



Daily Market Information Report



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Monday July 10, 2006

ONTARIO DIRECT TO PACKER RAILGRADE CATTLE TRADE

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

A grade steers 164.00-165.00

A grade heifers Not Reported.

ONTARIO LIVE CATTLE TRADE

Today at **Ontario Stockyards:** 158 veal calves

	Price Range	Top Price
Veal calves + 600 lbs	70.00-99.00	133.00
Veal calves 451-600 lbs	67.00-93.00	103.00

Veal calves sold at prices steady to last week.

At Talbotville Livestock: July 8, 2006- 367 head.

	Price Range	Top
Good & choice steers	89.00-98.00	102.00
Good & choice heifers	86.00-97.00	101.00
Cows	33.50-42.50	54.50
Bulls	38.00-60.00	

Fancy and high yielding fed steers and heifers sold strong and steady. Cows traded strong to higher.

ONTARIO REPLACEMENT TRADE

Stockers: Brussels Livestock, July 7, 2006. - 1037 stockers

STEERS	Price Range	Top	HEIFERS	Price Range	Top
1000+	102.75-110.00	110.50	900+	100.00-108.25	110.00
900-1000	102.75-112.00	115.50	800-900	100.00-111.00	111.00
800-900	101.50-119.75	122.50	700-800	104.00-115.50	123.00
700-800	113.50-130.50	136.50	600-700	112.50-131.00	132.50
600-700	124.00-137.25	137.75	500-600	124.00-134.25	134.25
500-600	132.00-153.25	153.25	400-500	119.00-133.00	137.00
400-500	131.00-153.50	155.00			

AVERAGE CARCASS WEIGHTS – CANADA

	Steers	Heifers
July 1, 2006	813	757
July 2, 2005	806	734

FEDERALLY INSPECTED CANADIAN KILL

	Week Ending	YTD	% of Yr. Ago
	July 1, 2006		
Grand Total	66,058	1,694,536	89%
Alberta Slaughter	41,970	1,054,632	82%
Ontario Slaughter	13,458	344,413	105%

USDA ESTIMATED CATTLE KILL

	Week Ending July 8, 2006	Previous Week	Year Ago
Grand Total	594,000	701,000	557,000

U.S. TRADE (U.S funds)

US cash cattle trade is quiet today with significant business not expected until Wednesday or later. Asking prices are \$85.00-\$86.00 live and \$134.00-\$135.00 dressed.

Choice and select steers and heifers:	Live	N/T
	Rail	N/T

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

	Choice 600-900	Select 600-900
Cutout Values: (noon estimate)	151.86	129.73
Change: (from yesterday's close)	-0.53	-0.65
Current 5 day average:	153.55	131.21

CHICAGO MERCANTILE EXCHANGE

Closing quotes on futures today were as follows:

Live Cattle		Feeder Cattle		Corn		Soybeans		Canadian \$	
\$/cwt US		\$/cwt US		\$/bu US ¢/bu		\$/bu US ¢/bu			
Aug	84.20 -1.12	Aug	114.12 -1.77	July	2.476 +6.6	Jul	6.030 +1.0	Spot	88.87 -0.93
Oct	87.05 -2.07	Sep	114.02 -1.62	Sep	2.572 +6.2	Aug	6.082 +2.0	Sept	89.03 -0.94
Dec	89.22 -0.62	Oct	113.42 -1.22	Dec	2.724 +6.6	Sep	6.154 +1.6	Dec	89.29 -0.94
Feb	90.97 -0.45	Nov	111.50 -1.37	Mar	2.836 +6.4	Nov	6.296 +2.0	Mar	89.54 -0.94

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