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## Friday September 14, 2007

### ONTARIO DIRECT TO PACKER RAILGRADE PRICES

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

<b>A grade steers</b>	144.00-148.00
<b>A grade heifers</b>	143.00-147.00

### ONTARIO LIVE CATTLE TRADE

Today at **Brussels Livestock** : 1,100 stockers

<b>STEERS</b>	Price Range	Avg	Top	<b>HEIFERS</b>	Price Range	Avg	Top
<b>1000+</b>	95.00-104.25	98.52	104.25	<b>900+</b>	85.50-99.50	91.52	102.50
<b>900-999</b>	96.50-106.25	101.95	106.50	<b>800-899</b>	91.50-96.50	94.32	96.50
<b>800-899</b>	93.50-106.00	100.03	106.00	<b>700-799</b>	87.00-115.25	101.06	115.25
<b>700-799</b>	87.00-110.00	103.50	110.00	<b>600-699</b>	87.50-109.75	100.54	113.50
<b>600-699</b>	102.00-117.00	110.51	118.50	<b>500-599</b>	94.00-117.00	109.09	117.00
<b>500-599</b>	106.00-125.00	116.95	134.00	<b>400-499</b>	112.00-127.00	121.99	127.00
<b>400-499</b>	122.00-142.50	132.82	142.50	<b>300-399</b>	112.00-132.00	123.28	141.00
<b>399-</b>	127.00-140.00	134.27	140.00				

Calves and yearlings sold on a steady market.

Ontario auction sales on **Thursday** saw weighted prices for:

	Price Range	Average	Top
<b>Large &amp; Med. Frame Fed Steers</b>	84.18-89.61	86.63	93.00
<b>Large &amp; Med. Frame Fed Heifers</b>	76.19-88.55	83.26	91.00
<b>Cows</b>	23.18-44.19	33.11	58.50
<b>Bulls</b>	36.66-58.65	45.50	69.50

### ONTARIO REPLACEMENT TRADE

Stocker Sale at: **Ontario Stockyards** - Sept 13, 2007

<b>STEERS</b>	Price Range	Avg	Top	<b>HEIFERS</b>	Price Range	Avg	Top
<b>1000+</b>	82.50-97.00	86.86	97.00	<b>900+</b>	43.00-72.00	56.19	78.50
<b>900-999</b>	82.00-99.00	89.78	100.00	<b>800-899</b>	90.00-108.25	103.07	108.25
<b>800-899</b>	99.25-111.00	104.21	111.00	<b>700-799</b>	90.00-106.50	100.22	109.00
<b>700-799</b>	90.00-115.00	104.03	115.00	<b>600-699</b>	85.50-109.50	96.62	112.25
<b>600-699</b>	95.00-114.00	105.51	118.00	<b>500-599</b>	80.00-108.00	98.48	117.50
<b>500-599</b>	100.00-136.00	118.07	137.75	<b>400-499</b>	103.50-122.75	112.05	126.50
<b>400-499</b>	102.00-140.00	122.29	143.50	<b>300-399</b>	108.50-123.00	115.08	134.00
<b>399-</b>	118.00-140.00	125.00	146.00	<b>299-</b>	97.50-116.00	110.83	116.00

Stocker Sale at: **Ottawa Livestock Exchange** – Sept 13, 2007

<b>STEERS</b>	Price Range	Avg	Top	<b>HEIFERS</b>	Price Range	Avg	Top
<b>600-699</b>	89.00-115.00	101.92	115.00	<b>600-699</b>	103.00-108.00	105.10	108.00
<b>500-599</b>	95.00-124.00	110.31	125.00	<b>500-599</b>	103.00-117.00	110.29	117.00
<b>400-499</b>	112.00-127.00	120.64	134.00	<b>400-499</b>	101.00-121.00	110.86	121.00
<b>399-</b>	68.00-138.00	102.15	138.00	<b>300-399</b>	99.00-123.00	111.67	127.00

