



Daily Market Information Report - Friday, October 24, 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).

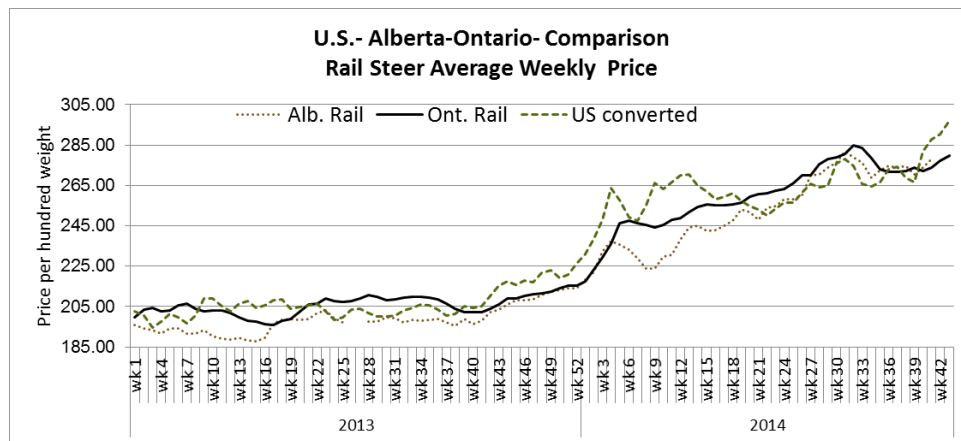
A Grade Steers	284.00-285.00
A Grade Heifers	283.00-284.00

ONTARIO LIVE CATTLE TRADE

Today at **Brussels Livestock** – **2,400** head of cattle on offer. (sale in progress -1,000 yearlings to sell)

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
900-999	140.00-220.00	180.00	220.00	900+	161.00-188.00	178.00	188.00
800-899	209.00-226.00	216.64	234.00	800-899	197.00-234.00	221.67	234.00
700-799	220.00-266.00	245.71	267.00	700-799	197.00-244.00	229.29	244.00
600-699	242.00-283.00	269.37	306.00	600-699	232.00-266.00	269.93	266.00
500-599	270.00-302.00	287.11	312.00	500-599	233.00-275.00	255.46	275.00
400-499	290.00-338.00	308.77	338.00	400-499	211.00-287.00	257.20	315.00
399-	260.00-330.00	311.65	340.00	300-399	261.00-325.00	292.63	325.00
				299-	290.00-320.00	305.83	320.00

Calves are selling on a good demand at steady prices. Yearlings have not traded at time of reporting due to the volume of the sale. Final results will be posted on Monday.



Today at **Community Livestock Exchange** – **589** head of cattle on offer.

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
1000+	210.00-223.00	215.09	223.00	900+	179.00-215.00	209.40	215.00
900-999	192.00-237.00	225.10	237.00	800-899	162.99-238.49	230.30	238.49
800-899	191.00-240.00	221.60	240.00	700-799	195.00-250.00	230.70	250.00
700-799	187.00-267.00	249.30	267.00	600-699	151.00-252.00	221.40	252.00
600-699	187.00-300.99	274.30	300.99	500-599	174.00-281.00	244.00	281.00
500-599	243.00-322.00	300.10	322.00	400-499	162.99-306.00	255.90	306.00
400-499	218.00-331.00	298.50	331.00		2		

