



Daily Market Information Report - Friday, August 19, 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	235.00-243.00
A Grade Heifers	234.00-242.00

ONTARIO LIVE CATTLE TRADE

Today at **Brussels Livestock: 1,000** Stockers (125 yearlings left to sell at time of reporting.)

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
1000+	150.00-169.00	157.29	171.00	900+	139.00-152.00	145.89	154.00
900-999	155.00-175.50	168.36	183.00	800-899	150.00-164.50	156.17	164.50
800-899	149.00-187.00	172.07	187.00	700-799	159.50-172.50	164.76	172.50
700-799	173.00-194.00	186.18	194.00	600-699	115.00-188.50	155.36	188.50
600-699	158.00-192.00	180.63	212.00	500-599	169.00-214.00	195.71	214.00
500-599	170.00-221.50	201.45	226.50	400-499	175.00-228.00	194.40	228.00
400-499	177.00-230.00	209.50	234.00	300-399	217.00-219.00	218.33	219.00
399-	145.00-267.00	220.80	267.00				

Calves and yearlings sold on a very active trade with good buyer demand at steady prices.

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

	Volume	Price Range	Average	Top
Large & Medium Frame Fed Steers +1250 lbs	82	130.00-143.25	137.35	160.00
Large & Medium Frame Fed Heifers +1000 lbs	58	123.34-140.47	134.40	145.50
Fed steers, dairy and dairy cross	87	126.89-130.05	128.53	134.00
Fed heifers, dairy and dairy cross	20	109.90-124.33	117.31	128.75
Cows	538	74.47-94.53	83.65	127.00
Bulls (all weights)	30	111.97-128.70	120.38	145.00
Veal +600 lbs	224	105.34-133.08	119.16	225.00
Veal Calves 125 lbs & under	142	52.00-160.00	118.19	185.00

Stocker sale at: **Ontario Livestock Exchange, August 18, 2016 – 282** Stockers

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
1000+	117.50-146.00	131.22	146.00	500-599	148.00-180.00	162.30	180.00
900-999	147.00-170.00	161.21	170.00				
800-899	147.00-176.00	167.30	176.00				
700-799	174.00-191.00	185.74	191.00				
600-699	140.00-210.25	192.95	210.25				
500-599	145.00-168.00	156.10	180.00				
400-499	167.50-210.00	187.69	210.00				
399-	170.00-182.50	176.25	182.50				

Feeder cattle sold on a good active trade at steady money.

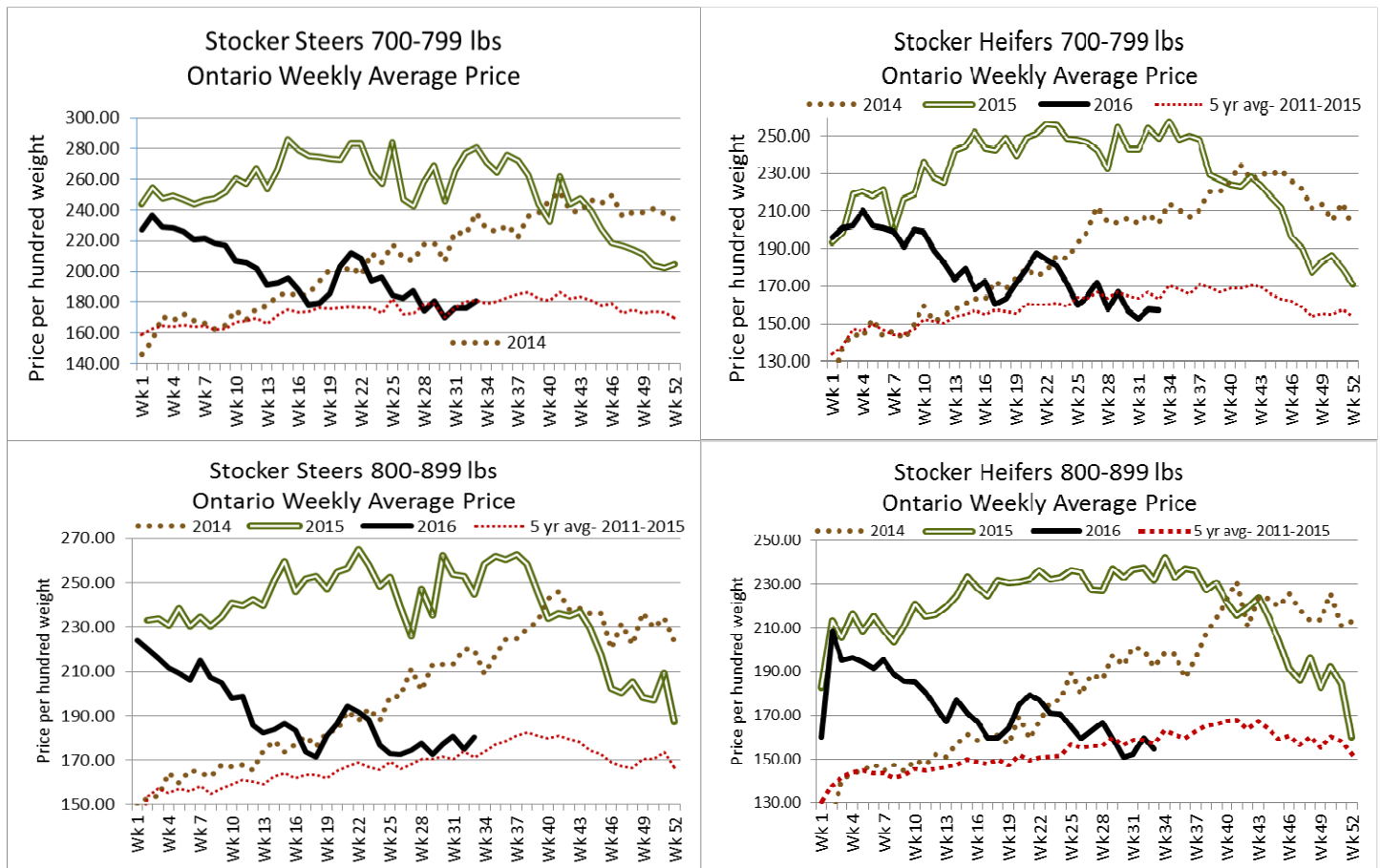
Stocker sale at: **Ontario Stockyards Inc., August 18, 2016 – 475 Stockers**