Stocker Sale at: **Tri-County Cattle Co.** – Sept 13, 2007

<b>STEERS</b>	Price Range	Avg	Top	<b>HEIFERS</b>	Price Range	Avg	Top
<b>1000+</b>	92.10-94.75	93.28	94.75	<b>900+</b>	95.75-99.50	97.47	99.50
<b>900-999</b>	95.25-101.00	97.94	101.00	<b>800-899</b>	102.00-106.25	103.82	109.50
<b>800-899</b>	106.75-111.75	107.95	111.75	<b>700-799</b>	105.50-108.25	106.92	109.25
<b>700-799</b>	107.25-117.10	113.65	120.75	<b>600-699</b>	107.75-113.75	110.40	113.75
<b>600-699</b>	112.75-120.75	117.96	121.25	<b>500-599</b>	85.00-111.50	104.15	111.50
<b>500-599</b>	115.00-120.75	119.39	120.75				

**ONTARIO REPLACEMENT TRADE- SPECIAL FALL STOCKER SALE**

Stocker sale at: **Galetta Livestock Sales** – September 12, 2007

<b>STEERS</b>	Price Range	<b>HEIFERS</b>	Price Range
<b>900-999</b>	80.00-88.00	<b>700-799</b>	88.00-91.00
<b>800-899</b>	79.50-101.50	<b>600-699</b>	86.00-92.50
<b>700-799</b>	82.00-109.00	<b>500-599</b>	86.00-113.50
<b>600-699</b>	80.00-117.50	<b>400-499</b>	109.00-121.00
<b>500-599</b>	94.00-132.50		
<b>400-499</b>	111.00-141.50		

A good selection of stocker and feeder cattle sold on continued good demand at steady prices.

**ALBERTA DIRECT TRADE**

Alberta direct trade on Thursday was moderate with prices steady to Wednesday's lower market.

<b>Steers</b>	Live	85.00	Flat rail	141.50-143.00
<b>Heifers</b>	Live	82.60-83.90	Flat rail	N/T

**QUEBEC ELECTRONIC AUCTION MARKET** (F.O.B. the feedlot)

Week Ending Sept 13, 2007	Price Range
<b>A1, A2 Steers &amp; Heifers</b>	144.00-148.00

**U.S. TRADE** (U.S funds)

US cash cattle trade was just starting to develop at the time of reporting with dressed sales at \$146.00 which is \$2.00 lower than last week's business. Trade in the south remained at a standstill with bids and asking prices at least \$3.0-\$4.00 apart, however trade is expected to develop soon.

<b>Choice and select steers and heifers:</b>	Live	N/T
	Rail	146.00

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

	Choice	Select
<b>Cutout Values:</b> (noon estimate)	145.68	138.88
<b>Change:</b> (from yesterday's close)	-0.37	-0.44
<b>Current 5 day average:</b>	147.52	140.52

## CHICAGO MERCANTILE EXCHANGE

Closing quotes on futures 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>Oct</b>	95.25	+0.57	<b>Sep</b>	116.82	-0.12	<b>Sep</b>	3.364	+5.6	<b>Sep</b>	9.410	+13.0	<b>Spot</b>	97.13	+0.20
<b>Dec</b>	99.15	+0.52	<b>Oct</b>	116.85	+0.32	<b>Dec</b>	3.490	+2.2	<b>Nov</b>	9.546	+13.4	<b>Sep</b>	97.14	+0.23
<b>Feb</b>	100.70	+0.47	<b>Nov</b>	117.12	+0.12	<b>Mar</b>	3.660	+2.2	<b>Jan</b>	9.692	+13.0	<b>Dec</b>	97.22	+0.22
<b>Apr</b>	100.52	+0.12	<b>Jan</b>	115.35	+0.10	<b>May</b>	3.762	+2.4	<b>Mar</b>	9.796	+12.2	<b>Mar</b>	97.25	+0.21

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### Special Fall Sales- Upcoming Week

Sept 17,	7:00 pm	Tri-County Cattle Co	800-1200	Grass Yearlings
Sept 18,	11:00 am	Ontario Stockyards Inc		Yearlings
Sept 19,	11:00 am	Kawartha Lakes Coop Lvstk Auction Mkt	600-700	Stockers- Vaccinated & non-vaccinated
Sept 21,	11:00 am	D.H. Hickson Ltd (Hoards)	900	Stockers-90% Vaccinated
Sept 21,	9:00 am	Keady Livestock Market	1000-1500	Yearlings, strs & hfrs selling Overnight stand
Sept 21,	12:00 pm	Temiskaming Livestock Sales	800	Yearlings
Sept 22,	11:00 am	Selby Livestock & Auction Mkt	500	100% Vaccinated