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**Tuesday April 10, 2007**

## ONTARIO DIRECT TO PACKER RAILGRADE CATTLE TRADE

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

As Reported for Monday April 9, 2007

**A grade steers** 180.00-181.00  
**A grade heifers** 179.00-180.00

## ONTARIO LIVE CATTLE TRADE

Today at: **Brussels Livestock – 950 fed cattle, 174 cows.**

	Price Range	Top
<b>Choice steers &amp; heifers</b>	104.00-108.00	115.25
<b>Second cut cattle</b>	100.00-103.00	
<b>Good Beef Cows</b>	40.00-50.00	60.00

Fed cattle sold at prices \$2.00-\$3.00 higher while cows traded at prices \$3.00-\$4.00 higher.

Today at: **Ontario Livestock Exchange– 107 cows, 348 Veal**

	Price Range	Top
<b>Cows</b>	36.00-45.00	
<b>Veal:</b>		
<b>Good Hol</b>	76.00-87.00	
<b>Good Beef</b>	95.00-116.00	
<b>Med Hol</b>	70.00-76.00	
<b>Plain Hol</b>	60.00-70.00	
<b>Heavy Hol</b>	65.00-82.00	

Cows sold strong at prices \$2.00-\$3.00 higher. Veal traded actively at prices steady to higher.

Today at: **Keady Livestock – 900 stockers.**

STEERS	Price Range	HEIFERS	Price Range
<b>900-999</b>	113.50-113.60	<b>800-899</b>	106.75-107.75
<b>800-899</b>	98.50-117.50	<b>700-799</b>	102.00-114.75
<b>700-799</b>	108.00-124.00	<b>600-699</b>	112.00-120.0
<b>600-699</b>	119.00-133.50	<b>500-599</b>	112.00-125.50
<b>500-599</b>	123.00-137.50	<b>400-499</b>	108.50-127.50
<b>400-499</b>	115.00-141.00	<b>300-399</b>	99.00-128.00

A good selection of replacements sold on a solid demand at steady prices.

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

US cash cattle trade was typically quiet today with business not expected to surface before Thursday. Asking prices are \$102.00-\$104.00 live and \$165.00 dressed.

**Choice and select steers and heifers:**

Live	N/T
Rail	N/T

**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)	166.54	156.05
<b>Change:</b> (from Friday's close)	+3.16	+1.93
<b>Current 5 day average:</b>	158.21	149.40

**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>	100.27	-0.62	<b>Apr</b>	110.95	-0.95	<b>May</b>	3.690	+5.4	<b>May</b>	7.424	-6.4	<b>Spot</b>	87.16	+0.41
<b>Jun</b>	95.80	-0.90	<b>May</b>	111.95	-0.80	<b>Jul</b>	3.812	+5.0	<b>Jul</b>	7.604	-6.0	<b>Jun</b>	87.32	+0.41
<b>Aug</b>	93.90	-0.72	<b>Aug</b>	113.15	-0.67	<b>Sep</b>	3.866	+6.6	<b>Aug</b>	7.654	-7.2	<b>Sep</b>	87.53	+0.41
<b>Oct</b>	97.80	-0.57	<b>Sep</b>	111.40	-0.30	<b>Dec</b>	3.944	+8.0	<b>Nov</b>	7.730	-5.4	<b>Dec</b>	87.74	+0.41

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