

# DAILY MARKET INFORMATION REPORT - FRIDAY July 5, 2024

### ONTARIO DIRECT TO PACKER RAILGRADE CATTLE TRADE

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

A Grade Steers No trade or bids reported.

A Grade Heifers No trade or bids reported.

### **ONTARIO LIVE CATTLE TRADE**

Today at Brussels Livestock: 600 Head

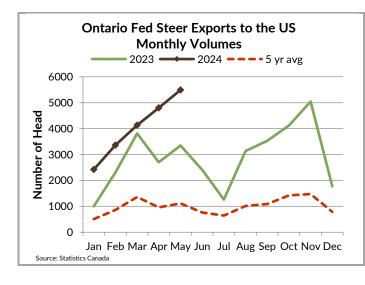
| Steers  | Price Range   | Average | Тор    | Heifers | Price Range   | Average | Тор    |
|---------|---------------|---------|--------|---------|---------------|---------|--------|
| 1000+   | 284.00-320.00 | 303.90  | 320.00 | 900+    | 252.00-290.00 | 278.48  | 290.00 |
| 900-999 | 310.50-330.00 | 321.93  | 339.00 | 800-899 | 285.00-297.00 | 295.65  | 297.00 |
| 700-799 | 360.00-427.00 | 396.79  | 427.00 | 700-799 | 285.00-305.00 | 298.85  | 322.00 |

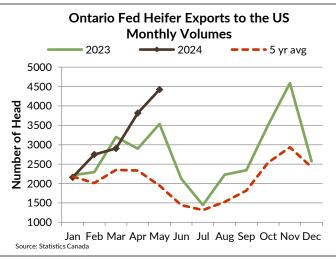
Calves and yearlings sold on a very strong active trade. Calves sold \$10.00 to \$20.00 Higher. Yearlings sold \$6.00 to \$8.00 higher.

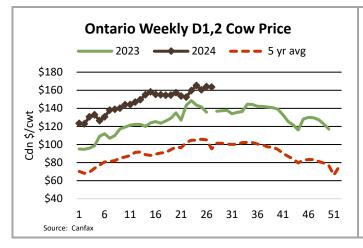
#### Ontario auction sales on Thursday saw weighted prices for:

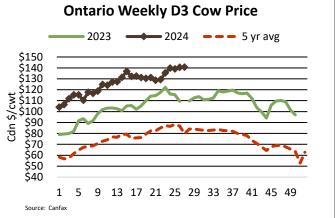
|   | Volume | Price Range   | Average | Тор    |
|---|--------|---------------|---------|--------|
| Large & Medium Frame Fed Steers +1250 lb  | 64     | 225.00-241.00 | 232.10  | 243.50 |
| Large & Medium Frame Fed Heifers +1000 lb | 37     | 220.00-240.50 | 229.67  | 242.00 |
| Fed Steers, Dairy & Dairy Cross +1250 lb  | 31     | 209.00-225.00 | 218.23  | 225.00 |
| Fed Heifers, Dairy & Dairy Cross +1000 lb | 11     | 210.00-222.00 | 215.56  | 222.00 |
| Cows                                      | 455    | 131.75-181.80 | 153.58  | 224.00 |
| Bulls under 1600 lb                       | 9      | 136.89-180.00 | 151.78  | 235.00 |
| Bulls over 1600 lb                        | 9      | 162.33-217.00 | 189.67  | 260.00 |
| Veal 600 lb and over                      | 117    | 197.95-239.13 | 220.54  | 282.00 |

To check out individual auction market results on the BFO website go to https://www.ontariobeef.com/market-info/auction-reports/individual-auction-market-reports









#### ONTARIO STOCKER & FEEDER TRADE

Stocker sale at Ontario Livestock Exchange: July 4, 2024 – 203 Stockers

| Steers  | Price Range   | Average | Top    | Heifers | Price Range   | Average | Тор    |
|---------|---------------|---------|--------|---------|---------------|---------|--------|
| 900-999 | 285.00-305.00 | 290.00  | 305.00 | 900+    | 232.50-285.00 | 252.50  | 285.00 |
| 800-899 | 275.00-351.00 | 315.79  | 351.00 | 800-899 | 180.00-282.50 | 251.11  | 282.50 |
| 700-799 | 285.00-333.00 | 312.07  | 407.00 | 700-799 | 255.00-325.00 | 283.89  | 325.00 |
| 600-699 | 295.00-445.00 | 371.67  | 445.00 | 600-699 | 210.00-335.00 | 269.23  | 335.00 |
| 500-599 | 330.00-435.00 | 383.57  | 555.00 | 500-599 | 240.00-350.00 | 295.38  | 370.00 |

Stockers sold stronger with quality considered. Vaccinated stocker sales every Wednesday at 1:00 pm!

