

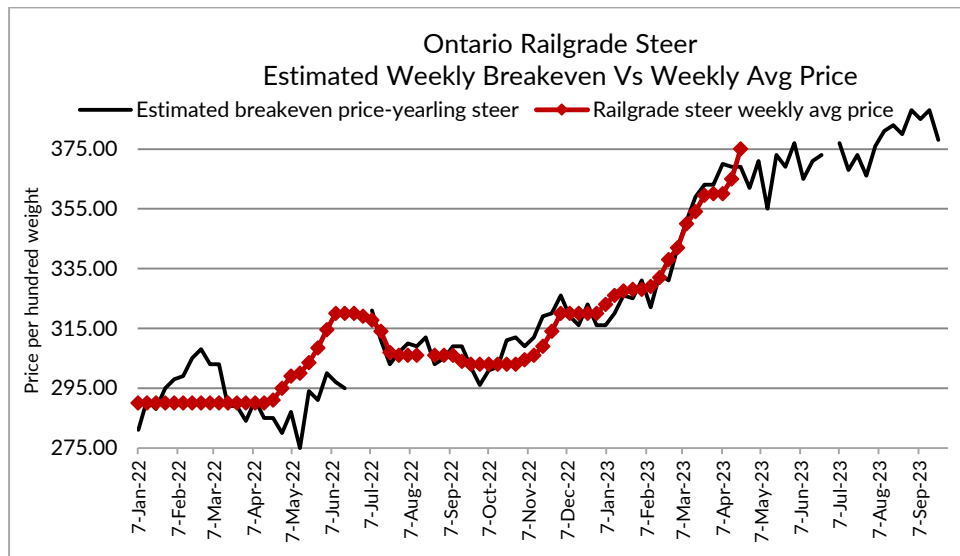


## DAILY MARKET INFORMATION REPORT – FRIDAY APRIL 21, 2023

### ONTARIO DIRECT TO PACKER RAILGRADE CATTLE TRADE

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

**A Grade Steers** No new trade today. Business this week was at \$375.00 dressed for delivery in 1-3 weeks.  
**A Grade Heifers** No new trade today. Business this week was at \$374.00 dressed for delivery in 2-3 weeks.



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### ONTARIO LIVE CATTLE TRADE

Today at Brussels Livestock: **1500 Stockers- sale in progress- Final results will be available on Monday's report.**

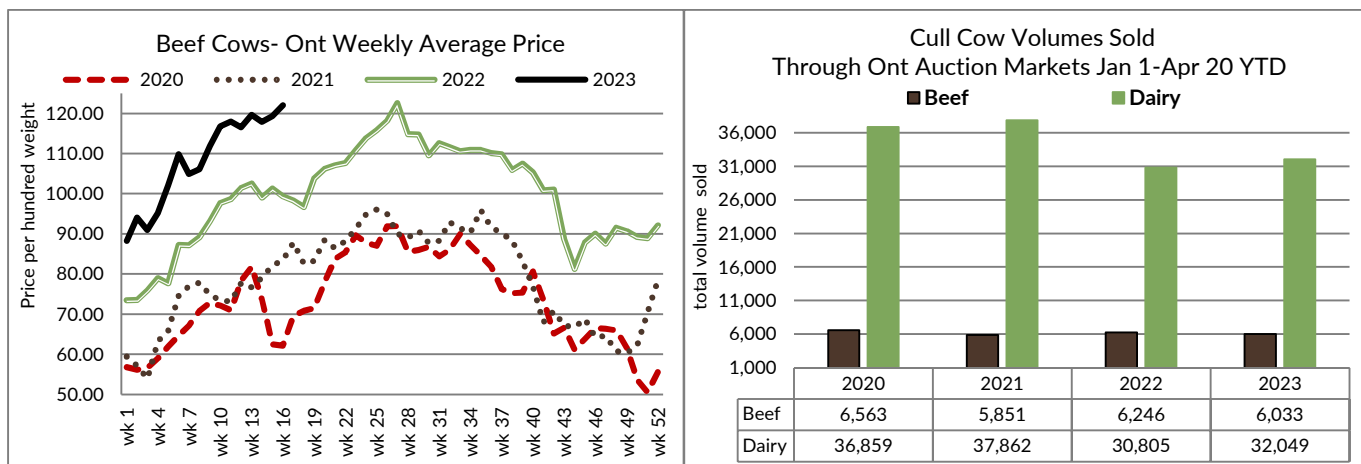
Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
1000+	193.00-215.00	197.40	220.00	900+	200.00-218.50	210.40	218.50
900-999	194.00-249.00	211.08	267.00	800-899	210.00-236.00	226.26	247.00
800-899	250.00-287.50	275.82	287.50	700-799	210.00-270.00	236.00	270.00
700-799	243.00-299.00	273.98	299.00	600-699	223.00-291.00	255.72	294.00
600-699	266.00-342.50	308.11	342.50	500-599	188.00-280.00	232.70	302.00
500-599	265.00-345.00	309.28	345.00	400-499	237.50-309.00	267.12	309.00
400-499	210.00-296.00	248.97	330.00		215.00-290.00	241.00	290.00
399-	250.00-345.00	296.21	345.00				

