



## Daily Market Information Report – Monday, March 14, 2022

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** No new trade reported today. One federal packer not bidding today.

**A Grade Heifers** No new trade reported today. One federal packer not bidding today.

Today at **Ontario Stockyards Inc:** 40 veal

	Price Range	Top
<b>Veal 600 lbs +</b>	118.00-140.00	146.00
<b>Veal 451-600 lbs</b>	110.00-137.00	

A run of heavy veal sold on an easier market. *Tuesday March 22<sup>nd</sup> @ 10:00 am- Special All Vaccinated Stocker Sale!*

At **Kawartha Lakes Community Sale Barn: March 12, 2022 – 266 cows, 7 bulls, 28 veal, 13 stockers, 4 Fed Cattle**

	Price Range	Avg.	Top
<b>Cows</b>	84.00-113.00	94.32	135.00
<b>Bulls under 1600 lbs</b>	110.00-111.00	110.53	111.00
<b>Bulls over 1600 lbs</b>	90.00-123.00	109.90	123.00
<b>Veal 600 lbs +</b>	130.00-185.00	139.96	185.00
<b>Veal 125 lbs or less</b>	130.00-450.00	230.21	450.00

All classes of cattle sold actively at steady prices. *Wednesday March 16th @ 10:00 am- Special Stocker Sale!*

### ONTARIO STOCKER & FEEDER TRADE

Stocker sale at **Brussels Livestock: March 11, 2022 – 1,118 Stockers**

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
<b>1000+</b>	178.00-200.50	189.89	200.50	<b>900+</b>	166.50-182.50	175.74	185.50
<b>900-999</b>	193.50-205.00	201.01	205.00	<b>800-899</b>	156.50-184.25	173.16	189.50
<b>800-899</b>	185.00-214.00	201.10	229.00	<b>700-799</b>	173.00-193.00	183.94	193.00
<b>700-799</b>	191.00-217.75	206.45	217.75	<b>600-699</b>	171.00-193.00	179.59	198.00
<b>600-699</b>	174.00-213.50	196.36	228.00	<b>500-599</b>	165.00-205.00	185.49	224.50
<b>500-599</b>	187.50-240.00	211.61	252.00	<b>400-499</b>	187.00-211.00	196.00	211.00
<b>400-499</b>	178.00-263.50	241.23	263.50	<b>300-399</b>	170.00-223.00	192.81	223.00
<b>399-</b>	203.00-264.00	233.50	264.00				

Calves and yearlings sold on a steady market.

### ONTARIO STOCKER & FEEDER TRADE SPECIAL STOCKER SALE

Stocker sale at **Community Livestock Exchange: March 11, 2022 – 469 Stockers**

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
<b>1000+</b>	154.00-190.99	189.79	190.99	<b>900+</b>	154.00-165.99	163.90	165.99
<b>900-999</b>	169.99-194.99	191.10	194.99	<b>800-899</b>	138.99-172.99	155.80	172.99
<b>800-899</b>	155.00-210.00	194.39	210.00	<b>700-799</b>	140.99-186.00	173.79	186.00
<b>700-799</b>	184.00-228.50	212.19	228.50	<b>600-699</b>	139.99-239.00	187.20	239.00
<b>600-699</b>	169.99-247.99	228.20	247.99	<b>500-599</b>	147.50-222.00	195.30	222.00
<b>500-599</b>	182.49-254.00	240.39	254.00	<b>400-499</b>	135.00-225.00	205.69	225.00
<b>400-499</b>	217.49-281.00	251.29	281.00	<b>300-399</b>			

Quinte Cattlemen's Stocker Sale- There were 469 cattle on offer comprised of 282 steers and 187 heifers with over 90% being vaccinated. Demand was strong, generally, with extra strength in the lighter weight steer categories. There were 36 consignors and 18 purchasing buyers. *Next Quinte Cattlemen's Stocker Sale- Friday May 6th @ 11:00 am!*

### ONTARIO BRED COW SALES

Ontario Stockyards Inc, March 12, 2022- 260 Bred cows, 23 Cow calf pairs (prices are per head & per pair)

	Exotic and Exotic X	British and British X
Top quality bred cows	N/T	\$1800-\$2400
Avg quality bred cows	N/T	\$1450-\$1800
Top quality cow/calf pairs	N/T	N/T
Avg quality cow/calf pairs	N/T	\$1800-\$2400

Cows sold on a steady market.

