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**Tuesday March 27, 2007**

## ONTARIO DIRECT TO PACKER RAILGRADE CATTLE TRADE

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

As Reported for Monday March 26, 2007

**A grade steers** 179.00-180.00  
**A grade heifers** 178.00-179.00

## ONTARIO LIVE CATTLE TRADE

Today at: **Brussels Livestock – 854 fed cattle, 275 cows.**

	Price Range	Top
<b>Choice steers &amp; heifers</b>	100.00-105.00	112.00
<b>Second cut cattle</b>	98.00-100.00	
<b>Good Beef Cows</b>	45.00-55.00	60.00

Fed steers and heifers sold on a steady market. Cows sold on a moderate demand.

Today at: **Ontario Livestock Exchange– 130 cows, 331 veal**

	Price Range	Top
<b>Cows</b>	29.00-42.00	43.50
<b>Veal:</b>		
<b>Good Hol</b>	73.00-82.00	
<b>Good Beef</b>	93.00-104.50	
<b>Med Hol</b>	63.00-72.00	
<b>Plain Hol</b>	55.00-62.00	

Veal traded steady while cows sold barely steady.

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

US cash cattle trade was very quiet today with business not expected to surface before Thursday. Asking prices remain \$100.00 live and \$160.00 dressed.

**Choice and select steers and heifers:**

Live	N/T
Rail	N/T

## CANADIAN BOXED BEEF CUT-OUT VALUES

Week Ending	AAA	AA
March 17, 2007	1.8261	1.7910
March 10, 2007	1.7697	1.7131

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

	Choice 600-900	Select 600-900
<b>Cutout Values:</b> (noon estimate)	156.20	147.07
<b>Change:</b> (from Friday's close)	-0.19	-0.41
<b>Current 5 day average:</b>	160.14	150.03

## 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>Apr</b>	96.82	-1.22	<b>Mar</b>	105.10	-0.22	<b>May</b>	3.924	+1.4	<b>May</b>	7.570	-1.4	<b>Spot</b>	86.07	+0.33
<b>Jun</b>	93.35	-1.77	<b>Apr</b>	105.22	-1.07	<b>Jul</b>	4.036	+0.2	<b>Jul</b>	7.730	-1.6	<b>Jun</b>	86.58	+0.30
<b>Aug</b>	91.20	-1.27	<b>May</b>	106.95	-1.00	<b>Sep</b>	4.004	+1.2	<b>Aug</b>	7.786	-2.2	<b>Sep</b>	86.79	+0.30
<b>Oct</b>	95.15	-1.10	<b>Aug</b>	108.57	-0.97	<b>Dec</b>	4.014	+0.2	<b>Nov</b>	7.856	-1.4	<b>Dec</b>	87.00	+0.30

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