

Veal Farmers of Ontario

WEEKLY MARKET INFORMATION REPORT

Week Ending: October 13, 2017
Week # 41

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 | \$2.45-2.70 | \$1.34-1.47 | | | | |
| Last Week's range | \$1.34-1.45 | | | | | |

WEEKLY ELECTRONIC VEAL SALES

| | AVERAGE | OSI | OLEX | BRUSSELS |
|--------------------|---------|--------|--------|----------|
| >600 LBS | | | | |
| Volume | 450 | 18 | 238 | 106 |
| Low \$ | 121.24 | 120 | 125.00 | 128.00 |
| High \$ | 158.64 | 152 | 160.00 | 163.00 |
| Avg \$ | 139.12 | 138.5 | 140.75 | 145.12 |
| Top \$ | 180.00 | 159 | 169.00 | 180.00 |
| Avg. Weight | 762 | 756 | 746 | 789 |
| 451 - 600 lbs | | | | |
| Volume | 21 | 0 | 5 | 1 |
| Avg. \$ | 122.01 | • | 103.28 | 139.00 |
| Avg. Weight | 562 | - | 594 | 585 |
| Last Week >600 lbs | | | | |
| Volume | 560 | 53 | 251 | 131 |
| Avg. \$ | 137.44 | 132.26 | 142.28 | 138.81 |
| Avg. Weight | 733 | 729 | 735 | 721 |

| SALES ARENA | DATE | COMMENTS |
|----------------|--------|---|
| OSI | Oct-10 | A light run of veal calves sold on a steady market! |
| OLEX | Oct-10 | Veal sold on a steady market. |
| Denfield | Oct-10 | The market traded fully steady on all accounts with the exception of drop calves. |
| Aylmer | Oct-11 | Veal sold on a stronger market. |
| Brussels | Oct-12 | Veal sold on a good active trade. |

FEDERALLY INSPECTED VEAL : October 07, 2017

| WEEKLY | 2017 | 2016 | % CHANGE | YTD | 2017 | 2016 | % CHANGE |
|---------|-------|-------|----------|---------|---------|---------|----------|
| Ontario | 195 | 282 | -30.90 | Ontario | 10,340 | 11,598 | -10.80 |
| Quebec | 3,816 | 3,653 | 4.50 | Quebec | 143,785 | 144,119 | -0.20 |
| Canada | 4,011 | 3,935 | 1.90 | Canada | 154,125 | 155,717 | -1.00 |

ONTARIO FEDERAL VEAL TOTALS

| MONTH | 2017 | 2016 | 2015 |
|-----------|--------|--------|--------|
| January | 958 | 1,243 | 1,425 |
| February | 1,256 | 1,327 | 1,353 |
| March | 1,228 | 1,097 | 1,149 |
| April | 1,147 | 1,376 | 1,268 |
| May | 1,088 | 1,174 | 1,518 |
| June | 1,109 | 1,342 | 1,114 |
| July | 1,234 | 1,371 | 1,105 |
| August | 951 | 1,123 | 1,507 |
| September | 1,174 | 995 | 1,228 |
| October | | 1,341 | 1,233 |
| November | | 1,121 | 1,082 |
| December | | 1,243 | 1,080 |
| Yearly | 10,145 | 14,753 | 15,062 |

ONTARIO PROVINCIAL VEAL TOTALS

| MONTH | 2017 | 2016 | 2015 |
|-----------|---------------|--------|--------|
| January | nuary 1,761 1 | | 1,859 |
| February | 1,718 | 1,508 | 1,778 |
| March | 1,922 | 1,831 | 1,900 |
| April | 1,641 | 1,618 | 2,019 |
| May | 1,982 | 1,725 | 1,921 |
| June | 2,128 | 2,039 | 1,934 |
| July | 1,842 | 1,674 | 1,931 |
| August | 2,171 | 1,897 | 1,669 |
| September | | 1,999 | 1,771 |
| October | | 1,733 | 1,997 |
| November | | 1,884 | 1,773 |
| December | | 1,885 | 2,035 |
| Yearly | 15,165 | 21,446 | 22,587 |

| BOB CALVES | | | | | | | | | |
|--------------------|---------------------|--------|----------|----------|--------------|--------|------------|----------|-------------|
| | 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 | \$200 | 0-300 | 90-120 lb | 551 | \$1.44 | 713 | \$1.30-1.75 |
| (>100 lbs) | | | | | | | | | |
| Medium to | | | | | Good | | | | |
| Good Calves | \$100-240 | | \$100 |)-210 | 121-140 lb | 107 | \$1.36 | 146 | \$1.30-1.80 |
| (80-100 lbs) | | | | | | | | | |
| Small, | | | | | Average | | | | |
| Plain Calves | \$20 | -170 | \$10 | -100 | 90-140 lb | 633 | \$1.14 | 611 | \$1.00-1.45 |
| (< 80 lbs) | | | | | | | | | |
| | This Week | | | | | La | st Week | | |
| BFO Auctio | on Report | Volume | High | Avg.\$ | Avg. Weight | Volume | High | Avg.\$ | Avg. Weight |
| <125 | 5 lbs | 838 | \$177.15 | \$113.44 | 99 | 860 | \$185.36 | \$134.76 | 99 |

| Sales Arena | Date | Comment | |
|----------------|--------|---|--|
| Denfield | Oct-10 | Drop calves sold a little easier at lower prices. | |
| | | 89 calves sold | |
| | | Starter calves \$300-350 high of \$375 | |
| Milverton Park | Oct-9 | Bob calves \$200-225 high of \$275 | |
| | | Small calves \$130-170 high of \$190 | |
| | | XX small calves \$75-100 high of \$120 | |
| Keady | Oct-10 | 105 dollar calves were on offer, selling easier. | |
| | | 288 calves on offer | |
| | | | |
| | | Choice calves \$250-300 | |
| | | Good calves \$190-240 | |
| Listowel | Oct-10 | Medium types \$110-180 | |
| | | Plain & small \$20-100 | |
| | | | |
| | | Calves sold on a good demand. | |
| Aylmer | Oct-11 | 94 replacement calves sold from \$45.00-\$500.00 averaging \$161.76 per head! | |

| | QUEBEC VEAL MARKET | | | | | | |
|-----------|---|--------|--|--|--|--|--|
| | Quebec Electronic Auction | | | | | | |
| A2 Gr | A2 Grain-Fed (\$/lb.rail) This price is the average | | | | | | |
| of | of what is sold on the electronic auction. | | | | | | |
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| This Week | 1,206 | \$2.76 | | | | | |
| Last Week | 1,236 | \$2.66 | | | | | |