



DAILY MARKET INFORMATION REPORT – FRIDAY September 18, 2026

ONTARIO DIRECT TO PACKER RAILGRADE CATTLE TRADE

Prices are on a carcass weight basis before grade and weight discounts for September 18, 2026:

A Grade Steers \$490.00-500.00/cwt delivered with delivery for the week of September 21st
A Grade Heifers \$490.00-500.00/cwt delivered with delivery for the week of September 21st

ONTARIO LIVE CATTLE TRADE

Today at Brussels Livestock: **909 Head**

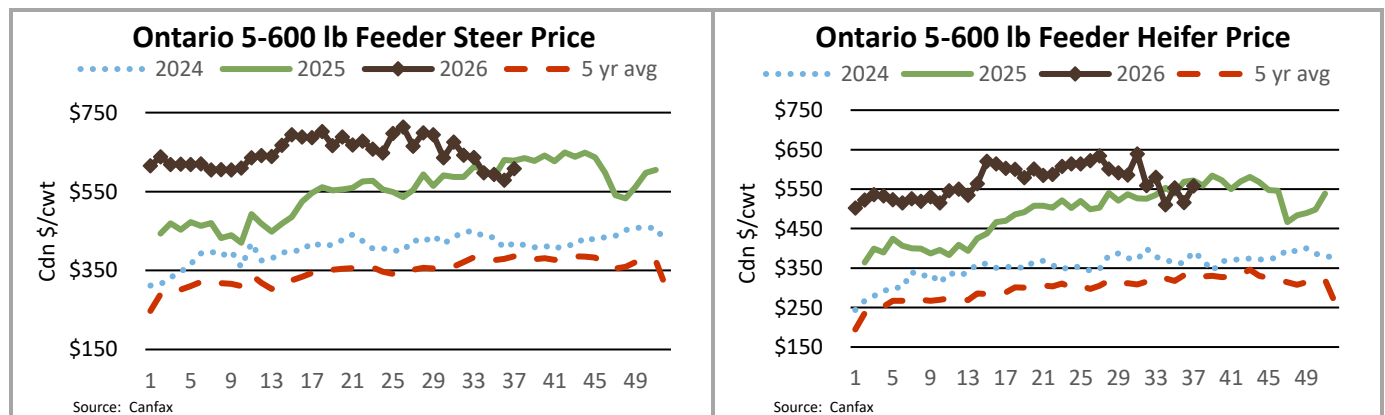
Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
1000+	385.00-431.00	408.62	440.00	900+	348.00-394.00	373.15	425.00
900-999	415.50-452.25	425.74	461.00	800-899	399.00-441.00	421.17	441.00
800-899	460.00-512.00	476.67	512.00	700-799	400.00-491.00	439.74	491.00
700-799	447.50-522.50	480.45	545.00	600-699	460.00-492.50	475.78	506.00
600-699	530.00-586.00	561.19	590.00	500-599	542.50-575.00	560.94	575.00
500-599	560.00-630.00	611.25	630.00	400-499	575.00-630.00	618.57	700.00
400-499	680.00-720.00	696.75	720.00				

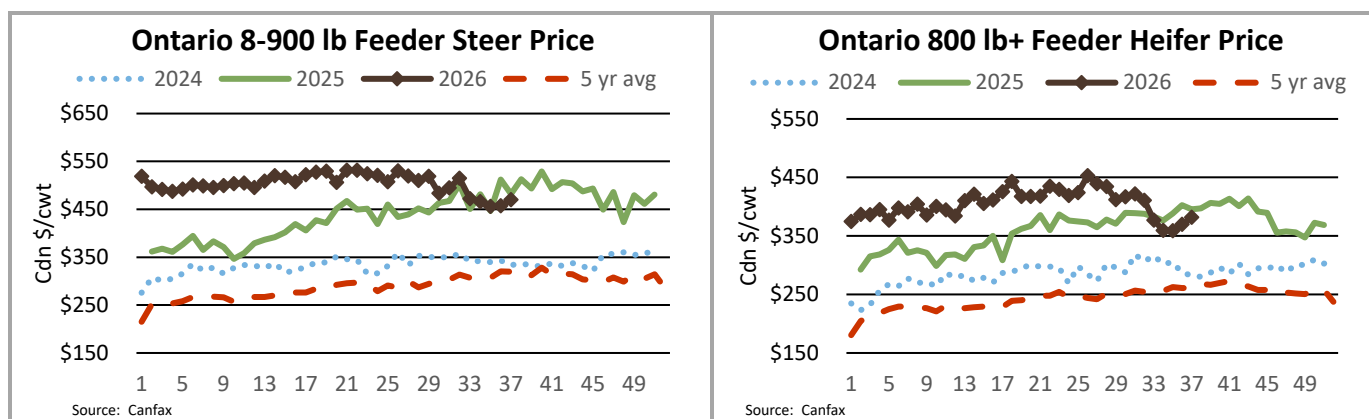
Calves & yearlings sold on a stronger trade with good demand. **Every Friday at 10:00 am – Weekly Stocker Sales**
Sep 26th @ 1:00 pm – Bred Cow Sale

