



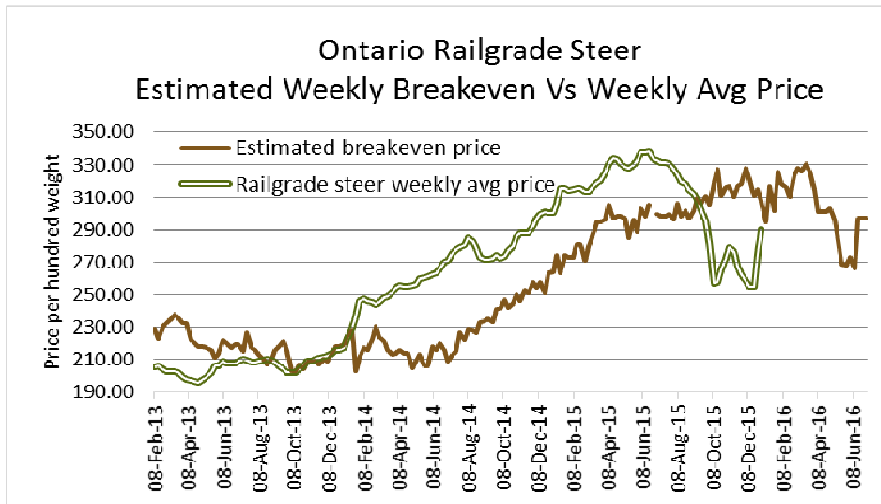
## Daily Market Information Report - Friday, January 8, 2016

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** 290.00-292.00  
**A Grade Heifers** 289.00-291.00



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### ONTARIO LIVE CATTLE TRADE

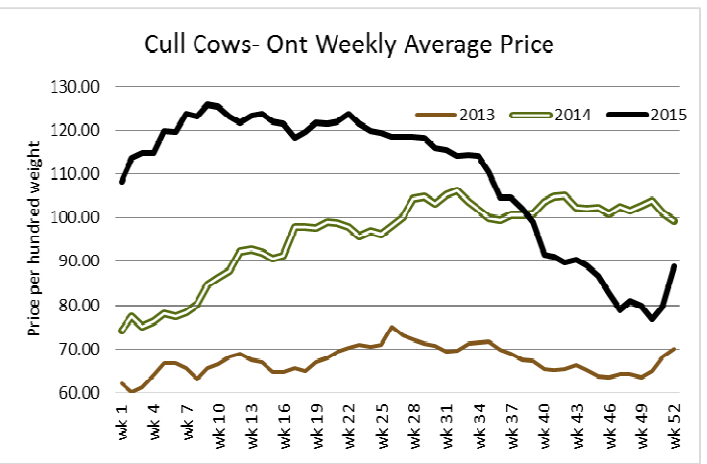
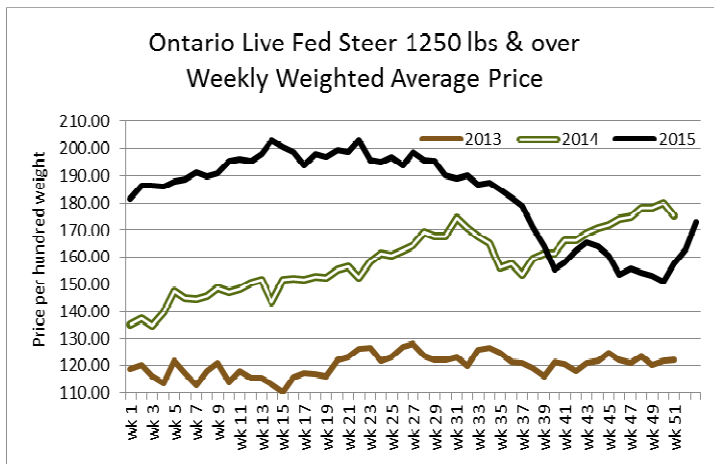
Today at **Brussels Livestock** – 975 stockers (100 yearlings left to sell at reporting time)

