



# Daily Market Information Report



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**Monday Sept 24, 2007**

## ONTARIO DIRECT TO PACKER RAILGRADE CATTLE TRADE

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

**A grade steers** 138.00-142.00  
**A grade heifers** 137.00-141.00

## ONTARIO LIVE CATTLE TRADE

Today at **Ontario Stockyards:** 70 veal

	Price Range	Top Price
<b>Veal calves + 600 lbs</b>	60.00-85.00	106.50

Veal sold steady.

**At Talbotville Livestock: Sept 22, 2007-** 285 head

	Price Range	Top
<b>Good &amp; choice steers</b>	78.00-88.00	93.75
<b>Good &amp; choice heifers</b>	77.00-84.00	
<b>Good Cows</b>	33.00-42.00	62.00
<b>Good heavy bulls</b>	38.00-45.00	
<b>Good veal</b>	N/A	

Steers and heifers sold under pressure following last week's trend of \$2.00-\$3.00 lower. Cows sold strong to steady with beef cows topping \$62.00. Bulls sold steady to strong.

## ONTARIO REPLACEMENT TRADE

Stocker Sale at: **Brussels Livestock, Sept 21, 2007-** 816 stockers

<b>STEERS</b>	Price Range	Avg	Top	<b>HEIFERS</b>	Price Range	Avg	Top
<b>1000+</b>	71.00-90.50	84.50	90.50	<b>900+</b>	78.00-93.00	85.90	93.00
<b>900-999</b>	83.50-98.50	91.44	98.50	<b>800-899</b>	77.50-88.00	83.35	95.50
<b>800-899</b>	87.00-103.25	96.00	103.25	<b>700-799</b>	95.00-100.00	97.06	100.00
<b>700-799</b>	85.00-106.75	95.66	108.00	<b>600-699</b>	85.00-100.00	93.56	120.00
<b>600-699</b>	101.00-123.50	112.48	123.50	<b>500-599</b>	103.00-116.50	110.82	116.50
<b>500-599</b>	105.00-130.50	117.05	131.00	<b>400-499</b>	97.00-121.00	112.45	134.50
<b>400-499</b>	118.00-142.00	129.24	144.50	<b>300-399</b>	117.00-136.00	128.00	136.00
<b>399-</b>	122.00-148.00	138.43	152.00				

## ONTARIO REPLACEMENT TRADE- SPECIAL FALL STOCKER SALE

Stocker Sale at: **D.H. Hickson, Sept 21, 2007-**

<b>STEERS</b>	Price Range	Avg	Top	<b>HEIFERS</b>	Price Range	Avg	Top
<b>1000+</b>	61.00-95.25	87.81	95.25	<b>800-899</b>	98.00-99.50	98.67	99.50
<b>900-999</b>	84.50-101.75	98.15	101.75	<b>700-799</b>	95.50-110.50	105.15	110.50
<b>800-899</b>	92.00-108.00	105.68	108.00	<b>600-699</b>	81.50-109.00	99.18	109.00
<b>700-799</b>	95.00-107.00	102.51	107.00	<b>500-599</b>	92.50-108.25	103.91	108.25
<b>600-699</b>	70.00-113.00	103.36	113.00				

Stocker Sale at: **Keady Livestock, Sept 21, 2007-**

<b>STEERS</b>	Price Range	Avg	Top	<b>HEIFERS</b>	Price Range	Avg	Top
<b>1000+</b>	97.10-104.60	100.52	104.60	<b>900+</b>	102.60	102.60	102.60
<b>900-999</b>	103.35-106.85	105.42	106.85	<b>800-899</b>	99.60-105.60	102.36	105.60
<b>800-899</b>	107.75-112.25	109.36	112.25	<b>700-799</b>	98.00	98.00	98.00
<b>700-799</b>	99.00-1147.50	110.03	114.50	<b>600-699</b>	101.75	101.75	101.75
<b>600-699</b>	117.50	117.50	117.50				

