



Daily Market Information Report



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Monday July 30, 2007

ONTARIO DIRECT TO PACKER RAILGRADE CATTLE TRADE

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

A grade steers 152.00-158.00
A grade heifers 151.00-155.00

ONTARIO LIVE CATTLE TRADE

Today at **Ontario Stockyards: 87 veal**

	Price Range	Top Price
Veal calves + 600 lbs	62.00-95.50	117.50

Veal traded on a stronger market.

At Talbotville Livestock: July 28 2007- 417 hd

	Price Range	Top
Good & choice steers	87.00-96.00	101.25
Good & choice heifers	85.00-94.00	
Good Cows	36.00-46.00	62.50
Bulls (good heavy bologna bulls)	45.00-55.00	
Bulls (common & medium weights)	40.00-62.00	
Good & choice Veal	55.00-70.00	

Fed steers and heifers sold at lower levels following the week's trend. Cows sold steady while veal continued to sell at lower levels.

ONTARIO REPLACEMENT TRADE

Stocker Sale at: **Brussels Livestock, July 27, 2007- 760 stockers**

STEERS	Price Range	Avg	Top	HEIFERS	Price Range	Avg	Top
1000+	87.50-101.50	96.65	106.00	900+	90.00-96.50	94.00	99.25
900-999	89.00-108.75	99.25	108.75	800-899	94.25-102.00	98.29	102.00
800-899	103.00-113.50	107.23	113.50	700-799	96.00-106.50	100.63	108.50
700-799	103.50-117.00	109.66	117.00	600-699	97.50-110.00	106.04	116.50
600-699	102.00-120.00	112.26	124.50	500-599	111.50-122.50	118.57	124.50
500-599	113.00-123.50	118.91	126.00	400-499	99.0-125.00	112.32	130.00
400-499	112.50-131.00	121.28	135.00				

LIVE CATTLE IMPORTS-ONTARIO

	Week ending July 21, 07	Week ending July 14, 07	Year to date.
Live slaughter cattle imported from the U.S. into Ontario	119	998	5,053

LIVE CATTLE EXPORTS-ONTARIO

	Week ending July 21, 07	Week ending July 14, 07	Year to date.
Live slaughter cattle exported from Ontario to the U.S.	160	574	51,384

AVERAGE CARCASS WEIGHTS – CANADA

	Steers	Heifers
July 21, 2007	827	761
July 22, 2006	829	759

FEDERALLY INSPECTED CANADIAN KILL

	Week Ending July 21, 2007	YTD	% of Yr. Ago
Grand Total	60,979	1,816,645	97%
Alberta Slaughter	41,540	1,200,752	103%
Ontario Slaughter	12,218	358,578	94%

USDA ESTIMATED CATTLE KILL

	Week Ending July 28, 2007	Previous Week	Year Ago
Grand Total	668,000	678,000	650,000

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

	Choice 600-900	Select 600-900
Cutout Values: (noon estimate)	141.23	135.46
Change: (from yesterday's close)	+0.48	+0.42
Current 5 day average:	140.77	134.82

U.S. TRADE (U.S funds)

US cash cattle trade is quiet today as buyers collect new showlists which are smaller in Nebraska, larger in Kansas and steady in Texas. Early asking prices are \$94.00 live and \$148.00 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					
Aug	94.27	+0.65	Aug	116.97	-0.15	Sep	3.234	+2.4	Aug	8.226	+7.2	Spot	93.59	-0.67
Oct	98.97	+0.32	Sep	117.80	+0.02	Dec	3.400	+3.4	Sep	8.310	+7.2	Sep	93.67	-0.66
Dec	100.07	+0.25	Oct	118.20	+0.10	Mar	3.552	+3.4	Nov	8.476	+7.2	Dec	93.80	-0.66
Feb	100.10	+0.22	Nov	117.60	+0.15	May	3.654	+3.2	Jan	8.626	+6.4	Mar	93.88	-0.66

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