



DAILY MARKET INFORMATION REPORT – FRIDAY July 25, 2025

ONTARIO DIRECT TO PACKER RAILGRADE CATTLE TRADE

Prices are on a carcass weight basis before grade and weight discounts for July 25, 2025:

A Grade Steers **\$527.00/cwt delivered with delivery for the week of August 11th**
A Grade Heifers **\$526.00/cwt delivered with delivery for the week of August 11th**

ONTARIO LIVE CATTLE TRADE

Today at Brussels Livestock: **750 Head**

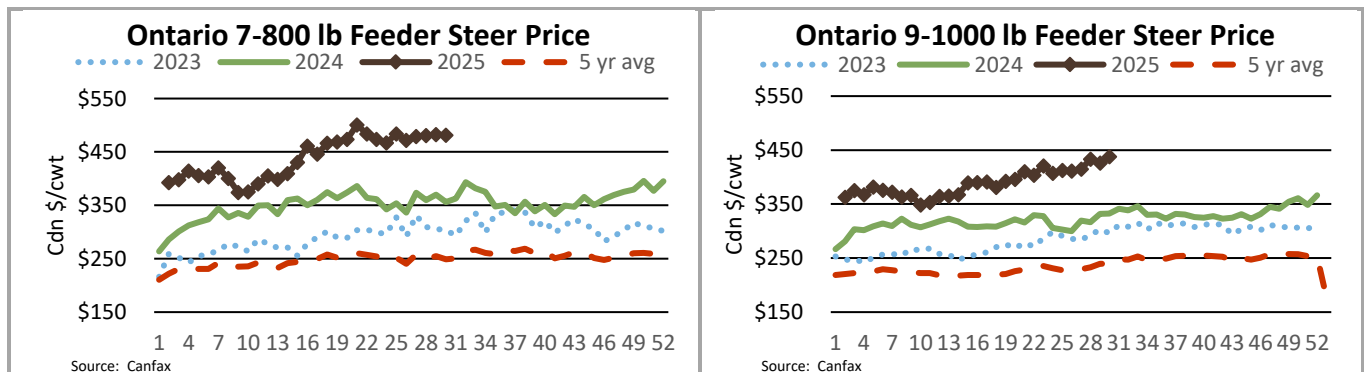
Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
1000+	386.00-438.00	411.12	441.00	900+	371.00-410.00	391.63	425.00
900-999	411.00-450.00	433.37	450.00	800-899	435.00-450.00	444.46	457.00
800-899	438.00-496.00	463.94	500.00	700-799	427.00-475.00	455.61	491.00
700-799	482.50-531.00	510.94	535.00	600-699	400.00-457.50	432.67	490.00
600-699	517.50-526.00	521.36	537.50	500-599	510.00-545.00	541.11	545.00
500-599	465.00-547.00	531.46	627.50				
400-499	600.00-660.00	632.50	660.00				
<399	870.00-870.00	870.00	890.00				

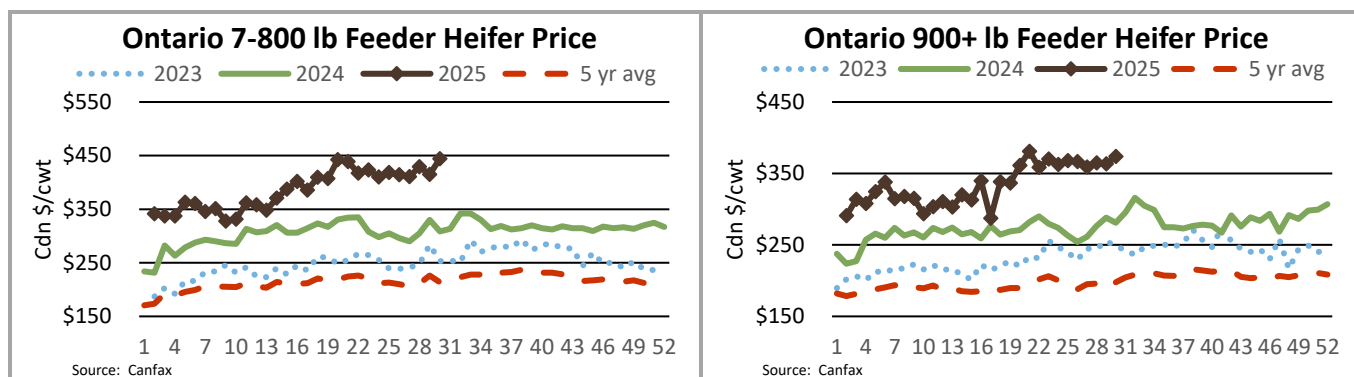
Calves sold steady. Yearlings sold \$8.00-\$10.00/cwt higher, with grass type bringing a premium. **Oct 10th@10:00 am**
– *Simmental Influence Sale*

