



DAILY MARKET INFORMATION REPORT – THURSDAY October 22, 2026

ONTARIO DIRECT TO PACKER RAILGRADE CATTLE TRADE

Prices are on a carcass weight basis before grade and weight discounts for Wednesday **October 21, 2026:**

A Grade Steers \$505.00/cwt delivered with delivery for the week of November 16th
A Grade Heifers \$504.00/cwt delivered with delivery for the week of November 16th

ONTARIO LIVE CATTLE TRADE

Today at Ontario Livestock Exchange: **200 Fed cattle, 450 Cow, 950 Stockers on offer**

Market report was unavailable at the time of publication. Results will be posted tomorrow **Vacc Stocker Sales every Wed @ 1:00pm, Regular Stocker Sales every Thursday @ 11:00am. Nov 5th@11:00 am – Special Vaccinated Calf Sale**

Today at Brussels Livestock: **120 Veal**

	Price Range	Top
Beef Veal	385.00-425.00	
Good Holstein Veal	370.00-390.00	
Slightly Heavy Holstein Veal	370.00-380.00	
Heavy Holstein 800 lb +	330.00-374.00	
Medium Holstein Veal	350.00-369.00	
Plain Holsteins	305.00-349.00	

Veal sold strong/active. Drop calves traded higher with Good X Bred calves from \$1800.00-2610.00 per head. Good Holstein calves from \$1200.00-1500.00 per head with top \$1850.00 per head . Plain/Medium Calves from \$700.00-1150.00 per head. **Stocker Sales every Fri @10:00 am. Oct 24th@1:00 pm – Bred Cow Sale**

Today at Ontario Stockyards Inc: *Market report is unavailable at the time of reporting*
Nov 5th@11:00 am – Special All Vaccinated Calf Sale

At Aylmer Stockyards Inc.: **October 21, 2026 – 52 Fed cattle, 27 Stockers, 186 Cows, 4 Bull**

	Price Range	Average	Top
Large & Medium Frame Fed Heifers +1000 lbs	212.00-295.99	278.50	295.99
Fed Heifers, dairy & dairy cross 1000+ lbs	172.50-285.99	247.40	285.99
Cows	90.00-185.00	139.10	229.99
Bulls over 1600 lbs	164.99-252.00	207.69	252.00
Veal 600 lbs and over	306.00-440.00	363.30	440.00

261 Replacement Calves sold between \$20 - \$2,410 for an average of \$1,432 per head. **Special stocker sales the last Wednesday of each month @ 12:30 pm! Oct 28th@12:00 pm – Fall stocker sale**

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

	Volume	Price Range	Average	Top
Large & Medium Frame Fed Steers +1250 lbs	8	274.75-288.00	283.78	291.00
Large & Medium Frame Fed Heifers +1000 lbs	35	267.14-305.74	293.61	313.00
Fed Heifers, dairy & dairy cross 1000+ lbs	45	178.61 276.33	241.94	285.99
Cows	481	108.03-178.74	142.96	331.00
Bulls under 1600 lbs	4	140.75-182.75	161.35	218.00
Bulls over 1600 lbs	14	176.71-242.07	205.95	252.00
Veal 600 lbs and over	9	306.00 440.00	363.30	440.00
Veal under 125 lbs	202	1150.00-2150.00	1568.11	2425.00

To check out individual auction market results on the BFO website go to <http://www.ontariobeef.com/markets/marketreports.aspx>

ONTARIO STOCKER & FEEDER TRADE

Stocker sale at Kawartha Lakes Community Sale Barn Inc.: **October 21, 2026 – 508 Stockers**

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
1000+	355.00-425.00	410.44	425.00	900+	340.00-370.00	361.25	370.00
800-899	432.50-490.00	461.94	490.00	700-799	410.00-525.00	468.00	525.00
700-799	420.00-549.00	480.81	549.00	600-699	515.00-555.00	535.26	555.00
600-699	560.00-610.00	586.51	620.00	500-599	535.00-630.00	575.91	630.00
500-599	560.00-670.00	605.22	685.00	400-499	520.00-717.50	635.88	717.50
400-499	670.00-800.00	706.40	800.00	399-399	520.00-740.00	665.94	740.00
<399	760.00-840.00	784.77	840.00				

