



Veal Farmers of Ontario
WEEKLY MARKET INFORMATION REPORT

Week Ending: April 24, 2015
Week #16

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	\$2.77-3.20	\$1.51-1.75

WEEKLY ELECTRONIC VEAL SALES

	AVERAGE	OSI	OLEX	BRUSSELS
>600 LBS				
Volume	727	68	381	178
Low \$	134.88	144.50	136.00	130.00
High \$	168.52	159.50	158.00	187.00
Avg \$	147.46	151.94	146.33	146.81
Top \$	243.00	183.00	228.00	243.00
Avg. Weight	767	762	764	784
451 - 600 lbs				
Volume	43	2	13	2
Avg. \$	140.67	83.81	136.95	170.00
Avg. Weight	545	568	559	550
Last Week >600 lbs				
Volume	647	72	270	180
Avg. \$	152.77	157.71	149.18	151.49
Avg. Weight	767	754	766	775

SALES ARENA	DATE	COMMENTS
OSI	20-Apr	Veal sold barely steady to \$5.00 cwt lower.
OLEX	21-Apr	A large volume of veal sold under pressure.
Denfield	21-Apr	The market traded strong and steady in all areas!
Aylmer	22-Apr	No comment.
Brussels	23-Apr	Veal sold on a steady market.

FEDERALLY INSPECTED VEAL: April 18, 2015

WEEKLY	2015	2014	% CHANGE	YTD	2015	2014	% CHANGE
Ontario	306	128	139.10	Ontario	4,797	7,743	-38.00
Quebec	2,368	3,471	-31.80	Quebec	54,696	56,060	-2.40
Canada	2,674	3,599	-25.70	Canada	59,493	63,803	-6.80

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	1,900	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	5,536	28,552	30,323

BOB CALVES								
	This Week		Last Week		This Week		Last Week	
Ontario	Range		Quebec	Volume	Average \$	Volume	Average \$	
Live Auction Report			Live Auction (\$/cwt)					
Fancy to Good Calves (>100 lbs)			Good					
Medium to Good Calves (80-100 lbs)	\$500-700	\$550-675	90-120 lb	1,039	\$5.03	1,103	\$4.98	
Small, Plain Calves (< 80 lbs)	\$350-575	\$300-560	Good	196	\$4.87	243	\$4.75	
	\$150-350	\$100-350	Average	504	\$3.97	554	\$3.98	
			90-140 lb					

BFO Auction Report	Volume	High	Avg.\$	Avg. Weight	Last week Avg. \$	Last Week Volume
<125 lbs	836	\$515.59	\$438.08	101	\$442.52	799

Sales Arena	Date	Comments
Denfield	21-Apr	The market traded strong and steady in all areas!
Milverton Park	20-Apr	80 calves on offer.
		Starter calves: \$650.00-700.00, high of \$770.00
		Bob calves: \$525.00-575.00, high of \$670.00
		Small calves: \$400.00-450.00, high of \$475.00
Keady	14-Apr	Dollar calves sold higher.
		XX Small calves: \$175.00-275.00, high of \$350.00
Listowel	21-Apr	230 calves on offer.
		Choice calves: \$570.00-640.00
		Good calves: \$500.00-560.00
		Medium calves: \$355.00-495.00
		Plain & small: \$150.00-350.00
		Calves sold on a good demand at steady prices.
Aylmer	22-Apr	Replacement calves sold from \$400.00-600.00 with sales to \$675.00.

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	1,341	\$3.10
Last Week	1,329	\$3.10