



## Daily Market Information Report – Friday May 14, 2021

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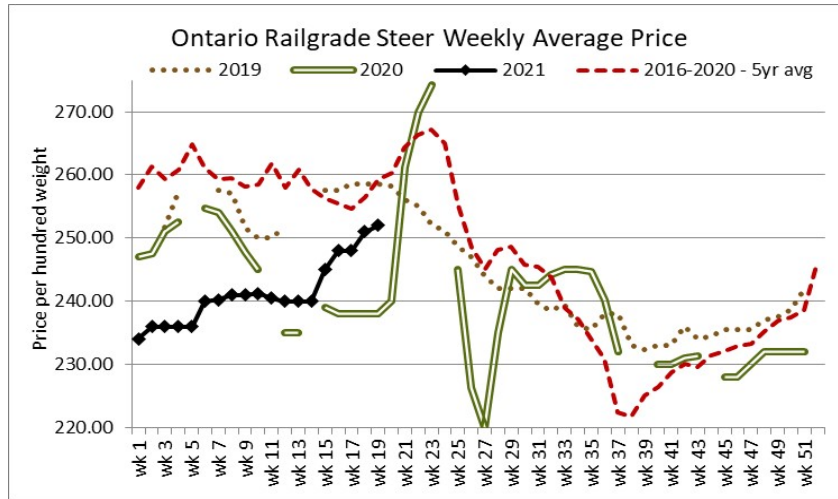
### ONTARIO DIRECT TO PACKER RAILGRADE CATTLE TRADE

Prices are on a carcass weight basis before grade and weight discounts.

**A Grade Steers**  
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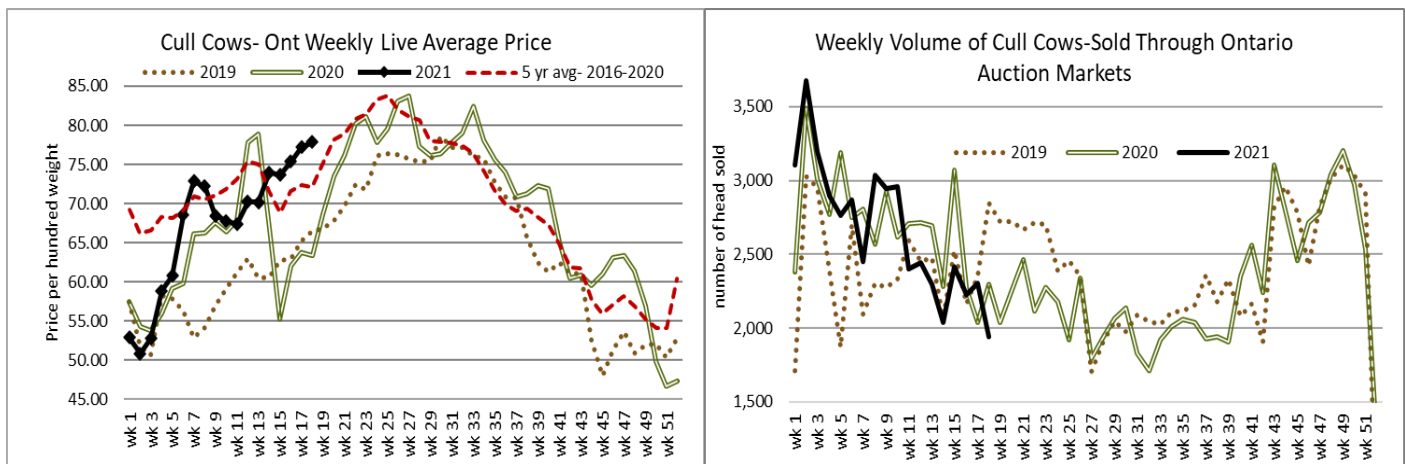


### ONTARIO LIVE CATTLE TRADE

Today at **Brussels Livestock** – 1,200 stockers- sale in progress. *Final results will be posted on Monday's Report*

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
900-999	163.00-177.00	172.42	177.00	800-899	145.00-161.00	152.29	161.00
800-899	153.00-180.00	169.63	182.00	700-799	151.00-183.00	167.93	183.00
700-799	176.00-206.00	194.61	206.00	600-699	166.00-192.50	179.34	206.00
600-699	191.00-224.00	206.27	224.00	500-599	161.00-216.00	194.76	216.00
500-599	188.00-231.00	216.18	243.00	400-499	125.00-190.00	161.33	228.00
400-499	207.00-230.00	218.57	250.00				
399-	155.00-251.00	227.57	251.00				

