

	<div>Veal Farmers of Ontario</div> <div>WEEKLY MARKET INFORMATION REPORT</div>	<div>Week Ending: October 20, 2017</div> <div>Week # 42</div>
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	\$2.45-2.89	\$1.34-1.58
Last Week's range	\$2.45-2.70	\$1.34-1.47

WEEKLY ELECTRONIC VEAL SALES
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	AVERAGE	OSI	OLEX	BRUSSELS
>600 LBS				
Volume	639	48	329	157
Low \$	123.24	115	129.00	124.00
High \$	151.47	152	155.00	150.00
Avg \$	137.48	136.56	140.53	138.71
Top \$	180.00	171	173.00	180.00
Avg. Weight	740	764	726	744
451 - 600 lbs				
Volume	37	6	9	2
Avg. \$	121.85	112.86	126.00	149.00
Avg. Weight	545	554	550	543
Last Week >600 lbs				
Volume	450	18	238	106
Avg. \$	139.12	138.50	140.75	145.12
Avg. Weight	762	756	746	789

SALES ARENA	DATE	COMMENTS
OSI	Oct-16	An average run of good quality veal cattle sold barely steady. Plain and medium quality types sold under pressure at lower prices.
OLEX	Oct-17	Veal sold on a steady market.
Denfield	Oct-17	Veal sold strong and up to \$5.00 cwt higher.
Aylmer	Oct-18	Veal calves traded slightly higher.
Brussels	Oct-19	Veal sold steady.

FEDERALLY INSPECTED VEAL :	October 14, 2017
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WEEKLY	2017	2016	% CHANGE	YTD	2017	2016	% CHANGE
Ontario	199	227	-12.30	Ontario	10,539	11,825	-10.90
Quebec	3,149	3,052	3.20	Quebec	146,934	147,171	-0.20
Canada	3,348	3,279	2.10	Canada	157,473	158,996	-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	1,761	1,653	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	Range			Quebec	Volume	Average \$	Volume	Average \$	
Live Auction				Live Auction					
Report				(\$/cwt)					
Fancy to	\$200-320	\$200-300	Good	739	\$1.46	551	\$1.44		
Good Calves			90-120 lb						
(>100 lbs)									
Medium to	\$100-255	\$100-240	Good	153	\$1.43	107	\$1.36		
Good Calves			121-140 lb						
(80-100 lbs)									
Small,	\$10-180	\$20-170	Average	576	\$1.25	633	\$1.14		
Plain Calves			90-140 lb						
(< 80 lbs)									
		This Week			Last Week				
BFO Auction Report		Volume	High	Avg.\$	Avg. Weight	Volume	High	Avg.\$	Avg. Weight
<125 lbs		107	\$246.93	\$152.99	173	838	\$177.15	\$113.44	99

Sales Arena	Date	Comment
Denfield	Oct-17	Drop calves sold steady to last week.
Milverton Park	Oct-16	118 calves
		Starter calves \$350-375 high of \$400
		Bob calves \$230-270 high of \$310
		Small calves \$150-180 high of \$210
		XX small calves \$100-200 high of \$130
Keady	Oct-17	94 dollar calves were on offer, selling slightly higher.
Listowel	Oct-17	298 calves on offer.
		Choice calves \$260-320
		Good calves \$210-255
		Medium types \$150-200
		Plain & small \$10-140
		Calves sold on a good demand.
Aylmer	Oct-18	134 replacement calves sold on a stronger demand with sales from \$25.00-\$490.00, averaging \$191.53 per head.

QUEBEC VEAL MARKET		
Quebec Electronic Auction		
A2 Grain-Fed (\$/lb.rail) This price is the average of what is sold on the electronic auction.		
This Week	1,269	\$2.89
Last Week	1,206	\$2.76