### WEEKLY LIVE CATTLE EXPORTS-ONTARIO

	Week ending Feb 26, 2022	Week ending Feb 19, 2022	Year to Date
Total live slaughter cattle exported from Ontario to the U.S.	2,200	1,951	189,391
Steers & Heifers & Cows	2,117	1,857	17,641
Bulls	83	94	750

### FEDERALLY INSPECTED CANADIAN PROCESSING-Family day week prior

	Week Ending Mar 5, 2022	# of hd change from week ago	YTD	% Change (Week Ago)	% Change (Year Ago)
Grand Total	68,265	+6,437	566,897	+10%	+2%
Western Slaughter	53,943	+4,819	444,758	+10%	+3%
Eastern Slaughter	14,322	+1,618	122,139	+13%	+1%

### AVERAGE CARCASS WEIGHTS – CANADA

	Steers	Heifers
Mar 5, 2022	924	861
Feb 26, 2022	938	855
Mar 6, 2021	928	852

### USDA ESTIMATED CATTLE PROCESSING VOLUME

	Week Ending March 12, 2022	Previous Week	Year Ago
Grand Total	644,000	654,000	649,000

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

	Choice 600-900	Select 600-900
Cutout Values (noon estimate):	255.04	249.07
Change (from yesterday's close):	+0.33	-0.04
Current Five Day Average:	253.70	247.29

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

The U.S. cash cattle trade last week was light to moderate with prices easing lower. The USDA Mandatory Price Report listed live sales for the week ranging from \$136.00-\$141.00, with steers averaging \$138.30 down \$2.31 from the previous week, while heifers averaged \$138.14 down \$2.68. On the rail trade was reported from \$21.00-\$222.00 dressed, with steers averaging \$220.11 down \$4.40 and heifers \$220.01 down \$4.64.

Today the market was quiet as both sides took inventory and new show lists were distributed. This week's offering is reported as slightly higher to higher in the southern states and lower in volume in the northern feeding states. Bids and asking prices are unestablished at this time and could remain that way until mid-week.

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 \$		
\$/cwt US			\$/cwt US			\$/bu US			¢/bu					
<b>Apr</b>	140.32	+3.02	<b>Mar</b>	155.95	+2.67	<b>Mar</b>	7.282	-36.2	<b>Mar</b>	16.872	-3.4	<b>Spot</b>	77.97	-0.61
<b>Jun</b>	135.70	+2.75	<b>Apr</b>	162.40	+4.42	<b>May</b>	7.492	-14.2	<b>May</b>	16.704	-5.4	<b>Mar</b>	77.96	-0.62
<b>Aug</b>	136.67	+1.60	<b>May</b>	167.45	+3.72	<b>Jul</b>	7.184	-10.2	<b>Jul</b>	16.466	-4.4	<b>Jun</b>	77.97	-0.62
<b>Oct</b>	144.02	+1.15	<b>Aug</b>	180.42	+3.35	<b>Sep</b>	6.706	-6.2	<b>Aug</b>	16.040	-6.2	<b>Sep</b>	77.96	-0.61
<b>Dec</b>	149.60	+1.32	<b>Sep</b>	182.92	+3.15	<b>Dec</b>	6.524	-2.6	<b>Sep</b>	15.256	-8.2	<b>Dec</b>	77.92	-0.61
<b>Feb</b>	152.55	+1.32	<b>Oct</b>	184.67	+3.05	<b>Mar</b>	5.504	-2.2	<b>Nov</b>	14.810	-10.0	<b>Mar</b>	77.89	-0.62

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