



Daily Market Information Report – Tuesday April 26, 2022

ONTARIO DIRECT TO PACKER RAILGRADE CATTLE TRADE

Prices are on a carcass weight basis before grade and weight discounts, regardless of delivery date:

Prices reported for Monday April 25, 2022

A Grade Steers	295.00- Delivery the week of May 16 th
A Grade Heifers	294.00-295.00- Delivery the week of May 16 th

ONTARIO LIVE CATTLE TRADE

Today at **Brussels Livestock**: 190 fed cattle, 250 cows

	Price Range	Top
Choice fed steers & heifers	170.00-180.00	183.50
Second cut cattle	165.00-170.00	
Aged & medium fed cattle	145.00-160.00	
Holstein steers & heifers	100.00-160.00	
Good Beef Cows	97.00-121.50	
Good Holsteins Cows	86.00-121.00	126.00
Medium Holsteins Cows	76.00-85.00	
Bulls	114.00-152.00	

A good offering of well fed cattle sold at prices \$2.00-\$3.00 cwt higher. Cows sold on a good active trade at steady prices.

Today at **Ontario Livestock Exchange**: 482 veal & 135 Cows

	Price Range	Top
Cows	96.00-110.00	133.00
Good Beef Veal	167.50-196.00	
Good Holstein Veal	158.00-180.00	
Medium Holstein Veal	145.00-187.00	
Heavy Holstein Veal	141.00-167.00	
Plain Holsteins	124.00-144.00	

Veal sold at fully steady prices. Fed cows sold actively at strong prices. *Vaccinated Stocker Sales Every Wednesday at 1:00 pm!*

Today at **Keady Livestock Market**: 688 stockers, 69 cows, 50 dollar calves

	Price Range
Cows	87.00-116.00

Light weight grass cattle sold on a solid demand at fully steady prices with heavier cattle selling steady. Cows sold barely steady. Dollar calves sold steady, with Holstein calves \$80.00-\$315.00 per head and X-bred calves from \$385.00-\$550.00 per head. *April 29th @ 11:00 am- Northern Select Special Stocker Sale!*

Today at **Ontario Stockyards- 1,200** stockers- sale in progress. Final results will be posted on Wednesday's Report.

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
1000+	160.00-180.50	170.32	180.50	800-899	160.00-166.00	161.85	167.50
900-999	175.00-190.00	179.57	194.00	700-799	182.00-204.00	196.12	204.00
800-899	195.00-217.50	209.33	217.50	600-699	187.00-227.00	208.20	227.00
700-799	209.25-243.75	227.29	244.00	500-599	197.00-226.00	213.51	232.00
600-699	235.00-264.00	253.24	272.00	400-499	197.50-248.00	217.77	248.00
500-599	264.00-279.50	271.29	279.50	300-399	140.00-231.00	220.09	231.00
400-499	245.00-282.50	271.91	282.50				
399-	170.00-237.50	210.83	237.50				

All Vaccinated Stocker Sale- Stockers are selling at sharply stronger prices. *May 7th @ 12:00 pm- Special Bred Cow Sale!*

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

	Volume	Price Range	Average	Top
Cows	270	74.55-104.81	87.95	119.50
Bulls, 1600 lbs and under	8	93.63-131.06	117.70	139.50
Bulls, 1600 lbs plus	7	114.21-135.93	129.43	152.00
Veal calves 600 lbs plus	50	120.36-156.88	140.41	168.00
Veal calves under 125 lbs	552	119.06-337.13	225.11	400.00

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 SPECIAL SPRING SALE

Stocker sale at **Maple Hill Auctions Ltd: April 25, 2022 – 478** Stockers

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
1000+	175.25-186.00	179.63	186.00	900+	186.00-187.75	186.74	187.75
900-999	188.00-197.25	193.15	197.75	800-899	182.00-187.50	186.08	187.50
800-899	203.00-206.50	205.59	206.50	700-799	185.00-201.00	191.40	201.00

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

	Choice 600-900	Select 600-900
Cutout Values (noon estimate):	265.62	257.29
Change (from yesterday's close):	-0.98	+0.77
Current Five Day Average:	268.69	256.54

ALBERTA DIRECT TRADE

Alberta direct trade remains untested with little business expected to develop today. CANfax notes that this week's offering is steady to last week in volume with asking prices sitting around \$285.00 cwt delivered on a dressed basis.

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

The **U.S. cash cattle trade** was light to moderate in parts of the south yesterday and light in the north. Southern trade was reported from \$139.00-\$141.00 live, mainly \$140.00 which is fully steady to last week's southern trade. In the north some live trade surfaced at \$145.00 which is steady, with some dressed deals from \$225.00-\$236.00 mainly \$231.00-\$233.00 which is also steady. Today, sales in the south remain steady at \$140.00 live. Business in the north is steady to \$1.00 stronger from \$145.00-\$146.00 live and \$232.00 dressed. Business is expected to continue.

Choice and Select Steers and Heifers:	Live	140.00-146.00
	Rail	232.00

CHICAGO MERCANTILE EXCHANGE

Closing quotes on futures **today** were as follows:

Live Cattle

Apr	140.00	+0.90
Jun	136.25	+0.82
Aug	138.27	+0.95
Oct	144.60	+0.52
Dec	150.25	+0.42
Feb	154.32	+0.37

Feeder Cattle

Apr	156.20	-0.35
May	160.72	-0.57
Aug	173.15	-1.35
Sep	176.22	-1.37
Oct	178.45	-1.40
Nov	180.10	-1.57

Corn

May	85.032	+3.0
Jul	8.014	+3.4
Sep	7.602	+8.6
Dec	7.434	+9.4
Mar	7.470	+9.4
May	7.486	+9.6

Soybeans

May	17.052	+1.6
Jul	16.716	-3.4
Aug	16.192	-2.4
Sep	15.420	+3.4
Nov	15.026	+8.4
Jan	15.044	+8.0

Soft Red Winter Wheat

May	10.832	+21.2
Jul	10.950	+22.4
Sep	10.924	+21.2
Dec	10.870	+20.6
Mar	10.846	+21.4
May	10.760	+20.6

Canadian \$

Spot	78.12	-0.43
Jun	78.10	-0.43
Sep	78.07	-0.42
Dec	78.05	-0.42
Mar	78.05	-0.42
Jun	78.06	-0.42

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