



DAILY MARKET INFORMATION REPORT – FRIDAY October 2, 2026

ONTARIO DIRECT TO PACKER RAILGRADE CATTLE TRADE

Prices are on a carcass weight basis before grade and weight discounts for October 1, 2026:

A Grade Steers **\$505.00/cwt delivered with delivery for the week of October 5th**
A Grade Heifers **\$504.00/cwt delivered with delivery for the week of October 5th**

ONTARIO LIVE CATTLE TRADE

Today at Brussels Livestock: **975 Head**

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
1000+	385.00-441.00	415.20	441.00	900+	382.00-422.50	399.42	422.50
900-999	444.00-490.00	473.35	490.00	800-899	387.00-439.00	409.87	439.00
800-899	432.50-511.50	485.43	512.00	700-799	447.00-510.00	497.40	510.00
700-799	477.50-565.00	519.65	565.00	600-699	470.00-525.00	490.33	540.00
600-699	537.50-587.00	569.20	599.00	500-599	410.00-600.00	534.09	630.00
500-599	585.00-666.00	640.95	681.00	400-499	600.00-650.00	628.06	680.00
400-499	700.00-759.00	730.71	765.00				
<399	700.00-837.50	769.00	920.00				

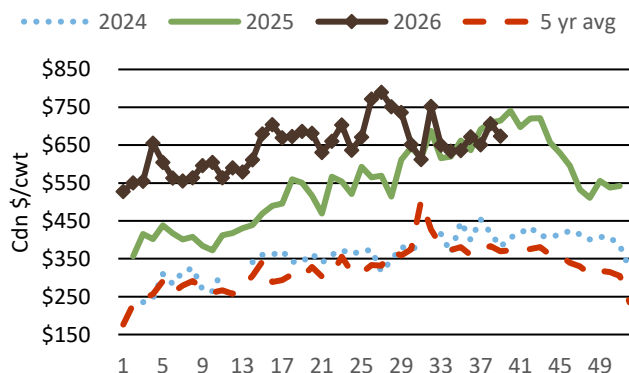
Calves and yearlings sold on a strong active trade. Simmentals sold strong with good buyer demand. **Every Friday at 10:00 am – Weekly Stocker Sales Oct 2nd @ 10:00 am – Simmental Influence Sale**

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

	Volume	Price Range	Average	Top
Large & Medium Frame Fed Steers +1250 lb	176	284.45-308.31	297.32	329.00
Large & Medium Frame Fed Heifers +1000 lb	59	245.00-307.00	288.44	336.00
Fed Steers, Dairy & Dairy Cross +1250 lbs	17	250.00-288.00	274.29	288.00
Fed Heifers, Dairy & Dairy Cross +1000 lbs	18	234.00-267.00	252.00	275.00
Cows	340	140.32-229.26	172.84	322.50
Bulls under 1600 lbs	3	240.33-242.67	241.50	315.00
Bulls over 1600 lbs	13	233.69-297.04	276.52	305.00
Veal calves over 600 lb	58	298.00-404.00	360.50	410.00

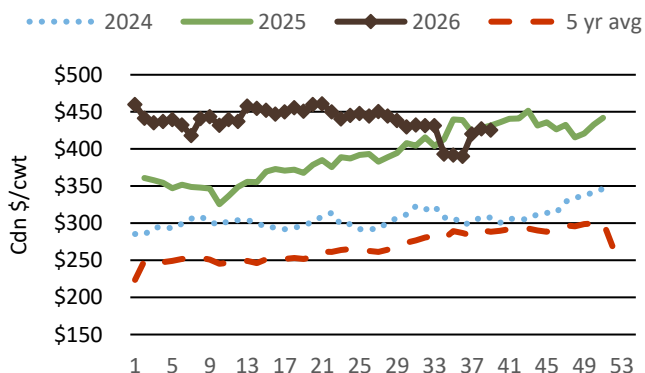
To check out individual auction market results on the BFO website go to <https://www.ontariobeef.com/market-info/auction-reports/individual-auction-market-reports>

