

# **Veal Farmers of Ontario**

# WEEKLY MARKET INFORMATION REPORT

Week Ending: March 10, 2017
Week # 10

This report is a collection of reports from sales barns and direct sales. The VFO is not responsible for the accuracy of these numbers.

ONTARIO DIRECT TO PACKER					
Live weight \$/lb., 54.56% yield					
Rail Live					
Range this week	\$2.35-2.55	\$1.28-1.39			
Last Week's range	\$2.45-2.55	\$1.34-1.39			

# WEEKLY ELECTRONIC VEAL SALES

	AVERAGE	OSI	OLEX	BRUSSELS
>600 LBS				
Volume	652	22	342	183
Low \$	104.67	113.00	110.00	103.00
High \$	134.17	128.00	134.00	135.00
Avg \$	118.48	120.22	120.95	116.66
Top \$	177.00	131.00	173.00	177.00
Avg. Weight	742	750	742	745
451 - 600 lbs				
Volume	37	1	9	6
Avg. \$	109.27	123.00	111.29	102.20
Avg. Weight	548	575	564	582
Last Week >600 lbs				
Volume	565	53	258	143
Avg. \$	120.44	119.75	122.67	122.09
Avg. Weight	749	723	742	756

SALES ARENA	DATE	COMMENTS
OSI	Mar-6	Veal calves sold barely steady on the light run of average quality veal calves.
OLEX	Mar-7	Veal sold on a barely steady market.
Denfield	Mar-7	Veal sold barely steady.
Aylmer	Mar-8	Veal sold on an easier market.
Brussels	Mar-9	Veal sold steady to the week's decline.

FEDERALLY INSPECTED VEAL : March 04, 2017

WEEKLY	2017	2016	% CHANGE	YTD	2017	2016	% CHANGE
Ontario	349	321	8.70	Ontario	2,563	2,891	-11.30
Quebec	3,651	3,623	0.80	Quebec	32,025	30,436	5.20
Canada	4,000	3,944	1.40	Canada	34,588	33,327	3.80

# ONTARIO FEDERAL VEAL TOTALS

MONTH	2017	2016	2015
January	958	1,243	1,425
February	1,256	1,327	1,353
March		1,097	1,149
April		1,376	1,268
May		1,174	1,518
June		1,342	1,114
July		1,371	1,105
August		1,123	1,507
September		995	1,228
October		1,341	1,233
November	•	1,121	1,082
December	•	1,243	1,080
Yearly	2,214	14,753	15,062

# ONTARIO PROVINCIAL VEAL TOTALS

MONTH	2016	2015	2014
January	1,653	1,859	2,513
February	1,508	1,778	2,256
March	1,831	1,900	2,379
April	1,618	2,019	2,622
May	1,725	1,921	2,487
June	2,039	1,934	2,487
July	1,674	1,931	2,358
August	1,897	1,669	2,015
September	1,999	1,771	2,363
October	1,733	1,997	2,447
November	1,884	1,773	2,122
December	1,885	2,035	2,503
Yearly	21,446	22,587	28,552

	BOB CALVES								
	This '	This Week Last Week			This Week		Last Week		
Ontario					Quebec				
Live Auction		Rar	nge		Live Auction	Volume	Average \$	Volume	Average \$
Report					(\$/cwt)				
Fancy to					Good				
Good Calves	\$200	)-300	\$175	5-300	90-120 lb	812	\$2.16	698	\$1.80
(>100 lbs)									
Medium to					Good				
<b>Good Calves</b>	\$125	-225	\$100	0-235	121-140 lb	169	\$2.07	173	\$1.80
(80-100 lbs)									
Small,					Average				
Plain Calves	\$40	-175	\$25	-140	90-140 lb	506	\$1.83	639	\$1.63
(< 80 lbs)									
This Week					La	st Week			
BFO Auctio	on Report	Volume	High	Avg.\$	Avg. Weight	Volume	High	Avg.\$	Avg. Weight
<125	5 lbs	764	\$246.32	\$192.38	102	738	\$236.67	\$163.69	102

Sales Arena	Date	Comment			
Denfield	Mar-7	Drop calves traded strong and slightly higher with good demand.			
		103 calves sold			
		Starter calves \$310-375 high of \$400			
Milverton Park	Mar-6	Bob calves \$225-275 high of \$290			
		Small calves \$150-175 high of \$200			
		XX small calves \$ 90-110 high of \$130			
Keady	Mar-7	84 dollar calves were on offer, selling fully steady.			
		348 calves on offer			
		Choice calves \$230 - 290			
		Good calves \$180 - 225			
Listowel	Mar-7	Medium types \$130 - 175			
		Plain & small \$ 40 - 125			
		Calves sold on good demand.			
Aylmer	Mar-8	57 replacement calves sold on a much stronger demand from \$20.00-\$415.00 averaging \$221.96 per head!			

	QUEBEC VEAL MARKET					
Quebec Electronic Auction						
A2 G	A2 Grain-Fed (\$/lb.rail) This price is the average					
01	of what is sold on the electronic auction.					
This Week 1,740 \$2.50						
Last Week	Last Week 1,489 \$2.50					