



Daily Market Information Report



The following information is collected from various sources and disseminated by the Ontario Cattlemen's Association.

Monday Aug 27, 2007

ONTARIO DIRECT TO PACKER RAILGRADE CATTLE TRADE

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

A grade steers 149.00-153.00
A grade heifers 148.00-152.00

ONTARIO LIVE CATTLE TRADE

Today at **Ontario Stockyards: 126 veal**

	Price Range	Top Price
Veal calves + 600 lbs	62.00-88.00	121.00

Veal sold on a barely steady market.

At Talbotville Livestock: Aug 25, 2007- 418 hd

	Price Range	Top
Good & choice steers	86.00-94.50	100.50
Good & choice heifers	85.50-95.50	
Good Cows	32.00-38.50	57.50
Common & medium weight bulls	45.00-60.00	
Good heavy bologna bulls	40.00-46.50	
Good Veal	60.00-71.50	

All classes of fed steers and heifers traded a shade stronger than last week. Cows sold steady. Veal, lacking the top kind, sold on a steady market.

ONTARIO REPLACEMENT TRADE

Stocker Sale at: **Brussels Livestock, Aug 24, 2007- 1,300 stockers**

STEERS	Price Range	Avg	Top	HEIFERS	Price Range	Avg	Top
1000+	83.00-96.25	90.33	98.75	900+	90.00-95.75	92.49	96.75
900-999	90.00-102.00	96.66	110.00	800-899	86.00-95.00	93.03	102.50
800-899	98.50-108.75	104.77	112.00	700-799	90.00-106.25	99.60	106.25
700-799	104.50-113.00	110.00	116.00	600-699	89.00-102.00	97.74	110.50
600-699	97.00-119.50	111.68	120.00	500-599	97.50-123.00	112.35	123.00
500-599	99.00-133.00	115.43	143.00	400-499	109.00-114.00	111.30	127.00
400-499	114.00-152.00	135.60	152.00	300-399	84.00-130.00	117.07	130.00
399-	81.00-153.00	124.30	153.00				

ONTARIO REPLACEMENT TRADE- SPECIAL FALL STOCKER SALE

Stocker Sale at: **Ottawa Livestock Exchange (Leo's), Aug 25, 2007- 984 hd @ Vaccinated Sale**

STEERS	Price Range	Avg	Top	HEIFERS	Price Range	Avg	Top
800-899	100.00-110.00	105.00	110.00	800-899	81.00-102.00	94.00	102.00
700-799	97.00-117.00	107.76	121.00	700-799	92.50-108.00	100.13	108.00
600-699	96.00-120.00	110.72	124.00	600-699	91.50-109.00	101.22	110.00
500-599	108.00-131.00	119.93	143.00	500-599	89.00-111.50	102.59	111.50
400-499	115.00-147.00	131.51	147.00	400-499	99.00-125.00	112.75	141.00
399-	125.00-148.00	140.56	148.00	300-399	89.00-128.00	116.90	128.00
				299-	93.00-138.00	121.67	138.00

LIVE CATTLE IMPORTS-ONTARIO

	Week ending Aug 18, 07	Week ending Aug 11, 07	Year to date.
Live slaughter cattle imported from the U.S. into Ontario	0	0	5,053

LIVE CATTLE EXPORTS-ONTARIO

	Week ending Aug 18, 07	Week ending Aug 11, 07	Year to date.
Live slaughter cattle exported from Ontario to the U.S.	1,922	1,568	57,181

AVERAGE CARCASS WEIGHTS – CANADA

	Steers	Heifers
Aug 18, 2007	846	776
Aug 19, 2006	848	765

FEDERALLY INSPECTED CANADIAN KILL

	Week Ending	YTD	% of Yr. Ago
	Aug 18, 2007		
Grand Total	63,754	2,059,285	97%
Alberta Slaughter	45,432	1,374,043	103%
Ontario Slaughter	10,993	399,131	92%

USDA ESTIMATED CATTLE KILL

	Week Ending	Previous Week	Year Ago
	Aug 25, 2007		
Grand Total	683,000	667,000	690,000

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

	Choice	Select
	600-900	600-900
Cutout Values: (noon estimate)	144.22	138.06
Change: (from yesterday's close)	+1.06	+1.00
Current 5 day average:	143.35	137.26

U.S. TRADE (U.S funds)

US cash cattle trade was quiet today with little business expected before the second half of the week. New showlists are steady in the south and somewhat larger in the north with higher asking prices of \$95.00-\$96.00 live and \$150.00-\$152.00 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 94.20 -0.17	Aug 117.77 +0.20	Sep 3.356 -5.6	Sep 8.564 +7.4	Spot 94.98 -0.03
Oct 97.75 -0.07	Sep 118.57 +0.52	Dec 3.530 -5.6	Nov 8.726 +7.6	Sep 95.00 -0.03
Dec 100.75 +0.02	Oct 118.87 +0.57	Mar 3.692 -5.0	Jan 8.882 +8.0	Dec 95.15 -0.03
Feb 100.92 +0.00	Nov 118.95 +0.52	May 3.786 -4.2	Mar 8.990 +8.4	Mar 95.28 -0.03