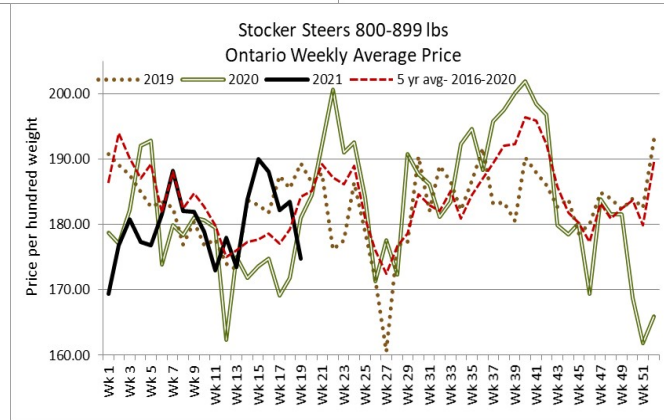
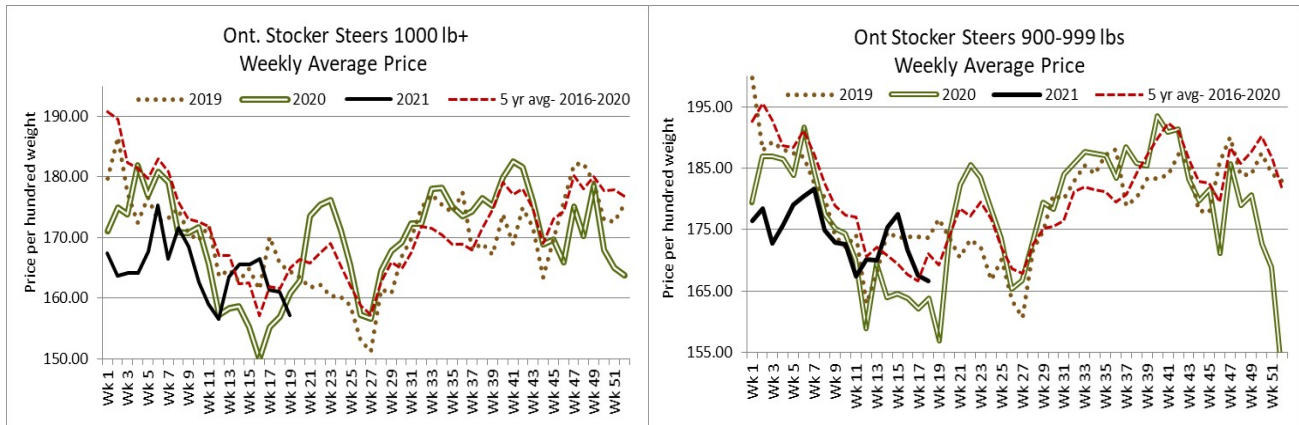
Calves are selling steady with grass cattle selling at premium prices. Yearlings had not started to trade at time of reporting.



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

	Volume	Price Range	Average	Top
<b>Large &amp; Medium Frame Fed Steers 1250 lbs +</b>	53	126.00-154.00	142.67	154.50
<b>Large &amp; Medium Frame Fed Heifers 1000 lbs +</b>	51	134.50-148.50	143.07	152.50
<b>Fed Steers, Dairy &amp; Dairy Cross Cows</b>	66	103.50-120.00	114.49	120.00
<b>Bulls – all weights</b>	16	56.82-101.82	83.42	120.00
<b>Veal over 600 lbs</b>	88	99.97-115.79	107.26	147.00

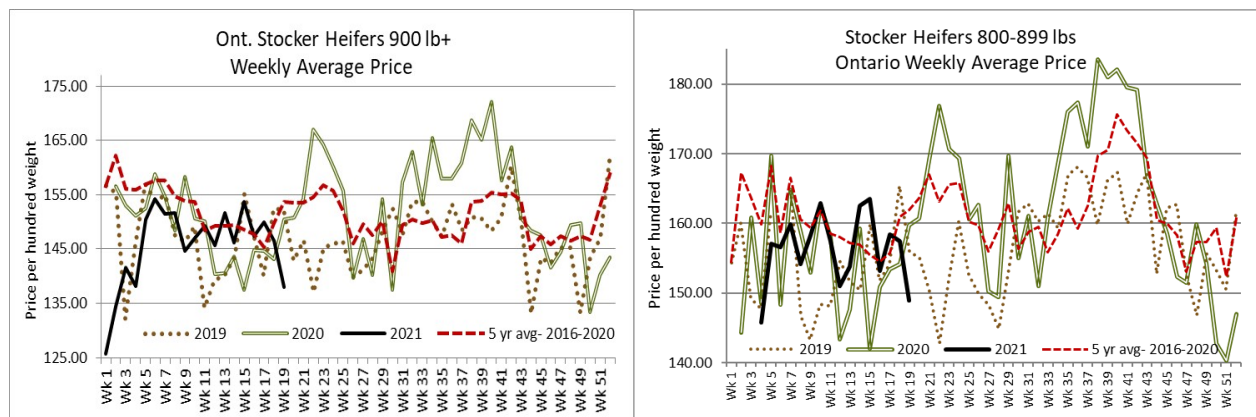
To check out individual auction market results on the Ontario Beef website go to <http://www.ontariobeef.com/markets/marketreports.aspx>



Stocker sale at **Ontario Livestock Exchange: May 13, 2021 – 328 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>900-999</b>	107.50-147.00	135.61	147.00	<b>900+</b>	113.00-135.00	127.78	140.00
<b>800-899</b>	117.50-150.00	138.13	150.00	<b>800-899</b>	132.00-154.50	148.06	154.50
<b>700-799</b>	115.00-165.00	144.92	202.50	<b>700-799</b>	87.50-150.00	111.43	165.00
<b>600-699</b>	142.50-190.00	167.92	190.00	<b>600-699</b>	132.50-182.50	158.93	182.50
<b>500-599</b>	157.50-210.00	183.33	210.00	<b>500-599</b>	132.50-182.50	158.27	182.50
<b>400-499</b>	87.50-180.00	150.83	215.00	<b>400-499</b>	125.00-190.00	164.64	225.00

Stockers sold barely easy.



