



## DAILY MARKET INFORMATION REPORT – MONDAY August 11, 2025

### ONTARIO DIRECT TO PACKER RAILGRADE CATTLE TRADE

Prices are on a carcass weight basis before grade and weight discounts for August 11, 2025:

<b>A Grade Steers</b>	<b>\$527.00/cwt delivered with delivery for the week of August 18<sup>th</sup></b>
<b>A Grade Heifers</b>	<b>\$526.00/cwt delivered with delivery for the week of August 18<sup>th</sup></b>

Today at Ontario Stockyards Inc: **\*Market report is unavailable at time of reporting**

	<b>Price Range</b>	<b>Top</b>
<b>Veal Calves 600 lbs+</b>	-	-
<b>. Every Thurs. at 11:00 am - Vaccinated &amp; Non-Vaccinated Stocker Sales.</b>		

At Kawartha Lakes Community Sale Barn: **August 9, 2025– 149 cows, 5 bulls, 47 veal, 7 fed cattle, 58 stockers**

	<b>Price Range</b>	<b>Avg.</b>	<b>Top</b>
<b>Cows</b>	171.00-256.00	200.24	305.00
<b>Bulls over 1600 lbs</b>	235.00-257.00	248.26	257.00
<b>Veal calves 600 lbs &amp; over</b>	237.50-317.50	274.91	317.50
<b>Veal calves 125 lbs &amp; under</b>	800.00-1575.00	1076.96	1675.00

Cows traded actively at steady prices.

### ONTARIO STOCKER & FEEDER TRADE

Stocker sale at Brussels Livestock: **August 8, 2025 – 833 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>1000+</b>	389.00-421.50	404.06	421.50	<b>900+</b>	356.50-405.50	381.83	431.00
<b>900-999</b>	409.00-449.00	422.91	459.00	<b>800-899</b>	397.00-451.00	423.66	451.00
<b>800-899</b>	450.00-479.00	461.69	479.00	<b>700-799</b>	420.00-437.50	431.61	437.50
<b>700-799</b>	441.00-530.00	476.01	560.00	<b>600-699</b>	442.50-477.50	465.38	520.00
<b>600-699</b>	525.00-602.50	554.05	615.00	<b>500-599</b>	525.00-582.00	560.08	582.00
<b>500-599</b>	607.50-669.00	645.59	669.00	<b>400-499</b>	470.00-650.00	611.25	650.00
<b>400-499</b>	582.00-730.00	655.50	740.00	<b>300-399</b>	690.00-790.00	752.50	790.00
<b>300-399</b>	835.00-920.00	866.67	1045.00				

Calves sold steady. Yearlings sold \$8.00-\$10.00/cwt higher, with grass type bringing a premium. **Every Friday at 10:00 am – Weekly Stocker Sales**

### WEEKLY LIVE CATTLE EXPORTS - ONTARIO (USDA)

	<b>Week ending July 26, 2025</b>	<b>Week ending July 19, 2025</b>	<b>Year to Date</b>
<b>Total live slaughter cattle exported through Ontario ports to the U.S.</b>	<b>1,692</b>	<b>2,502</b>	<b>102,906</b>
<b>Steers &amp; Heifers &amp; Cows</b>	<b>1,558</b>	<b>2,471</b>	<b>99,987</b>
<b>Bulls</b>	<b>134</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>2,919</b>

### ONTARIO- FEDERALLY INSPECTED PROCESSING-Canfax/CBGA

<b>Week Ending</b>	<b># of hd change from</b>	<b>YTD</b>	<b>% Change</b>	<b>% Change</b>
<b>August 2, 2025</b>	<b>week ago</b>		<b>(Week Ago)</b>	<b>(Year Ago)</b>

Grand Total	6,965	-2,032	303,081	-23%	12.0%
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### CANADIAN- FEDERALLY INSPECTED PROCESSING-Canfax/CBGA

