



Daily Market Information Report - Friday, October 17, 2014

The following information is collected from various sources and disseminated by Beef Farmers of Ontario.

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	278.00-280.00
A Grade Heifers	277.00-279.00

ONTARIO LIVE CATTLE TRADE

Today at **Brussels Livestock** – **2,150** head of cattle on offer. (sale in progress -550 yearlings to sell)

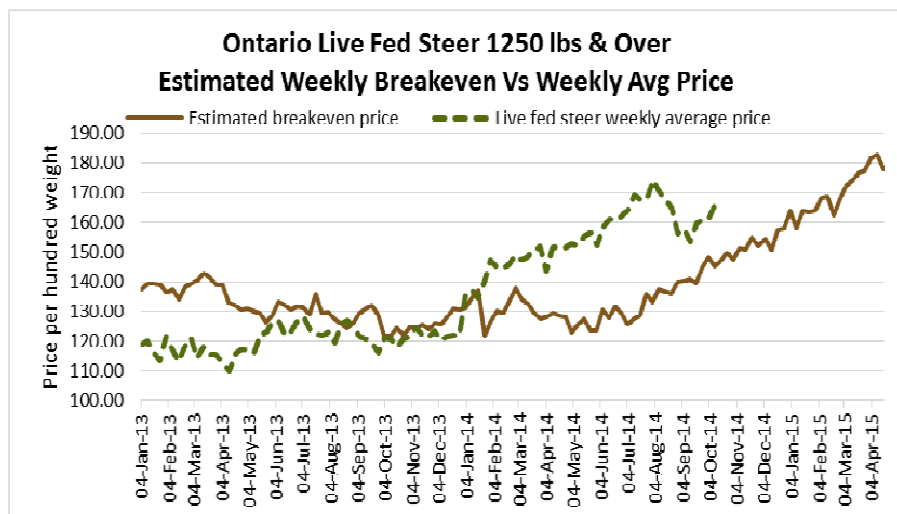
Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
1000+	197.00-211.25	209.00	211.25	900+	185.00-212.00	203.97	212.00
900-999	210.00-223.00	218.28	223.00	800-899	219.00-241.00	229.56	241.00
800-899	190.00-243.00	216.88	243.00	700-799	233.00-248.00	241.26	248.00
700-799	210.00-253.00	244.88	259.00	600-699	240.00-265.0	253.89	265.00
600-699	252.00-305.00	282.15	305.00	500-599	221.00-281.00	255.47	298.50
500-599	260.00-342.00	299.73	342.00	400-499	250.00-317.00	288.59	332.00
400-499	290.00-360.00	329.38	380.00	300-399	192.00-315.00	272.79	330.00
399-	285.00-330.00	308.88	365.00				

All cattle are selling on a strong active trade at fully steady prices.

Today at **Keady Livestock Market** – **1,472** yearlings

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
1000+	236.50-244.25	239.81	245.25	800-899	235.50 -22 hd		
900-999	242.00-252.00	247.22	252.00				
800-899	242.75-259.00	248.96	260.50				

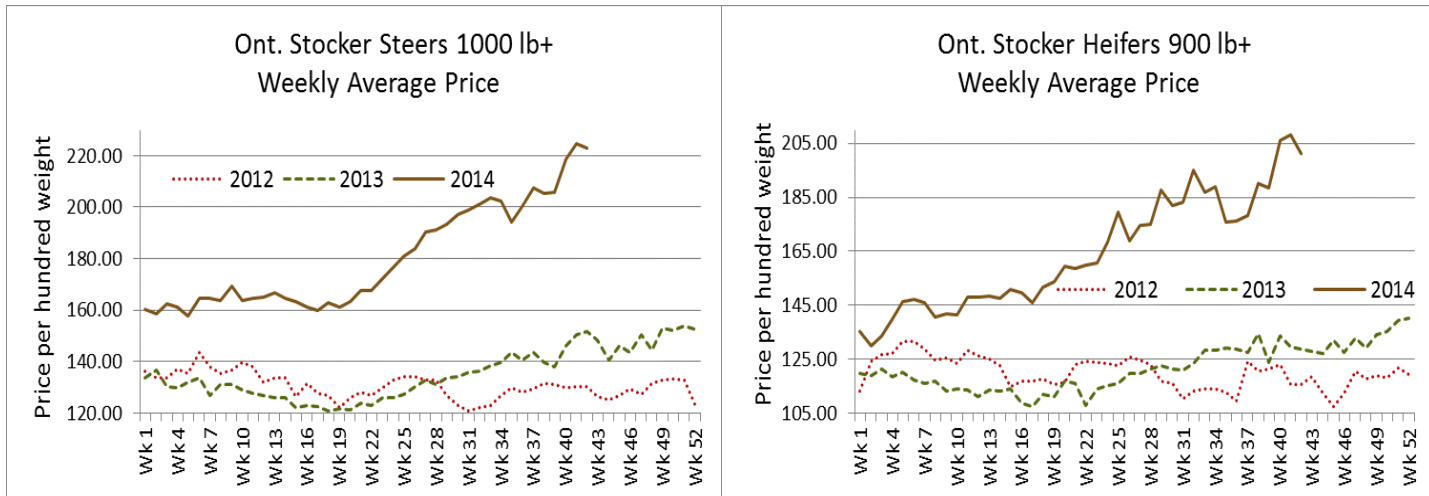
Yearling steers and heifers continued to sell on strong demand at fully steady prices.