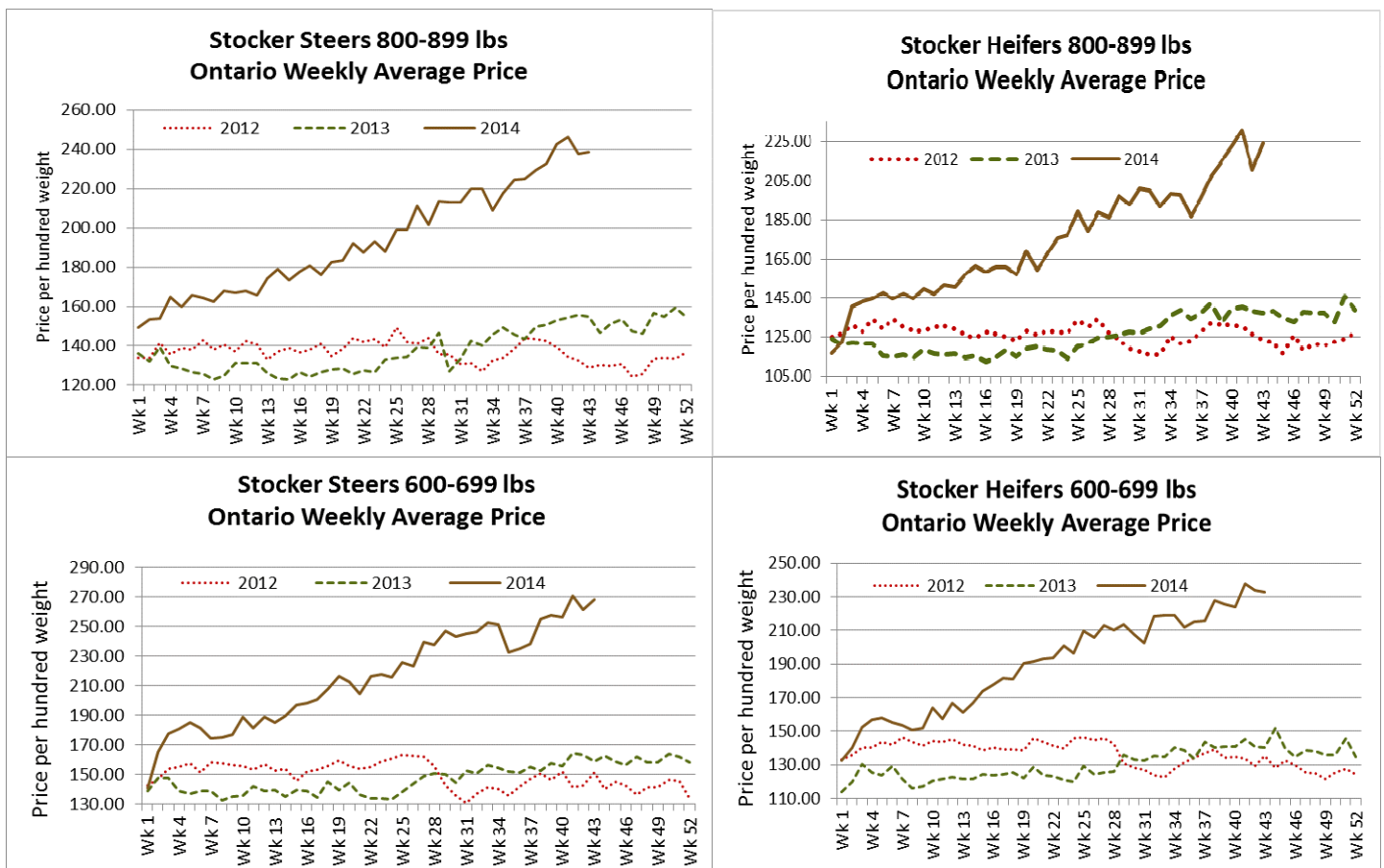
Quinte Cattlemen's Association Stocker Sale!

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

	Volume	Price Range	Average	Top
Large & Medium Frame Fed Steers +1250 lbs	207	158.87-173.55	168.85	177.25
Large & Medium Frame Fed Heifers +1000 lbs	110	153.29-171.67	165.17	175.50
Cows	804	81.36-115.77	99.75	148.00
Bulls	30	109.33-136.00	126.28	149.00
Veal +600 lbs	174	153.55-199.01	176.34	240.00
Veal Calves 125 lbs & under	121	120.00-260.00	199.27	265.00

Stocker sale at: **Ontario Livestock Exchange, October 23, 2014 – 167** stockers

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
900-999	192.50-196.00	194.75	196.00	500-599	167.50-260.00	192.96	267.50
700-799	137.50-206.00	170.06	241.00	400-499	235.00-282.50	276.11	282.50
500-599	210.00-320.00	270.00	320.00	300-399	240.00-280.00	267.00	317.50
400-499	272.50-317.50	302.25	317.50				
399-	277.50-335.00	300.83	335.00				



Stocker sale at: **Ontario Stockyards Inc., October 23, 2014– 1,344** stockers

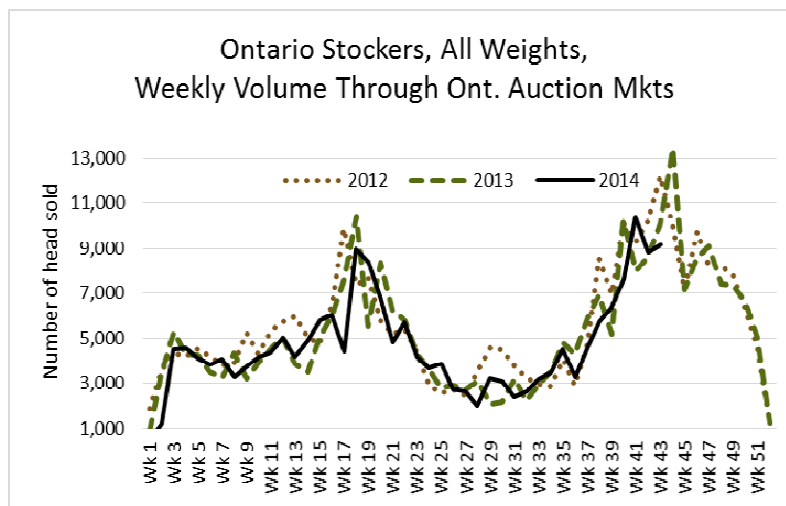
Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
1000+	171.00-231.00	213.38	231.00	900+	154.00-192.50	177.57	221.00
900-999	180.00-239.00	217.71	239.00	800-899	160.50-226.50	199.93	226.50
800-899	160.00-247.50	229.60	247.50	700-799	180.00-239.25	216.67	239.25
700-799	220.00-249.00	236.76	266.00	600-699	170.00-251.00	225.09	272.50
600-699	246.00-284.00	266.39	284.00	500-599	245.00-304.00	259.38	304.00
500-599	267.00-304.00	288.02	326.00	400-499	235.00-305.00	274.14	305.00
400-499	280.00-372.50	318.82	385.00	300-399	250.00-310.00	285.51	330.00
300-	285.00-395.00	340.94	415.00	299-	315.00-350.00	332.65	350.00

