



## DAILY MARKET INFORMATION REPORT – TUESDAY July 8, 2025

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 reported for Monday July 7th**

A Grade Steers	\$520.00/cwt delivered with delivery for the week of July 14 <sup>th</sup>
A Grade Heifers	\$519.00/cwt delivered with delivery for the week of July 14 <sup>th</sup>

### ONTARIO LIVE CATTLE TRADE

Today at Brussels Livestock: 75 fed cattle, 100 cows

	Price Range	Top
Choice fed steers & heifers	315.00-336.00	
Second cut cattle	295.00-310.00	
Aged & Medium fed cattle	280.00-290.00	
Holstein Steers & heifers	220.00-249.00	
Good Beef Cows	208.00-260.00	295.00
Good Holsteins Cows	190.00-224.00	238.00
Medium Holsteins Cows	175.00-189.00	
Bulls	165.00-174.00	

Fed steers and heifers sold actively \$3.00-\$5.00/cwt higher. Cows sold strong and steady. **Stocker Sales every Fri @ 10:00 am.**

Today at Keady Livestock Market: 575 Stockers, 90 Cows and Bulls, 75 Dollar Calves

Steers	Price Range	Heifers	Price Range
1000+	394.00-400.00	900-999	400.00-415.00
900-999	440.00-468.00	800-899	410.00-442.50
800-899	445.00-515.00	700-799	480.00-500.00
700-799	502.50-560.00	600-699	470.00-495.00
600-699	550.00-665.00	500-599	480.00-625.00
500-599	570.00-685.00	400-499	510.00-575.00
400-499	610.00-610.00	<399	340.00-490.00
<399	410.00-770.00		
Cows	157.50-205.00	Bulls	150.00-283.00

Lighter feeder cattle sold \$5.00-\$10.00/cwt higher, heavier feeder sold on a good demand with slightly higher prices. Good offering of cows and bulls sold \$2.00-\$5.00 higher. Holstein calves sold slightly easier from \$550.00-\$1010.00 and X-bred calves sold steady from \$1975.00-\$2330.00 per head.

Today at Ontario Livestock Exchange: 366 veal, 68 cows

	Price Range	Top
Fed Cows	200.00-230.00	265.00
Good Beef Veal	305.00-375.00	
Good Holstein Veal	308.00-330.00	339.00
Medium Holstein Veal	260.00-300.00	
Plain Holstein Veal	240.00-260.00	
Heavy Holstein Veal	290.00-310.00	

Veal sold on a steady trade. Fed cows sold actively at higher prices. **Special Vacc Stocker Sales every Wed @ 1:00 pm. \**

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

	Volume	Price Range	Average	Top
Fed Heifers, Dairy & Dairy Cross +1000 lbs	34	201.46-247.26	225.65	256.00
Cows	184	159.71-203.96	176.60	236.00
Bulls under 1600 lbs	10	216.30-249.60	230.25	260.00
Veal 600 lbs and over	24	287.50-313.49	306.90	314.79
Veal calves under 125 lbs	576	871.79-1844.39	1196.55	2000.00

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

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

	Choice 600-900	Select 600-900
Cutout Values (noon estimate):	<b>393.04</b>	<b>378.46</b>
Change (from yesterday's close):	+2.06	+0.93
Current Five Day Average:	<b>393.35</b>	<b>380.09</b>

## ALBERTA DIRECT TRADE

**Alberta direct trade** on Monday saw no new trade to report. This week's showlist has been compiled with volumes larger than the previous week. Last week Alberta fed cash to futures basis was reported at +\$10/cwt against the near-by live cattle contract. For the beginning of July this is the second strongest basis on record the only year that was stronger was in 2018. Canadian beef exports for the month of May were 9% below last year. This is the twelfth consecutive month that beef exports have been below last year. In May less beef ended up being shipped to US, Japan and South Korea. It is a relatively small market but the bright spot for Canadian beef exports has been Taiwan.

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

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

**The U.S. cash cattle trade** saw no new trade to report. This morning, packer interest remains light and significant trade is likely to be delayed until the second half of this week. Asking prices are not established but are anticipated to start out around \$227.00/cwt live in the South and \$235.00/cwt live in the North. Four state showlist volumes have been reported smaller. Deferred live cattle contracts have rallied over the past couple of days. February and April 2026 contracts are right back to their highs.

<b>Choice and Select Steers and Heifers:</b>	Live	<b>N/T</b>
	Rail	<b>N/T</b>

## CHICAGO MERCANTILE EXCHANGE

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

Live Cattle			Feeder			Corn		
	US \$ cwt			US \$ cwt			US \$/bu	
Aug	219.97	+4.07	Aug	319.12	+5.40	Jul	4.110	-7.0
Oct	216.82	+3.87	Sep	319.17	+5.65	Sep	3.980	-5.4
Dec	216.62	+3.20	Oct	317.25	+5.90	Dec	4.412	-6.4
Feb	216.35	+2.75	Nov	314.30	+5.87	Mar	4.306	-6.4
Apr	215.52	+2.40	Jan	307.20	+5.57	May	4.416	-6.4
Jun	207.75	+2.05	Mar	302.02	+5.00	Jul	4.502	-6.2

**Soybeans**

	<i>US \$/bu</i>	
<b>Jul</b>	10.242	-7.4
<b>Aug</b>	10.212	-10.2
<b>Sep</b>	10.084	-5.0
<b>Nov</b>	10.174	-3.2
<b>Jan</b>	10.340	-2.6
<b>Mar</b>	10.464	-2.6

**Soft Red Winter Wheat**

	<i>US \$/bu</i>	
<b>Jul</b>	5.430	+3.2
<b>Sep</b>	5.476	-0.6
<b>Dec</b>	5.684	-1.6
<b>Mar</b>	5.866	-1.6
<b>May</b>	5.976	-2.0
<b>Jul</b>	6.052	-2.6

**Canadian \$**

<b>Spot</b>	73.11	-0.08
<b>Sep</b>	73.37	-0.09
<b>Dec</b>	73.69	-0.09
<b>Mar</b>	73.98	-0.09
<b>Jun</b>	74.22	-0.09
<b>Sep</b>	74.40	-0.08

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