

## **Ontario Veal Association**

**WEEKLY MARKET INFORMATION REPORT** 

Week Ending: March 27, 2015
Week #12

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

ONTARIO DIRECT TO PACKER  Live weight \$/lb., 54.56% yield							
LIV	Live weight 3/1b., 34.30% yield						
Rail Live							
Range this week	\$1.50-1.75						
Last Week's range	\$2.75-3.20	\$1.50-1.75					

## WEEKLY ELECTRONIC VEAL SALES

	AVERAGE	OSI	OLEX	BRUSSELS
>600 LBS				
Volume	554	56	264	146
Low \$	142.07	145.00	143.00	140.00
High \$	174.21	162.00	161.00	209.00
Avg \$	155.00	154.51	151.66	161.64
Top \$	247.00	244.00	237.00	247.00
Avg. Weight	753	769	736	781
451 - 600 lbs				
Volume	42	4	9	-
Avg. \$	155.30	148.38	145.14	-
Avg. Weight	538	580	565	-
Last Week >600 lbs				
Volume	527	57	235	114
Avg. \$	153.94	156.09	153.81	157.91
Avg. Weight	745	734	738	772

FEDERALLY INSPECTED VEAL: March 21, 2015

SALES ARENA	DATE	COMMENTS
OSI	23-Mar	Veal calves sold on a steady market.
OLEX	24-Mar	Veal sold at steady prices.
Denfield	24-Mar	All areas of the market traded steady to last week's strong sales.
Aylmer	25-Mar	Cows were slightly down while veal sold stronger.
Brussels	26-Mar	Holstein veal calves sold at prices \$2.00-5.00 higher while beef calves sold on a steady market.

WEEKLY	2015	2014	% CHANGE	YTD	2015	2014	% CHANGE
Ontario	253	579	-56.30	Ontario	3,572	5,878	-39.20
Quebec	3,670	3,453	6.30	Quebec	42,073	42,212	-0.30
Canada	3,923	4,032	-2.70	Canada	45,645	48,090	-5.10

## ONTARIO FEDERAL VEAL TOTALS

MONTH	2015	2014	2013
January	1,425	1,865	2,352
February	1,353	1,966	2,525
March		2,576	3,080
April		1,904	2,011
May		2,939	2,201
June		1,881	3,388
July		2,268	2,381
August		1,702	2,628
September		2,428	2,188
October		1,141	1,881
November		859	2,311
December		995	1,667
Yearly	2,778	22,524	28,613

## ONTARIO PROVINCIAL VEAL TOTALS

MONTH	2015	2014	2013
January	1,858	2,513	2,517
February		2,256	2,270
March		2,379	2,321
April		2,622	2,464
May		2,487	2,720
June		2,487	2,456
July		2,358	2,798
August		2,015	2,560
September		2,363	2,403
October		2,447	2,803
November		2,122	2,583
December		2,503	2,428
Yearly		28,552	30,323

	BOB CALVES								
	This Week	Last Week		This	Week	Last Week			
Ontario			Quebec			Volume Average \$			
Live Auction	Rai	nge	Live Auction	Volume	Average \$		Average \$		
Report			(\$/cwt)						
Fancy to			Good						
<b>Good Calves</b>	\$500-725	\$450-725	90-120 lb	911	\$4.72	1,054	\$4.97		
(>100 lbs)									
Medium to			Good						
Good Calves	\$350-630	\$300-625	121-140 lb	199	\$4.56	193	\$4.79		
(80-100 lbs)									
Small,			Average						
Plain Calves	\$60-410	\$50-425	90-140 lb	618	\$3.68	465	\$4.09		
(< 80 lbs)									

BFO Auction Report	Volume	High	Avg.\$	Avg. Weight	Last week Avg. \$	Last Week Volume
<125 lbs	887	\$495.06	\$400.43	103	\$452.80	864

Sales Arena	Date	Comments
Denfield	24-Mar	All areas of the market traded steady to last week's strong sales.
Milverton Park	23-Mar	77 calves on offer.  Starter calves: \$700.00-725.00, high of \$770.00  Bob calves: \$580.00-630.00, high of \$670.00  Small calves: \$430.00-480.00, high of \$520.00  XX small calves: \$250.00-350.00, high of \$360.00
Keady	24-Mar	No comment.
Listowel	24-Mar	276 calves on offer.  Choice calves: \$550.00-640.00  Good calves: \$485-545.00  Medium types: \$420.00-480.00  Plain and small: \$60.00-410.00  Calves sold on good demand at steady prices.
Aylmer	25-Mar	Replacement calves traded from \$300.00-550.00, sales to \$680.00, averaging \$495.00

QUEBEC VEAL MARKET						
Quebec Electronic Auction						
A2 G	A2 Grain-Fed (\$/lb.rail) This price is the average					
0	f what is sold on the elec	tronic auction.				
	Volume Average\$					
This Week 1,541		\$3.10				
Last Week	Last Week 1,462					