Stocker sale at: **Ottawa Livestock Exchange: May 13, 2021– 55** 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>500-599</b>	214.00-232.00	221.60	232.00	<b>700-799</b>	138.00-147.00	142.00	147.00
<b>400-499</b>	192.00-225.00	216.25	225.00				

**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):	316.14	292.94
<b>Change</b> (from yesterday's close):	-0.64	-2.97
<b>Current Five Day Average:</b>	311.84	294.69

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

	<b>Price</b>	<b>Change from Last Week</b>
For the week ending May 13, 2021	251.75-259.50	+1.86

**ALBERTA DIRECT TRADE**

**Alberta's direct trade** this week was reported by Canfax from \$270.00-\$276.00 cwt delivered on a dressed basis which was up \$1.00-\$2.00 from the previous week on average. Canfax reports that delivery of the cattle sold this week is for the last week in May to early June. On a picked-up basis, live heifers sold from \$159.50-\$161.00 averaging \$159.92 but there was no live trade the previous week to compare too. On the rail, on a picked-up basis, cattle prices ranged from \$268.00-\$274.50 with steers averaging \$272.39 up \$3.06 notes Canfax, with heifers averaging \$272.74 up \$2.82.

<b>Steers</b>	<b>Live FOB</b>	N/T	<b>Rail FOB</b>	268.00-274.50
<b>Heifers</b>	<b>Live FOB</b>	159.50-161.00	<b>Rail FOB</b>	268.25-274.50

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

**The U.S. cash cattle trade** has seen light to moderate trade develop from Monday to Thursday with business in the south from \$119.00-\$120.00 live up \$1.00 cwt. Trade in the north was noted at \$120.00 live and from \$190.00-\$192.00 dressed, mainly \$191.00 up \$2.00-\$3.00 from last week. Thursday, cattle futures were under pressure and sharply lower along with most commodities. Slaughter in the U.S. should be seasonally increasing but is reported as sluggish right now despite the great margins packers are experiencing. Labour problems are cited as the main issue. Today the market was quiet with no bids on the table. Some clean up trade could still surface as volumes sold were light, but it appears the bulk of the trade is completed.

Choice and Select Steers and Heifers:	<b>Live</b>	118.00-122.00
	<b>Rail</b>	187.50-192.00

**CHICAGO MERCANTILE EXCHANGE**

Closing quotes on futures today were as follows:

<b>Live Cattle</b>			<b>Feeder Cattle</b>			<b>Corn</b>			<b>Soybeans</b>			<b>Canadian \$</b>		
<b>Jun</b>	115.30	-0.30	<b>May</b>	135.55	+0.10	<b>May</b>	6.850	-34.0	<b>May</b>	16.036	-8.4	<b>Spot</b>	82.56	+0.38
<b>Aug</b>	118.82	-0.57	<b>Aug</b>	151.15	+0.65	<b>Jul</b>	6.436	-31.0	<b>Jul</b>	15.862	+2.2	<b>Jun</b>	82.55	+0.37
<b>Oct</b>	123.25	-0.80	<b>Sep</b>	152.67	+0.70	<b>Sep</b>	5.630	-20.0	<b>Aug</b>	15.274	+5.2	<b>Sep</b>	82.55	+0.37
<b>Dec</b>	127.32	-0.47	<b>Oct</b>	153.85	+0.75	<b>Dec</b>	5.426	-15.4	<b>Sep</b>	14.446	+5.0	<b>Dec</b>	82.55	+0.36
<b>Feb</b>	130.65	-0.37	<b>Nov</b>	154.52	+0.57	<b>Mar</b>	5.480	-15.6	<b>Nov</b>	14.006	+4.2	<b>Mar</b>	82.57	+0.37
<b>Apr</b>	132.32	-0.12	<b>Jan</b>	153.47	+0.35	<b>May</b>	5.502	-15.2	<b>Jan</b>	13.996	+4.6	<b>Jun</b>	82.55	+0.37

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**ONTARIO STOCKER & FEEDER TRADE SPECIAL FALL SALES**

May 19 10:00 am	Kawartha Lakes Community Sales Barn	Spring Stocker Sale
May 26 1:00 pm	Vankleek Hill Livestock Exchange	Special Stocker Sale
May 26 7:00 pm	Cargill Auction Market	Stocker Sale- All Breeds
May 26 7:00 pm	Kawartha Lakes Community Sales Barn	Bred Cows Sale
May 27 11:00 am	Ontario Stockyards Inc	Special All Vaccinated Stocker Sale