



Daily Market Information Report – Friday December 10, 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,

A Grade Steers	275.00-278.00 – bids only. No new trade reported today.
A Grade Heifers	274.00-275.00- bids only, no new trade reported.

ONTARIO LIVE CATTLE TRADE

Today at **Brussels Livestock – 1,400** stockers – sale in progress. Final results will be posted on Monday's report.

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
800-899	168.00-200.00	192.53	204.00	700-799	148.00-183.00	165.66	183.00
700-799	179.00-213.00	196.90	213.00	600-699	159.00-198.50	171.65	204.00
600-699	188.00-225.00	213.02	225.00	500-599	162.00-194.00	181.20	194.00
500-599	207.00-227.00	217.19	227.00	400-499	175.0-202.00	190.88	202.00
400-499	220.00-254.00	234.28	254.00	300-399	172.50-223.00	197.11	223.00
399-	248.00-272.00	265.06	272.00	299-	202.50-211.00	206.75	211.00

Calves are selling on a fully steady market with choice calves selling \$3.00-\$5.00 cwt higher. Yearlings have not sold at time of reporting.

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

	Volume	Price Range	Average	Top
Large & Medium Frame Fed Steers 1250 lbs +	30	142.27-165.71	156.12	168.75
Large & Medium Frame Fed Heifers 1000 lbs +	27	135.52-163.44	156.57	166.50
Fed Steers, Dairy & Dairy Cross 1250 lbs +	40	122.00-139.00	133.92	139.00
Cows	721	45.38-64.00	53.15	130.00
Bulls - all weights	16	74.12-111.44	91.04	127.00
Veal over 600 lbs	120	129.76-190.13	166.25	231.00

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

Stocker sale at **Ontario Livestock Exchange: December 9, 2021 – 335** Stockers

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
700-799	155.00-202.50	186.77	202.50	700-799	142.00-172.00	156.53	172.00
600-699	155.00-218.00	183.60	218.00	600-699	110.00-191.00	151.32	191.00
500-599	165.00-225.00	193.88	235.00	500-599	130.00-197.50	167.47	197.50
400-499	155.00-210.00	185.00	210.00	400-499	125.00-180.00	156.29	180.00
399-	145.00-190.00	166.00	215.00				

Stockers sold on a brisk demand at prices steady to Wednesday's stronger market.

Stocker sale at **Ontario Stockyards Inc, December 9, 2021- 1,533** stockers

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
1000+	94.00-185.00	147.06	185.00	900+	134.00-163.00	156.00	163.00
900-999	177.00-187.50	185.50	187.50	800-899	153.00-171.00	160.39	180.00
800-899	152.00-194.25	181.86	194.25	700-799	142.00-195.00	187.86	195.00
700-799	181.00-210.50	199.91	219.00	600-699	170.00-200.00	183.46	205.00
600-699	202.00-227.00	213.64	227.00	500-599	157.50-211.50	183.75	232.00
500-599	200.00-251.00	228.73	251.00	400-499	144.00-212.50	176.43	226.00
400-499	218.00-281.00	242.34	281.00	300-399	150.00-190.00	167.00	200.00
399-	195.00-252.50	218.03	252.50				

Calves sold on a fully steady to stronger market.

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

	Choice 600-900	Select 600-900
Cutout Values (noon estimate):	265.97	254.24
Change (from yesterday's close):	1.42	+2.56
Current Five Day Average:	268.72	255.39

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

	Price	Change from Last Week
For the week ending December 9, 2021	\$266.50-270.25	+3.38

ALBERTA DIRECT TRADE

Alberta's direct trade on Wednesday was light with Canfax reporting sales from \$275.00-\$276.00 cwt delivered on a dressed basis, fully steady to \$1.00 higher than last week's trade. Moderate trade was noted by Canfax on Thursday at \$276.00 delivered on a dressed basis, with some deals from \$161.75-\$162.50 live on a picked-up basis, \$1.00 above last week.

Steers	Live FOB	162.50	Rail - FOB	273.50-274.50
Heifers	Live FOB	161.75	Rail - FOB	273.50-275.50

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

The U.S. cash cattle trade on Thursday was light to moderate in all feeding states. Trade in the south was mostly \$139.00-\$141.00, steady to \$2.00 cwt lower than the majority of last week's southern deals. In the north dressed trade was reported from \$218.00-\$220.00 dressed, mainly \$220.00 which is fully steady, while live trade was from \$138.00-\$140.00 down \$2.00 from last week's northern sales. Some clean up trade could still develop today but it appears the market is established.

Choice and Select Steers and Heifers:	Live	137.00-142.00
	Rail	218.00-221.00

CHICAGO MERCANTILE EXCHANGE

Closing quotes on futures today were as follows:

Live Cattle			Feeder Cattle			Corn			Soybeans			Canadian \$		
Dec	136.85	+0.12	Jan	164.87	+0.80	Dec	5.884	+0.0	Jan	12.676	+3.2	Spot	78.55	-0.06
Feb	138.07	+0.27	Mar	165.30	+0.22	Mar	5.900	-1.6	Mar	12.742	+2.0	Dec	78.55	-0.06
Apr	141.87	+0.65	Apr	168.20	+0.35	May	5.920	-1.2	May	12.816	+3.0	Mar	78.57	-0.06
Jun	137.50	+0.60	May	170.10	+0.37	Jul	5.910	-0.6	Jul	12.880	+3.2	Jun	78.53	-0.06
Aug	136.02	+0.32	Aug	177.75	+0.62	Sep	5.642	-0.4	Aug	12.804	+2.4	Sep	78.42	-0.05
Oct	138.72	+0.17	Sep	178.02	+0.52	Dec	5.510	-1.2	Sep	12.602	+1.4	Dec	78.31	-0.05

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ONTARIO STOCKER & FEEDER TRADE SPECIAL FALL SALES

Dec 11	12:00 pm	Ontario Stockyards Inc	Bred Cow Sale
Dec 15	10:00 am	Kawartha Lakes Community Sale Barn	Fall Stocker Sale