Stockers sold on a good demand at steady prices. **Nov 4th@10:00 am – Peterborough Cattlemen/ Victoria Beef Producers**

Stocker sale at Ontario Livestock Exchange: **October 21, 2026 – 551 Stockers**

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
1000+	401.00-448.00	423.05	448.00				
900-999	416.00-472.00	449.74	472.00				
800-899	445.00-510.00	488.13	510.00				
700-799	500.00-500.00	500.00	500.00				

Feeder cattle sold on a steady trade. **Vacc Stocker Sales every Wed @ 1:00pm, Regular Stocker Sales every Thursday @ 11:00am. Nov 5th@11:00 am – Special Vaccinated Calf Sale**

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

	Choice 600-900	Select 600-900
Cutout Values (noon estimate):	369.47	350.41
Change (from yesterday's close):	-3.12	-4.93
Current Five Day Average:	372.75	356.49

ALBERTA DIRECT TRADE

Alberta direct trade on Wednesday saw light trade develop with dressed bids and sales reported from \$490.00-500.00/cwt delivered, bids/sales are anywhere from steady to \$10.00/cwt lower than last week. Buying interest has been noted from all Western Canadian packers but competition on the cash market remains limited. US packer inquiries have been light, but producers are likely making calls seeing if they can move some cattle South. Facing negative feeding margins and weaker basis levels producers have been fighting the market adding extra feeding days to their cattle.

Steers	Live	N/T	Rail - Del	490.00-500.00
Heifers	Live	N/T	Rail - Del	490.00-500.00

U.S. TRADE (U.S. FUNDS)

The U.S. cash cattle trade saw no new trade to report and no bids to speak of. Trade will likely hold off for one more day. The phased re-opening to Mexican feeder cattle remains on track. On October 26th the Columbus New Mexico port is expected to re-open to Mexican feeder cattle. This will be the third port to re-open. Normally there would be a lot of light weight calves crossing through the ports. However, there have been reports of increased feeder numbers versus light weight calves.

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		
Oct	229.75	-0.67	Oct	346.10	-1.72	Dec	4.604	-2.6
Dec	231.12	0.00	Nov	346.92	-1.90	Mar	4.742	-3.0
Feb	233.45	-0.37	Jan	344.00	-1.82	May	4.824	-2.6
Apr	234.87	-0.40	Mar	340.50	-1.87	Jul	4.892	-2.6
Jun	229.17	-0.28	Apr	339.45	-1.92	Sep	4.852	-3.4
Aug	225.12	-0.37	May	337.37	-2.02	Dec	4.980	-3.6

Soybeans			Soft Red Winter Wheat			Canadian \$		
	US \$/bu			US \$/bu				
Nov	12.530	+7.6	Dec	6.246	-3.4	Spot	71.38	+0.22
Jan	12.646	+6.4	Mar	6.376	-5.0	Dec	71.57	+0.22
Mar	12.714	+5.2	May	6.446	-5.4	Mar	71.87	+0.21
May	12.786	+4.2	Jul	6.490	-6.2	Jun	72.15	+0.19
Jul	12.840	+3.2	Sep	6.574	-6.4	Sep	72.42	+0.17
Aug	12.680	+2.2	Dec	6.710	-6.4	Dec	72.66	+0.15