Calves sold steady to last week. Yearlings were not sold at time of reporting.

Today at Keady Livestock Market: **883 Stockers**

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
900-999	259.00-282.00	270.06	282.00	800-899	245.00-257.00	250.06	258.00
800-899	285.25-293.00	288.49	306.00	700-799	262.00-282.50	273.34	295.50
700-799	302.50-346.00	324.28	346.00	600-699	281.00-306.00	289.42	306.00
600-699	313.00-345.00	331.72	345.00	500-599	298.00-312.00	302.60	312.00
500-599	331.00-365.00	343.94	365.00				

Grass weight cattle sold \$2.00-\$5.00 cwt higher while heavier cattle sold fully steady.



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

	Volume	Price Range	Average	Top
Large & Medium Frame Fed Steers +1250 lb	94	210.00-232.25	224.27	234.00
Large & Medium Frame Fed Heifers +1000 lb	64	210.00-225.75	218.39	232.50
Fed Steers, Dairy & Dairy Cross +1250 lb	57	177.00-185.00	181.59	188.00
Cows	532	101.00-128.06	113.31	173.00
Bulls under 1600 lb	11	126.36-161.64	145.18	190.00
Bulls over 1600 lb	26	130.08-164.35	150.01	180.00
Veal 600 lb and over	134	162.79-202.65	186.34	230.00

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

### ONTARIO STOCKER & FEEDER TRADE

Stocker sale at Ontario Livestock Exchange: **April 20, 2023: 401 Stockers**

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
1000+	125.00-235.00	195.50	235.00	900+	185.00-215.00	206.46	222.50
900-999	205.00-245.00	225.77	245.00	800-899	180.00-225.00	204.71	225.00
800-899	200.00-241.00	218.45	245.00	700-799	187.50-227.50	209.79	227.50
700-799	185.00-250.00	223.04	250.00	600-699	145.00-255.00	209.91	295.00
600-699	210.00-300.00	258.94	300.00	500-599	200.00-270.00	225.50	270.00
500-599	215.00-360.00	284.75	360.00	400-499	175.00-270.00	227.83	270.00
400-499	180.00-310.00	251.67	355.00	300-399	240.00-265.00	252.50	265.00
399-	220.00-320.00	292.86	320.00				

Stockers sold actively at steady prices.

Stocker sale at Ontario Stockyards Inc: **April 20, 2023: 813 Stockers**

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
1000+	187.00-232.00	196.64	232.00	900+	113.00-189.00	149.82	189.00
900-999	56.00-232.00	183.64	232.00	800-899	195.00-227.50	216.43	227.50
800-899	210.00-257.50	238.00	265.00	700-799	195.00-259.00	228.83	259.00
700-799	245.00-287.50	265.74	287.50	600-699	200.00-284.00	245.33	289.00
600-699	245.00-314.00	280.56	320.00	500-599	200.00-259.00	233.95	259.00
500-599	235.00-330.00	285.65	380.00	400-499	165.00-235.00	198.64	255.00
400-499	250.00-330.00	297.17	355.00	300-399	140.00-247.50	184.83	290.00
399-	165.00-300.00	233.24	320.00				

With quality considered, a more medium offering sold steady to Tuesdays strong market.

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

	Choice 600-900	Select 600-900
Cutout Values (noon estimate):	306.77	289.16
Change (from yesterday's close):	-0.22	+0.42
Current Five Day Average:	305.71	289.00

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

	Price	Change from Last Week
For the week ending April 20, 2023	370.25-372.25	+6.56

### ALBERTA DIRECT TRADE

**Alberta direct trade** on Thursday saw light trade develop with dressed sales at \$380.00 cwt delivered which is steady to Wednesday's increases. Canfax reports: "Cattle that traded were being scheduled for the week of April 24th to the second week in May delivery. Feedlot margins are now positive, this breaks a long streak of negative margins for cattle sold on the cash market. In general sale volumes were light, but many producers sold more cattle than they planned on this week."

