



Daily Market Information Report – Monday, December 13, 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 regardless of delivery date).

A Grade Steers	278.00 (delivery in two weeks)
A Grade Heifers	277.00

ONTARIO LIVE CATTLE TRADE

Today at **Ontario Stockyards Inc:** 45 veal

	Price Range	Top
Veal 600 lbs +	129.00-164.00	178.00

Veal sold on a steady market.

At **Kawartha Lakes Community Sale Barn: December 11, 2021** – 215 cows, 6 bulls, 35 veal, 46 stockers, 8 Fed Cattle

	Price Range	Avg.	Top
Cows	47.00-90.00	56.89	103.00
Veal 600 lbs plus	127.50-158.00	134.02	158.00
Veal 125 lbs or less	60.00-140.00	85.65	140.00

Veal traded actively on a good demand. Meat cows traded actively at slightly higher prices. *Dec. 15th @ 10:00 am - Special Stocker Sale!*

ONTARIO STOCKER & FEEDER TRADE

Stocker sale at **Brussels Livestock: December 12, 2021** – 1,283 Stockers

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
1000+	169.00-208.00	195.62	208.00	900+	162.00-184.00	171.45	185.00
900-999	189.00-210.00	203.26	210.00	800-899	169.25-186.00	175.89	186.00
800-899	176.00-205.75	197.05	209.00	700-799	149.00-183.00	170.30	183.00
700-799	181.00-213.00	201.64	213.00	600-699	145.00-178.00	166.99	204.00
600-699	198.00-225.00	213.34	225.00	500-599	157.50-191.00	177.23	194.00
500-599	205.00-230.00	217.83	230.00	400-499	180.00-202.00	193.07	202.00
400-499	220.00-254.00	233.99	254.00	300-399	172.50-223.00	197.11	223.00
399 or less	248.00-272.00	265.06	272.00	299-	202.50-211.00	206.75	211.00

Calves sold actively at steady prices with choice calves up \$3.00-\$5.00 cwt. Yearlings sold steady.

ONTARIO BRED COW SALES

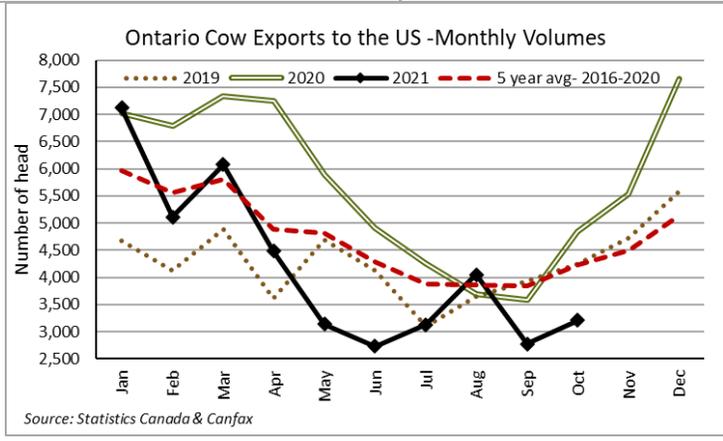
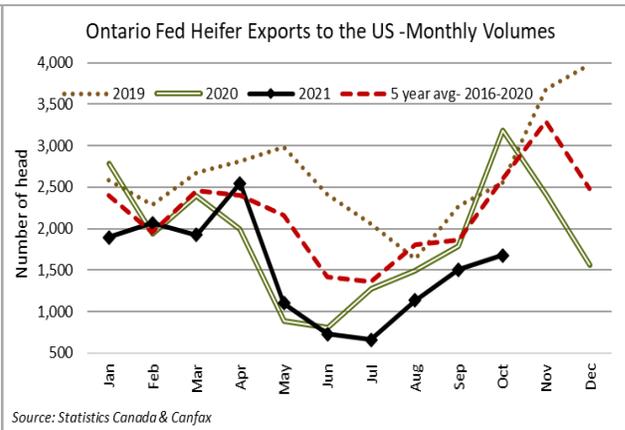
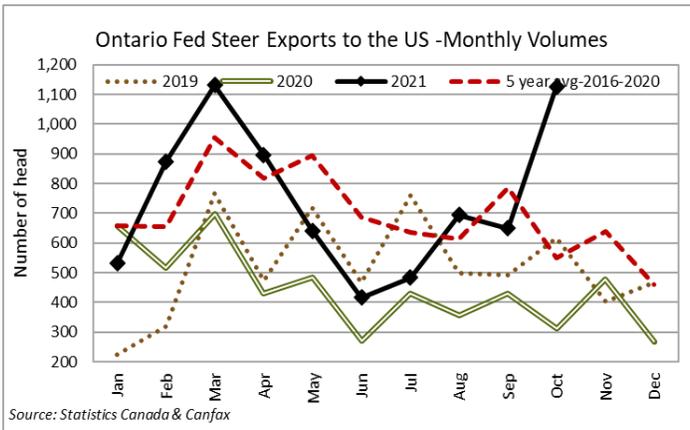
Ontario Stockyards Inc, December 11, 2021- 402 Bred cows & heifers, 41 Cow calf pairs (prices-per head & per pair)

