



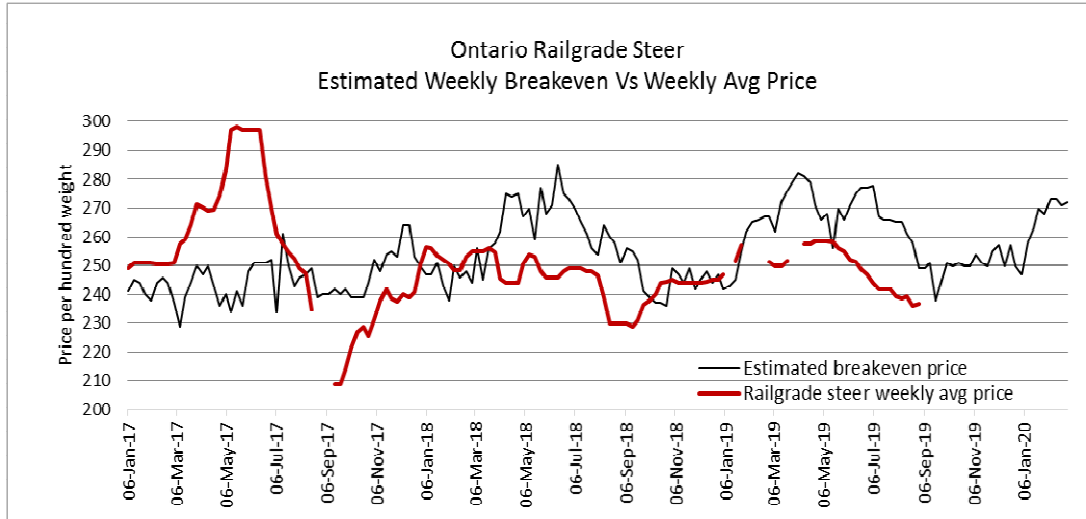
## Daily Market Information Report – Friday August 30, 2019

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 regardless of delivery date).

**A Grade Steers** 238.00  
**A Grade Heifers** 237.00-238.00



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### ONTARIO LIVE CATTLE TRADE

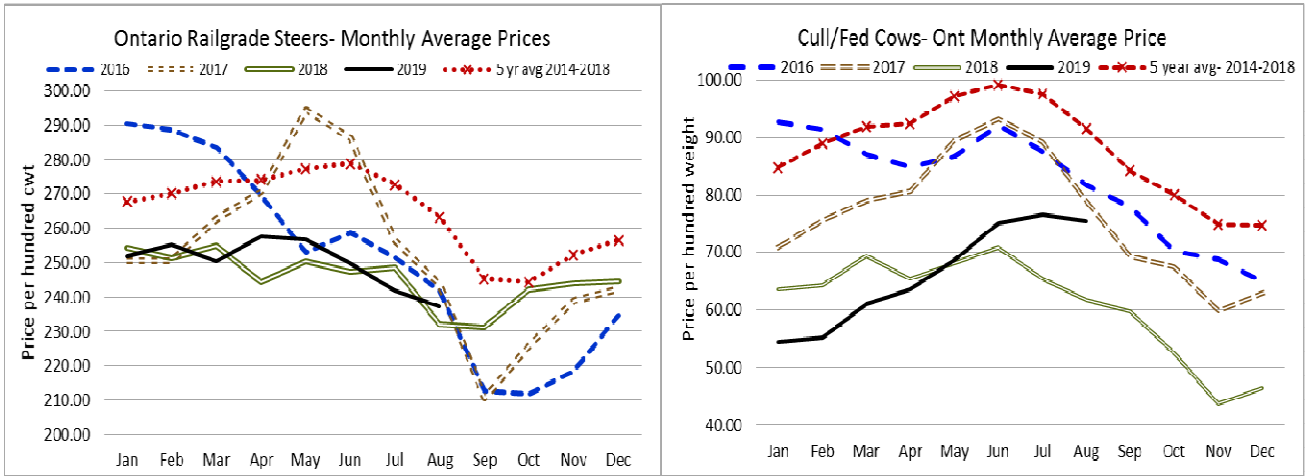
Today at **Brussels Livestock: 900** stockers (175 yearlings left to sell at time of reporting.)