Ontario 3-400 lb Feeder Heifer Price



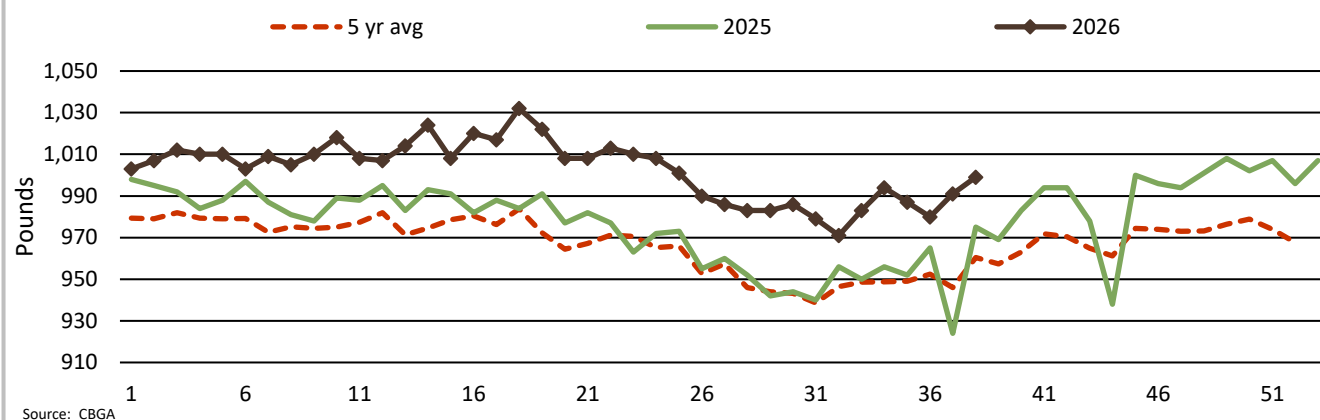
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Ontario 1000+ lb Feeder Steer Price



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Ontario Steer Carcass Weight - FI



ONTARIO STOCKER & FEEDER TRADE

Stocker sale at Ontario Livestock Exchange: **October 1, 2026 - 1,116 Stockers**

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
1000+	360.00-420.00	385.91	420.00	900+	375.00-405.00	389.69	405.00
900-999	440.00-475.00	451.61	475.00	800-899	407.50-450.00	423.40	450.00
800-899	420.00-505.00	470.20	505.00	700-799	400.00-485.00	441.43	590.00
700-799	435.00-570.00	506.67	570.00	600-699	500.00-630.00	564.39	635.00
600-699	520.00-665.00	601.80	665.00	500-599	555.00-670.00	611.72	700.00
500-599	600.00-745.00	680.99	745.00	400-499	530.00-690.00	597.91	750.00
400-499	650.00-790.00	696.37	885.00	300-399	550.00-750.00	664.50	750.00
<399	500.00-910.00	711.79	1025.00	<299	500.00-925.00	675.00	1000.00

Stocker cattle sold actively at steady to higher prices. **Oct 1st@11:00 am - Special Vaccinated Calf Sale**

Stocker sale at Ontario Stockyards Inc: **October 1, 2026 - 960 Stockers**

Steers	Price Range	Average	Top	Heifers	Price Range	Average	Top
800-899	455.00-525.00	499.72	525.00	900+	395.00-430.00	416.43	430.00
700-799	545.00-582.00	565.77	582.00	800-899	446.00-477.50	461.51	477.50
600-699	577.50-632.50	601.40	632.50	700-799	487.50-515.00	499.57	515.00
500-599	595.00-675.00	641.39	725.00	600-699	521.00-545.00	533.13	552.50
400-499	710.00-772.50	735.05	840.00	500-599	517.50-629.00	568.34	650.00
<399	715.00-915.00	828.13	1010.00	400-499	600.00-690.00	641.06	730.00
				300-399	655.00-815.00	743.64	815.00

A run of primarily British influenced cattle sold actively on a very strong market. **Oct 1st@11:00 am - CDN Angus Program/CDN Hereford Assoc. Sale**

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

	Choice	Select
	600-900	600-900
Cutout Values (noon estimate):	374.19	354.49
Change (from yesterday's close):	-2.60	+1.60
Current Five Day Average:	380.31	358.39

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

For the week ending September 30, 2026

Price	Change from Last Week
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ALBERTA DIRECT TRADE

Alberta direct trade so far this week have seen light trade develop with dressed sales ranging from \$495.00-500.00/cwt delivered, steady to \$5.00/cwt higher than the previous week. Buying interest was noted from all western Canadian packers but competition was limited. Cattle that traded this week were scheduled for the first half of November delivery. US packer interest was noted live bids were around \$304.00/cwt FOB feedlot to go South. US bids were at a premium over local sales.

Steers	Live	N/T	Rail- del	495.00-500.00
Heifers	Live	N/T	Rail- del	495.00-500.00

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 \$345.00-350.00/cwt, steady to \$5.00/cwt lower than the previous week. Live sales in the North ranged from \$220.00-221.00/cwt, steady to \$2.00/cwt lower. Yesterday live bids of \$226.00/cwt were being passed in Texas and Kansas, bids are fully steady with last week. Today the market tone is steady to higher. Live bids off \$222.00/cwt have been reported in the Northern feeding states and cattle are trading. Live bids of \$226.00/cwt have also been renewed in Texas and Kansas, bids are being passed once again.