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Ontario auction sales on **Thursday** saw weighted prices for:

	Volume	Price Range	Average	Top
Large & Medium Frame Fed Steers +1250 lbs	141	138.00-176.75	166.41	180.00
Large & Medium Frame Fed Heifers +1000 lbs	38	144.61-167.49	158.45	169.00
Cows	856	89.89-123.12	105.79	161.00
Bulls	50	106.28-121.98	113.55	150.00
Veal +600 lbs	149	146.20-187.28	168.90	240.00
Veal Calves 125 lbs & under	134	109.00-272.00	216.07	280.00



Stocker sale at: **Ontario Livestock Exchange, October 16, 2014 – 321 stockers**

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
1000+	153.50-51 hd			900+	157.50-192.00	175.57	192.00
900-999	153.50-201.00	176.65	201.00	800-899	122.00-194.00	170.80	194.00
800-899	172.50-216.00	206.54	216.00	700-799	180.00-190.00	184.58	204.00
700-799	193.00-254.00	230.59	254.00	600-699	140.00-212.50	187.12	232.50
600-699	165.00-265.00	216.93	265.00	500-599	187.50-242.50	211.20	242.50
500-599	237.50-302.50	256.11	329.00	400-499	210.00-257.00	236.33	257.00
400-499	247.50-300.00	270.00	300.00	300-399	140.00-285.00	259.32	285.00
399-	102.50-310.00	234.45	350.00	299-	200.00-272.50	255.83	272.50

Stocker sale at: **Ontario Stockyards Inc., October 16, 2014– 1,309 stockers**

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
1000+	182.50-217.00	206.10	217.00	900+	180.00-201.50	194.06	207.00
900-999	200.00-233.00	213.82	233.00	800-899	211.50-237.50	226.33	237.50
800-899	210.00-250.50	232.32	255.00	700-799	200.00-249.50	231.57	249.50
700-799	200.00-254.50	236.15	271.00	600-699	224.00-281.00	250.17	281.00
600-699	239.00-277.25	261.27	286.00	500-599	236.00-289.00	261.96	291.00
500-599	256.00-318.00	289.17	351.00	400-499	242.50-291.00	265.51	320.00
400-499	304.00-359.00	327.93	380.00	300-399	272.50-327.00	297.09	327.00
300-	334.00-395.00	368.08	397.50	299-	170.00-230.00	206.52	380.00

Stocker sale at: **Ottawa Livestock Exchange, October 16, 2014 – 342 stockers**

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
800-899	199.00-236.00	224.50	236.00	700-799	130.00-239.00	201.33	239.00
700-799	120.00-260.00	218.74	260.00	600-699	222.00-274.00	241.16	274.00
600-699	210.00-294.00	257.43	299.00	500-599	192.00-278.00	233.79	294.00
500-599	195.00-302.00	261.74	317.00	400-499	178.00-296.00	263.43	297.00
400-499	205.00-358.00	285.71	358.00	300-399	150.00-256.00	188.33	287.00
300-	165.00-325.00	252.41	378.00	299-	120.00-255.00	188.33	255.00

Stocker sale at: **Brussels Livestock, October 16, 2014 – 245** stockers

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
400-499	177.00-330.00	280.72	330.00	400-499	230.00-290.00	267.69	300.00
399-	180.00-357.00	315.00	420.00	300-399	297.00-320.00	312.16	320.00
				299-	170.00-310.00	240.00	330.00

