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**Friday, August 30, 2013**

## ONTARIO DIRECT TO PACKER RAILGRADE PRICES

Prices are on a carcass weight basis, before grade and weight discounts. (Prices for today, regardless of delivery day)

**A grade steers** 206.00-211.00

**A grade heifers** 205.00-210.00

Today at: **Brussels Livestock – 1,350** stockers on offer

STEERS	Price Range	Avg	Top	HEIFERS	Price Range	Avg	Top
<b>1000+</b>	95.00-111.00	100.27	130.00	<b>900+</b>	130.25-135.25	132.72	135.25
<b>900-999</b>	127.00-155.75	145.33	157.00	<b>800-899</b>	120.00-138.50	134.89	138.50
<b>800-899</b>	110.00-159.50	144.78	159.50	<b>700-799</b>	123.50-148.25	138.31	148.25
<b>700-799</b>	122.50-162.50	146.19	163.50	<b>600-699</b>	120.00-152.50	134.61	164.00
<b>600-699</b>	139.00-160.00	150.16	170.00	<b>500-599</b>	145.00-164.00	151.53	164.00
<b>500-599</b>	147.00-176.50	156.51	178.00	<b>400-499</b>	132.00-169.50	152.29	169.50
<b>400-499</b>	130.00-193.50	176.40	193.50	<b>300-399</b>	120.00-145.00	134.29	153.00

All classes of cattle are trading on a strong, active trade at steady prices.

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

	Volume	Price Range	Avg	Top
<b>Large &amp; Medium Frame Fed Steers +1250</b>	99	105.07-131.30	124.66	131.50
<b>Large &amp; Medium Frame Fed Heifers +1000</b>	43	112.56-124.95	120.05	129.75
<b>Cows</b>	579	61.83-82.52	71.65	104.00
<b>Bulls</b>	34	65.85-94.97	78.38	115.00
<b>Veal calves 600 lbs +</b>	133	88.25-151.89	108.18	181.00
<b>Veal calves 125 lbs &amp; under</b>	90	35.00-89.00	692.40	90.00

Stocker Sale at: **Ontario Livestock Exchange, Aug 29, 2013 – 109** stockers

STEERS	Price Range	Avg.	Top	HEIFERS	Price Range	Avg.	Top
<b>800-899</b>	100.00-128.00	116.28	142.50	<b>700-799</b>	110.00-130.00	122.80	130.00
<b>700-799</b>	115.00-148.50	141.14	148.50	<b>500-599</b>	119.00-140.00	132.58	145.00
<b>600-699</b>	82.00-146.00	122.00	168.00				