Steers	Live FOB	N/T	Rail - FOB	378.50
Heifers	Live FOB	222.00	Rail - FOB	378.50

### U.S. TRADE (U.S. FUNDS)

**The U.S. cash cattle trade** on Wednesday was light to moderate in the south and light in the north with southern trade at \$175.00 live, steady in Texas and \$1.00 cwt easier in Kansas. In the north trade was reported at \$288.00 dressed down \$2.00 from last week on average. Thursday light trade was steady to Wednesday's decline. Overall, business in the south this week ranged from \$173.00-\$177.00 live, mainly \$174.00-\$175.00 which is steady to \$1.00 cwt lower. In the north, live trade ranged from \$179.00-\$185.00 live, mainly \$180.00-\$183.00 and \$276.00-\$290.00 dressed, mainly \$288.00 down \$2.00 cwt. Some clean up trade could surface today but the bulk of trade is completed. The Cattle on Feed Report released this afternoon has cattle on feed numbers down 4 percent from last April with placements down 1 per cent from last year. Marketings were also 1 percent below last April.

<b>Choice and Select Steers and Heifers:</b>	Live	172.00-185.00
	Rail	276.00-290.00

### CHICAGO MERCANTILE EXCHANGE

Closing quotes on futures **today** were as follows:

Live Cattle			Feeder Cattle			Corn		
Apr	173.97	-0.12	Apr	203.77	+1.25	May	6.632	-0.4
Jun	164.52	+0.17	May	212.40	+0.05	Jul	6.152	-10.6
Aug	163.55	+0.12	Aug	229.87	+0.35	Sep	5.526	-9.6
Oct	167.82	+0.10	Sep	232.42	+0.40	Dec	5.480	-9.4
Dec	172.15	-0.15	Oct	234.10	+0.32	Mar	5.566	-9.4
Feb	175.55	-0.30	Nov	234.85	+0.35	May	5.622	-9.4
Soybeans			Soft Red Winter Wheat			Canadian \$		
May	14.834	-14.0	May	6.616	-6.0	Spot	73.80	-0.40
Jul	14.490	-19.4	Jul	6.730	-7.0	Jun	73.89	-0.40
Aug	13.910	-21.2	Sep	6.830	-7.4	Sep	74.02	-0.39
Sep	13.074	-18.4	Dec	6.976	-8.2	Dec	74.14	-0.37
Nov	12.852	-15.2	Mar	7.066	-9.0	Mar	74.23	-0.35
Jan	12.926	-14.6	May	7.084	-9.0	Jun	74.26	-0.34

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### ONTARIO STOCKER & FEEDER TRADE SPECIAL SALES

Apr 26	12:00 pm	Aylmer Stockyards Inc	Special Stocker Sale
Apr 26	1:00 pm	Vankleek Hill Livestock Exchange	Special Stocker Sale
Apr 26	7:00 pm	Cargill Auction Market	Special Spring Stocker Sale
Apr 27	3:00 pm	Ottawa Livestock Exchange	Herd Dispersal-12 Sim/Limo bred cows-bred Limbo
Apr 28	9:00 am	Keady Livestock Market	Northern Select Stocker Sale
Apr 29	8:00 am	Rainy River Cattlemen's Sale-Stratton	Special Spring Stocker Sale (cows/bulls also)
Apr 29	11:00 am	Denfield Livestock Exchange	Vaccinated Calf & Yearling Sale
May 3	11:00 am	Kawartha Lakes Community Sale Barn	Peterborough/Victoria County Special Stocker Sale
May 4	10:00 am	Warton-Grey Bruce Livestock Co-op	Special Spring Stocker Sale
May 5	11:00 am	Community Livestock Exchange	Quinte Cattlemen's Special Stocker Sale
May 6	10:00 am	Thessalon-Algoma Livestock Co-op	Special Spring Stocker Sale
May 10	7:00 pm	Cargill Auction Market	Special Spring Stocker Sale
May 13	11:00 am	Denfield Livestock Exchange	Vaccinated Calf & Yearling Sale
May 16	11:00 am	Ontario Stockyards Inc	Special Spring Stocker Sale
May 17	11:00 am	Kawartha Lakes Community Sale Barn	Special Spring Stocker Sale