



# MAY 2010 AUCTION

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## REPORT ON MAY WILD FUR SALE

Wild Fur met with selective demand and prices declined from March levels on the opening day of the NAFA Wild Fur sale.

The sale began Wednesday with a large offering of Beaver of which 80% of the sundry owner sold at generally lower levels than March. Otters sold 92% while Muskrat and Wild Mink sold 100%, again at lower levels than March. China and Hong Kong dominated the sale.

Sables and Fishers were disappointing in both percentage of sale and price levels. Sables sold 62% with better qualities, large sizes withdrawn, while Fishers sold 35%.

Raccoons sold 75%, primarily to Hong Kong/China. Brown colours were mostly withdrawn, while better colours sold 100%, at easier levels than March.

Day two of the sale had a more positive result with Lynx Cats selling 85% of the sundry owners under very strong competition, with Greece the major buyer. Lynx sold 100% at newly established levels to Russia and Greece.

Coyotes sold 70% with heavy Coyotes for trimming selling 95% under strong competition. Flatter commercial goods were mostly withdrawn.

Red Fox sold 75% with good interest in the heavier types.

*NAFA would like to thank all of our customers around the world for the excellent support we have received this season, and wish everyone a safe, happy & healthy summer.*

### RESULTS FOR SUNDRY OWNER GOODS ONLY (IN USD)

TYPE	OFFERING	% SOLD	SECTION	AVERAGE	TOP
<b>Beaver</b>	97,262	78	Eastern	\$15.33	<b>\$130.00</b>
		78	Western	\$12.45	<b>\$42.00</b>
		Larger sizes, better qualities mostly unsold.			
		100	Section III	\$7.27	
<b>Otter</b>	6,353	92	Section I	\$45.05	<b>\$84.00</b>
		100	Section III	\$19.71	
		The top lot of Otter was purchased by Carlo Guida for Hebei Haoye Industry Trading Co. Ltd of Shijiazhang, China.			
<b>Musquash</b>	238,920	100	Eastern I	\$7.47	<b>\$17.00</b>
		100	Section III	\$2.66	
		The top lot of Musquash was purchased by Strnad & Cervinka of Kolin, Czech Republic.			



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<b>Wild Mink</b>	18,139	100	North Central I	\$13.52	<b>\$24.00</b>
<i>The top lot of Wild Mink was purchased by China Animal By-Products Auction Ltd of Hong Kong.</i>		100	Central I	\$13.03	<b>\$23.00</b>
<b>Can-Am Sable (Marten)</b>	36,323	40	Heavy I	\$49.42	<b>\$150.00</b>
<i>The top lot of Can-Am Sable was purchased by House of Nina Ricci of Paris, France.</i>		70	Semi Heavy I	\$45.13	<b>\$84.00</b>
		100	Section III	\$21.77	
Larger sizes, better qualities mostly unsold.					
<b>Fisher</b>	6,006	40	Section I	\$56.42	<b>\$90.00</b>
<i>The top lot of Fisher was purchased by Mr. S.P. Kong for Kyung In Co. Ltd of Seoul, Korea.</i>					
<b>Raccoon</b>	411,410	55	Canadian	\$13.22	<b>\$35.00</b>
<i>The top lot of Raccoon was purchased by Mechutan Fur Corp. for Hong Kong Tientsin Fashion Ltd. of Hong Kong.</i>		75	Western Northern	\$15.70	<b>\$50.00</b>
		75	Western Northern Central	\$13.95	<b>\$32.00</b>
		72	Eastern Northern Central	\$9.48	<b>\$32.00</b>
		41	Western Semi	\$10.85	<b>\$24.00</b>
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		Selective Demand	Eastern Semi		
		Selective Demand	Central		
		100	Section III	\$3.41	
<b>Lynx</b>	4,730	100	I	\$88.54	<b>\$240.00</b>
<i>The top lot of Lynx was purchased by Archie Kasakevich for Furs Forever www.aquariusfurs.com of Moscow, Russia.</i>		100	Section III	\$25.01	



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<b>Lynx Cat</b>	13,443	76	Canadian East	\$85.25	<b>\$180.00</b>
<i>The top lot of Lynx Cat was purchased by DJ Larson Import Export Ltd for Emfasi Pelle of Kastoria, Greece.</i>		85	Canadian West	\$228.79	<b>\$420.00</b>
		75	Western	\$273.95	<b>\$800.00</b>
		100	North Central	\$71.77	<b>\$175.00</b>
		100	Northern	\$51.36	<b>\$132.00</b>
		90	Central (Flat)	\$27.00	<b>\$56.00</b>
		<b>Coyote</b>	67,780	92	Western Heavy
<i>The top lot of Coyote was purchased by Rebellato Graziano of Padova, Italy.</i>		95	Eastern	\$24.92	<b>\$42.00</b>
		60	Semi-Heavy	\$16.36	<b>\$28.00</b>
		Withdrawn	Flat		
		40	Section III	\$4.84	
<b>Red Fox</b>	35,863	75		\$17.18	<b>\$72.00</b>
<i>The top lot of Red Fox was purchased Keun Hwa Fur Co. Ltd of Seoul, Korea.</i>					
<b>Grey Fox</b>	17,578	Limited Interest			
<b>Badger</b>	4,605	100		\$22.59	<b>\$120.00</b>
<b>Cross Fox</b>	481	100		\$26.82	<b>\$57.00</b>
<b>Silver Fox</b>	61	100		\$25.18	<b>\$41.00</b>
<b>Wolverine</b>	61	100		\$198.41	<b>\$360.00</b>
<b>Squirrel</b>	14,215	100		\$1.50	<b>\$2.00</b>
<b>Ermine</b>	9,521	100		\$2.49	<b>\$11.50</b>
<b>Opossum</b>	63,779	100		\$1.72	<b>\$5.00</b>
<b>Skunk</b>	11,314	100		\$1.56	<b>\$8.00</b>
<b>Timber Wolf</b>	434	100		\$75.15	<b>\$350.00</b>
<b>Bear</b>	112	100		\$87.45	<b>\$270.00</b>