 Stockers**

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
900-999	173.00-182.50	178.74	182.50	900+	157.50-169.00	165.17	172.50
800-899	184.00-204.50	194.28	222.00	800-899	162.00-172.00	166.11	177.50
700-799	205.00-219.00	212.03	222.00	700-799	176.50-188.50	180.32	188.50
600-699	211.00-239.00	222.51	240.00	600-699	183.00-207.00	194.54	210.00
500-599	210.00-245.00	227.81	248.00	500-599	135.00-212.50	186.21	218.00
400-499				400-499	185.00-229.00	212.19	229.00

All classes of stocker and feeder cattle sold at fully steady prices. *April 23rd @ 9:00 am- Special Spring Stocker Sale, vacc and non-vacc. April 30th @ 11:00 am – Northern Select Stocker Sale.*

Stocker sale at: **Renfrew Pontiac Livestock: April 13, 2021 – 243 Stockers**

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
800-899	112.50-176.00	157.60	176.00	700-799	168.99-192.99	185.29	192.99
700-799	144.99-216.00	204.30	216.00	600-699	161.00-197.99	188.79	197.99
600-699	192.50-239.00	217.39	239.00	500-599	172.50-218.00	202.09	218.00
500-599	177.49-241.99	222.59	241.99	400-499	189.99-222.00	210.00	222.00
400-499	204.99-252.99	230.29	252.99				
399-	232.50-250.00	239.19	250.00				

ONTARIO STOCKER & FEEDER TRADE SPECIAL SPRING SALES

Stocker sale at: **Ontario Stockyards Inc: April 13, 2021 – 1,124 Stockers**

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
1000+	162.00-170.50	166.73	171.00	900+	120.00-160.00	134.29	160.00
900-999	166.50-181.00	175.20	186.00	800-899	141.00-173.00	154.47	180.00
800-899	187.50-201.00	192.93	210.00	700-799	163.00-188.00	174.57	188.00
700-799	202.00-221.50	212.37	226.00	600-699	179.00-206.00	194.31	212.00
600-699	217.50-250.00	235.39	261.00	500-599	178.00-226.00	193.87	246.00
500-599	240.00-268.00	256.92	268.00	400-499	190.00-242.50	219.27	242.50
400-499	236.00-264.00	258.60	266.00	300-399	140.00-222.50	194.64	222.50
399-	112.50-235.00	187.08	235.00				

Special All Vaccinated Sale! Calves sold at very strong prices. A run of primarily home-raised yearlings sold at sharply stronger pricing. *April 15th @ 11:00 am- Leeds & Grenville County Calf Sale! May 11th @ 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):	272.29	267.90
Change (from yesterday's close):	+2.18	+1.36
Current Five Day Average:	270.10	263.16

ALBERTA DIRECT TRADE

Alberta direct trade remains at a standstill however Canfax reports that business is expected to develop this afternoon. Asking prices are reported at \$260.00 cwt delivered on a dressed basis.

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

The U.S. cash cattle trade remains untested with business not expected to develop until Thursday, at the earliest. Asking prices are reported at \$125.00 live in the south and \$200.00-\$205.00 dressed in the north. Cattle futures continued to decline today, mainly as a result of higher feed costs. Boxed beef prices continued stronger which should encourage feedlots to hold out for at least steady money this week.

At the Central Stockyards online auction today, there were 3,966 head on offer, in 23 lots with delivery in 1-16 days. Not one single animal was sold today online, with bids from \$121.00-\$126.00 live coming in under the reserve prices of \$122.00-\$128.00.

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 \$
Apr 122.10 -0.30	Apr 141.15 -1.30	May 5.940 +14.0	May 14.100 +20.4	Spot 79.83 +0.05
Jun 120.05 -0.87	May 145.42 -1.90	Jul 5.794 +13.0	July 14.022 +17.4	Jun 79.85 +0.06
Aug 120.17 -0.72	Aug 156.70 -1.45	Sep 5.280 +10.2	Aug 13.632 +14.0	Sep 79.86 +0.06
Oct 123.85 -0.65	Sep 157.92 -1.27	Dec 5.112 +7.0	Sep 12.962 +12.6	Dec 79.86 +0.06
Dec 127.37 -0.50	Oct 158.60 -1.17	Mar 5.180 +6.6	Nov 12.640 +12.6	Mar 79.88 +0.06
Feb 130.30 -0.40	Nov 158.97 -1.17	May 5.220 +6.4	Jan 12.632 +12.2	Jun 79.85 +0.06

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