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
1000+	210.00-232.00	223.63	232.0	900+	185.75-205.00	195.08	221.25
900-999	220.00-240.00	228.75	240.00	800-899	201.00-232.00	215.40	242.00
800-899	230.00-238.00	236.40	238.00	700-799	190.00-235.00	217.85	235.00
700-799	231.00-264.00	249.90	264.00	600-699	223.00-241.00	233.71	243.00
600-699	248.00-283.25	267.74	283.25	500-599	230.00-253.00	241.93	260.00
500-599	267.00-300.00	281.38	300.00	400-499	245.00-275.00	261.21	275.00
400-499	276.00-318.00	292.43	325.00	300-399	222.00-240.00	230.80	240.00
399-	170.00-270.00	238.57	305.00				

Calves and yearlings are selling on a strong active trade with at prices \$5.00-\$10.00 higher. Final results will be posted on Monday's report.

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

	Volume	Price Range	Average	Top
Large & Medium Frame Fed Steers +1250 lbs	193	165.00-1894.50	173.62	195.00
Large & Medium Frame Fed Heifers +1000 lbs	100	158.90-177.05	170.30	184.50
Cows	828	81.46-102.24	91.04	150.00
Bulls	33	121.94-139.45	129.65	171.00
Veal +600 lbs	202	125.06-168.82	149.04	247.00
Veal Calves 125 lbs & under	215	35.00-240.00	129.01	335.00



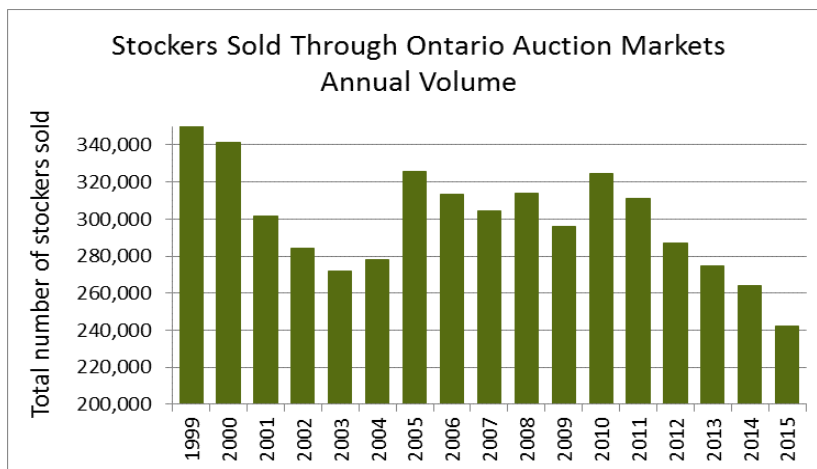
Stocker sale at: **Ontario Stockyards Inc., January 7, 2016 – 179 stockers**

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
1000+	195.50-228.50	220.82	228.50	900+	156.00-166.00	161.66	189.50
900-999	213.00-232.25	225.15	232.25	800-899	167.50-186.00	176.64	201.00
800-899	214.00-245.00	233.83	245.00	700-799	202.50-218.00	211.78	218.00
700-799	220.00-246.50	235.50	246.50	600-699	205.00-239.00	224.59	239.00
600-699	231.00-273.50	252.65	273.50	500-599	220.00-243.00	231.22	260.00
500-599	251.00-281.50	269.50	281.50	400-499	235.00-257.00	250.55	257.00
400-499	270.00-313.00	287.54	313.00	300-399	230.00-270.00	249.76	270.00
399-	190.00-300.00	242.69	300.00				

Replacement cattle sold on a good active trade with prices fully steady to stronger.

