

Daily Market Information Report

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

Friday October 2, 2009

ONTARIO DIRECT TO PACKER RAILGRADE PRICES

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

A grade steers 134.00-137.00
A grade heifers 133.00-136.00

ONTARIO LIVE CATTLE TRADE

Today at: **Brussels Livestock: 1,100** stockers

STEERS	Price Range	Avg	Top	HEIFERS	Price Range	Avg	Top
1000+	86.50-95.75	92.77	95.75	900+	76.50-89.75	85.71	89.75
900-999	80.00-95.25	90.65	95.25	800-899	85.00-94.00	90.14	94.00
800-899	86.00-94.50	91.41	101.00	700-799	78.00-90.50	86.77	109.00
700-799	69.00-105.00	90.36	106.50	600-699	82.00-94.75	87.91	99.25
600-699	86.00-106.50	97.05	107.00	500-599	86.00-98.50	91.52	124.00
500-599	94.75-111.00	103.26	134.75	400-499	100.00-113.50	109.34	113.50
400-499	109.50-129.00	119.53	134.00	300-399	106.00-128.00	114.88	128.00
399-	123.00-138.00	131.95	138.00	299-	107.00-111.00	109.00	111.00

Calves and yearlings sold on a strong active trade.

Today at: **Keady Livestock Market: 1,822** yearlings on an overnight stand

STEERS	Price Range	Avg	Top	HEIFERS	Price Range	Avg	Top
1000+	95.00-97.25	96.16	97.25	900+	77.50	77.50	77.50
900-999	97.00-100.70	99.12	102.20				
800-899	100.75-102.70	101.71	104.85				

Yearlings sold on an active market with the fancy types bringing a premium. All CCIA tags are read before entering the ring with birth dates displayed for all cattle that are age verified.

Ontario Auction Sales on **Thursday** saw weighted prices for:

	Price Range	Avg.	Top
Large & Medium Frame Fed Steers +1250	73.87-84.68	80.90	95.75
Large & Medium Frame Fed Heifers +1000	74.14-87.84	80.98	91.50
Cows	32.44-45.18	38.82	72.00
Bulls	42.82-57.24	50.09	72.00
Veal calves 600 lbs +	77.15-106.49	87.85	126.00
Veal calves 125 lbs & under	28.00-86.00	60.08	100.00

Stocker Sale at: **Ontario Livestock Exchange, Oct 1, 2009** – 183 stockers

STEERS	Price Range	Avg	Top	HEIFERS	Price Range	Avg	Top
800-899	70.50-88.00	79.77	92.00	900+	53.00-81.00	66.95	81.00
700-799	79.00-95.00	90.81	95.00	800-899	59.00-80.00	72.19	87.50
600-699	83.00-92.50	87.33	110.50	700-799	78.00-82.50	80.81	82.50
500-599	101.00-116.00	111.46	116.00	600-699	72.00-94.00	86.94	94.00
400-499	99.00-125.00	119.29	125.00	500-599	79.00-105.00	92.33	105.00
399-	74.00-126.00	100.00	126.00	400-499	92.00-106.00	100.80	106.00

Stocker Sale at: **Ontario Stockyards Inc, Oct 1, 2009** – 822 stockers

STEERS	Price Range	Avg	Top	HEIFERS	Price Range	Avg	Top
1000+	44.00-65.00	51.61	67.00	900+	74.00-87.75	82.07	87.75
900-999	89.00-89.50	89.35	89.50	800-899	85.00-94.25	88.68	94.25
800-899	78.25-95.50	87.45	95.50	700-799	75.50-97.25	92.51	97.25
700-799	80.00-96.50	88.91	97.00	600-699	75.00-94.00	85.30	95.00
600-699	91.75-104.00	98.26	107.00	500-599	66.00-98.50	87.91	98.50
500-599	94.00-116.25	105.55	120.00	400-499	87.50-110.00	99.26	110.00
400-499	109.00-126.00	116.94	129.00	300-399	84.00-105.00	98.83	105.00
399-	104.00-140.00	126.25	140.00	299-	86.00-97.00	92.01	97.00

Stocker Sale at: **Ottawa Livestock Exchange, Oct 1, 2009**- 201 stockers

STEERS	Price Range	Avg	Top	HEIFERS	Price Range	Avg	Top
800-899	83.00-88.00	85.20	88.00	700-799	58.00-87.00	69.54	89.00
700-799	65.00-90.00	80.83	101.00	600-699	59.00-95.00	79.22	95.00
600-699	73.00-110.00	92.47	110.00	500-599	62.00-99.00	87.77	115.00
500-599	98.00-115.00	109.00	117.00	400-499	94.00-109.00	103.69	125.00
400-499	93.00-126.00	114.13	130.00	300-399	84.00-119.00	108.92	121.00
399-	29.00-134.00	96.62	134.00	299-	30.00-117.00	72.22	117.00