Stocker Sale at: **Temiskaming Livestock, Sept 21, 2007-**

<b>STEERS</b>	Price Range	Avg	Top	<b>HEIFERS</b>	Price Range	Avg	Top
<b>1000+</b>	85.00-86.50	86.32	86.50	<b>900+</b>	79.00-94.25	89.91	94.25
<b>900-999</b>	93.50-97.00	95.75	103.00	<b>800-899</b>	98.00-100.25	99.34	100.25
<b>800-899</b>	98.50-102.50	100.99	102.50	<b>700-799</b>	101.00-101.75	101.31	101.75
<b>700-799</b>	98.50-107.25	104.69	107.25	<b>600-699</b>	96.00-105.00	101.36	105.00

Stocker Sale at: **Selby Livestock & Auction Mkt, Sept 22, 2007-**

<b>STEERS</b>	Price Range	Avg	Top	<b>HEIFERS</b>	Price Range	Avg	Top
<b>700-799</b>	80.50-104.00	98.21	104.00	<b>700-799</b>	70.00-97.00	83.39	97.00
<b>600-699</b>	81.00-111.00	98.80	111.00	<b>600-699</b>	87.00-109.00	97.56	109.00
<b>500-599</b>	94.00-110.00	107.20	110.00	<b>500-599</b>	93.00-100.00	98.14	100.00
<b>400-499</b>	101.00-123.00	111.88	123.00	<b>400-499</b>	91.00-109.00	103.12	109.00

**ONTARIO BRED COWS**

**Ontario Stockyards Inc.- Sept 21, 2007 - 105 bred cows, 42 cow/calf pairs**

	<b>Exotic and Exotic X</b>	<b>British and British X</b>
Top quality bred cows	N/A	N/A
Avg quality bred cows	\$700-900	N/A
Top quality cow/calf pairs	N/A	N/A
Avg quality cow/calf pairs	\$900- \$1,000	N/A

**LIVE CATTLE IMPORTS-ONTARIO**

	Week ending Sept 15, 07	Week ending Sept 8, 07	Year to date.
Live slaughter cattle imported from the U.S. into Ontario	0	0	5,053

**LIVE CATTLE EXPORTS-ONTARIO**

	Week ending Sept 15, 07	Week ending Sept 8, 07	Year to date.
Live slaughter cattle exported from Ontario to the U.S.	1,175	2,832	65,680

**AVERAGE CARCASS WEIGHTS – CANADA**

	<b>Steers</b>	<b>Heifers</b>
Sept 15, 2007	861	799
Sept 16, 2006	862	782

**FEDERALLY INSPECTED CANADIAN KILL**

	Week Ending Sept 15, 2007	YTD	% of Yr. Ago
<b>Grand Total</b>	65,220	2,304,726	97%
<b>Alberta Slaughter</b>	46,191	1,549,063	104%
<b>Ontario Slaughter</b>	10,912	439,839	91%

**USDA ESTIMATED CATTLE KILL**

	Week Ending Sept 22, 2007	Previous Week	Year Ago
<b>Grand Total</b>	645,000	643,000	658,000

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

	<b>Choice 600-900</b>	<b>Select 600-900</b>
<b>Cutout Values:</b> (noon estimate)	146.26	136.88
<b>Change:</b> (from yesterday's close)	1.19	0.67
<b>Current 5 day average:</b>	145.73	137.25

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

US packer inquiry is typically light today. Volume expected to be somewhat smaller this week. Asking prices are \$96.00-\$97.00 live and \$150.00-\$152.00 dressed.

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

**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		
<b>Oct</b>	97.65 +0.95	<b>Sep</b>	116.15 -0.25	<b>Dec</b>	3.734 -3.0	<b>Nov</b>	9.786 -0.2	<b>Spot</b>	99.85 -0.20
<b>Dec</b>	100.77 +0.60	<b>Oct</b>	116.25 +0.05	<b>Mar</b>	3.890 -3.0	<b>Jan</b>	9.944 +0.0	<b>Dec</b>	99.97 -0.04
<b>Feb</b>	101.77 +0.20	<b>Nov</b>	116.60 +0.22	<b>May</b>	3.984 -2.6	<b>Mar</b>	10.026 +0.2	<b>Mar</b>	100.01 -0.04
<b>Apr</b>	101.35 +0.10	<b>Jan</b>	115.25 +0.27	<b>Jul</b>	4.064 -3.0	<b>May</b>	10.020 +1.0	<b>Jun</b>	100.04 N/C

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