



## DAILY MARKET INFORMATION REPORT – THURSDAY Jan 30, 2025

### ONTARIO DIRECT TO PACKER RAILGRADE CATTLE TRADE

Prices are on a carcass weight basis before grade and weight discounts:

Prices reported for Thursday Jan 29th

A Grade Steers	\$470.00/cwt delivered with delivery for the week of February 3 <sup>rd</sup>
A Grade Heifers	\$469.00/cwt delivered with delivery for the week of February 3 <sup>rd</sup>

### ONTARIO LIVE CATTLE TRADE

Today at Ontario Livestock Exchange: 242 Fed cattle, 494 Cow, 491 Stockers

	Price Range	Top
Good Fed Steers	280.00-292.00	297.00
Good Fed Heifers	275.00-280.50	
Holstein Steers	227.00-241.00	246.00
Good Cows	153.00-185.00	241.00
Stocker Steers 700 lb +	355.00-393.00	420.00
Lightweight Steers	487.00-590.00	
Stocker Heifers 700 lb +	320.00-410.00	
Lightweight Heifers	430.00-500.00	

Fed cows sold at steady prices. Fed steers and heifers sold \$3.00-\$4.00 higher. Holstein steers also sold at higher prices. Stockers sold \$5.00-\$7.00 higher on an excellent demand. *Special Vacc Stocker Sales every Wed @ 1:00 pm.*

Today at Brussels Livestock: 140 Veal

	Price Range	Top
Beef Veal	301.00-360.00	
Good Holstein Veal	280.00-315.00	
Slightly Heavy Holstein Veal	275.00-290.00	
Heavy Holstein 800 lb +	250.00-285.00	
Medium Holstein Veal	260.00-280.00	
Plain Holsteins	240.00-260.00	

Veal sold steady. *Stocker Sales every Fri @10:00 am.*

Today at Ontario Stockyards Inc: 800 Stockers

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
800-899	350.00-415.00	393.82	415.00	900+	257.50-323.00	289.00	330.00
700-799	392.50-425.00	411.42	425.00	700-799	337.50-400.00	365.58	400.00
600-699	427.50-469.00	444.40	469.00	600-699	367.50-449.00	418.20	449.00
500-599	470.00-530.00	501.69	530.00	500-599	400.00-450.00	425.35	450.00
400-499	485.00-585.00	547.92	585.00	400-499	380.00-490.00	451.67	490.00

Stockers sold fully steady to stronger.

At Aylmer Stockyards Inc.: Jan 29, 2025 – 29 Veal, 278 Cows, 55 Fed cattle, 59 Stockers

	Price Range	Average	Top
Large & Medium Frame Fed Heifers +1000 lbs	183.00-268.99	241.40	268.99
Fed Heifers, dairy & dairy cross 1000+ lbs	169.99-250.00	229.80	250.00
Cows	119.99-237.99	172.19	262.99
Veal calves over 600 lbs	247.99-362.50	300.59	362.50

227 Replacement Calves sold between \$60.00- \$1675.00 for an average of \$1063.30 per head. *Special stocker sales the last Wednesday of each month @ 12:30 pm!*

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

	Volume	Price Range	Average	Top
Large & Medium Frame Fed Steers +1250 lbs	12	231.50-272.00	252.40	274.00
Large & Medium Frame Fed Heifers +1000 lbs	25	230.28-277.24	258.87	285.00
Fed Heifers, Dairy & Dairy Cross +1000 lbs	43	175.75-244.24	223.51	250.00
Cows	730	131.71-208.66	166.38	262.99
Bulls under 1600 lbs	4	194.00-226.25	205.25	228.00
Bulls over 1600 lbs	7	197.86-233.86	217.33	237.00
Veal calves over 600 lbs	34	233.29-329.41	275.97	362.50
Veal 125 lbs and under	241	750.00-1420.00	987.89	1520.00

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 Ontario Livestock Exchange: **Jan 29, 2025 - 353 Stockers**

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
1000+	360.00-380.00	372.14	380.00	900+	304.00-340.00	323.31	340.00
900-999	383.00-410.00	395.38	410.00	800-899	297.00-311.00	308.20	311.00
800-899	370.00-416.00	397.60	416.00	700-799	277.50-330.00	323.44	330.00
700-799	362.50-362.50	362.50	362.50				

Feeder sold actively at higher prices. **Special Vacc Stocker Sales every Wed @ 1:00 pm.**

Stocker sale at Vankleek Hill Livestock Exchange: **Jan 29, 2025 - 257 Stockers**