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
1000+	127.00-162.00	145.16	162.00	900+	106.00-136.00	119.81	148.00
900-999	159.50-177.00	172.05	182.00	800-899	120.00-173.00	150.68	173.00
800-899	130.50-195.50	178.01	198.25	700-799	139.00-172.00	152.58	177.00
700-799	149.00-194.50	180.86	194.50	600-699	150.00-188.00	180.93	188.00
600-699	165.00-202.00	182.12	205.50	500-599	157.50-182.50	171.88	196.00
500-599	170.00-197.50	185.09	210.00	400-499	115.00-182.50	143.73	212.00
400-499	170.00-206.00	189.21	215.00	300-399	150.00-214.00	183.28	214.00
399	169.00-230.00	196.77	230.00				

Grass type yearlings and short-keeps sold steady to stronger, with all other replacement cattle trading steady.

Stocker sale at: **Ottawa Livestock Exchange, August 18, 2016 – 182 Stockers**

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
700-799	129.00-180.00	160.00	180.00	700-799	104.00-159.00	141.33	159.00
600-699	148.00-195.00	172.97	198.00	600-699	94.00-170.00	129.62	178.00
500-599	142.00-210.00	188.00	218.00	500-599	110.00-190.00	174.24	192.00
400-499	178.00-220.00	198.54	220.00				
399-	72.00-218.00	155.57	270.00				



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

	Choice	Select
Cutout Values (noon estimate):	200.15	194.00
Change (from yesterday's close):	-0.71	-0.13
Current Five Day Average:	201.46	193.55

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

	Price	Change from Last Week
Week Ending Thursday, August 18, 2016	239.75-241.50	-4.01

ALBERTA DIRECT TRADE

The Alberta direct trade was under pressure this week with prices declining as the week progressed. Canfax reports dressed steers from \$232.00-\$240.50, averaging \$7.70 lower than last week. Heifers sold from \$238.50-\$240.50 down \$5.80 from last week on average.

Steers	Live	N/T	Flat rail	232.00-240.50
Heifers	Live	N/T	Flat rail	238.50-240.50

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

The U.S. cash cattle trade on Thursday was moderate in volume with live sales from \$115.00-\$118.50 with steers averaging \$117.54 and heifers \$117.64 down \$0.81 and \$0.94 respectively. Dressed deals ranged from \$184.00-\$187.00 with steers averaging \$186.06 down \$0.85 from last week, while heifers averaged \$186.35 down \$0.56. Although some clean up trade is possible, it appears that the bulk of trade for this week has been completed.

Choice and Select Steers and Heifers:	Live	115.00-118.50
	Rail	184.00-187.00

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			
Aug	113.55 -0.02	Aug	146.07 +1.05	Sep	3.342 +2.2	Sep	10.270 -5.2	Spot	77.76 -0.55
Oct	110.25 -0.32	Sep	143.85 +0.70	Dec	3.436 +1.6	Nov	10.044 -10.0	Sep	77.77 -0.55
Dec	111.72 -0.32	Oct	141.20 +0.57	Mar	3.534 +1.6	Jan	10.050 -9.4	Dec	77.80 -0.55
Feb	111.85 -0.20	Nov	137.97 +0.37	May	3.602 +1.4	Mar	10.002 -7.4	Mar	77.84 -0.55
Apr	110.85 -0.02	Jan	133.47 +0.37	Jul	3.666 +1.2	May	9.976 -5.6	Jun	77.89 -0.53
Jun	104.52 +0.12	Mar	131.37 +0.72	Sep	3.734 +1.0	Jul	9.972 -5.0	Sep	77.94 -0.53

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ONTARIO STOCKER & FEEDER TRADE SPECIAL FALL SALES

25-Aug	11:00 AM	Ontario Stockyards	Special Fall Yearling Sale in conjunction with regular sale
27-Aug	8:30 AM	Rainy River	Majority yearlings & some early calves, cows etc
31-Aug	2:00 PM	Vankleek Hill	Stocker sale
02-Sep	7:00 PM	Cargill	Char. & Exotic Cross Yearlings-Steers & Heifers
03-Sep	1:00 PM	Maple Hill	Ontario Autumn Angus Classic
07-Sep	11:00 AM	Kawartha Lakes	Stocker Sale (75% yearlings/25% calves)
08-Sep	10:00 AM	Warton	Stockers
10-Sep	1:00 PM	Maple Hill	Ontario Autumn Simmental Classic