

Daily Market Information Report



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Friday February 9, 2007

ONTARIO DIRECT TO PACKER RAILGRADE PRICES

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

A grade steers	154.00-160.00
A grade heifers	153.00-159.00

ONTARIO LIVE CATTLE TRADE

Today at **Brussels Livestock** : 750 stockers

STEERS	Price Range	Top	HEIFERS	Price Range	Top
1000+	92.00-103.50	103.50	900+	93.00-102.00	104.00
900-999	93.00-106.00	108.00	800-899	86.00-104.00	104.00
800-899	95.75-105.00	105.00	700-799	85.00-104.00	105.00
700-799	101.50-108.00	108.00	600-699	105.00-109.00	109.00
600-699	103.00-118.75	118.75	500-599	102.75-114.00	114.00
500-599	110.50-125.00	130.00	400-499	101.00-115.50	125.00
400-499	120.00-135.00	135.00	300-399	109.00-122.00	129.50
-399	91.00-129.00	129.00	299-	120.00-132.00	132.00

Calves sold \$4.00-\$5.00 higher with the yearlings selling steady.

ONTARIO REPLACEMENT TRADE

Stocker Sale: **Ontario Stockyards – Feb 8, 2007**

STEERS	Price Range	Top	HEIFERS	Price Range	Top
800-899	91.00-101.00	101.00	700-799	89.50-99.00	99.00
700-799	92.75-104.50	110.00	600-699	85.50-99.50	114.00
600-699	110.00-125.75	125.75	500-599	95.00-113.50	113.50
500-599	113.00-129.00	132.75	400-499	90.00-110.00	114.00
400-499	122.00-134.00	135.00	300-399	105.00-130.75	130.75
399-	121.00-135.00	137.50			

Stocker Sale: **Ottawa Livestock Exchange – Feb 8, 2007**

STEERS	Price Range	Top	HEIFERS	Price Range	Top
700-799	96.00-104.00	104.00	600-699	93.00-102.00	108.00
600-699	97.00-118.00	118.00	500-599	88.00-110.00	123.00
500-599	95.00-121.00	127.00	400-499	84.00-109.00	115.00
400-499	94.00-124.00	124.00	900-399	95.00-123.00	123.00
399-	65.00-122.00	122.00			

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

	Price Range	Average	Top
Large & Med. Frame Fed Steers	88.01-96.71	92.41	102.75
Large & Med. Frame Fed Heifers	82.61-96.84	90.45	98.75
Cows	28.05-41.75	34.32	63.00
Bulls	39.00-48.38	43.69	65.000

ALBERTA DIRECT TRADE

Alberta direct trade on Thursday light with prices steady to Wednesday.

Steers	Live	87.80-89.40	Flat rail	148.35
Heifers	Live	N/T	Flat rail	147.00-148.50

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

Week Ending Feb 8, 2007 **Price Range**

A1, A2 Steers & Heifers **155.00-156.00**

U.S. TRADE (U.S funds)

US cash cattle trade was very limited today in the south as sellers resist bids which are \$4.00-\$5.00 lower than asking prices that are set at \$91.00-\$93.00 live and \$145.00-\$148.00 dressed. Significant trade volume in the south is not expected before late afternoon. Thursday's moderate trade in the north saw prices \$6.00-\$7.00 higher than last week with no trade reported for today at time of reporting.

Choice and select steers and heifers:	Live	Thursday-91.00
	Rail	Thursday-142.00-145.50

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

	Choice	Select
	600-900	600-900
Cutout Values: (noon estimate)	144.85	139.00
Change: (from yesterday's close)	+1.22	+1.69
Current 5 day average:	142.55	135.66

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					
Feb	93.20	-0.15	Mar	98.77	-0.10	Mar	4.062	+6.4	Mar	7.492	+5.4	Spot	85.35	+0.78
Apr	94.80	-0.07	Apr	100.27	-0.47	May	4.180	+6.2	May	7.654	+5.2	Mar	85.44	+0.78
Jun	91.92	+0.17	May	101.70	-0.50	Jul	4.242	+6.4	Jul	7.784	+4.6	Jun	85.67	+0.78
Aug	89.05	+0.17	Aug	102.92	-0.72	Sep	4.096	+4.2	Aug	7.830	+4.4	Sep	85.91	+0.78

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