Stocker Sale at: **Brussels Livestock, Oct 1, 2009** – 179 stockers

STEERS	Price Range	Avg	Top	HEIFERS	Price Range	Avg	Top
500-599	116.00-128.00	120.67	136.00	500-599	87.00-118.50	105.91	128.50
400-499	101.00-135.00	117.30	138.00	400-499	89.00-114.00	104.17	128.00
399-	65.00-130.00	99.95	149.00	300-399	92.00-116.00	106.32	123.00
				299-	115.00-130.00	124.00	136.00

SPECIAL ONTARIO FALL STOCKER SALES

Selected Stocker Sale: **South River, Sept 30, 2009**- 341 stockers

STEERS	Price Range	HEIFERS	Price Range
600-800	95.75-103.00 top 105.00	400-600	98.00-107.50 top 109.00
400-600	113.00-117.00 top 124.50	400 & under	88.00-102.00 top 110.00
400 & under	118.00-126.00 top 130.00		

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QUEBEC ELECTRONIC AUCTION MARKET – (F.O.B. the feedlot)

For the week ending Oct 1, 2009 **Price Range**
A1, A2 Steers 127.00-130.00

ALBERTA DIRECT TRADE

Alberta direct trade was fully steady to last week. Sales for the week were reported at:

Steers	Live 80.65-82.00	Flat rail 134.00-135.85
Heifers	Live 80.65	Flat rail 134.00-135.85

U.S. TRADE (U.S funds)

US cash cattle trade was quiet following yesterday's moderate to active trade. It appears that sellers will carry over cattle rather than accept the lower bids.

Choice and select steers and heifers: Live N/T
 Rail N/T

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

	Choice	Select
Cutout Values: (noon estimate)	134.95	130.74
Change: (from yesterday's close)	-1.30	-0.34
Current 5 day average:	138.03	132.40

CHICAGO MERCANTILE EXCHANGE

Closing quotes on futures today were as follows:

Live Cattle			Feeder Cattle			Corn		Soybeans		Canadian \$				
\$/cwt US			\$/cwt US			\$/bu US	¢/bu	\$/bu US	¢/bu					
Oct	82.95	-1.15	Oct	93.55	-1.40	Dec	3.334	-7.0	Nov	8.850	-33.0	Spot	92.36	+0.10
Dec	84.00	-0.97	Nov	93.57	-1.35	Mar	3.464	-6.6	Jan	8.920	-32.2	Dec	92.35	+0.11
Feb	84.52	-0.80	Jan	94.67	-1.20	May	3.554	-6.4	Mar	8.952	-29.4	Mar	92.35	+0.12
Apr	86.62	-0.85	Mar	95.85	-1.00	Jul	3.636	-6.4	May	8.934	-27.2	Jun	92.34	+0.12
Jun	83.35	-0.57	Apr	96.85	-0.97	Sep	3.722	-6.2	Jul	8.960	-25.4	Sep	92.32	+0.12
Aug	84.25	-0.30	May	97.87	-1.02	Dec	3.826	-6.2	Aug	8.920	-24.4	Dec	92.28	+0.12

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Upcoming Ontario Auction Markets Special Fall Stocker Sales

Oct 3	9:30 am	Rainy River Cattlemens Sale-Stratton	Mainly calves, also cows & yearlings Some age verified and vaccinated.
Oct 6	11:00 am	Ontario Stockyards Inc	Yearlings
Oct 7	11:00 am	Kawartha Lakes Coop Auction Mkt	Certified Stocker Sale sponsored by Peterborough/Victoria Cty Cattlemen's
Oct 8	2:00 pm	Ontario Stockyards Inc	Leeds & Grenville Cty Calf sale in reg sale
Oct 9	9:00 am	Keady Livestock Market	Yearlings- overnight stand
Oct 10	10:00 am	Brussels Livestock	4-H Sale
Oct 10	11:00 am	Denfield Livestock Exchange Inc	Yearlings and Calves
Oct 13	9:00 am	Keady Livestock Market	Local calves & stocker cattle -Pfizer Vaccinated calves from Manitoulin Island
Oct 14	1:00 am	Kawartha Lakes Coop Auction Mkt	Angus & X Bred stocker sale
Oct 14	7:00 pm	Talbotville Livestock Exchange	Bred Cows and Stocker Sale
Oct 16	9:00 am	Keady Livestock Market	Yearlings- overnight stand
Oct 16	12:00 pm	Temiskaming Livestock Sales	Calves
Oct 17	10:00 am	Thessalon Sale	Calves- Sponsor- Algoma Coop Livestock Sales
Oct 18	1:00 pm	Kawartha Lakes Coop Auction Mkt	Purebred sale-Autumn Harvest Angus Sale