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
1000+	166.50-187.00	179.57	187.00	900+	132.00-168.75	155.88	168.75
900-999	178.50-190.00	184.55	190.00	800-899	159.00-170.00	166.44	172.50
800-899	176.00-189.50	185.59	189.50	700-799	145.00-180.50	170.06	184.00
700-799	172.50-217.00	200.26	223.00	600-699	171.00-191.00	185.34	191.00
600-699	200.00-229.50	216.41	229.50	500-599	167.00-206.00	185.59	206.00
500-599	198.00-245.00	220.05	252.00	400-499	185.00-220.00	204.29	220.00
400-499	195.00-271.00	255.69	271.00	300-399	191.00-205.00	199.00	207.00
399	245.00-280.00	263.36	280.00				

Calves sold on a strong active trade, with grass types selling at a premium. Yearlings are selling actively at prices \$3.00-\$5.00 cwt higher. Final results will be posted on Monday.

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

	Volume	Price Range	Average	Top
Large & Medium Frame Fed Steers +1250 lbs	34	132.50-144.50	138.65	160.00
Large & Medium Frame Fed Heifers +1000 lbs	24	96.63-138.06	124.31	139.50
Fed steers, dairy and dairy cross +1250 lbs	43	108.00-119.00	112.72	119.00
Fed heifers, dairy and dairy cross +1000 lbs	12	79.08-100.33	89.66	118.00
Cows	481	60.15-84.78	70.21	118.00
Bulls all weights	36	88.97-108.22	97.70	117.00
Veal +600 lbs	127	92.68-121.65	105.56	155.00
Veal Calves 125 lbs & under	22	42.00-80.00	71.00	108.00



Stocker sale at: **Ottawa Livestock Exchange, August 29, 2019– 130 Stockers**

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
700-799	112.00-198.00	170.63	198.00	600-699	137.00-160.00	150.40	162.00
600-699	166.00-234.00	212.00	234.00	500-599	92.00-186.00	161.20	186.00
500-599	194.00-244.00	228.62	244.00	400-499	193.00-202.00	195.00	202.00

**Price Comparison-** this week's average price compared to the previous week & the same time last year.

	Weekly Avg Price	Previous week - Avg Price	Change from last week	Year Ago - Avg Price	Change from last year
	<b>2019</b>			<b>2018</b>	
<b>Fed steer live 1250+</b>	138.18	138.96	-0.78	133.02	+5.16
<b>Fed heifer live 1000+</b>	133.19	129.43	+3.76	125.42	+7.77
<b>Rail steer</b>	236.91	236.00	+0.91	230.00	+6.91
<b>Rail heifer</b>	235.00	235.75	-0.75	229.50	+5.50
<b>Cull cow</b>	72.70	75.67	-2.97	61.20	+11.50
<b>Stocker Steers</b>					
<b>400-499</b>	227.77	215.57	+12.20	220.29	+7.48
<b>500-599</b>	213.11	208.64	+4.47	213.19	-0.08
<b>600-699</b>	205.48	202.02	+3.46	204.05	+1.43
<b>700-799</b>	192.81	179.95	+12.86	193.14	-0.33
<b>800-899</b>	186.69	182.21	+4.48	191.46	-4.77
<b>900-999</b>	187.12	184.08	+3.04	189.31	-2.19
<b>1000+</b>	174.09	175.45	-1.36	170.98	+3.11
<b>Heifers</b>					
<b>300-399</b>	172.32	188.63	-16.31	193.66	-21.34
<b>400-499</b>	174.09	177.65	-3.56	184.05	-9.96
<b>500-599</b>	169.39	179.19	-9.80	182.44	-13.05
<b>600-699</b>	169.46	171.00	-1.54	176.80	-7.34
<b>700-799</b>	165.52	163.78	+1.74	166.69	-1.17
<b>800-899</b>	166.95	159.27	+7.68	169.20	-2.25
<b>900+</b>	147.31	150.27	-2.96	151.26	-3.95

