

Daily Market Information Report

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

Monday, September 23, 2013

ONTARIO DIRECT TO PACKER RAILGRADE CATTLE TRADE

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

A grade steers	201.00-203.00
A grade heifers	200.00-202.00

ONTARIO LIVE CATTLE TRADE

Today at **Ontario Stockyards Inc:** 87 veal on offer

	Price Range	Top
Veal calves +600 lbs	105.00-128.00	129.50
Veal calves 451-600 lbs	97.00-104.50	108.00

Veal sold on a good active trade with prices steady.

At Kawartha Lakes Co-op Auction Market: September 21, 2013 – 109 cows & 14 bulls

	Price Range	Average	Top
Cows	41.99-91.00	68.60	91.00
Bulls under 1600 lbs	76.00-93.99	87.60	93.99
Bulls over 1600 lbs	75.00-93.50	86.59	93.50

Cows sold slightly easier with good active buyer interest in bred cows this week. Sept 28th @ 1:00 pm- Stocker Sale. Oct 2nd-11:00 am - Peterborough/Victoria County Cattlemen's Stocker Sale. Oct 5th @ 1:00 pm- Bred Cow Sale.

Stocker sale at: **Brussels Livestock: September 20, 2013 – 1,525 stockers**

STEERS	Price Range	Avg	Top	HEIFERS	Price Range	Avg	Top
1000+	130.50-144.00	137.77	144.00	900+	125.25-136.50	129.74	136.50
900-999	132.00-153.50	145.21	153.50	800-899	124.50-145.00	135.86	145.00
800-899	148.00-157.75	153.86	157.75	700-799	116.00-137.75	129.66	137.75
700-799	129.00-164.25	154.78	167.00	600-699	132.00-171.00	146.72	171.00
600-699	144.25-175.00	163.04	175.00	500-599	118.00-164.00	145.80	189.00
500-599	150.00-177.00	164.38	184.00	400-499	125.00-177.50	159.33	194.00
400-499	153.50-196.00	179.47	202.00	300-399	122.00-187.00	148.86	200.00
399-	135.00-193.00	171.15	196.00	299-	152.00-200.00	174.33	200.00

All classes of cattle sold on a good steady trade.

ONTARIO STOCKER & FEEDER TRADE SPECIAL FALL STOCKER SALES

Today at: **Community Livestock Exchange, September 20, 2013 – 384 stockers**

STEERS	Price Range	Avg.	Top	HEIFERS	Price Range	Avg.	Top
1000+	97.99-139.99	118.59	139.99	900+	123.50-131.49	127.60	131.49
900-999	123.99-150.00	143.70	150.00	800-899	88.00-137.99	127.40	137.99
800-899	119.99-156.00	148.90	156.00	700-799	109.00-153.00	139.50	153.00
700-799	128.00-160.49	148.50	160.49	600-699	97.99-147.99	133.89	147.99
600-699	130.00-172.99	158.89	172.99	500-599	100.00-137.50	119.90	137.50
500-599	125.00-180.00	162.79	180.00	400-499	135.00-148.99	141.50	148.99

Quinte Cattlemen's Association Special Stocker Sale. There was a high-quality offering of 384 comprised of 244 steers and 140 heifers with 90% vaccinated. The heavier cattle, especially, sold on a strong, consistent demand.

LIVE CATTLE EXPORTS-ONTARIO

	Week ending Sept 7, 2013	Week ending Aug 31, 2013	Year to Date
Total live slaughter cattle exported from Ontario to the U.S.	3,589	3,106	135,006
Steers & Heifers	1,206	550	31,393
Cows	1,909	2,060	87,841
Bulls	474	496	15,772

AVERAGE CARCASS WEIGHTS – CANADA

	Steers	Heifers
September 14, 2013	892	826
September 15, 2012	892	817

FEDERALLY INSPECTED CANADIAN KILL

	Week Ending Sept 14, 2013	YTD	% change of Week Ago	% change of Yr. Ago
Grand Total	51,473	1,821,960	-11%	-8%
Western Slaughter	39,320	1,387,071	-7%	-7%
Eastern Slaughter	12,153	434,889	-24%	-9%

USDA ESTIMATED CATTLE KILL

	Week Ending September 21, 2013	Previous Week	Year Ago
Grand Total	633,000	611,000	626,000

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

	Choice	Select
Cutout Values: (noon estimate)	193.09	176.45
change: (from yesterday's close)	+0.70	+0.49
Current 5 day average:	192.94	176.31

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

The U.S. cash cattle trade was moderate to active late Friday afternoon with prices \$1.00-\$2.00 higher. The U.S.D.A. Mandatory Price Report for last week's cash cattle trade saw steers trade from \$121.00-\$125.50 live averaging \$124.07 up from \$123.10 the previous week, while heifers sold from \$122.50-\$125.50 averaging \$124.19 up from \$122.99 the previous week. The dressed market saw steers trade from \$193.00-\$197.00 averaging \$195.65 up from \$194.03 the previous week, while heifers sold from \$194.00-\$197.00 averaging \$195.58 up from \$193.98 the previous week. Today the market is fairly quiet as new show lists were distributed. This week's offering is smaller in volume in all feeding states, except Texas. Early asking prices are around \$126.00 plus live and \$198.00-\$200.00 dressed.

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

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	126.60 +0.65	Sep	157.62 +0.52	Dec	4.532 +2.2	Nov	13.076 -7.4	Spot	97.31 +0.15		
Dec	130.50 +0.75	Oct	162.10 +1.87	Mar	4.660 +2.2	Jan	13.104 -7.4	Dec	97.11 +0.16		
Feb	132.20 +0.67	Nov	162.37 +1.62	May	4.742 +2.2	Mar	12.950 -5.2	Mar	96.89 +0.16		
Apr	133.30 +0.55	Jan	161.72 +1.32	Jul	4.806 +2.0	May	12.750 -2.2	Jun	96.68 +0.17		
Jun	127.35 +0.32	Mar	160.95 +0.70	Sep	4.852 +1.6	Jun	12.674 -3.0	Sep	96.46 +0.17		
Aug	126.15 +0.00	Apr	161.15 +0.77	Dec	4.920 +1.2	Aug	12.530 -1.6	Dec	96.22 +0.17		