

# Daily Market Information Report - Monday, September 14, 2020

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 No trade reported. Bids at 230.00 were noted with no sales.

A Grade Heifers No trade reported. Bids at 229.00-230.00 were noted with no sales.

#### **ONTARIO LIVE CATTLE TRADE**

Today at Ontario Stockyards Inc.: 49 veal

Veal 600 lbs plus

Price Range Top 108.00-130.00 171.00

Good quality veal calves sold slightly stronger with all others selling steady. September 17th @ 11:00 am- First Special Fall Yearling Sale! (in conjunction with regular sale)

At Kawartha Lakes Community Sale Barn, September 12, 2020 – 4 fed cattle, 165 cows, 11 bulls, 59 veal, 40 stockers

	Price Range	Avg.	Гор
Cows	57.00-86.00	69.96	95.00
Bulls under 1600 lbs	89.00-109.00	99.75	109.00
Bulls over 1600 lbs	108.00-128.00	114.07	128.00
Veal calves 600 lbs & over	115.00-162.00	126.12	170.00
Veal calves 125 lbs or less	5.00-200.00	94.89	200.00

Special Stocker Sale on Wednesday September 30<sup>th</sup> @ 10:00 am!

#### **ONTARIO STOCKER & FEEDER TRADE**

Stocker sale at Brussels Livestock: September 11, 2020 – 1,236 Stockers

Steers	Price Range	Average	Тор	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Тор
1000+	166.00-176.00	171.00	182.50	900+	162.50-184.52	173.60	184.50
900-999	173.50-195.00	183.91	199.50	800-899	174.25-194.00	185.45	194.00
800-899	167.00-208.50	188.98	208.50	700-799	175.50-206.50	188.95	206.50
700-799	182.00-222.50	211.52	222.50	600-699	165.00-202.50	183.25	207.75
600-699	185.00-229.00	212.79	229.00	500-599	167.00-213.00	198.28	213.00
500-599	202.00-237.50	222.74	267.00	400-499	110.00-217.50	175.35	230.00
400-499	212.00-267.00	248.23	267.00	300-399	75.00-165.00	108.00	165.00
399	108.00-269.00	233.37	270.00	299-	145.00-200.00	172.50	200.00

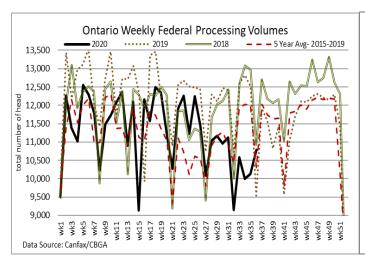
Calves and yearlings sold on a strong active trade at steady prices, with grass cattle bringing a premium.

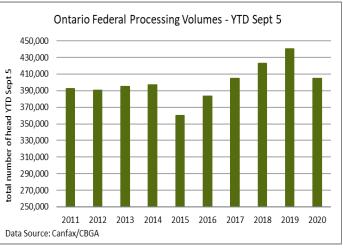
# **CATTLE EXPORTS-ONTARIO**

	Week ending Aug 29, 2020	Week ending Aug 22, 2020	Year to Date 2020
<b>Total</b> live slaughter cattle exported from Ontario to the U.S.	1,838	1,475	86,043
Steers & Heifers & Cows	1,451	1,246	76,736
Bulls	387	229	9,307

#### FEDERALLY INSPECTED CANADIAN PROCESSING

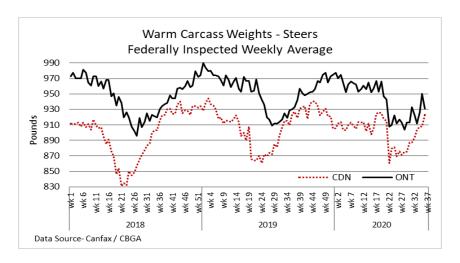
	Week Ending Sep 5, 2020	# of hd change from week ago	YTD	% Change (Week Ago)	% Change (Year Ago)
<b>Grand Total</b>	59,838	-4,593	2,036,231	-7%	-6%
Western Slaughter	47,638	-5,187	1,585,303	-10%	-7%
Eastern Slaughter	12,200	+594	450,928	+5%	-4%





#### AVERAGE CARCASS WEIGHTS - CANADA

	Steers	Heifers
Sept 5, 2020	923	840
Aug 29, 2020	918	824
Sept 7, 2019	924	839



#### USDA ESTIMATED CATTLE PROCESSING VOLUME

	Week Ending	Previous Week	Year Ago
	Sep 12, 2020		
<b>Grand Total</b>	574,000	633,000	636,000

#### CANADIAN BOXED BEEF CUT-OUT VALUES

Week Ending	AAA	AA
March 20, 2020	3.0139	2.9703
March 13, 2020	2.7211	2.6818
March 6, 2020	2.7207	2.6643

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

	Choice	Select
	600-900	600-900
Cutout Values (noon estimate):	218.08	208.07
Change (from yesterday's close):	-1.81	+0.97
Current Five Day Average:	222.87	207.94

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

The U.S. cash cattle trade last week was easier but prices did improve by \$1.00 from Wednesday to Thursday. Overall prices last week reported by the USDA Mandatory Price Report listed live sales from \$100.00-\$103.00 with steers averaging \$101.21 down \$1.91 from the previous week, while heifers averaged \$101.16 down \$1.88. On the rail steers and heifers sold from \$158.00-\$164.00 dressed, with the weighted average price for steers at \$160.66 down \$2.41 and heifers \$160.44 down \$2.38 from the previous week's prices.

Today, the market was very quiet as both sides took inventory. This week's show lists are smaller in volume in all feeding states. Bids and asking prices remained unestablished today with little business expected before mid-week.

Choice and Select Steers and Heifers: Live N/T Rail N/T

### **CHICAGO MERCANTILE EXCHANGE**

Closing quotes on futures today were as follows:

Live C	attle		Feede	er Cattle		Corn			Soyb	eans		Cana	dian \$	
Oct	106.87	+1.35	Sep	141.50	+1.50	Sep	3.574	-7.4	Nov	9.994	+3.4	Spot	75.86	+0.06
Dec	111.70	+1.80	Oct	142.60	+2.02	Dec	3.694	+1.0	Jan	10.032	+4.0	Sep	75.86	+0.06
Feb	115.70	+1.37	Nov	143.20	+1.87	Mar	3.790	+0.6	Mar	10.020	+5.2	Dec	75.82	+0.08
Apr	117.90	+0.95	Jan	140.97	+1.85	May	3.846	+0.2	May	10.020	+6.6	Mar	75.90	+0.04
Jun	111.60	+1.17	Mar	140.55	+1.85	Jul	3.882	+0.2	Jul	10.026	+8.0	Jun	75.97	+0.12
Aug	109.97	+1.35	Apr	141.70	+1.60	Sep	3.842	+0.0	Aug	9.980	+8.4	Sep	75.98	+0.14

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