

# Daily Market Information Report



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**Friday February 23, 2007**

## ONTARIO DIRECT TO PACKER RAILGRADE PRICES

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

**A grade steers** 160.00-167.00  
**A grade heifers** 159.00-166.00

## ONTARIO LIVE CATTLE TRADE

Today at **Brussels Livestock** : 1250 stockers

STEERS	Price Range	Top	HEIFERS	Price Range	Top
900-999	94.75-108.00	108.00	800-899	91.00-103.75	104.00
800-899	99.00-109.00	109.00	700-799	98.00-108.75	108.75
700-799	101.00-110.50	118.50	600-699	96.00-110.00	114.00
600-699	105.00-120.75	122.50	500-599	95.00-109.00	110.50
500-599	110.00-135.00	135.00	400-499	93.00-116.00	140.00
400-499	112.00-136.00	136.00			
-399	107.00-138.00	138.00			

At time of reporting there were 483 yearlings left to sell. Calves and yearlings are selling on a good strong active trade.

## ONTARIO REPLACEMENT TRADE

Stocker Sale: **Ontario Stockyards – Feb 22, 2007**

STEERS	Price Range	Top	HEIFERS	Price Range	Top
1000+	86.00-90.00	92.00	800-899	92.50-102.75	102.75
900-999	98.00-106.75	106.75	700-799	97.00-112.25	112.25
800-899	103.0-111.25	111.25	600-699	90.00-111.75	111.75
700-799	105.50-117.00	118.00	500-599	88.00-114.00	117.00
600-699	109.00-122.50	126.00	400-499	93.00-117.50	121.00
500-599	118.00-133.00	133.00	300-399	84.00-120.00	122.00
400-499	109.00-137.00	137.00			
399-	67.50-130.00	130.00			

Stocker Sale: **Ontario Livestock Exchange – Feb 22, 2007**

STEERS	Price Range	Top	HEIFERS	Price Range	Top
800-899	90.00-101.00	101.00	700-799	85.00-95.00	95.00
700-799	93.00-110.50	110.50	600-699	70.00-99.50	99.50
600-699	109.00-121.00	128.00	500-599	73.00-104.00	104.00
500-599	119.50-128.50	140.50			
400-499	112.00-134.00	134.00			

Stocker Sale: **Ottawa Livestock Exchange (Leo's) – Feb 22, 2007**

STEERS	Price Range	Top	HEIFERS	Price Range	Top
700-799	92.00-112.00	112.00	700-799	96.00-105.00	105.00
600-699	101.00-121.00	121.00	600-699	99.00-108.00	108.00
500-599	98.00-127.00	127.00	500-599	103.00-116.50	117.00
400-499	118.00-133.00	133.00	400-499	109.00-118.00	119.50

Stocker Sale: **Tri-County Cattle Co. – Feb 22, 2007**

<b>STEERS</b>	<b>Price Range</b>	<b>Top</b>	<b>HEIFERS</b>	<b>Price Range</b>	<b>Top</b>
<b>1000+</b>	99.00-99.75	101.50	<b>800-899</b>	101.75-102.50	102.50
<b>900-999</b>	97.25-98.00	98.00	<b>700-799</b>	103.75-110.00	110.00
<b>700-799</b>	105.75-115.00	115.00	<b>600-699</b>	109.00-112.00	112.00
<b>600-699</b>	123.00	123.00	<b>500-599</b>	110.25-113.50	113.50
<b>500-599</b>	128.00-130.25	133.00			

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

	<b>Price Range</b>	<b>Average</b>	<b>Top</b>
<b>Large &amp; Med. Frame Fed Steers</b>	94.46-102.45	98.35	112.00
<b>Large &amp; Med. Frame Fed Heifers</b>	84.45-99.33	95.12	106.75
<b>Cows</b>	27.91-45.23	35.29	60.00
<b>Bulls</b>	35.19-45.98	39.27	65.00

**ALBERTA DIRECT TRADE**

Alberta direct trade on Thursday was light with prices slightly softer than last week.

<b>Steers</b>	Live	91.00	Flat rail	149.00-149.65
<b>Heifers</b>	Live	89.80	Flat rail	147.50-149.65

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

<b>Week Ending Feb 22, 2007</b>	<b>Price Range</b>
<b>A1, A2 Steers &amp; Heifers</b>	166.50-166.75

**U.S. TRADE (U.S funds)**

US cash cattle trade was active today with prices \$2.00 lower on dressed cattle with live cattle prices steady to last week.

<b>Choice and select steers and heifers:</b>	Live	90.50-91.50
	Rail	144.00-146.00 – majority of sales @ \$145.00

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

	<b>Choice</b>	<b>Select</b>
	<b>600-900</b>	<b>600-900</b>
<b>Cutout Values:</b> (noon estimate)	149.42	143.55
<b>Change:</b> (from yesterday's close)	-1.45	-1.06
<b>Current 5 day average:</b>	153.24	146.03

**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 US								
	¢/bu		¢/bu		¢/bu		¢/bu							
<b>Feb</b>	94.17	+0.70	<b>Mar</b>	99.32	+0.10	<b>Mar</b>	4.302	-4.2	<b>Mar</b>	7.782	-5.4	<b>Spot</b>	86.27	+0.10
<b>Apr</b>	96.17	-0.05	<b>Apr</b>	101.92	+0.70	<b>May</b>	4.424	-5.0	<b>May</b>	7.940	-6.4	<b>Mar</b>	86.31	+0.08
<b>Jun</b>	94.15	+0.20	<b>May</b>	103.42	+0.57	<b>Jul</b>	4.520	-5.0	<b>Jul</b>	8.090	-6.2	<b>Jun</b>	86.54	+0.08
<b>Aug</b>	91.17	+0.30	<b>Aug</b>	103.40	+0.17	<b>Sep</b>	4.354	-5.2	<b>Aug</b>	8.130	-8.0	<b>Sep</b>	86.79	+0.08

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**Special Spring Sales**

Friday Feb 23, 2007	7:00 pm	Ontario Stockyards Inc.	Bred Cow Sale
Wed Feb 28, 2007	11:00 am	Kawartha Lakes Co-op Auction Mkt	Stockers

