



Daily Market Information Report - Friday, August 26, 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 N/A
A Grade Heifers N/A

ONTARIO LIVE CATTLE TRADE

Today at **Brussels Livestock: 1,250** Stockers (200 left to sell at time of reporting.)

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
1000+	135.00-164.00	155.24	164.00	900+	140.00-152.50	146.79	160.00
900-999	156.50-173.25	166.02	177.50	800-899	140.00-153.50	148.97	163.00
800-899	172.00-185.00	177.57	185.00	700-799	148.00-165.00	157.30	172.00
700-799	178.00-195.00	189.60	195.00	600-699	170.00-179.00	175.31	195.00
600-699	161.00-210.00	190.11	210.00	500-599	176.00-207.00	189.27	212.00
500-599	180.00-209.50	198.00	231.00	400-499	172.00-202.00	190.11	202.00
400-499	204.00-228.00	216.87	237.00	300-399	175.00-222.00	197.33	222.00
399-	220.00-240.00	235.40	240.00	299-	220.00-265.00	236.25	265.00

Calves and yearlings sold on a strong active trade at steady prices.

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

	Volume	Price Range	Average	Top
Large & Medium Frame Fed Steers +1250 lbs	119	129.74-141.78	137.34	148.50
Large & Medium Frame Fed Heifers +1000 lbs	52	121.21-137.77	132.18	143.50
Fed steers, dairy and dairy cross	96	124.25-129.00	127.10	129.00
Fed heifers, dairy and dairy cross	15	90.00-121.17	110.16	123.00
Cows	507	66.99-95.50	80.84	125.00
Bulls (all weights)	77	93.47-121.13	106.39	126.00
Veal +600 lbs	160	104.38-149.11	122.81	227.00
Veal Calves 125 lbs & under	130	75.00-158.00	121.21	180.00

Stocker sale at: **Ontario Livestock Exchange, August 25, 2016 – 168** Stockers

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
1000+	125.00-127.00	125.67	127.00	900+	123.00-138.00	129.33	138.00
900-999	147.00-155.00	151.50	155.00	800-899	125.00-151.00	138.00	151.00
800-899	137.50-185.00	170.67	185.00	700-799	127.50-162.00	150.50	162.00
700-799	160.00-188.00	176.65	188.00	600-699	146.00-165.00	157.70	165.00
600-699	173.50-182.50	176.00	182.50	500-599	150.00-170.00	159.17	178.00
500-599	179.50-184.50	182.50	184.50	400-499	175.00-182.50	179.83	182.50
400-499	60.00-198.00	129.00	198.00				

Feeder cattle sold at prices \$2.00 - \$3.00 cwt lower while Holstein steers sold on a softer note. Stockers sold steady.

Stocker sale at: **Ontario Stockyards Inc., August 25, 2016 – 807 Stockers**

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
1000+	126.00-155.00	140.58	164.50	900+	128.50-159.75	144.23	161.00
900-999	149.50-174.50	165.42	174.50	800-899	122.50-165.50	142.51	165.50
800-899	144.00-181.50	163.60	181.50	700-799	137.00-160.00	153.20	175.00
700-799	138.00-186.25	166.96	196.00	600-699	142.50-177.50	161.16	189.50
600-699	137.00-165.00	150.71	208.00	500-599	125.00-187.00	155.79	190.00
500-599	165.00-211.00	186.66	211.00	400-499	127.00-168.00	147.38	180.00
400-499	195.00-215.00	200.47	225.00	299-	150.00-200.00	175.57	200.00
399-	190.00-219.00	210.46	219.00				

Good quality replacement cattle sold actively at fully steady to strong prices.

Stocker sale at: **Ottawa Livestock Exchange, August 25, 2016 – 168 Stockers**

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
800-899	125.00-169.00	156.40	169.00	800-899	119.00-163.00	148.11	163.00
700-799	145.00-180.00	171.00	180.00	700-799	131.00-162.00	144.00	168.00
600-699	155.00-192.00	175.88	192.00	600-699	138.00-178.00	160.92	178.00
500-599	175.00-214.00	189.92	214.00	500-599	167.00-189.00	178.13	189.00
400-499	194.00-218.00	204.11	218.00	400-499	152.00-182.00	170.60	182.00
399-	108.00-232.00	175.78	232.00	300-399	78.00-192.00	137.50	192.00
				299-	145.00-195.00	170.80	195.00

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

	Choice 600-900	Select 600-900
Cutout Values (noon estimate):	199.73	194.03
Change (from yesterday's close):	-0.63	-0.12
Current Five Day Average:	200.46	193.80

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

	Price	Change from Last Week
Week Ending Thursday, August 25, 2016	228.00-230.00	-11.47

ALBERTA DIRECT TRADE

The Alberta direct trade this week reported Steers and Heifers at \$227.50 - \$238.00 on the rail. The weighted average price for Steers was \$232.27 which is \$4.74 less than last week, while the weighted average price for heifers was \$232.62 or \$7.50 less.

Steers	Live	N/T	Flat rail	227.50-238.00
Heifers	Live	N/T	Flat rail	227.50-238.00

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

The U.S. cash cattle trade this week started at \$115.00 live and \$181.00 - \$182.00 dress mid-week. Sales slowed right down until Friday afternoon when we saw minimal trade at \$179.00 dressed and \$110.50 live.

Choice and Select Steers and Heifers:	Live	\$110.50
	Rail	\$179.00

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
Aug 110.35 -2.12	Sep 139.92 -1.87	Sep 3.162 -7.2	Sep 9.906 -7.4	Spot 76.87 -0.47
Oct 106.35 -2.17	Oct 135.95 -2.15	Dec 3.250 -7.0	Nov 9.672 -8.2	Sep 76.87 -0.48
Dec 108.10 -1.85	Nov 132.82 -2.02	Mar 3.344 -7.4	Jan 9.696 -7.6	Dec 76.91 -0.47
Feb 108.22 -1.55	Jan 128.97 -1.72	May 3.416 -7.2	Mar 9.704 -6.0	Mar 76.95 -0.47
Apr 107.30 -1.27	Mar 127.92 -1.60	Jul 3.490 -6.6	May 9.720 -4.4	Jun 77.00 -0.46
Jun 101.00 -1.10	Apr 127.92 -1.00	Sep 3.562 -6.6	Jul 9.736 -3.0	Sep 77.06 -0.46

ONTARIO STOCKER & FEEDER TRADE SPECIAL FALL SALES

31-Aug	2:00pm	Vankleek Hill	Stocker sale
02-Sep	7:00pm	Cargill	Char. & Exotic Cross Yearlings-Steers & Heifers
03-Sep	1:00pm	Maple Hill	Ontario Autumn Angus Classic
07-Sep	11:00am	Kawartha Lakes	Stocker Sale (75% yearlings/25% calves)
08-Sep	10:00am	Wiarthon	Stockers
10-Sep	1:00pm	Maple Hill	Ontario Autumn Simmental Classic