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

	Volume	Price Range	Average	Top
Large & Medium Frame Fed Steers +1250 lb	65	304.00-333.00	314.89	334.50
Large & Medium Frame Fed Heifers +1000 lb	41	266.00-329.00	312.24	329.00
Fed Steers, Dairy & Dairy Cross +1250 lbs	36	241.00-274.00	263.07	300.00
Fed Heifers, Dairy & Dairy Cross +1000 lbs	14	219.54-259.93	235.49	268.00
Cows	201	162.09-222.99	189.53	300.00
Bulls under 1600 lbs	7	242.01-258.57	249.43	295.00
Bulls over 1600 lbs	11	259.82-285.55	272.27	295.00
Veal calves over 600 lb	80	254.81-318.49	286.66	351.00

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 24, 2025 – 360 Stockers**

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
1000+	295.00-400.00	331.73	400.00	900+	292.50-365.00	339.92	380.00
900-999	370.00-404.00	396.28	404.00	800-899	375.00-445.00	390.47	445.00
800-899	400.00-510.00	473.08	510.00	700-799	350.00-462.50	408.04	462.50
700-799	425.00-470.00	455.36	470.00	600-699	400.00-510.00	454.29	510.00
600-699	460.00-575.00	535.54	590.00	500-599	425.00-590.00	522.23	632.50
500-599	440.00-615.00	532.00	635.00	400-499	410.00-667.50	544.66	685.00
400-499	600.00-745.00	645.00	745.00				

Stockers sold steady to stronger, with lightweight sold \$10.00-\$15.00/cwt higher. **Sep 4th@10:00 am – Special Vaccinated Cal Sale**

Stocker sale at Ontario Stockyards Inc: **July 24, 2025 – 448 Stockers**

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
1000+	373.00-387.50	379.12	387.50	900+	345.00-394.00	368.25	394.00
900-999	402.50-435.00	420.83	435.00	700-799	420.00-520.00	478.74	520.00
800-899	445.00-496.00	478.85	496.00	600-699	492.50-596.00	538.74	596.00
700-799	402.50-534.00	500.08	534.00	500-599	487.50-580.00	549.68	618.00
600-699	550.00-613.00	589.95	613.00	400-499	545.00-710.00	627.36	710.00
500-599	612.50-667.50	644.45	677.50				
400-499	600.00-715.00	667.78	750.00				
<399	770.00-1005.00	871.36	1005.00				

All classes sold on a stronger market. **Sep 18th@11:00 am – Special All Breeds Pre-sort Sale**

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

	Choice	Select
	600-900	600-900
Cutout Values (noon estimate):	366.68	344.87
Change (from yesterday's close):	-1.41	-2.13
Current Five Day Average:	370.75	348.37

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

	Price	Change from Last Week
For the week ending July 24, 2025	526.50-526.50	-0.75

ALBERTA DIRECT TRADE

Alberta direct trade on Thursday saw light trade develop with dressed sales reported at \$500.00/cwt delivered, steady with last week. Cattle that traded were scheduled anywhere from mid-August to early September delivery. Competition on the cash market was mixed, and US packer interest was quiet. Given historically weak basis levels one would have expected to see US packers more active on the market. Inventory wise US packers are likely well covered with Canadian contract and formula priced cattle and don't need any extra inventory at least in the near term.