Stocker sale at: **Ottawa Livestock Exchange, January 7, 2016 – 286 stockers**

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
700-799	192.00-240.00	220.53	248.00	700-799	140.00-211.00	184.44	211.00
600-699	185.00-254.00	231.54	254.00	600-699	207.00-233.00	220.44	233.00
500-599	210.00-276.00	246.96	276.00	500-599	192.00-240.00	213.77	244.00
400-499	240.00-276.00	261.58	276.00	400-499	155.00-235.00	207.50	255.00
399-	155.00-320.00	227.44	320.00				



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

	Choice 600-900	Select 600-900
Cutout Values (noon estimate):	231.23	224.59
Change (from yesterday's close):	+0.64	+0.70
Current Five Day Average:	222.31	215.48

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

Week Ending Thursday, January 7, 2016	Price 290.25-291.50	Change from Last Week +15.63
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### ALBERTA DIRECT TRADE

The Alberta direct trade was light with prices \$2.00-\$4.00 higher on average. Canfax reported steers and heifers selling from \$292.00-\$296.50 dressed, up \$2.92 for steers and \$4.27 for heifers, from last week on average. Canfax reported: "local packer interest in the cash market remained mixed with the bulk of sales going to one buyer. Local packers are sounding short bought as cattle are being lifted in a timely matter."

<b>Steers</b>	Live	N/T	Flat rail	292.00-296.50
<b>Heifers</b>	Live	N/T	Flat rail	292.00-296.50

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

The U.S. cash cattle trade Thursday saw some light trade in the north with sales from \$129.00-\$133.00 live averaging \$131.84 for steers and \$132.38 for heifers down around \$2.00 from last week, while dressed deals ranged from \$208.00-\$212.00 with steers averaging \$210.02 and heifers \$210.42 down \$1.00-\$1.50 on average. At time of reporting Friday afternoon a few sales in the north have surfaced at \$132.00-\$133.00 live and \$210.00 dressed which is steady to Thursday, while bids are at \$133.00 live in the south with no sales at this time. Asking prices are at \$136.00-\$138.00 live with business expected to surface at any time.

<b>Choice and Select Steers and Heifers:</b>	Live	129.00-133.00
	Rail	208.00-212.00

### 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						
<b>Feb</b>	132.87	-0.65	<b>Jan</b>	159.42	-4.40	<b>Mar</b>	3.570	+4.0	<b>Jan</b>	8.794	+2.4	<b>Spot</b>	70.74	-0.27
<b>Apr</b>	133.82	-0.47	<b>Mar</b>	157.32	-3.62	<b>May</b>	3.626	+4.2	<b>Mar</b>	8.652	+0.6	<b>Mar</b>	70.74	-0.26
<b>Jun</b>	124.27	-0.50	<b>Apr</b>	157.37	-3.45	<b>Jul</b>	3.690	+4.4	<b>May</b>	8.680	+0.6	<b>Jun</b>	70.77	-0.26
<b>Aug</b>	120.47	-0.80	<b>May</b>	157.17	-3.02	<b>Sep</b>	3.746	+4.4	<b>Jul</b>	8.746	+1.0	<b>Sep</b>	70.84	-0.26
<b>Oct</b>	121.55	-0.77	<b>Aug</b>	159.00	-2.55	<b>Dec</b>	3.830	+4.2	<b>Aug</b>	8.770	+1.0	<b>Dec</b>	70.92	-0.25
<b>Dec</b>	121.65	-0.62	<b>Sep</b>	157.30	-2.12	<b>Mar</b>	3.926	+4.0	<b>Sep</b>	8.762	+1.0	<b>Mar</b>	71.00	-0.27

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### ONTARIO STOCKER & FEEDER TRADE SPECIAL STOCKER SALES

20-Jan	11:00 AM	Kawartha Lakes Community Sale Barn	Peterborough/Victoria Cattlemen's Stocker Sale
22-Jan	11:00 AM	Community Livestock Exchange	Quinte Cattlemen's Association Stocker Sale