Stocker Sale at: **Ontario Stockyards Inc., Aug 29, 2013 – 424** stockers

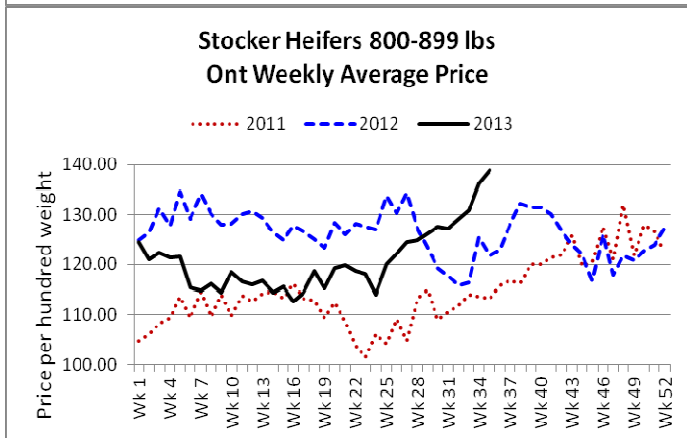
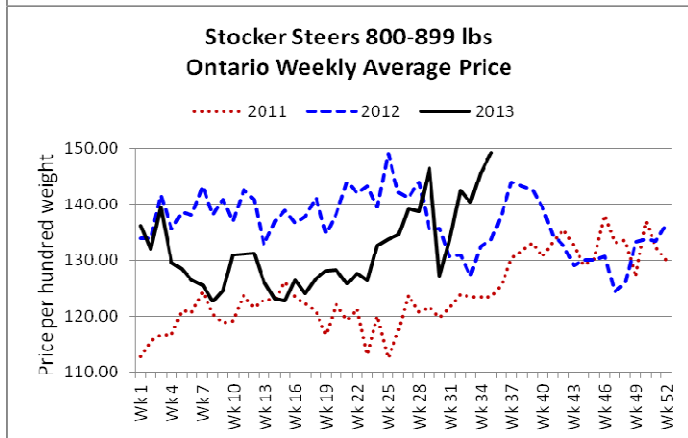
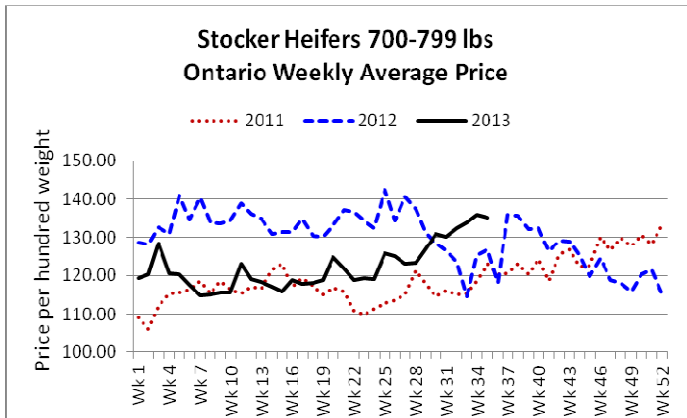
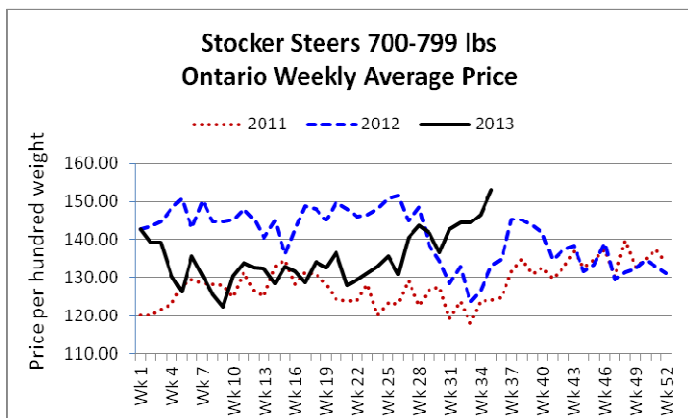
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<b>1000+</b>	103.00-125.00	121.46	125.00	<b>900+</b>	110.00-124.00	112.33	127.00
<b>900-999</b>	109.00-130.50	122.51	130.50	<b>800-899</b>	115.00-141.75	133.74	141.75
<b>800-899</b>	102.75-150.00	130.36	151.00	<b>700-799</b>	121.00-146.50	135.94	156.50
<b>700-799</b>	143.00-172.25	161.96	172.25	<b>600-699</b>	133.00-161.00	148.03	167.50
<b>600-699</b>	127.00-169.00	153.91	188.00	<b>500-599</b>	135.00-168.00	152.13	169.00
<b>500-599</b>	146.00-185.00	168.37	190.00	<b>400-499</b>	103.00-155.00	137.74	181.50
<b>400-499</b>	178.50-198.00	188.86	200.00	<b>300-399</b>	132.50-186.00	156.80	186.00
<b>399-</b>	165.00-194.00	179.11	194.00	<b>399-</b>	134.00-167.00	148.82	167.00

Stocker Sale at: **Ottawa Livestock Exchange, Aug 29, 2013 – 162 stockers**

STEERS	Price Range	Avg.	Top	HEIFERS	Price Range	Avg.	Top
700-799	78.00-161.00	125.44	161.00	500-599	128.00-151.00	140.10	160.00
600-699	121.00-159.00	141.29	180.00	400-499	139.00-150.00	142.00	153.00
500-599	98.00-200.00	161.29	200.00	300-399	118.00-168.00	150.40	168.00
400-499	120.00-204.00	174.05	204.00	299-	82.00-156.00	129.25	156.00
399-	78.00-205.00	159.94	205.00				

Stocker Sale at: **Brussels Livestock, Aug 29, 2013 – 256 stockers**

STEERS	Price Range	Avg.	Top	HEIFERS	Price Range	Avg.	Top
500-599	156.00-191.30	178.67	195.00	600-699	147.54-153.33	151.33	153.33
400-499	170.00-192.00	182.25	192.0	500-599	126.00-180.53	149.47	190.91
399-	150.00-230.00	192.88	230.00	400-499	144.00-162.00	155.71	162.00
				300-399	129.00-180.00	165.20	180.00



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

	Choice	Select
<b>600-900</b>	<b>195.68</b>	<b>182.48</b>
<b>Change:</b> (from yesterday's close)	<b>-0.03</b>	<b>-0.72</b>
<b>Current 5 day average:</b>	<b>196.01</b>	<b>184.29</b>

