



Daily Market Information Report



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Monday April 16, 2007

ONTARIO DIRECT TO PACKER RAILGRADE CATTLE TRADE

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

A grade steers 182.00-184.00
A grade heifers 181.00-183.00

ONTARIO LIVE CATTLE TRADE

Today at **Ontario Stockyards: 175 veal**

	Price Range	Top Price
Veal calves + 600 lbs	63.50-90.50	119.50
Veal calves 451- 600 lbs	55.00-77.00	94.00

Good quality, choice weights of veal sold steady, all other types sold barely steady to easier. 1100 stockers expected for Tuesday's Special vaccinated stocker sale.

Today at: **Brussels Livestock, Special Vaccinated Stocker Sale** sponsored by Huron County Beef Producers. **1,113 stockers**

STEERS	Price Range	Avg	Top	HEIFERS	Price Range	Avg	Top
1000+	104.75-105.00	104.96	105.00	900+	104.50	104.50	104.50
900-999	105.00-106.75	105.44	110.00	800-899	102.50-110.50	106.86	110.50
800-899	107.00-115.00	110.85	115.00	700-799	99.00-114.25	109.43	118.00
700-799	112.50-124.00	118.49	124.00	600-699	108.00-127.00	118.04	129.00
600-699	119.00-133.00	126.58	138.00	500-599	116.00-134.00	127.24	140.00
500-599	121.00-143.00	135.66	143.00	400-499	129.00-140.00	133.82	140.00
400-499	131.50-147.50	137.46	147.50	300-399	120.00-137.00	131.29	137.00
399-	114.05-149.00	130.83	149.00				

Calves and yearlings sold on a strong active trade.

At Talbotville Livestock: April 14, 2007- 519 head

	Price Range	Top
Good & choice steers	102.00-112.00	114.75
Good & choice heifers	99.00-108.00	113.00
Cows	37.00-44.00	67.50
Bulls (good heavy bologna bulls)	45.00-55.00	
Veal	70.00-85.00	

Fed steers and heifers sold on strong to higher trends with price gains of \$2.00-\$3.00 per cwt. Cows sold strong and steady.

ONTARIO REPLACEMENT TRADE

Stocker Sale at: **Brussels Livestock, April 13, 2007**

STEERS	Price Range	Avg	Top	HEIFERS	Price Range	Avg	Top
1000+	96.00-106.25	102.29	109.50	900+	102.25-107.75	105.55	107.75
900-999	100.50-109.50	107.14	109.50	800-899	102.00-108.00	106.34	108.00
800-899	105.50-115.75	110.33	115.75	700-799	103.00-112.50	108.28	112.50
700-799	108.00-118.00	113.17	122.00	600-699	102.25-122.00	112.83	134.50
600-699	112.00-135.50	124.40	136.00	500-599	109.00-129.75	118.85	129.75
500-599	113.50-136.00	127.23	138.00	400-499	103.50-122.00	114.98	131.00
400-499	116.50-137.00	129.89	141.50	300-399	117.00-142.50	129.42	142.50
399-	129.00-138.00	132.44	163.00				

Calves sold at prices \$2.00-\$5.00 higher with yearlings trading at prices \$2.00 higher.

ONTARIO REPLACEMENT TRADE-SPECIAL SPRING SALES

Stocker Sale at: **Selby Livestock Auction- Sat April 14, 2007 - 580 stockers**

STEERS	Price Range	Avg	Top	HEIFERS	Price Range	Avg	Top
900-999	103.50-107.00	106.55	107.00	800-899	87.00-101.00	92.88	101.00
800-899	100.00-116.75	109.85	116.75	700-799	95.50-108.25	105.66	108.25
700-799	104.00-111.00	109.09	111.00	600-699	94.25-111.50	106.69	111.50
600-699	101.00-127.75	116.81	127.75	500-599	100.00-123.00	115.16	123.00
500-599	104.00-134.50	120.60	134.50	400-499	103.00-123.00	116.06	123.00
400-499	111.50-139.00	125.57	139.00	300-399	103.00-121.50	115.00	121.50
399-	100.00-119.00	113.12	119.00				

LIVE CATTLE IMPORTS-ONTARIO

	Week ending April 7, 07	Week ending Mar 31, 07	Year to date.
Live slaughter cattle imported from the U.S. into Ontario	0	0	0

LIVE CATTLE EXPORTS-ONTARIO

	Week ending April 7, 07	Week ending Mar 31, 07	Year to date.
Live slaughter cattle exported from Ontario to the U.S.	1,187	1,766	32,447

AVERAGE CARCASS WEIGHTS – CANADA

	Steers	Heifers
April 7, 2007	832	776
April 8, 2006	816	769

FEDERALLY INSPECTED CANADIAN KILL

	Week Ending	YTD	% of Yr. Ago
	April 7, 2007		
Grand Total	50,893	887,262	99%
Alberta Slaughter	32,133	574,640	105%
Ontario Slaughter	10,695	179,325	96%

USDA ESTIMATED CATTLE KILL

	Week Ending	Previous Week	Year Ago
	April 14, 2007		
Grand Total	615,000	606,000	611,000

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

	Choice	Select
	600-900	600-900
Cutout Values: (noon estimate)	169.18	158.03
Change: (from yesterday's close)+0.1	-0.49	-0.92
Current 5 day average:	168.89	157.77

U.S. TRADE (U.S funds)

US cash cattle trade was quiet today as buyers collect new showlists which are larger than last week due to smaller trade volume totals last week. Early asking prices are \$100.00 live and \$160.00 dressed.

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

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			
Apr	97.30	+0.25	Apr	107.72	+0.47	May	3.642	-4.6	May	7.360	-2.0	Spot	88.42	+0.44
Jun	92.90	+0.20	May	108.52	+0.80	Jul	3.760	-5.4	Jul	7.532	-1.6	Jun	88.57	+0.43
Aug	91.27	+0.22	Aug	110.77	+0.77	Sep	3.820	-4.2	Aug	7.600	-3.0	Sep	88.79	+0.43
Oct	95.17	+0.05	Sep	109.40	+0.30	Dec	3.902	-4.6	Sep	7.672	-2.6	Dec	89.01	+0.43

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Special Spring Sales

April 17, 07-	11:00 am-	Ontario Stockyards Inc	Vaccinated Stocker Sale
April 20, 07-	9:00 am-	Keady Livestock	Calves and Yearlings
April 20, 07-	12:00 pm-	Temiskaming Livestock	Calves and Yearlings
April 20, 07-	7:00 pm-	Ontario Stockyards Inc	Bred Cow Sale