	Exotic and Exotic X	British and British X
Top quality bred cows	\$1600-\$2100	\$1600-\$2050
Avg quality bred cows	\$1400-\$1600	\$1400-\$16.00
Bred heifers	N/T	\$1850-\$2300
Avg quality cow/calf pairs	\$1900-\$2300	\$1800-\$2100

Cows traded with excellent buyer support on a strong market.

CATTLE EXPORTS-ONTARIO

	Week ending Nov 27, 2021	Week ending Nov 20, 2021	Year to Date 2021
Total live slaughter cattle exported from Ontario to the U.S.	1,676	2,045	101,722
Steers & Heifers & Cows	1,590	1,915	91,858
Bulls	86	130	6,864



FEDERALLY INSPECTED CANADIAN PROCESSING

	Week Ending Dec 4, 2021	# of hd change from week ago	YTD	% Change (Week Ago)	% Change (Year Ago)
Grand Total	59,815	-2,442	3,042,910	-5%	+9%
Western Slaughter	45,282	-3,943	2,408,011	-8%	+10%
Eastern Slaughter	14,533	+501	634,899	+4%	+5%

AVERAGE CARCASS WEIGHTS – CANADA

	Steers	Heifers
Dec 4, 2021	956	832
Nov 27, 2021	937	849
Nov 28, 2020	950	844

USDA ESTIMATED CATTLE PROCESSING VOLUME

	Week Ending Dec 11, 2021	Previous Week	Year Ago
Grand Total	668,000	676,000	664,000

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

	Choice 600-900	Select 600-900
Cutout Values (noon estimate):	264.55	253.66
Change (from yesterday's close):	+0.01	+1.42
Current Five Day Average:	266.75	254.11

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

The U.S. cash cattle trade last week took place mainly Wednesday and Thursday with southern deals from \$139.00-\$140.00 live, most at \$140.00 steady to \$1.00 below the previous week. In the north dressed deals ranged from \$217.00-\$221.00, mainly \$220.00 which is fully steady, with a few live deals from \$138.00-\$140.00 live. Overall, for the week prices reported by the USDA Mandatory Price report saw steers average \$139.69 live down \$0.75 while heifers averaged \$139.65 down \$1.24. On the rail steers averaged \$219.71 dressed, down \$0.26 from the previous week while heifers averaged \$219.94 up \$0.07.

Today the market was very quiet as both sides took inventory. This week's offering is reported as smaller in volume than last week in all feeding states. Bids and asking prices remain unestablished with little business expected before Wednesday.

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 \$		
Dec	136.95	+0.10	Jan	165.52	+0.65	Dec	5.842	-4.2	Jan	12.440	-23.6	Spot	78.15	-0.40
Feb	138.85	+0.77	Mar	166.47	+1.17	Mar	5.850	-5.0	Mar	12.506	-23.4	Dec	78.15	-0.40
Apr	142.37	+0.50	Apr	169.35	+1.15	May	5.872	-4.6	May	12.592	-22.4	Mar	78.17	-0.40
Jun	137.90	+0.40	May	171.27	+1.17	Jul	5.870	-4.0	Jul	12.660	-22.0	Jun	78.12	-0.40
Aug	136.55	+0.52	Aug	178.90	+1.15	Sep	5.582	-6.0	Aug	12.596	-20.6	Sep	78.02	-0.40
Oct	139.22	+0.50	Sep	179.40	+1.37	Dec	5.424	-8.4	Sep	12.410	-19.2	Dec	77.91	-0.40

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