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ONTARIO STOCKER & FEEDER SPECIAL FALL SALES

24-Oct	9:00 AM	Keady Livestock Market	Bruce Peninsula Presorted Charolais Calf Sale
24-Oct	11:00 AM	Denfield Livestock Exchange	Vaccinated Calves & Yearlings
24-Oct	1:00 PM	Brussels Livestock	Bred Cow Sale
24-Oct	7:00 PM	Maple Hill Auctions Ltd	Speckled Park Sale
26-Oct	7:00 PM	Maple Hill Auctions Ltd	Limousin Influence Calf Sale/ Local Vaccinated Calf Sale
27-Oct	9:00 AM	Keady Livestock Market	Georgian Bay Presorted Charolais X Calf Sale, no reg sale
28-Oct	12:00 PM	Aylmer Stockyards Inc	Fall Stocker sale
28-Oct	1:00 PM	Vankleek Hill Livestock Exchange	Stocker sale
29-Oct	9:00 AM	Keady Livestock Market	Bluewater Calf Sale Presorted Black & Red Calf Sale-
29-Oct (TBD)	12:00 PM	Wiarton-Grey Bruce Livestock Co-op	Fall Calf Sale- 90% vaccinated-Note new start time.
30-Oct	10:00 AM	Brussels Livestock	Angus Influence Sale/Hereford Influence Sale
30-Oct	11:00 AM	Hoads Station Sale Barn	Quinte Cattlemens 100% All Vaccinated, catalogued-Farm Fresh
30-Oct	12:00 PM	Temiskaming Livestock Exchange	Bred Cow Sale
30-Oct	7:00 PM	Cargill Auction Market	Local Calf Sale
31-Oct	9:00 AM	Keady Livestock Market	Central Calf Sale-vaccinated & selling in <u>owner lots</u>
31-Oct	1:00 PM	Maple Hill Auctions Ltd	Top Cut Bred Heifer Sale
04-Nov	10:00 AM	Kawartha Lakes Community Sale Barn	Peterborough Cattlemen/ Victoria Beef Producers
05-Nov	11:00 AM	Ontario Livestock Exchange	Special Vaccinated Calf Sale
05-Nov	11:00 AM	Ontario Stockyards Inc	Special All Vaccinated Calf Sale
06-Nov	9:00 AM	Keady Livestock Market	Special Local Calf Sale, selling in owner lots
06-Nov	7:00 PM	Cargill Auction Market	Local Calf & Yearling Sale
07-Nov	8:30 AM	Stratton-Rainy River Cattlemen's Sale	Fall Stocker sale
07-Nov	11:00 AM	Denfield Livestock Exchange	Local Vaccinated Calf Sale
07-Nov	1:00 PM	Maple Hill Auctions Ltd	Bred Heifer & Cow Sale
12-Nov	11:00 AM	Ontario Stockyards Inc	Special Angus/Hereford Sale
13-Nov	9:00 AM	Keady Livestock Market	Special Grass & Yard Yearling Sale
14-Nov	1:00 PM	Maple Hill Auctions Ltd	Ontario Shorthorn Association Fall Classic
18-Nov	10:00 AM	Kawartha Lakes Community Sale Barn	Peterborough Cattlemen/ Victoria Beef Producers
19-Nov	11:00 AM	Ontario Stockyards Inc	Special All Vaccinated Calf Sale
20-Nov	9:00 AM	Keady Livestock Market	Special Local Calf Sale- selling in <u>owner lots</u>
21-Nov	11:00 AM	Denfield Livestock Exchange	Bred Cow & Cow/Calf Pair Sale
21-Nov	12:00 PM	Ontario Stockyards Inc	Bred Cow Sale
21-Nov	1:00 PM	Maple Hill Auctions Ltd	Bred Heifer & Cow Sale
25-Nov	12:00 PM	Aylmer Stockyards Inc	Fall Stocker sale
25-Nov	1:00 PM	Vankleek Hill Livestock Exchange	Stocker sale
25-Nov	7:00 PM	Kawartha Lakes Community Sale Barn	Bred Cow Sale
27-Nov	11:00 AM	Hoads Station Sale Barn	Quinte Cattlemens 100% All Vaccinated, catalogued-Farm Fresh
27-Nov	5:00 PM	Keady Livestock Market	Special Bred Heifers Sale
28-Nov	11:00 AM	Denfield Livestock Exchange	Vaccinated Calf & Yearling Sale