



Daily Market Information Report



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Monday January 29, 2007

ONTARIO DIRECT TO PACKER RAILGRADE CATTLE TRADE

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

A grade steers 154.00-159.00
A grade heifers 153.00-158.00

ONTARIO LIVE CATTLE TRADE

Today at **Ontario Stockyards: 110** veal calves

	Price Range	Top Price
Veal calves + 600 lbs	70.00-91.00	114.00
Veal calves 451-600 lbs	75.00-81.00	85.50

Calves sold on a dull demand at easier prices.

At Talbotville Livestock: January 27, 2007- 401 head

	Price Range	Top
Good & choice steers	85.00-96.00	98.50
Good & choice heifers	84.00-95.00	No fancy cattle on offer.
Cows	30.00-42.50	65.50
Bulls	42.00-53.50	
Veal	75.00-90.00	

Fed steers and heifers sold steady, cows and bulls sold a little stronger and veal sold steady.

ONTARIO REPLACEMENT TRADE

Stocker sale at: **Brussels Livestock, Jan 26, 2007**

STEERS	Price Range	Top	HEIFERS	Price Range	Top
1000+	86.25-102.50	102.50	900+	87.25-92.00	93.00
900-999	97.00-97.50	99.75	800-899	88.00-96.50	96.50
800-899	92.00-107.00	107.50	700-799	90.00-97.00	97.00
700-799	91.00-113.00	113.00	600-699	87.50-100.00	110.00
600-699	94.00-116.00	116.00	500-599	93.350-108.00	108.50
500-599	111.50-121.00	123.00	400-499	104.00-113.00	113.00
400-499	111.00-122.00	126.50	300-399	99.00-115.00	130.00
300-399	123.00-132.00	132.00			

ONTARIO BRED COWS

Ontario Stockyards Inc- January 26, 2007- 217 head.

	Exotic and Exotic X	British and British X
Top quality bred cows	\$800.00-\$1,000.00	\$700.00-\$850.00
Avg quality bred cows	\$650.00-\$800.00	\$450.00-\$650.00

Good quality cows sold actively at steady prices. All others steady.

LIVE CATTLE IMPORTS-ONTARIO

	Week ending Jan 20, 07	Week ending Jan 13, 07	Year to date.
Live slaughter cattle imported from the U.S. into Ontario	0	0	0

AVERAGE CARCASS WEIGHTS – CANADA

	Steers	Heifers
Jan 20, 2007	857	798
Jan 21, 2006	860	795

FEDERALLY INSPECTED CANADIAN KILL

	Week Ending Jan 20, 2007	YTD	% of Yr. Ago
Grand Total	68,003	184,515	103%
Alberta Slaughter	44,423	118,607	108%
Ontario Slaughter	13,248	37,468	100%

USDA ESTIMATED CATTLE KILL

	Week Ending Jan 27, 2007	Previous Week	Year Ago
Grand Total	632,000	610,000	608,000

U.S. TRADE (U.S funds)

US cash cattle trade was quiet today with the collection of showlists which are reported as smaller than last week after larger trade volume last week. Business is not expected to surface until the second half of the week with asking prices at \$89.00 live and \$140.00-\$142.00 dressed.

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

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

	Choice 600-900	Select 600-900
Cutout Values: (noon estimate)	144.55	136.32
Change: (from yesterday's close)+0.1	-1.71	-0.52
Current 5 day average:	149.37	138.27

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								
Feb	90.60	+0.37	Mar	95.40	+1.30	Mar	4.000	-5.4	Mar	7.094	-1.0	Spot	84.57	-0.14
Apr	93.40	-0.17	Apr	97.52	+1.07	May	4.114	-6.0	May	7.246	-1.4	Mar	84.70	-0.13
Jun	89.47	-0.22	May	98.57	+1.25	Jul	4.184	-5.4	Jul	7.382	-2.0	Jun	84.93	-0.13
Aug	87.65	-0.37	Aug	100.32	+0.92	Sep	4.026	-4.6	Aug	7.444	-2.0	Sep	85.17	-0.13

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