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

	Volume	Price Range	Average	Top
Large & Medium Frame Fed Steers +1250 lb	132	283.00-309.00	295.24	331.00
Large & Medium Frame Fed Heifers +1000 lb	42	290.25-299.00	294.50	302.00
Fed Steers, Dairy & Dairy Cross +1250 lbs	38	235.00-276.00	256.64	287.00
Fed Heifers, Dairy & Dairy Cross +1000 lbs	14	252.57-264.64	258.14	267.00
Cows	340	156.16-194.43	165.00	292.50
Bulls under 1600 lbs	4	230.50-236.50	232.00	236.50
Bulls over 1600 lbs	6	269.83-294.33	279.58	325.00
Veal calves over 600 lb	55	322.02-398.05	364.94	426.00

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: September 17, 2026 – 467 Stockers**

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
1000+	365.00-395.00	380.54	410.00	900+	340.00-370.00	359.41	370.00
900-999	390.00-437.50	414.00	437.50	700-799	300.00-475.00	430.08	500.00
800-899	450.00-507.50	474.38	507.50	600-699	450.00-540.00	505.17	540.00
700-799	425.00-495.00	463.75	510.00	500-599	450.00-660.00	574.23	660.00
600-699	460.00-530.00	487.56	565.00	400-499	530.00-695.00	630.00	695.00
500-599	525.00-665.00	606.81	680.00	300-399	700.00-800.00	737.08	800.00
400-499	580.00-820.00	702.81	820.00				
<399	735.00-1050.00	848.10	1050.00				

Stocker cattle sold at sharply higher prices on real active demand. **Oct 1st@11:00 am – Special Vaccinated Calf Sale**

Stocker sale at **Ontario Stockyards Inc: September 17, 2026 – 630 Stockers**

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
1000+	360.00-435.00	415.00	435.00	900+	330.00-415.00	394.19	415.00
900-999	400.00-474.00	443.29	474.00	800-899	410.00-430.00	418.24	447.50
800-899	465.00-500.00	479.89	500.00	700-799	447.00-480.00	467.04	490.00
700-799	504.00-556.00	536.10	556.00	600-699	480.00-555.00	510.78	555.00
600-699	505.00-618.00	561.64	618.00	500-599	530.00-630.00	586.60	630.00
500-599	600.00-700.00	642.26	750.00	400-499	630.00-690.00	665.60	700.00
400-499	720.00-785.00	741.58	800.00	300-399	500.00-705.00	648.46	750.00
<399	720.00-850.00	805.00	970.00				

A medium quality offering of calves and yearlings sold \$15.00-\$25.00/cwt higher. **Oct 1st@11:00 am – CDN Angus Program/CDN Hereford Assoc. Sale**

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

	Choice 600-900	Select 600-900
Cutout Values (noon estimate):	371.94	353.26
Change (from yesterday's close):	-0.21	+1.38
Current Five Day Average:	375.06	354.10

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

	Price	Change from Last Week
For the week ending September 16, 2026	487.00-487.00	+6.13

ALBERTA DIRECT TRADE

Alberta direct trade this week have seen light trade develop with dressed sales ranging from \$490.00-492.00/cwt delivered, \$3.00-5.00/cwt lower than the previous week. This is the fifth consecutive week of lower fed prices. Cattle that traded were scheduled for late October/early November delivery. The bright spot for the Canadian fed market was Ontario as their prices were stronger this week. The Dominican Republic has approved imports of Canadian beef and beef products including offal from cattle of all ages. This is the first time since 2003 Canada has had access to this Caribbean market.