Stocker sale at: **Ottawa Livestock Exchange, October 23, 2014 – 738** stockers

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
800-899	79.00-230.00	173.89	244.00	700-799	147.00-220.00	191.78	220.00
700-799	198.00-268.00	248.29	268.00	600-699	190.00-250.00	221.09	270.00
600-699	220.00-295.00	259.72	297.00	500-599	210.00-280.00	240.22	300.00
500-599	217.00-300.00	267.63	317.00	400-499	180.00-298.00	267.89	310.00
400-499	242.00-292.00	271.89	307.00	300-399	165.00-270.00	234.21	290.00
300-	115.00-310.00	210.68	340.00	299-	185.00-245.00	206.00	270.00

Stocker sale at: **Brussels Livestock, October 23, 2014 – 238** stockers

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
400-499	285.00-322.00	305.78	332.00	400-499	267.00-316.00	288.78	316.00
399-	270.00-350.00	315.62	405.00	300-399	242.00-292.00	267.05	324.00
				299-	306.00-360.00	313.71	360.00



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

	Choice 600-900	Select 600-900
Cutout Values (noon estimate):	247.04	232.44
Change (from yesterday's close):	-2.39	-1.10
Current Five Day Average:	249.85	234.70

ALBERTA DIRECT TRADE

The Alberta direct trade was reported as higher than the previous week by Canfax, however actual prices on sales were not available at time of reporting.

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 23, 2014	278.00-281.00	+3.85

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

The U.S. cash cattle trade was moderate to active on Thursday with sales reported from \$16300-\$170.00 live and \$260.00-\$268.00 dressed. The USDA Mandatory Price report for Thursday shows live steers averaged \$168.67 up \$5.00 from last week, up from \$163.74, while heifers averaged \$169.08 up from \$163.95. Dressed sales were up \$6.00 with steers averaging \$263.80 up from \$257.75 a week ago and heifers averaging \$264.40 up from \$257.81. Today, light trade in the north with sales reported from \$265.00-\$266.00 dressed. The south appears to be finished for the week.

Choice and Select Steers and Heifers:	Live	163.00-170.00
	Rail	260.00-268.00

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	\$/bu US	¢/bu					
Oct	168.25	-0.80	Oct	237.90	-2.32	Dec	3.530	-6.6	Nov	9.774	-15.6	Spot	89.05	+0.03
Dec	166.90	-1.20	Nov	234.65	-2.05	Mar	5.666	-6.6	Jan	9.832	-16.6	Dec	88.93	+0.05
Feb	166.55	-2.30	Jan	228.90	-2.07	May	3.752	-6.6	Mar	9.900	-16.4	Mar	88.72	+0.05
Apr	164.77	-2.27	Mar	227.17	-1.75	Jul	3.826	-6.6	May	9.966	-15.6	Jun	88.51	+0.05
Jun	154.40	-1.82	Apr	227.10	-1.92	Sep	3.902	-6.2	Jul	10.022	-15.2	Sep	88.32	+0.05
Aug	152.55	-1.52	May	227.17	-2.00	Dec	3.994	-5.6	Aug	10.026	-15.0	Dec	88.17	+0.04

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UPCOMING SPECIAL FALL STOCKER/BRED COW SALES!

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 25 10:30 am	Ottawa Livestock Exchange	Bred Cow & Cow/calf sale Sale – 160 on offer.
Oct 27 10:00 am	Brussels Livestock	Bred Cow, Cow/calf pairs and Stocker sale.
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	Warton-Grey Bruce Livestock Co-op	Calf Sale
Oct 30 after reg sale	Ontario Stockyards Inc	Bred cow sale- complete herd- 76 Angus cows, 2 bulls
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
Nov 5 11:00 am	Kawartha Lakes Co-op Auction Market	Peterborough/Victoria Cattlemen’s Certified Calf Sale
Nov 7 9:00 am	Keady Livestock Market	Local Calf Sale
Nov 7 7:00 pm	Cargill Auction Market	Local Calf Sale