CANADIAN BOXED BEEF CUT-OUT VALUES

Week Ending	AAA	AA
September 19, 2014	2.6268	2.4957
September 12, 2014	2.6210	2.5310
September 5, 2014	2.5765	2.5015

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

	Choice 600-900	Select 600-900
Cutout Values (noon estimate):	248.91	234.53
Change (from yesterday's close):	-0.01	-0.39
Current Five Day Average:	248.96	235.52

ALBERTA DIRECT TRADE

The Alberta direct trade was too light this week to establish a market. Canfax reports: "Locally buying and selling interest remains especially light. Sale volumes have been too light to establish a market trend this week. There have been indications from producers open cash cattle are being reallocated to meet contract obligations. With that said carry over volumes should not be a huge issue moving into next week."

Steers	Live	N/T	Flat rail	N/T
Heifers	Live	N/T	Flat rail	N/T

QUEBEC ELECTRONIC AUCTION MARKET (F.O.B. THE FEEDLOT)

	Price	Change from Last Week
Week Ending Thursday, October 16, 2014	274.00-276.50	+1.52

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

The U.S. cash cattle trade was very quiet today as business for the week is completed.

Choice and Select Steers and Heifers:	Live	161.00-165.00
	Rail	256.00-259.00

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			
Oct	165.05 -0.20	Oct	238.45 -1.75	Dec	3.480 -4.2	Nov	9.516 -14.6	Spot	88.74 -0.16
Dec	165.05 -0.25	Nov	234.15 -3.00	Mar	3.612 -4.0	Jan	9.596 -14.4	Dec	88.59 -0.14
Feb	164.02 -0.07	Jan	228.12 -3.00	May	3.700 -4.2	Mar	9.680 -13.6	Mar	88.38 -0.14
Apr	162.05 -0.40	Mar	226.65 -3.00	Jul	3.774 -4.0	May	9.766 -13.6	Jun	88.18 -0.14
Jun	152.75 -1.25	Apr	226.50 -3.00	Sep	3.844 -4.0	Jul	9.836 -13.0	Sep	87.99 -0.15
Aug	150.85 -1.10	May	226.50 -3.00	Dec	3.936 -3.2	Aug	9.854 -12.6	Dec	87.86 -0.15

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UPCOMING SPECIAL FALL STOCKER/BRED COW SALES!

Oct 18	10:00 am	Thessalon- Algoma Co-op Livestock	Calf Sale
Oct 18	11:00 am	Denfield Livestock Exchange	Stocker and Bred Cow sale
Oct 18	1:00 pm	Maple Hill Auctions Ltd	Bluewater Angus Sale
Oct 19	-----	Kawartha Lakes Community Sale Barn	Purebred Sale- has been cancelled
Oct 24	10:00 am	Brussels Livestock	Hereford Influence calf and yearling sale
Oct 24	11:00 am	Community Livestock Exchange	Quinte Cattlemen's Assoc. Stocker Sale
Oct 24	12:00 pm	Listowel Livestock Sales	Local Calf Sale- vaccinated
Oct 25	9:00 am	Keady Livestock Market	Bruce Peninsula Calf Club Sale – Presort
Oct 25	9:30 am	Stratton-Rainy River Cattlemens Sale	Stockers, cows and bred cows- late season calves
Oct 27	11:00 am	Kawartha Lakes Community Sale Barn	Stocker Sale
Oct 28	9:00 am	Keady Livestock Market	Georgian Bay Premium Charolais Calf Club Sale-Presort
Oct 28	11:00 am	Ontario Stockyards Inc	Special Fall Yearling Sale
Oct 29	2:00 pm	Vankleek Hill Livestock Exchange	Stocker Sale
Oct 30	9:00 am	Keady Livestock Market	Bluewater Black Calf Club- Presort
Oct 30	10:00 am	Wiarthon-Grey Bruce Livestock Co-op	Calf Sale
Oct 31	7:00 pm	Cargill Auction Market	Local Calf Sale
Nov 1	9:00 am	Keady Livestock Market	Central Calf Association Sale- owner lots
Nov 1	11:00 am	Denfield Livestock Exchange	Stocker sale- no cows please
Nov 1	1:00 pm	Maple Hill Auctions Ltd	Walnut Drive Farms Sale