



DAILY MARKET INFORMATION REPORT – FRIDAY July 31, 2026

ONTARIO DIRECT TO PACKER RAILGRADE CATTLE TRADE

Prices are on a carcass weight basis before grade and weight discounts for July 31, 2026:

A Grade Steers **\$545.00/cwt delivered with delivery for the week of August 10th**
 A Grade Heifers **\$544.00/cwt delivered with delivery for the week of August 10th**

ONTARIO LIVE CATTLE TRADE

Today at Brussels Livestock: **850 Head**

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
1000+	420.00-445.50	437.08	458.00	900+	374.00-412.00	393.21	412.00
900-999	430.00-477.50	458.91	477.50	800-899	445.00-480.50	462.74	480.50
800-899	477.00-519.00	500.66	529.00	700-799	412.00-535.00	478.20	535.00
700-799	525.00-582.00	541.08	582.00	600-699	447.50-600.00	529.17	600.00
600-699	563.00-610.00	580.35	610.00				
500-599	622.50-682.50	654.72	682.50				

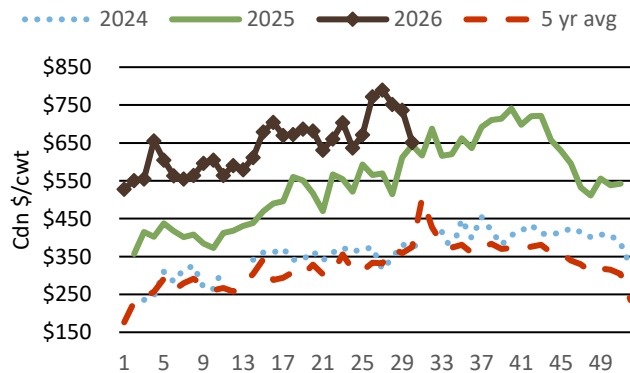
Calves sold and yearlings sold steady. **Every Friday at 10:00 am – Weekly Stocker Sales**

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

	Volume	Price Range	Average	Top
Large & Medium Frame Fed Steers +1250 lb	88	314.00-336.00	324.61	340.00
Large & Medium Frame Fed Heifers +1000 lb	84	315.00-332.00	324.79	345.00
Fed Steers, Dairy & Dairy Cross +1250 lbs	36	282.00-313.00	300.23	313.00
Fed Heifers, Dairy & Dairy Cross +1000 lbs	6	290.00-309.00	301.20	309.00
Cows	301	169.81-255.56	213.04	319.00
Bulls under 1600 lbs	4	280.13-306.63	293.38	325.00
Bulls over 1600 lbs	13	299.92-319.92	308.54	328.00
Veal calves over 600 lb	60	320.67-396.27	356.77	424.00

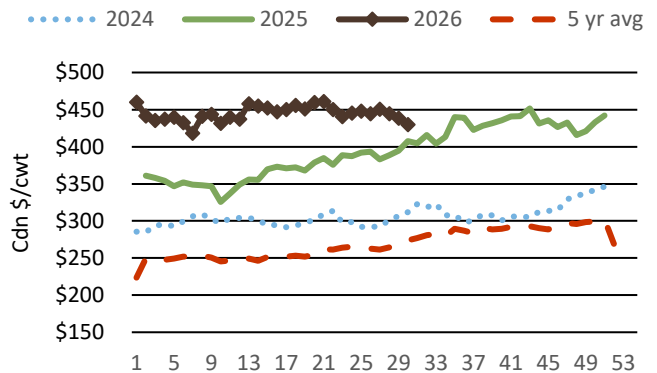
To check out individual auction market results on the BFO website go to <https://www.ontariobeef.com/market-info/auction-reports/individual-auction-market-reports>

Ontario 3-400 lb Feeder Heifer Price



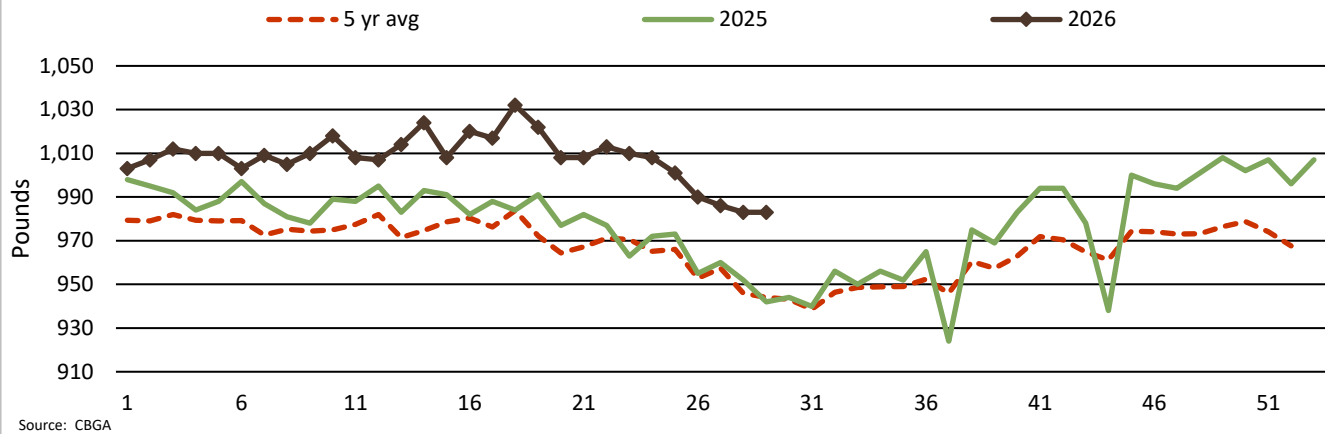
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Ontario 1000+ lb Feeder Steer Price



