



DAILY MARKET INFORMATION REPORT – FRIDAY August 22, 2025

ONTARIO DIRECT TO PACKER RAILGRADE CATTLE TRADE

Prices are on a carcass weight basis before grade and weight discounts for August 22, 2025:

A Grade Steers **\$527.00/cwt delivered with delivery for the week of August 25th**
 A Grade Heifers **\$526.00/cwt delivered with delivery for the week of August 25th**

ONTARIO LIVE CATTLE TRADE

Today at Brussels Livestock: **600 Head**

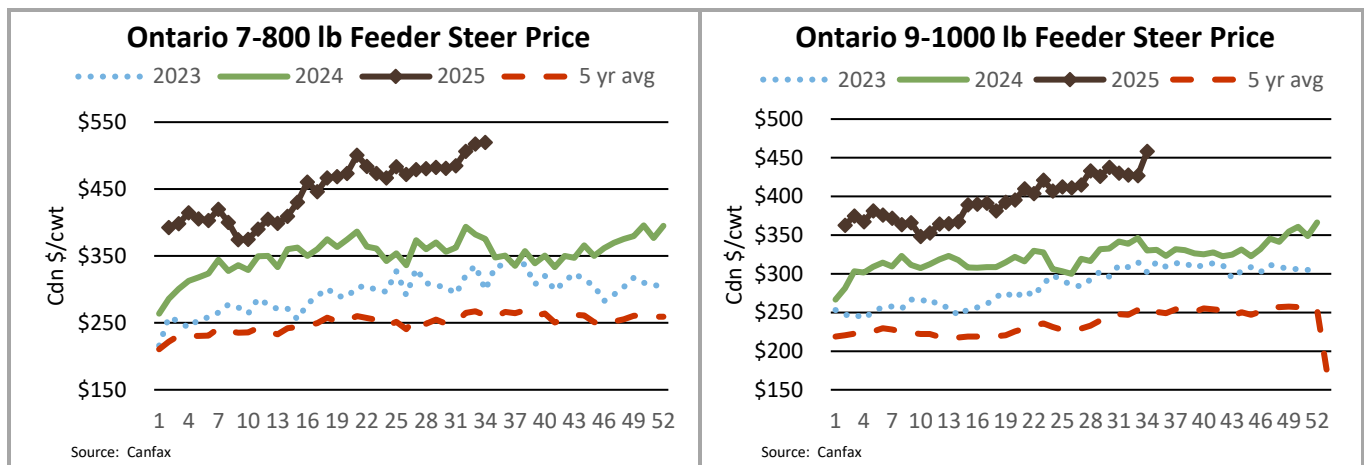
Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
1000+	367.50-426.00	401.29	466.00	900+	368.00-411.50	391.87	413.00
900-999	445.50-458.00	449.87	460.00	800-899	380.00-447.50	417.88	447.50
800-899	427.50-488.00	449.84	507.00	700-799	387.00-435.00	405.55	442.50
700-799	447.50-522.00	483.00	550.00	600-699	435.00-500.00	475.00	520.00
600-699	460.00-525.00	507.32	555.00	500-599	447.00-562.50	489.27	607.50
500-599	505.00-675.00	601.59	675.00				
400-499	550.00-720.00	622.40	790.00				

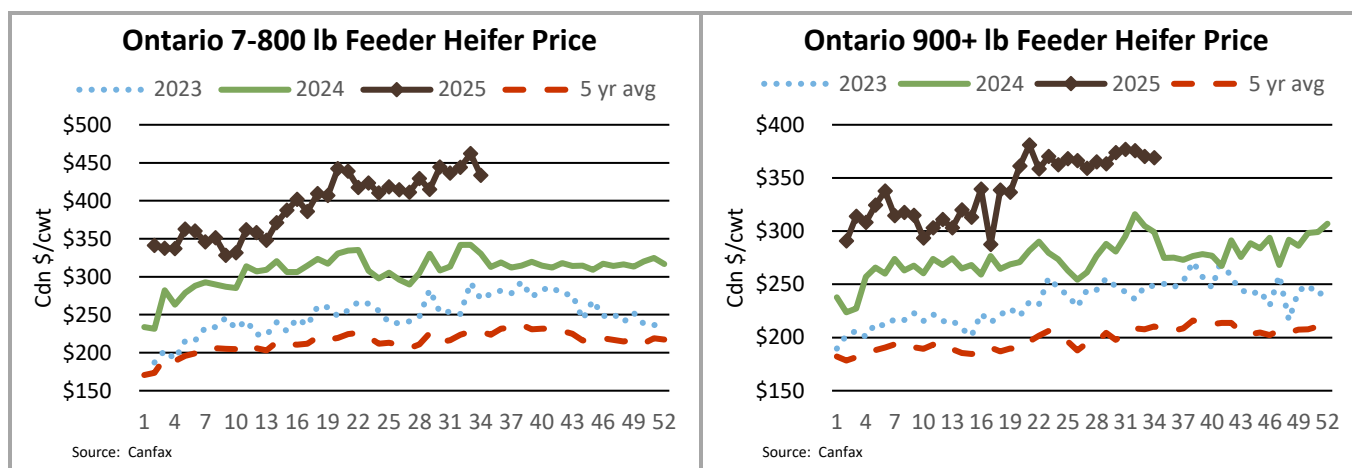
Calves and yearlings sold fully steady. Oct 10th@10:00 am – Simmental Influence Sale

