

# Veal Farmers of Ontario

Week Ending: April 10, 2015

Week #14

#### WEEKLY MARKET INFORMATION REPORT

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 \$2.77-3.20 \$1.51-\$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	627	38	304	172	
Low \$	139.49	147.00	145.00	140.00	
High \$	176.37	159.00	157.50	212.00	
Avg \$	150.60	153.09	151.10	152.92	
Top \$	260.00	176.00	237.00	260.00	
Avg. Weight	754	733	741	784	
451 - 600 lbs					
Volume	29	2	3	7	
Avg. \$	164.59		151.67	126.50	
Avg. Weight	544	518	590	544	
Last Week >600 lbs					
Volume	303	57	190	103	
			157.50	149.33	
Avg. \$	156.50	157.99	157.50	145.55	

SALES ARENA	DATE	COMMENTS
OSI	06-Apr	A light run of veal calves sold on a steady market.
OLEX	07-Apr	Veal sold on an active trade at steady prices.
Denfield	7-Apr	Veal sold stong.
Aylmer	8-Apr	No comment.
Brussels	9-Apr	Veal sold on a strong active trade with Holstein calves up \$2.00-5.00 from last week while beef calves traded fully steady.

#### FEDERALLY INSPECTED VEAL: April 4, 2015

WEEKLY	2015	2014	% CHANGE	YTD	2015	2014	% CHANGE
Ontario	231	704	-67.20	Ontario	4,158	7,111	-41.50
Quebec	3,503	3,561	-1.60	Quebec	49,137	49,161	0.00
Canada	3,734	4,265	-12.50	Canada	53,295	56,272	-5.30

# ONTARIO FEDERAL VEAL TOTALS

MONTH	2015	2014	2013
January	1,425	1,865	2,352
February	1,353	1,966	2,525
March	1,149	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	3,927	22,524	28,613

## ONTARIO PROVINCIAL VEAL TOTALS

MONTH	2015	2014	2013
January	1,858	2,513	2,517
February	1,778	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	3,636	28,552	30,323

	BOB CALVES								
	This Week	Last Week This Week		Week	Last Week				
Ontario		Quebec							
Live Auction	Rai	nge	Live Auction	Volume	Average \$	Volume	Average \$		
Report			(\$/cwt)						
Fancy to			Good						
Good Calves	\$450-620	\$400-700	90-120 lb	849	\$4.23	849	\$4.23		
(>100 lbs)									
Medium to			Good						
Good Calves	\$225-500	\$210-600	121-140 lb	154	\$3.94	154	\$3.94		
(80-100 lbs)									
Small,			Average						
Plain Calves	\$50-320	\$60-250	90-140 lb	698	\$3.28	698	\$3.28		
(< 80 lbs)									

<b>BFO</b> Auction Report	Volume	High	Avg.\$	Avg. Weight	Last week Avg. \$	Last Week Volume
<125 lbs	833	\$461.32	\$386.86	101	\$379.53	810

Sales Arena	Date	Comments			
Denfield	7-Apr	Drop calves sold higher.			
		80 calves on offer.			
		Starter calves: \$550.00-600.00, high of \$730.00			
Milverton Park	6-Apr	Bob calves: \$375.00-450.00, high of \$500.00			
		Small calves: \$225.00-300.00, high of \$325.00			
		XX Small calves: \$50.00-125.00, high of \$200.00			
Keady	7-Apr	Dollar calves sold steady.			
	7-Apr	330 calves on offer.			
		Choice calves: \$505.00-620.00			
		Good calves: \$425.00-500.00			
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		Calves sold on a good steady market.			
Aylmer	8-Apr	Replacement calves sold from \$300.00-550.00 with sales to \$730.00 with 136 on hand!			

	QUEBEC VEAL MARKET						
Quebec Electronic Auction							
A2 Grain-Fed (\$/lb.rail) This price is the average							
of what is sold on the electronic auction.							
Volume Average\$							
This Week	1,653 \$3.10						
Last Week	1,596	\$3.10					