



# Daily Market Information Report



The following information is collected from various sources and disseminated by the Ontario Cattlemen's Association.

## Monday January 19, 2009

### ONTARIO DIRECT TO PACKER RAILGRADE CATTLE TRADE

Prices are on a carcass weight basis, before grade and weight discounts.

**A grade steers** 167.00-174.00  
**A grade heifers** 166.00-173.00

### ONTARIO LIVE CATTLE TRADE

Today at **Ontario Stockyards:** 135 veal

	Price Range	Top Price
<b>Veal calves + 600 lbs</b>	85.00-111.50	122.00
<b>Veal calves 451-600</b>	74.00-90.00	101.50

Good veal calves sold strong while medium and common types sold barely steady.

**At Talbotville Livestock: Jan 17, 2009-** 140 head

	Price Range	Top
<b>Good &amp; choice steers</b>	96.00-104.50	No tops
<b>Good &amp; choice heifers</b>	96.00-101.75	No tops
<b>Export Cows</b>	46.00-56.00	62.00
<b>Good Cows</b>	35.00-51.00	
<b>Good heavy bulls</b>	50.00-62.50	

A light run, due to severe winter weather, saw fed steers and heifers trade at prices stronger than one week ago. Cows and bulls sold stronger.

**At Kawartha Lakes Co-op Auction Market: Jan 17, 2009**

	Price Range	Average	Top
<b>Cows</b>	25.50-57.50	43.63	57.50
<b>Bulls all weights</b>	50.73-68.91	62.41	79.00

Stocker Sale at: **Brussels Livestock, Jan 16, 2009**

<b>STEERS</b>	Price Range	Avg	Top	<b>HEIFERS</b>	Price Range	Avg	Top
<b>1000+</b>	96.25-105.75	102.54	105.75	<b>900+</b>	89.50-101.75	98.27	101.75
<b>900-999</b>	100.00-110.00	104.98	110.00	<b>800-899</b>	91.00-103.00	99.99	104.00
<b>800-899</b>	102.00-110.00	107.41	110.00	<b>700-799</b>	91.50-97.00	93.08	97.00
<b>700-799</b>	93.00-112.50	106.55	112.50	<b>600-699</b>	92.00-107.00	100.51	115.00
<b>600-699</b>	103.00-111.25	107.76	113.50	<b>500-599</b>	95.50-108.50	102.59	110.00
<b>500-599</b>	112.00-120.50	115.62	123.50	<b>400-499</b>	99.00-115.00	106.60	115.00
<b>400-499</b>	102.00-120.50	113.78	129.50	<b>300-399</b>	104.00-114.00	107.13	119.00
<b>399-</b>	109.00-127.00	114.58	131.00	<b>299-</b>	91.00-105.00	99.70	105.00

Special Stocker Sale at: **Ottawa Livestock Exchange, Jan 17, 2009**

<b>STEERS</b>	Price Range	Avg	Top	<b>HEIFERS</b>	Price Range	Avg	Top
<b>700-799</b>	88.00-107.00	102.59	107.00	<b>700-799</b>	81.00-100.00	92.73	100.00
<b>600-699</b>	100.00-112.00	106.71	112.00	<b>600-699</b>	87.00-102.00	97.08	102.00
<b>500-599</b>	98.00-113.00	105.90	116.00	<b>500-599</b>	86.00-101.00	93.26	110.00
<b>400-499</b>	93.00-118.00	107.57	120.00	<b>400-499</b>	84.00-107.00	100.21	108.00
<b>399-</b>	91.00-117.00	108.44	117.00	<b>300-399</b>	100.00-121.00	107.00	121.00

**USDA ESTIMATED CATTLE KILL**

	Week Ending Jan 17, 2009	Previous Week	Year Ago
<b>Grand Total</b>	608,000	601,000	653,000

**AVERAGE CARCASS WEIGHTS – CANADA**

	Steers	Heifers
<b>Jan 10, 2009</b>	826	787
<b>Jan 5, 08</b>	877	817

**FEDERALLY INSPECTED CANADIAN KILL**

	Week Ending Jan 10, 2009	YTD	% of Yr. Ago
<b>Grand Total</b>	60,427	60,427	136%
<b>Alberta Slaughter</b>	41,908	41,908	134%
<b>Ontario Slaughter</b>	10,015	10,015	130%

**LIVE CATTLE IMPORTS-ONTARIO** (updates are currently unavailable)

	Week ending May 10,08	Week ending May 3, 08	Year to Date
Live slaughter cattle imported from the US into Ontario	0	0	0

**LIVE CATTLE EXPORTS-ONTARIO**

	Week ending Dec 27, 08 & Jan 3, 2009 included	Week ending Dec 20, 08	Year to Date
<b>Total live slaughter cattle exported from Ont to the US.</b>	<b>5,872</b>	<b>4,388</b>	<b>219,873</b>
Steers & Heifers	5,457	3,743	191,490
Cows	415	641	26,280
Bulls	0	4	2,103

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

	Choice 600-900	Select 600-900
<b>Cutout Values:</b> (noon estimate)	152.12	144.43
<b>Change:</b> (from Friday's close)	+0.75	+0.20
<b>Current 5 day average:</b>	149.78	142.40

**\*\*\*\*\*The U.S. cash cattle trade and The Chicago Mercantile Exchange are closed today in observation of the U.S.-Martin Luther King Jr Holiday.\*\*\*\*\***