Choice and Select Steers and Heifers:	Live	220.00-221.00
	Rail	345.00-350.00

CHICAGO MERCANTILE EXCHANGE

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

Live Cattle			Feeder Cattle			Corn		
Oct	218.85	-0.45	Oct	334.63	-4.25	Dec	4.9775	-4.4
Dec	221.48	-1.70	Nov	331.15	-5.20	Mar	5.1150	-5.2
Feb	223.15	-2.30	Jan	324.55	-5.15	May	518.50	-5.2
Apr	224.55	-2.60	Mar	320.83	-4.85	Jul	5.2275	-5.2
Jun	219.70	-2.68	Apr	320.68	-4.75	Sep	5.0625	-2.4
Aug	216.55	-2.60	May	319.73	-4.68	Dec	5.1650	-1.2
Soybeans			Soft Red Winter Wheat			Canadian \$		
	US \$/bu			US \$/bu				
Nov	12.782	-5.6	Dec	6.830	+0.2	Spot	70.13	-0.10
Jan	12.944	-6.2	Mar	6.966	-0.2	Dec	70.41	-0.09
Mar	13.046	-6.0	May	7.034	n/c	Mar	70.69	-0.13
May	13.142	-5.2	Jul	7.046	n/c	Jun	70.99	-0.12
Jul	13.204	-4.4	Sep	7.104	+0.6	Sep	71.29	-0.10
Aug	13.042	-4.4	Dec	7.212	+1.4	Dec	71.56	-0.10

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ONTARIO STOCKER & FEEDER SPECIAL FALL SALES

02-Oct	7:00 PM	Cargill Auction Market	Char. & Exotic Yearlings- Steers & Heifers
07-Oct	10:00 AM	Kawartha Lakes Community Sale Barn	KLC Calf & Yearling Sale
08-Oct	11:00 AM	Ontario Stockyards Inc	Special All Vaccinated Calf Sale
09-Oct	9:00 AM	Keady Livestock Market	Special Grass Yearling Sale
10-Oct	11:00 AM	Denfield Livestock Exchange	Vaccinated Calves & Yearlings
10-Oct	1:00 PM	Brussels Livestock	4-H Show & Sale(all proceeds go to 4-H Members & club)
15-Oct	11:00 AM	Ontario Stockyards Inc	Special Fall Yearling Sale
16-Oct	10:00 AM	Brussels Livestock	Charolais Influence Sale
16-Oct	5:00pm	Ontario Livestock Exchange	Special Bred Heifer Sale
16-Oct	12:00 PM	Temiskaming Livestock Exchange	Special Calf and Yearling Sale
16-Oct	7:00 PM	Maple Hill Auctions Ltd	"Upin the Ante" Charolais Female Sale

17-Oct	8:30 AM	Stratton-Rainy River Cattlemen's Sale	Fall Stocker sale
17-Oct	10:00 AM	Thessalon- Algoma Co-op Livestock Sales	Calves- Farm fresh, 90% vaccinated, sold in farmer lots
19-Oct	7:00 PM	Maple Hill Auctions Ltd	Limousin Influence Calf Sale
21-Oct	10:00 AM	Kawartha Lakes Community Sale Barn	KLC Calf & Yearling Sale
24-Oct	9:00 AM	Keady Livestock Market	<i>Bruce Peninsula Presorted Charolais Calf Sale</i>
24-Oct	11:00 AM	Denfield Livestock Exchange	Vaccinated Calves & Yearlings
24-Oct	1:00 PM	Brussels Livestock	Bred Cow Sale
24-Oct	7:00 PM	Maple Hill Auctions Ltd	Speckled Park Sale
26-Oct	7:00 PM	Maple Hill Auctions Ltd	Local Vaccinated Calf Sale
27-Oct	9:00 AM	Keady Livestock Market	<i>Georgian Bay Presorted Charolais X Calf Sale, no reg sale</i>
28-Oct	12:00 PM	Aylmer Stockyards Inc	Fall Stocker sale
28-Oct	1:00 PM	Vankleek Hill Livestock Exchange	Stocker sale
29-Oct	9:00 AM	Keady Livestock Market	<i>Bluewater Calf Sale Presorted Black & Red Calf Sale-</i>
29-Oct (TBD)	12:00 PM	Warton-Grey Bruce Livestock Co-op	Fall Calf Sale- 90% vaccinated-Note new start time.
30-Oct	10:00 AM	Brussels Livestock	Angus Influence Sale/Hereford Influence Sale
30-Oct	11:00 AM	Hoads Station Sale Barn	Quinte Cattlemens 100% All Vaccinated, catalogued-Farm Fresh
30-Oct	12:00 PM	Temiskaming Livestock Exchange	Bred Cow Sale
30-Oct	7:00 PM	Cargill Auction Market	Local Calf Sale
31-Oct	9:00 AM	Keady Livestock Market	<i>Central Calf Sale-vaccinated & selling in <u>owner lots</u></i>
31-Oct	1:00 PM	Maple Hill Auctions Ltd	Top Cut Bred Heifer Sale