Stocker sale at Ontario Stockyards Inc - July 4, 2024 - 179 Stockers

| Steers  | Price Range   | Average | Тор    | Heifers | Price Range   | Average | Тор    |
|---------|---------------|---------|--------|---------|---------------|---------|--------|
| 900-999 | 357.50-357.50 | 357.50  | 357.50 | 600-699 | 277.50-346.00 | 310.98  | 367.50 |
| 800-899 | 357.00-376.00 | 374.10  | 376.00 | 500-599 | 265.00-442.50 | 379.00  | 465.00 |
| 700-799 | 350.00-397.00 | 383.04  | 403.00 | 400-499 | 270.00-515.00 | 444.75  | 515.00 |
| 600-699 | 395.00-448.00 | 421.56  | 448.00 |         |               |         |        |
| 500-599 | 365.00-515.00 | 469.42  | 515.00 |         |               |         |        |

A light run of stockers sold on a sharply stronger market.

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

|                                  | Choice  | Select  |
|----------------------------------|---------|---------|
|                                  | 600-900 | 600-900 |
| Cutout Values (noon estimate):   | 330.43  | 305.06  |
| Change (from yesterday's close): | +0.59   | +0.68   |
| Current Five Day Average:        | 327.81  | 304.89  |

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

Price Change from Last Week 400.25-400.25 +0.37

For the week ending July 4, 2024

## **ALBERTA DIRECT TRADE**

Alberta direct trade on Thursday saw light trade develop with dressed sales priced at \$428.00/cwt delivered, fully steady with last week. Cattle that traded were being scheduled from late July to early August delivery. US packer interest was noted and light volumes of Western Canadian fed cattle were marketed into the US. These Cattle committed to the US packer will be priced off the five-area average. Weighted average fed prices closed the week around \$2.00/cwt lower. From their highs in early June, fed prices have declined \$8.50/cwt. For the better part of this year, fed prices have follow a similar trend to last year.

| Steers  | Live- FOB | N/T | Rail- del | N/T |
|---------|-----------|-----|-----------|-----|
| Heifers | Live- FOB | N/T | Rail- del | N/T |

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

The U.S. cash cattle trade was quiet yesterday. Today, trade is starting to pick up in the South with live sales reported at \$190.00/cwt, fully steady with last week. In Nebraska live bids of \$198.00/cwt and dressed bids of \$313.00/cwt have been noted, fully steady with the previous week. US steer carcass weights declined 4 lbs to average 917lbs, the smallest carcass weights have been since early February. With lighter carcass weights, US 50% trim prices have rallied nearly 30% since the middle of June.

Choice and Select Steers and Heifers: Live 193.00-198.00 Rail 308.00-315.00

### CHICAGO MERCANTILE EXCHANGE

Closing quotes on futures *today* were as follows:

| Live Cattle | 2      |       | Feeder | Cattle |       | Corn |       |      |
|-------------|--------|-------|--------|--------|-------|------|-------|------|
| Aug         | 186.43 | +0.50 | Aug    | 261.48 | -1.90 | Sep  | 4.104 | +5.0 |
| Oct         | 187.18 | +0.33 | Sep    | 262.23 | -1.40 | Dec  | 4.240 | +4.4 |
| Dec         | 188.78 | -0.08 | Oct    | 262.23 | -1.30 | Mar  | 4.380 | +4.4 |
| Feb         | 190.00 | -0.30 | Nov    | 262.10 | -1.23 | May  | 4.474 | +4.4 |
| Apr         | 191.33 | -0.20 | Jan    | 259.78 | -1.40 | Jul  | 4.552 | +4.4 |
| Jun         | 185.23 | -0.13 | Mar    | 259.95 | -1.40 | Sep  | 4.544 | +3.6 |

| Soybeans |          |      | Soft Re | Soft Red Winter Wheat |       |      | Canadian \$ |       |  |  |
|----------|----------|------|---------|-----------------------|-------|------|-------------|-------|--|--|
|          | US \$/bu |      |         | US \$/bu              |       |      |             |       |  |  |
| Aug      | 11.662   | +8.4 | Sep     | 5.904                 | +16.4 | Spot | 73.37       | -0.09 |  |  |
| Sep      | 11.260   | +8.4 | Dec     | 6.134                 | +15.4 | Sep  | 73.48       | +0.02 |  |  |
| Nov      | 11.296   | +8.2 | Mar     | 6.320                 | +13.6 | Dec  | 73.67       | +0.06 |  |  |
| Jan      | 11.436   | +8.2 | May     | 6.420                 | +13.0 | Mar  | 73.83       | +0.06 |  |  |
| Mar      | 11.492   | +8.2 | Jul     | 6.446                 | +12.2 | Jun  | 73.95       | +0.06 |  |  |
| May      | 11.556   | +8.0 | Sep     | 6.522                 | +11.6 | Sep  | 74.06       | +0.06 |  |  |

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