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

Week Ending	Price	Change from last week
Thursday, Aug 29, 2013	205.50-206.25	-2.17

**A1, A2 Steers**

### ALBERTA DIRECT TRADE

The Alberta direct trade was light to moderate with prices steady to slightly higher than last week. Prices reported by Canfax for this week are as follows:

<b>Steers</b>	Live	118.00-119.75	Flat rail	198.00-198.75
<b>Heifers</b>	Live	118.25-119.40	Flat rail	198.00-198.75

### U.S. TRADE (U.S. funds)

The U.S. cash cattle trade was generally light this afternoon. Live trade is steady to last week while dressed is \$1.00 lower.

<b>Choice and select steers and heifers:</b>	Live	123.00-126.00
	Rail	196.00-197.00

### CHICAGO MERCANTILE EXCHANGE

Closing quotes on futures today were as follows:

<b>Live Cattle</b>		<b>Feeder Cattle</b>		<b>Corn</b>		<b>Soybeans</b>		<b>Canadian \$</b>	
\$/cwt US		\$/cwt US		\$/bu US		¢/bu			
<b>Aug</b>	122.70 -0.85	<b>Sep</b>	156.92 +0.70	<b>Sep</b>	4.950 -2.2	<b>Sept</b>	14.240 -6.0	<b>Spot</b>	94.95 N/C
<b>Oct</b>	126.80 -0.17	<b>Oct</b>	158.95 +0.95	<b>Dec</b>	4.820 +0.4	<b>Nov</b>	13.574 -11.0	<b>Sep</b>	94.92 N/C
<b>Dec</b>	130.47 +0.22	<b>Nov</b>	159.72 +0.95	<b>Mar</b>	4.944 +0.2	<b>Jan</b>	13.546 -10.0	<b>Dec</b>	94.71 N/C
<b>Feb</b>	131.65 -0.15	<b>Jan</b>	158.60 +0.80	<b>May</b>	5.024 +0.4	<b>Mar</b>	13.342 -4.4	<b>Mar</b>	94.50 N/C
<b>Apr</b>	132.72 -0.27	<b>Mar</b>	157.82 +0.42	<b>Jul</b>	5.086 +1.2	<b>May</b>	13.116 +2.6	<b>Jun</b>	94.30 N/C
<b>Jun</b>	127.12 -0.05	<b>Apr</b>	158.25 +0.35	<b>Sep</b>	5.120 +1.4	<b>Jun</b>	13.076 +4.0	<b>Sep</b>	94.09 N/C

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### 2013 UPCOMING FALL STOCKER AND BRED COW SALES

Aug 31	1:00 pm	Maple Hill Auctions Ltd	Ontario Autumn Angus Classic Bred Female Sale
Sept 5	10:00 am	Warton-Grey Bruce Livestock Co-op	Yearling Sale
Sept 6	7:00 pm	Cargill Auction Market	Char & Exotic Cross yearling steers and heifers
Sept 7	10:00 am	Steve Miller Herd Dispersal-Puslinch	"Leaving the Station" Miller Elite Stabilizer Herd Dispersal, 49 lots, catalogue is available online at <a href="http://issuu.com/dmrherefords/docs/miller_elite_stabilizer_sale">http://issuu.com/dmrherefords/docs/miller_elite_stabilizer_sale</a> or call Steve Miller for more info-519-222-2358
Sept 7	1:00 pm	M & L Cattle Company & Guests	Red, Black and White Production Sale-100 hd. Simmental (Fleck & Purebred)- Charolais(Full French and Purebred females)- 50 Bred heifers-cow/calf pairs and heifer calves- Plus commercial crossbred heifers full listing available at <a href="http://www.bylivestock.com">http://www.bylivestock.com</a>
Sept 14	10:30 am	Manitoulin Livestock Exchange	Stockers and bred cows
Sept 14	1:00 pm	Maple Hill Auctions Ltd	Ont Autumn Simmental Classic Bred Female Sale
Sept 17	10:00 am	Thessalon-Algoma Co-op Livestock Sales	Yearling sale
Sept 17	11:00 am	Ontario Stockyards Inc	Special fall yearling sale
Sept 20	11:00 am	Community Livestock Exchange	Quinte Cattlemen's Assoc-90% vacc, farm fresh
Sept 21	11:00 am	Denfield Livestock Exchange	Stockers, Bred cows and cow/calf pairs