



Daily Market Information Report – Thursday November 25, 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:

Prices reported for Wednesday November 17, 2021

A Grade Steers	270.00- with very limited trade and delivery the week of December 13 th
A Grade Heifers	269.00-270.00- with very limited trade and delivery the week of December 13 th

ONTARIO LIVE CATTLE TRADE

Today at **Ontario Livestock Exchange:** **170** fed Cattle, **650** Cows, **385** Stockers, **5** Veal

	Price Range	Top
Good Fed Steers	160.00-164.00	176.50
Good Fed Heifers	157.00-161.50	
Holstein Steers	127.00-138.00	141.00
Good Cows	52.00-74.00	130.00
Stocker steers 700+	168.00-182.50	
Lightweight steers	185.00-210.00	225.00
Lightweight heifers	154.00-187.50	

Fed cows sold actively at steady prices. Fed cattle sold at firm prices with Holstein steers up \$1.00 cwt. Stockers sold selectively steady.

Today at **Brussels Livestock:** **105** Veal

	Price Range	Top
Good Beef veal	150.00-196.00	198.00
Good Holsteins	148.00-178.00	
Slightly Heavy Holsteins	140.00-165.00	
Heavy Holsteins 800 lbs +	120.00-148.00	
Medium Holsteins	125.00-145.00	
Plain Holsteins	111.00-125.00	

Veal sold actively at steady prices.

Today at **Ontario Stockyards- 906** stockers – sale in progress. Final results will be posted on Friday's Report.

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
900-999	180.50-199.00	190.86	199.00	600-699	142.00-186.50	166.45	186.50
700-799	178.00-199.00	190.27	199.00	500-599	159.00-216.00	188.83	216.00
600-699	196.00-226.50	211.63	226.50	400-499	160.00-228.00	198.63	228.00
500-599	203.00-255.00	227.36	255.00	300-399	100.00-170.00	142.50	170.00
400-499	210.00-269.00	239.46	269.00				
399-	130.00-270.00	239.07	270.00				

Good quality stockers are trading steady to stronger. Poor quality and unvaccinated cattle are selling easier. *Dec 2nd @ 11:00 am- Special Fall Yearling sale in conjunction with regular sale! December 9th @ 11:00 am- Special Vaccinated Calf Sale! (in conjunction with regular sale) December 11th @ 12:00 noon- Bred Cow Sale!*

At **Aylmer Stockyards Inc.:** **November 24, 2021 – 43** veal, **226** Cows, **42** fed cattle, **5** bulls, **163** stockers

	Price Range	Average	Top
Fed Heifers, Dairy & Dairy Cross 1000 lbs +	134.00-156.49	146.70	156.49
Cows	38.00-76.50	56.79	84.99
Veal over 600 lbs	110.00-161.00	139.10	161.00

175 replacement calves sold between \$5.00 - \$450.00, averaging \$185.98 per head.

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

	Volume	Price Range	Average	Top
Large & Medium Frame Fed Steers 1250 lbs +	32	147.69-158.31	152.72	162.00
Large & Medium Frame Fed Heifers 1000 lbs +	29	118.14-153.65	142.20	162.00
Fed Heifers, Dairy & Dairy Cross 1000 lbs +	55	74.33-117.38	98.86	129.49
Cows	690	42.24-73.92	56.28	129.00
Bulls under 1600 lbs	12	59.17-103.17	83.31	107.00
Bulls over 1600 lbs	18	76.75-106.17	90.44	127.00
Veal 600+ lbs	22	106.36-155.05	134.14	161.00
Veal -125 lbs	210	70.00-300.00	118.06	340.00

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 24, 2021 – 705** stockers

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
1000+	188.00-202.00	195.51	202.00	900+	167.00-179.00	172.12	179.00
900-999	190.00-209.00	200.44	209.00	800-899	179.50-187.00	183.49	187.00
800-899	199.50-210.00	204.34	210.00				
700-799	184.00-204.00	192.06	204.00				
600-699	206.00-208.00	207.50	208.00				

Feeder cattle sold on an active trade at higher prices.

Stocker sale at **Vankleek Hill Exchange, November 24, 2021 – 258** stockers

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
800-899	160.00-188.00	175.75	188.00	700-799	123.00-166.00	137.06	166.00
700-799	167.00-201.00	186.87	203.00	600-699	120.00-179.00	150.11	179.00
600-699	169.00-212.00	186.59	212.00	500-599	128.00-193.00	160.28	193.00
500-599	168.00-223.00	192.30	223.00	400-499	127.00-180.00	149.81	180.00
400-499	170.00-248.00	202.71	248.00				
399-	150.00-218.00	194.65	218.00				

ONTARIO BRED COW SALES

Kawartha Lakes Community Sale Barn, November 24, 2021- 150 Bred cows, **15** Cow calf pairs

	Exotic and Exotic X	British and British X
Top quality bred cows	\$1500-\$1800	\$1400-\$1600
Avg quality bred cows	\$1200-\$1400	\$1100-\$1300
Top quality cow/calf pairs	\$1800-\$2200	\$1500-\$1700
Avg quality cow/calf pairs	\$1500-\$1700	\$1300-\$1500

Cows sold actively on a good demand. (prices are per head & per pair)

ALBERTA DIRECT TRADE

Alberta direct trade remains untested. Canfax notes bids this week sitting from \$236.00-\$270.50 delivered on a dressed basis on Wednesday and \$272.00 today, but sellers are resisting. Asking prices are reported in the mid to \$270's. to \$280.00 cwt. Canfax reports: "Even though selling interest remains light, there are some big cattle on this week's list that probably have to be sold before the week is through."

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

The US cash cattle trade has been extremely strong this week with prices higher again on Wednesday. Sales in the south ranged from \$138.00-\$140.00 live, up \$5.00-\$7.00 cwt from last week. The \$140.00 live price has not been reported since early May 2017. In the north, trade ranged from \$217.00-\$219.00 with a few at \$220.00 dressed, up \$7.00-\$9.00 cwt with the \$220.00 cattle being purchased for the week of December 6th. A few live deals were noted in the north from \$138.00-\$140.00 live up around \$5.00. Today the U.S. trade is closed as Americans celebrate Thanksgiving, but trade could resume on Friday.

Choice and Select Steers and Heifers:	Live	138.00-140.00
	Rail	217.00-220.00

CHICAGO MERCANTILE EXCHANGE IS CLOSED TODAY AS THEY CELEBRATE THE THANKSGIVING HOLIDAY

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