Stocker sale at: **Ontario Livestock Exchange, August 29, 2019– 400** Stockers

<b>Steers</b>	<b>Price Range</b>	<b>Average</b>	<b>Top</b>	<b>Heifers</b>	<b>Price Range</b>	<b>Average</b>	<b>Top</b>
<b>800-899</b>	82.50-162.50	134.00	175.00	<b>800-899</b>	97.50-139.00	123.38	167.00
<b>700-799</b>	115.00-190.00	156.27	199.00	<b>600-699</b>	105.00-162.00	127.91	187.50
<b>600-699</b>	158.00-215.00	190.29	215.00	<b>500-599</b>	102.50-177.50	140.50	180.00
<b>500-599</b>	160.00-218.00	195.62	218.00	<b>400-499</b>	145.00-187.50	158.75	225.00
<b>400-499</b>	140.00-255.00	199.44	255.00	<b>300-399</b>	120.00-190.00	158.16	222.50
<b>399-</b>	94.00-292.50	241.13	292.50	<b>299-</b>	125.00-220.00	189.06	220.00

Stockers sold on a good active trade.

Stocker sale at **Ontario Stockyards Inc., August 29, 2019– 505** Stockers

<b>Steers</b>	<b>Price Range</b>	<b>Average</b>	<b>Top</b>	<b>Heifers</b>	<b>Price Range</b>	<b>Average</b>	<b>Top</b>
<b>1000+</b>	156.00-171.00	162.23	171.00	<b>900+</b>	125.00-148.00	142.82	148.00
<b>900-999</b>	176.00-185.00	181.83	185.00	<b>800-899</b>	140.00-181.50	169.44	181.50
<b>800-899</b>	181.00-203.50	193.58	203.50	<b>700-799</b>	135.00-173.00	158.94	189.00
<b>700-799</b>	189.50-221.00	211.08	221.00	<b>600-699</b>	137.50-190.00	161.68	190.00
<b>600-699</b>	170.00-242.50	211.21	242.50	<b>500-599</b>	162.50-198.00	182.64	205.00
<b>500-599</b>	168.00-230.00	208.42	230.00	<b>400-499</b>	185.00-252.50	233.64	252.50
<b>400-499</b>	180.00-275.00	228.72	275.00	<b>300-399</b>	190.00-202.50	199.18	230.00
<b>399-</b>	142.50-255.00	219.50	282.50	<b>299-</b>	220.00-255.00	146.37	255.00

Replacements traded actively at prices \$5.00-\$7.00 cwt higher.

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

	<b>Choice 600-900</b>	<b>Select 600-900</b>
<b>Cutout Values</b> (noon estimate):	213.58	212.31
<b>Change</b> (from yesterday's close):	-0.61	-0.47
<b>Current Five Day Average:</b>	235.50	211.93

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

	<b>Price</b>	<b>Change from Last Week</b>
For the week ending August 29, 2019	232.00-233.75	+0.64

### **ALBERTA DIRECT TRADE**

**Alberta's direct trade** for this week, was reported by Canfax as very limited on Wednesday with only a few cattle trading at \$141.00 cwt live, up \$1.00. On a dressed basis a light trade was noted at \$239.00 delivered which is steady to last week. Thursday light trade developed at easier prices. Canfax reports: "light trade developed with dressed sales reported from 235.00-238.00 delivered. Sales are 1.00-4.00 lower than prices seen on Wednesday and 1.00-2.00 lower than the previous week. Buyers were indicating cattle that they bought this week would not be lifted for 3-4 weeks."