Steers	Live	N/T	Rail- del	490.00-492.00
Heifers	Live	N/T	Rail- del	490.00-492.00

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

The U.S. cash cattle trade saw light trade was reported in Iowa and Nebraska yesterday with dressed sales ranging from \$348.00-355.00/cwt and live sales were from \$222.00-223.00/cwt, fully steady with the previous week. Business in the Southern feeding states has been quiet. Today, live bids of \$220.00/cwt have been renewed but selling interest remains non-existent. USDA is scheduled to release its September 1st cattle on feed report this afternoon. Pre-report estimates are indicating feedlot placements for August to be 3% lower than last year while fed cattle marketings are projected to be down 4%. September 1st cattle on feed inventories are expected to be 2% larger versus last year.

Choice and Select Steers and Heifers:	Live	222.00-223.00
	Rail	348.00-355.00

CHICAGO MERCANTILE EXCHANGE

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

Live Cattle			Feeder Cattle			Corn		
Oct	215.93	+0.28	Sep	333.58	-1.25	Dec	5.274	-3.0
Dec	216.63	+0.38	Oct	323.50	-0.88	Mar	5.414	-3.0
Feb	217.35	+0.08	Nov	318.00	-0.65	May	5.482	-2.4
Apr	218.23	-0.43	Jan	308.93	-0.83	Jul	5.510	-2.2
Jun	212.83	-0.53	Mar	304.83	-1.18	Sep	5.224	-3.0
Aug	209.75	-0.45	Apr	304.75	-1.58	Dec	5.260	-3.2
Soybeans			Soft Red Winter Wheat			Canadian \$		
	US \$/bu			US \$/bu				
Nov	13.034	-16.2	Dec	7.142	-12.6	Spot	71.46	0.00
Jan	13.200	-17.0	Mar	7.300	-13.0	Dec	71.78	-0.01
Mar	13.294	-16.2	May	7.380	-12.0	Mar	72.08	-0.01
May	13.364	-16.0	Jul	7.380	-9.4	Jun	72.36	-0.02
Jul	13.404	-15.4	Sep	7.426	-8.2	Sep	72.64	-0.01
Aug	13.220	-15.0	Dec	7.522	-7.2	Dec	72.86	-0.01

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ONTARIO STOCKER & FEEDER SPECIAL FALL SALES

25-Sep	9:00 AM	Keady Livestock Market	Special Grass Yearling Sale
25-Sep	11:00 AM	Hoards Station Sale Barn	Quinte Cattlemens Mixed sale, Vacc preferred, catalogued-Farm Fresh
25-Sep	7:00 PM	Cargill Auction Market	Char. & Exotic Yearlings-Steers & Heifers
26-Sep	8:30 AM	Stratton-Rainy River Cattlemen's Sale	Fall Stocker sale
26-Sep	11:00 AM	Denfield Livestock Exchange	Vaccinated Calves & Yearlings
26-Sep	1:00 PM	Brussels Livestock	Bred Cow Sale
30-Sep	12:00 PM	Aylmer Stockyards Inc	Fall Stocker sale
30-Sep	1:00 PM	Vankleek Hill Livestock Exchange	Stocker sale
01-Oct	11:00 AM	Ontario Livestock Exchange	Special Vaccinated Calf Sale
01-Oct	11:00 AM	Ontario Stockyards Inc	CDN Angus Program/CDN Hereford Assoc. Sale
02-Oct	9:00 AM	Keady Livestock Market	Special Grass Yearling Sale
02-Oct	10:00 AM	Brussels Livestock	Simmental Influence Sale
02-Oct	7:00 PM	Cargill Auction Market	Char. & Exotic Yearlings- Steers & Heifers
03-Oct	1:00 PM	Maple Hill Auctions Ltd	Maple Hill Youth Market LAMB Show & Sale