Steers	Live- FOB	N/T	Rail- del	500.00-500.00
Heifers	Live- FOB	N/T	Rail- del	500.00-500.00

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

The U.S. cash cattle trade saw light trade reported in Texas yesterday at \$231.00/cwt live, steady to \$1.00/cwt higher than the previous week. Live bids in Nebraska were noted at \$235.00/cwt, \$5.00-\$6.00/cwt lower. Today, light trade is reported on the Fed Cattle Exchange, Bid the grid sales in Texas were reported at \$233.00/cwt and a few high grading cattle in Kansas were at \$237.50/cwt. Looking beyond the Fed cattle Exchange, live sales in Iowa are reported from \$240.00-242.00/cwt, while dressed sales were reported from \$378.00-380.00/cwt, \$2.00/cwt higher. The USDA July 1st cattle on feed report released this afternoon shows total cattle on feed at 11.1 million head, down 2% from last year, placements total 1.44 million head, down 8% from a year ago and marketings total 1.71 million head, down 4% from 2024 and lowest for June since reporting started in 1996.

Choice and Select Steers and Heifers:	Live	231.00-231.00
	Rail	N/T

CHICAGO MERCANTILE EXCHANGE

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

Live Cattle			Feeder			Corn		
	US \$ cwt			US \$ cwt			US \$/bu	
Aug	226.47	+0.67	Aug	331.37	+2.47	Sep	3.994	-2.2
Oct	223.15	+1.00	Sep	332.20	+2.55	Dec	4.190	-1.6
Dec	223.47	+0.82	Oct	331.00	+2.65	Mar	4.364	-1.6
Feb	223.82	+0.75	Nov	328.45	+2.62	May	4.466	-1.6
Apr	224.10	+0.75	Jan	321.62	+2.20	Jul	4.530	-2.2
Jun	216.97	+0.67	Mar	316.67	+1.75	Sep	4.496	-1.4
Soybeans			Soft Red Winter Wheat			Canadian \$		
	US \$/bu			US \$/bu				
Aug	9.986	-5.4	Sep	5.382	-3.2	Spot	72.93	-0.37
Sep	10.020	-3.6	Dec	5.582	-3.0	Sep	73.13	-0.37
Nov	10.210	-3.2	Mar	5.766	-3.0	Dec	73.42	-0.39
Jan	10.386	-3.2	May	5.882	-2.4	Mar	73.70	-0.39
Mar	10.542	-2.6	Jul	5.950	-2.4	Jun	73.93	-0.39
May	10.676	-2.4	Sep	6.080	-2.0	Sep	74.09	-0.39

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ONTARIO STOCKER & FEEDER SPECIAL FALL SALES

Aug 27	12:00pm	Aylmer Stockyards Inc	Fall Stocker sale
Aug 27	1:00pm	Vankleek Hill Livestock Exchange	Stocker sale
Aug 30	5:00 pm	Maple Hill Auctions Ltd	Autumn Angus Classic
Sep 4	11:00 am	Ontario Livestock Exchange	Special Vaccinated Calf Sale
Sep 5	7:00 pm	Cargill Auction Market	Char. & Exotic Yearlings-Steers & Heifers
Sep 6	1:00 pm	Maple Hill Auction Ltd	Bred Cow Sale
Sep 6	8:30 am	Rainy River Cattlemens – Stratton	Cows and bulls start the sale at 8:00 am.
Sep 12	11:00 am	Hoards Station Sale Barn	Quinte Sale – Mixed sale, Vacc preferred, catalogued- Farm Fresh
Sep 13	1:00 pm	Maple Hill Auctions Ltd	Ontario Autumn Simmental Classic
Sep 16	10:00 am	Algoma Co-op Livestock Sales-Thessalon	Yearlings, farm fresh, 80% vaccinated

