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**Tuesday Oct 31, 2006**

## ONTARIO DIRECT TO PACKER RAILGRADE CATTLE TRADE

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

**As Reported for Monday Oct 30, 2006**

**A grade steers** 151.00-153.00  
**A grade heifers** 150.00-151.00

## ONTARIO LIVE CATTLE TRADE

Today at: **Brussels Livestock –610 fed cattle, 300 cows.**

	Price Range	Top
<b>Choice steers &amp; heifers</b>	89.00-93.00	94.75
<b>Second cut cattle</b>	85.00-89.00	

Fed steers and heifers sold on a strong active market.

Today at: **Ontario Livestock Exchange–165 cows, 321 veal**

	Price Range	
<b>Cows</b>	29.00-40.00	
<b>Veal: Good Hol</b>	97.00-106.00	
<b>Good Beef</b>	104.00-115.00	160.00
<b>Med Hol</b>	93.00-97.00	

Cows sold strong. Veal traded on a steady market.

## ONTARIO REPLACEMENT TRADE

Stocker sale at: **Vankleek Hill Livestock Exchange- Oct 30, 2006**

STEERS	Price Range	HEIFERS	Price Range
<b>600-6990</b>	76.00-116.00	<b>600-699</b>	95.00-107.00
<b>500-599</b>	100.00-126.00	<b>500-599</b>	70.00-109.00
<b>400-499</b>	100.00-127.00	<b>400-499</b>	87.00-117.00
<b>399-</b>	65.00-120.00	<b>300-399</b>	75.00-123.00

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

US cash cattle trade is quiet today with just a few token bids in Kansas. Significant business is not expected to develop until Wednesday at the earliest. Early asking prices are \$92.00 plus live and \$144.00-\$145.00 dressed.

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

## CANADIAN BOXED BEEF CUT-OUT VALUES

Week Ending	AAA	AA
<b>Oct 21, 2006</b>	1.6135	1.5852
<b>Oct 14, 2006</b>	1.6393	1.5700

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

	<b>Choice 600-900</b>	<b>Select 600-900</b>
<b>Cutout Values:</b> (noon estimate)	148.34	135.96
<b>Change:</b> (from Friday's close)	+0.57	-0.52
<b>Current 5 day average:</b>	147.60	136.90

**CHICAGO MERCANTILE EXCHANGE**

Closing quotes on futures for 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>Oct</b>	90.40	+0.35	<b>Nov</b>	103.97	+0.35	<b>Dec</b>	3.206	-8.6	<b>Nov</b>	6.302	-9.4	<b>Spot</b>	89.16	+0.37
<b>Dec</b>	87.82	-0.85	<b>Jan</b>	101.50	+0.55	<b>Mar</b>	3.346	-8.2	<b>Jan</b>	6.442	-9.0	<b>Dec</b>	89.27	+0.37
<b>Feb</b>	90.82	-0.67	<b>Mar</b>	99.95	+0.15	<b>May</b>	3.414	-8.0	<b>Mar</b>	6.544	-8.2	<b>Mar</b>	89.52	+0.37
<b>Apr</b>	90.17	-0.40	<b>Apr</b>	99.90	+0.25	<b>Jul</b>	3.486	-7.0	<b>May</b>	6.616	-6.6	<b>Jun</b>	89.79	+0.37

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