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
800-899	355.00-430.00	381.56	430.00	700-799	315.00-390.00	358.49	390.00
700-799	382.50-450.00	412.93	450.00	600-699	340.00-410.00	376.11	410.00
600-699	405.00-460.00	431.12	464.00	500-599	375.00-440.00	425.18	440.00
500-599	365.00-500.00	441.75	532.00	400-499	350.00-470.00	422.97	470.00
400-499	405.00-522.50	466.07	522.50				

### ONTARIO STOCKER & FEEDER TRADE SPECIAL FALL SALES

Stocker sale at Kawartha Lakes Community Sale Barn: **Jan 29, 2025 - 365 Stockers**

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
900-999	320.00-384.00	361.11	384.00	700-799	275.00-423.00	355.92	423.00
800-899	310.00-406.00	384.06	406.00	600-699	400.00-462.50	433.66	462.50
700-799	372.50-449.00	415.11	449.00	500-599	370.00-472.50	408.47	472.50
600-699	355.00-523.25	433.59	523.25	400-499	390.00-496.00	462.29	496.00
500-599	430.00-505.00	459.34	505.00	300-399	350.00-509.00	433.31	509.00
400-499	460.00-619.00	522.75	619.00				

Stockers sold actively at strong Prices. **May 7th @ 10:00AM - Peterborough Cattlemen/ Victoria Beef Producers**

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

	Choice 600-900	Select 600-900
Cutout Values (noon estimate):	<b>327.48</b>	<b>315.90</b>
Change (from yesterday's close):	<b>-3.06</b>	<b>-4.77</b>
Current Five Day Average:	<b>330.39</b>	<b>319.33</b>

### ALBERTA DIRECT TRADE

**Alberta direct trade** on Wednesday saw light trade develop with dressed sales reported at \$460.00/cwt delivered, \$10.00-\$15.00/cwt higher than the previous week. Canadian cows and fed cattle exports for the week ending January 18<sup>th</sup> totaled 13,697 head, 53% larger than last year. For the middle of January, this is the largest export volume since 2014.

Steers	Live FOB	N/T	Rail - Del	460.00
Heifers	Live FOB	N/T	Rail - Del	460.00

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

The U.S. cash cattle trade saw light trade on the Fed Cattle Exchange yesterday, these cattle were located in Texas and sold bid the grid at \$210.00/cwt. Beyond the Fed Cattle Exchange, light trade was reported in Iowa with live sales reported at \$212.00/cwt, sales are positioned at the top end of last week's trading range. Light trade was also reported in Kansas at \$205.00/cwt live, a couple dollars stronger. Today light trade is reported in the Southern feeding states at \$208.00/cwt live, \$6.00-\$7.00/cwt stronger than the previous week. In the Northern feeding states dressed bids of \$330.00/cwt have been noted, fully steady. Open interest in the live cattle complex is the largest in 2019. With commercial money fueling the rally, to a certain degree, look for volatility in the coming weeks as profit can be taken out.

<b>Choice and Select Steers and Heifers:</b>	Live	N/T
	Rail	N/T

### CHICAGO MERCANTILE EXCHANGE

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

Live Cattle			Feeder			Corn		
	US \$ cwt			US \$ cwt			US \$/bu	
Feb	204.47	-2.55	Jan	281.90	+1.35	Mar	4.902	-6.6
Apr	201.50	-3.45	Mar	273.20	-2.07	May	5.014	-6.0
Jun	195.77	-2.97	Apr	272.32	-2.27	Jul	5.042	-4.6
Aug	192.65	-2.22	May	270.30	-2.67	Sep	4.662	-3.6
Oct	193.07	-1.57	Aug	271.42	-2.62	Dec	4.642	-2.4
Dec	193.75	-1.27	Sep	269.90	-2.52	Mar	4.754	-2.2
Soybeans			Soft Red Winter Wheat			Canadian \$		
	US \$/bu			US \$/bu				
Mar	10.440	-16.4	Mar	5.664	+4.0	Spot	69.38	+0.03
May	10.596	-15.4	May	5.790	+3.0	Mar	69.49	+0.10
Jul	10.744	-14.2	Jul	5.904	+2.4	Jun	69.79	+0.35
Aug	10.700	-12.4	Sep	6.042	+2.6	Sep	70.06	+0.40
Sep	10.514	-11.0	Dec	6.226	+2.6	Dec	70.33	+0.40
Nov	10.534	-10.0	Mar	6.390	+2.6	Mar	70.58	+0.30