<b>Steers</b>	Live <b>FOB</b>	N/T	Rail <b>FOB</b>	N/T
<b>Heifers</b>	Live <b>FOB</b>	N/T	Rail <b>FOB</b>	N/T

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

**The U.S. cash cattle trade** on Thursday saw a light to moderate trade develop in the north with easier prices. Iowa saw cattle selling from \$107.00-\$109.00 live and \$172.00-\$175.00 dressed while trade in Nebraska was mostly \$106.00 live and \$165.00-\$175.00 dressed, mostly \$170.00, down \$5.00 from last week. Business in the south was at a standstill as sellers passed bids of \$104.00 live. This morning, trade in the south surfaced at \$103.00 live, down \$3.00 from last week. Asking prices now reported at \$107.00-\$108.00 live in the south and \$178.00-\$180.00 dressed in the north, however business appears to be finished with light volumes traded. So far this week, overall live trade is \$1.00-\$3.00 cwt lower while dressed deals were down \$4.00-\$5.00 from last week on average.

Choice and Select Steers and Heifers:	Live	102.00-111.00-weekly range
	Rail	165.00-175.00-weekly range

## CHICAGO MERCANTILE EXCHANGE

Closing quotes on futures today were as follows:

Live Cattle			Feeder Cattle			Corn			Soybeans			Canadian \$		
<b>Oct</b>	98.92	-0.87	<b>Sep</b>	132.40	-1.00	<b>Sep</b>	3.580	-1.6	<b>Sep</b>	8.570	+0.6	<b>Spot</b>	75.07	-0.10
<b>Dec</b>	103.67	-0.57	<b>Oct</b>	130.80	-1.17	<b>Dec</b>	3.696	-1.4	<b>Nov</b>	8.690	+0.4	<b>Sep</b>	75.08	-0.11
<b>Feb</b>	109.02	-0.95	<b>Nov</b>	130.32	-1.60	<b>Mar</b>	3.822	-1.0	<b>Jan</b>	8.820	+0.4	<b>Dec</b>	75.16	-0.12
<b>Apr</b>	111.17	-1.22	<b>Jan</b>	128.50	-1.95	<b>May</b>	3.900	-0.6	<b>Mar</b>	8.942	+0.2	<b>Mar</b>	75.22	-0.12
<b>Jun</b>	104.40	-0.97	<b>Mar</b>	128.05	-2.10	<b>Jul</b>	3.970	-0.2	<b>May</b>	9.044	-0.2	<b>Jun</b>	75.24	-0.12
<b>Aug</b>	102.47	-1.00	<b>Apr</b>	128.92	-2.35	<b>Sep</b>	3.992	+0.0	<b>Jul</b>	9.142	-0.4	<b>Sep</b>	75.25	-0.12

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### UPCOMING FALL STOCKER AND FEEDER SALES

Aug 31	1:00 pm	Maple Hill Auctions Ltd	Ontario Autumn Angus Classic Sale
Sep 6	7:00 pm	Cargill Auction Market	Charolais & Exotic Cross Yearling Sale
Sep 7	8:30 am	Rainy River Cattlemen's Sale	Majority Yearlings & Some Early Calves, Cows
Sep 12	11:00 am	Ontario Stockyards Inc	Special Fall Yearling Sale (with regular sale)
Sep 17	10:00 am	Algoma Co-op Livestock Sale-Thessalon	Yearlings- 90% Vaccinated
Sep 18	1:00 pm	Ontario Livestock Exchange	Special Heifer Stocker Sale
Sep 20	11:00 am	Community Livestock Exchange	Quinte Cattlemen's Sale-90% Vaccinated
Sep 21	11:00 am	Denfield Livestock Exchange	Stockers & Bred Cow & Cow/calf Pairs
Sep 21	1:00 pm	Maple Hill Auctions Ltd	Ontario Autumn Simmental Classic Sale