

# Daily Market Information Report



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**Friday June 16, 2006**

## ONTARIO DIRECT TO PACKER RAILGRADE PRICES

Prices are on a carcass weight basis, before grade and weight discounts.

**A grade steers**      **Prices reported for Monday June 12, 06: 164.00-165.00**  
**A grade heifers**      **Not reported**

## ONTARIO LIVE CATTLE TRADE

Today at **Brussels Livestock** : 676 stockers

STEERS	Price Range	Top	HEIFERS	Price Range	Top
1000+	101.75-105.25	108.00	900+	96.50-105.50	112.00
900-1000	101.50-108.50	110.25	800-900	105.75-112.00	114.25
800-900	107.00-120.50	120.50	700-800	113.00-122.25	122.25
700-800	115.00-130.00	130.00	600-700	118.25-126.00	126.00
600-700	121.50-133.50	133.50	500-600	116.50-132.00	132.00
500-600	130.00-147.75	152.50	400-500	125.00-134.00	135.50
400-500	132.00-149.00	149.00	300-400	123.00-130.00	137.00

All weights of calves and yearlings sold at prices \$2.00 to \$5.00 higher.

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

	Price Range	Average	Top
Large & Med. Frame Fed Steers	80.73-106.25	95.23	107.75
Large & Med. Frame Fed Heifers	55.43-97.20	85.90	104.00
Cows	28.30-45.13	36.34	60.00
Bulls	42.67-64.46	52.82	93.00

## ONTARIO REPLACEMENT TRADE

Stocker Sale: **Ontario Stockyards – June 15, 2006- 324 stockers**

STEERS	Price Range	HEIFERS	Price Range
800-899	114.00-119.25	900+	84.00-101.50
700-799	112.00-127.25	800-899	108.50-117.00
600-699	117.00-134.50	700-799	96.00-116.00
500-599	115.00-149.00	600-699	110.00-122.50
400-499	125.00-161.00	500-599	121.00-128.50
399-	107.00-169.00	400-499	94.00-132.00

## ALBERTA DIRECT TRADE

Alberta direct trade on Thursday was light with prices \$1.00 higher than Wednesday.

<b>Steers</b>	Live	84.50-87.40	Flat rail	143.00-144.30
<b>Heifers</b>	Live	84.25-88.10	Flat rail	N/T

## U.S. TRADE (U.S funds)

US cash cattle trade was light in the south with steers and heifers selling at \$81.50 live, which is \$0.50 lower than last week.

<b>Choice and select steers and heifers:</b>	Live	81.50
	Rail	N/T

QUEBEC ELECTRONIC AUCTION MARKET (F.O.B. the feedlot)

Week Ending June 15, 2006

Price Range

A1, A2 Steers & Heifers

165.25-166.75

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

	<b>Choice</b>	<b>Select</b>
	<b>600-900</b>	<b>600-900</b>
Cutout Values: (noon estimate)	151.84	129.11
Change: (from yesterday's close)	+0.19	+0.27
Current 5 day average:	152.62	129.56

PROVINCIAL SLAUGHTER

	<b>May 2006</b>	<b>May 2005</b>
Steers	4,830	5,654
Heifers	3,487	4,152
Cows	2,440	2,547
Bulls	990	1,057

CHICAGO MERCANTILE EXCHANGE

Closing quotes on futures today were as follows:

<b>Live Cattle</b>			<b>Feeder Cattle</b>			<b>Corn</b>			<b>Soybeans</b>			<b>Canadian \$</b>		
\$/cwt US			\$/cwt US			\$/bu US ¢/bu			\$/bu US ¢/bu					
<b>Jun</b>	81.65	+0.70	<b>Aug</b>	112.57	+0.22	<b>July</b>	2.354	+2.4	<b>Jul</b>	6.002	+7.6	<b>Spot</b>	89.07	-0.64
<b>Aug</b>	83.45	+0.85	<b>Sep</b>	111.97	+0.15	<b>Sep</b>	2.470	+2.4	<b>Aug</b>	6.064	+7.0	<b>Jun</b>	89.05	-0.65
<b>Oct</b>	86.05	+0.10	<b>Oct</b>	110.60	+0.12	<b>Dec</b>	2.612	+2.6	<b>Sep</b>	6.134	+7.2	<b>Sep</b>	89.29	-0.66
<b>Dec</b>	87.85	+0.75	<b>Nov</b>	109.80	+0.22	<b>Mar</b>	2.722	+3.0	<b>Nov</b>	6.270	+6.4	<b>Dec</b>	89.56	-0.66

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