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

	Volume	Price Range	Average	Top
Large & Medium Frame Fed Steers +1250 lb	111	312.00-339.00	326.90	343.00
Large & Medium Frame Fed Heifers +1000 lb	72	292.00-330.00	317.06	348.00
Fed Steers, Dairy & Dairy Cross +1250 lbs	36	265.00-282.00	273.30	291.00
Fed Heifers, Dairy & Dairy Cross +1000 lbs	39	220.00-280.00	250.45	283.00
Cows	360	174.75-241.68	204.79	298.00
Bulls under 1600 lbs	3	266.00-272.67	269.33	290.00
Bulls over 1600 lbs	13	231.77-290.46	264.83	305.00
Veal calves over 600 lb	67	300.00-359.10	333.33	430.00

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: August 21, 2025 – 715 Stockers**

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
1000+	395.00-415.00	396.82	425.00	900+	345.00-395.00	375.15	395.00
900-999	350.00-420.00	397.00	445.00	800-899	345.00-420.00	384.63	450.00
800-899	405.00-455.00	438.21	485.00	700-799	405.00-475.00	436.70	475.00
700-799	400.00-530.00	466.02	575.00	600-699	410.00-485.00	445.56	520.00
600-699	460.00-600.00	536.35	640.00	500-599	440.00-605.00	540.91	605.00
500-599	495.00-685.00	615.29	685.00	400-499	370.00-670.00	520.83	692.50
400-499	510.00-740.00	635.19	780.00	300-399	510.00-710.00	639.76	825.00
<399	640.00-900.00	767.40	950.00				

Stockers continued to sell very high on excellent demand. **Sep 4th@11:00 am – Special Vaccinated Calf sale in conjunction with regular sale**

Stocker sale at **Ontario Stockyards Inc: August 21, 2025 – 470 Stockers**

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
1000+	195.00-380.00	287.86	380.00	900+	355.00-401.00	386.43	401.00
900-999	440.00-462.50	448.37	462.50	800-899	405.00-440.00	418.67	440.00
800-899	350.00-502.50	446.98	502.50	700-799	365.00-506.00	456.66	506.00
700-799	460.00-547.50	490.22	572.50	600-699	457.50-607.50	519.29	607.50
600-699	510.00-639.00	591.39	639.00	500-599	450.00-640.00	572.57	670.00
500-599	565.00-700.00	657.22	705.00	400-499	520.00-680.00	643.24	680.00
400-499	660.00-785.00	705.61	785.00	300-399	350.00-750.00	640.00	750.00
<399	700.00-880.00	786.15	880.00				

All classes of stockers 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):	407.91	383.66
Change (from yesterday's close):	+0.05	+0.06
Current Five Day Average:	405.14	378.88

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

	Price	Change from Last Week
For the week ending August 21, 2025	522.25-522.75	-

ALBERTA DIRECT TRADE

Alberta direct trade this week saw light trade develop with dressed sales reported from \$505.00-\$510.00/cwt delivered, steady to \$5.00/cwt higher than last week. Cattle that traded were being scheduled for the first for delivery throughout the month of September. However, most of the cattle would be picked up by the first half of September. With the large wind and hailstorm that hit Southern Alberta Wednesday evening. There have been reports of processing and production issues at one plant. Lost time will hopefully be made up on Saturday.

Steers	Live- FOB	N/T	Rail- del	505.00-510.00
Heifers	Live- FOB	N/T	Rail- del	505.00-510.00

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

The U.S. cash cattle trade saw light trade reported in Iowa and Nebraska yesterday with dressed sales ranging from \$380.00-\$385.00/cwt, steady to \$2.00/cwt higher than the previous week. Live sales in Nebraska were at \$245.00/cwt, \$1.00/cwt higher than last week's weighted average price. Sales in Kansas were at \$240.00/cwt live, \$5.00/cwt higher. These cattle will likely be going into Nebraska for processing. Today, live sales in the Southern feeding states are reported at \$240.00/cwt, \$5.00/cwt stronger than last week's weighted average price. In Nebraska live bids have been reported at \$245.00/cwt, while dressed bids are noted at \$385.00/cwt. The USDA August 1st cattle on feed report released this afternoon shows total cattle on feed at 10.9 million head, down 2% from last year, placements total 1.60 million head, down 6% from a year ago and marketings total 1.75 million head, down 6% from 2024.

Choice and Select Steers and Heifers:	Live	240.00-245.00
	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	239.95	+1.30	Aug	360.35	+3.97	Sep	3.882	+1.0
Oct	237.87	+3.15	Sep	362.67	+4.65	Dec	4.114	-0.2
Dec	239.15	+2.75	Oct	362.50	+4.40	Mar	4.286	-1.0
Feb	240.20	+2.42	Nov	360.85	+4.20	May	4.386	-1.2
Apr	239.80	+1.80	Jan	353.95	+4.05	Jul	4.456	-1.0
Jun	231.60	+1.12	Mar	348.72	+4.02	Sep	4.452	-0.6
Soybeans			Soft Red Winter Wheat			Canadian \$		
	US \$/bu			US \$/bu				
Sep	10.364	+2.0	Sep	5.046	-2.2	Spot	72.36	+0.39
Nov	10.584	+2.4	Dec	5.272	-2.4	Sep	72.41	+0.37
Jan	10.770	+3.2	Mar	5.446	-2.4	Dec	72.69	+0.36
Mar	10.902	+2.4	May	5.560	-1.6	Mar	72.97	+0.36
May	10.996	+1.0	Jul	5.650	-1.2	Jun	73.18	+0.35
Jul	11.064	+0.2	Sep	5.782	-1.2	Sep	73.35	+0.33

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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