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Ontario Steer Carcass Weight - FI



ONTARIO STOCKER & FEEDER TRADE

Stocker sale at Ontario Livestock Exchange: **July 30, 2026 – 375 Stockers**

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
900-999	420.00-475.00	438.33	475.00	900+	350.00-460.00	434.00	460.00
800-899	410.00-520.00	463.75	530.00	800-899	365.00-475.00	424.47	475.00
700-799	415.00-520.00	487.50	565.00	700-799	407.50-500.00	475.17	500.00
600-699	460.00-670.00	559.84	670.00	600-699	490.00-620.00	581.59	620.00
500-599	450.00-660.00	595.43	750.00	500-599	500.00-630.00	549.55	660.00
400-499	400.00-800.00	594.79	875.00	400-499	500.00-780.00	727.50	780.00
<399	290.00-1025.00	702.22	1300.00	300-399	425.00-780.00	570.00	780.00

Stocker sale at Ontario Stockyards Inc: **July 30, 2026 – 231 Stockers**

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
1000+	319.00-430.00	401.00	430.00	600-699	490.00-580.00	537.02	580.00
800-899	480.00-512.50	495.36	512.50	500-599	620.00-663.00	645.68	663.00
600-699	520.00-657.50	617.62	657.50	400-499	625.00-670.00	654.29	725.00
500-599	570.00-759.00	683.35	759.00	300-399	620.00-720.00	676.11	720.00
400-499	635.00-707.50	687.37	707.50				
<399	670.00-827.50	791.67	940.00				

A very medium quality offering of summer-type cattle sold steady.

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

	Choice 600-900	Select 600-900
Cutout Values (noon estimate):	361.38	346.23
Change (from yesterday's close):	+0.88	+4.90
Current Five Day Average:	362.79	343.83

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

	Price	Change from Last Week
For the week ending July 29, 2026	540.00-540.00	-22.00

ALBERTA DIRECT TRADE

Alberta direct trade on Thursday saw light trade develop with dressed sales ranging from \$535.00-542.00/cwt delivered, \$8.00-15.00/cwt lower than the previous week. US packer interest was also noted with live bids in the upper \$320.00s/cwt FOB the feedlot. Us bids are at a premium compared to local bids. Most if not all the cattle that were traded this week would be picked up during the second half of August. Looking at the feed grain market, we've seen a little bit of pressure on the barley market. From their highs in late May, barley prices have dropped \$30.00/tonne. Spot prices are the lowest they have been since March. As barley prices have come under pressure, US corn prices have strengthened. This could slow down corn shipments coming into Southern Alberta.

Steers	Live	N/T	Rail- del	535.00-542.00
Heifers	Live	N/T	Rail- del	535.00-542.00

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 \$365.00-370.00/cwt, \$5.00-10.00/cwt higher than prices seen earlier in the week and steady with last week. Live sales in Nebraska were \$232.00/cwt, and sales in Kansas were at \$231.00/cwt, mostly steady with last week. Yesterday, it was announced that a tentative agreement has been reached between union members of the Fort Morgan plant and Cargill. It is subject to ratification by union members that will vote next week. The plant has been idle since May 20th.

Choice and Select Steers and Heifers:	Live	231.00-232.00
	Rail	365.00-370.00

CHICAGO MERCANTILE EXCHANGE

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

Live Cattle			Feeder Cattle			Corn		
Aug	231.75	+0.52	Aug	348.02	+1.55	Sep	4.406	-5.0
Oct	227.25	-0.20	Sep	343.77	+1.32	Dec	4.640	-4.4
Dec	226.95	+0.22	Oct	335.35	+1.32	Mar	4.796	-4.6
Feb	226.87	+0.50	Nov	329.12	+1.47	May	4.886	-4.6
Apr	226.50	+0.50	Jan	321.92	+1.47	Jul	4.932	-5.0
Jun	218.62	+0.20	Mar	317.67	+1.25	Sep	4.794	-3.6
Soybeans			Soft Red Winter Wheat			Canadian \$		
	US \$/bu			US \$/bu				
Aug	11.720	-5.2	Sep	6.392	-24.2	Spot	71.33	-0.10
Sep	11.706	-1.4	Dec	6.574	-24.0	Sep	71.48	-0.11
Nov	11.874	-1.2	Mar	6.742	-23.2	Dec	71.77	-0.13
Jan	12.012	-2.2	May	6.822	-22.2	Mar	72.07	-0.13
Mar	12.046	-3.4	Jul	6.792	-21.2	Jun	72.35	-0.13
May	12.104	-4.0	Sep	6.844	-20.6	Sep	72.59	-0.13

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