

# Vermont Monthly Local Beef Report

## December 2023

Report reflects beef sold direct to consumer on a whole carcass and retail basis. Beef products are considered local to Vermont if raised within the state borders plus 30 miles outside the border. Cattle are processed under State or Federal Inspection.

### Producer Comments and Trends:

Incredibly busy up until Christmas, then a major slowdown in sales.

### Volume & Weight Statistics

Estimated Volume (Carcass)	5,464 lbs.
Estimated Volume (Retail)	12,231 lbs.
Estimated Volume (Total)	<b>17,695 lbs.</b>
Weighted Avg. Hot Carcass Weight	683 lbs.
November Weighted Avg. Hot Carcass Weight	723.57 lbs.
November Estimated Total Volume	17,334 lbs.

### Dressed Beef Carcass Value

Weighted Avg. Price Range per CWT

### Year to Date Weighted Average Carcass Price

\$380.58

### 3 Month Rolling Average Carcass Price:

\$395.15

### December Carcass Value (per CWT)

Low	High	Avg.
\$375	\$575.45	\$425.11

### Retail Beef Prices

Tenderloin	\$18.00	\$28.00	\$23.80	Rib Roast	\$22.00	\$22.00	\$22.00
Boneless Ribeye/Delmonico	\$22.00	\$23.00	\$22.50	Sirloin Tip Roast	\$12.00	\$14.25	\$13.56
Bone-in Ribeye Steak	\$15.50	\$21.00	\$18.88	Top Round Roast	\$9.50	\$13.00	\$11.50
NY Strip	\$20.00	\$25.00	\$21.67	Bottom Round Roast	\$8.50	\$13.00	\$10.50
Porterhouse	\$16.00	\$22.00	\$19.00	Chuck Roast	\$6.00	\$11.50	\$8.63
T-Bone	\$15.00	\$20.00	\$18.25	Brisket	\$7.00	\$11.00	\$9.50
Sirloin	\$11.00	\$18.00	\$14.20	Hamburger	\$6.00	\$9.50	\$7.60
Flank Steak	\$16.00	\$16.00	\$16.00	Beef Stew	\$6.00	\$10.50	\$8.25
Skirt Steak	\$12.00	\$16.00	\$14.25	Heart	\$5.00	\$5.00	\$5.00
London Broil	\$12.00	\$12.00	\$12.00	Tongue	\$5.00	\$5.00	\$5.00
Short Ribs	\$6.00	\$9.75	\$8.31	Liver	\$4.00	\$5.00	\$4.67

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