	Week Ending August 2, 2025	# of hd change from week ago	YTD	% Change (Week Ago)	% Change (Year Ago)
Grand Total	55,220	-499	1,678,891	-1%	-5%
Western Processing	46,804	1,629	1,329,334	4%	-8%
Eastern Processing	8,416	-2,128	349,557	-20%	9%

### AVERAGE CARCASS WEIGHTS – CANADA-Canfax/CBGA

	Steers	Heifers
2-Aug-25	907	840
26-Jul-25	905	846
3-Aug-24	921	824

### AVERAGE CARCASS WEIGHTS – ONTARIO-Canfax/CBGA

	Steers	Heifers
2-Aug-25	940	856
26-Jul-25	944	826
3-Aug-24	964	854

### USDA ESTIMATED CATTLE PROCESSING VOLUME

	Week Ending August 9, 2025	Previous Week	Year Ago
Grand Total	536,000	535,000	588,000

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

	Choice 600-900	Select 600-900
Cutout Values (noon estimate):	378.84	355.09
Change (from yesterday's close):	-0.10	+1.34
Current Five Day Average:	370.55	346.63

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

The U.S. cash cattle trade last week saw dressed sales in the Northern feeding states reported at \$380.00-\$385.00/cwt, while live sales in the North range from \$242.00-\$245.00/cwt, steady to a couple dollars lower than last week. Sales in Texas and Kansas were from \$235.00-\$237.00/cwt live, steady to \$2.00/cwt stronger. Packers are facing some of the worst margins in recent history. Based on a couple industry estimates packer margins are around \$250.00/head negative. Lighter processing rates have become new normal, last week cattle processed was estimated at 536,000 head, for the first half of August this is the smallest processing volume on record.

Choice and Select Steers and Heifers:	Live	235.00-245.00
	Rail	380.00-385.00

## CHICAGO MERCANTILE EXCHANGE

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

Live Cattle			Feeder			Corn		
	US \$ cwt			US \$ cwt			US \$/bu	
Aug	233.07	+0.52	Aug	340.22	+0.82	Sep	3.850	+2.2
Oct	226.10	+0.12	Sep	340.60	+0.22	Dec	4.076	+2.2
Dec	228.47	+0.55	Oct	339.67	+0.45	Mar	4.252	+2.2
Feb	229.70	+0.85	Nov	337.65	+0.30	May	4.350	+2.0
Apr	229.52	+0.85	Jan	330.82	+0.02	Jul	4.420	+2.2
Jun	221.87	+0.85	Mar	325.35	-0.05	Sep	4.414	+3.0
Soybeans			Soft Red Winter Wheat			Canadian \$		
	US \$/bu			US \$/bu				
Aug	9.894	+22.6	Sep	5.150	+0.4	Spot	72.57	-0.13
Sep	9.916	+24.0	Dec	5.354	+0.4	Sep	72.69	-0.15
Nov	10.112	+23.6	Mar	5.546	+0.4	Dec	73.00	-0.14
Jan	10.294	+23.0	May	5.674	+0.2	Mar	73.25	-0.15
Mar	10.440	+21.2	Jul	5.764	-0.2	Jun	73.47	-0.16
May	10.564	+19.4	Sep	5.900	-0.2	Sep	73.65	-0.16

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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
Sep 18	11:00 am	Ontario Stockyards Inc	Special All breeds Pre-sort Sale
Sep 20	11:00 am	Denfield Livestock Exchange	Vaccinated Calves & yearlings
Sep 24	12:00 pm	Aylmer Stockyards Inc	Fall Stocker Sale
Sep 24	1:00 pm	Vankleek Hill Livestock Exchange	Stocker sale
Sep 25	11:00 am	Ontario Stockyards Inc	Special Fall Yearling Sale
Sep 26	7:00 pm	Cargill Auction Market	Char. & Exotic Yearlings-Steers & Heifers
Sep 26	9:00 am	Keady Livestock Market	Special Grass Yearling Sale
Sep 27	8:30 am	Rainy River Cattlemens – Stratton	Cows and bulls start the sale at 8:00 am.