



Veal Farmers of Ontario
WEEKLY MARKET INFORMATION REPORT

Week Ending: March 18, 2016
Week # 11

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	\$2.95-3.11	\$1.61-1.70
Last Week's range	\$3.00-3.20	\$1.63-1.75

WEEKLY ELECTRONIC VEAL SALES

	AVERAGE	OSI	OLEX	BRUSSELS
>600 LBS				
Volume	516	70	231	112
Low \$	127.36	132.50	131.00	117.00
High \$	156.45	153.00	152.00	167.00
Avg \$	140.51	144.00	140.80	135.77
Top \$	232.00	168.50	222.50	232.00
Avg. Weight	757	759	748	787
451 - 600 lbs				
Volume	29	2	7	2
Avg. \$	126.04	115.13	126.42	103.00
Avg. Weight	531	515	538	558
Last Week >600 lbs				
Volume	623	52	320	156
Avg. \$	145.85	157.79	150.22	136.01
Avg. Weight	752	749	742	768

SALES ARENA	DATE	COMMENTS
OSI	Mar-14	Veal sold at price \$7.00-10.00 cwt lower.
OLEX	Mar-15	Veal sold on a softer market.
Denfield	Mar-15	Veal traded under pressure at up to \$10.00 cwt lower.
Aylmer	Mar-16	Veal sold under pressure.
Brussels	Mar-17	Veal sold on a steady to slightly stronger market.

FEDERALLY INSPECTED VEAL :

March 12, 2016

WEEKLY	2016	2015	% CHANGE	YTD	2016	2015	% CHANGE
Ontario	357	240	48.80	Ontario	3,248	3,018	7.60
Quebec	3,699	3,488	6.00	Quebec	34,135	34,614	-1.40
Canada	4,056	3,728	8.80	Canada	37,383	37,632	-0.70

ONTARIO FEDERAL VEAL TOTALS

MONTH	2016	2015	2014
January	1,243	1,425	1,865
February	1,327	1,353	1,966
March		1,149	2,576
April		1,268	1,904
May		1,518	2,939
June		1,114	1,881
July		1,105	2,268
August		1,507	1,702
September		1,228	2,428
October		1,233	1,141
November		1,082	859
December		1,080	995
Yearly	2,570	15,062	22,524

ONTARIO PROVINCIAL VEAL TOTALS

MONTH	2015	2014	2013
January	1,859	2,513	2,517
February	1,778	2,256	2,270
March	1,900	2,379	2,321
April	2,019	2,622	2,464
May	1,921	2,487	2,720
June	1,934	2,487	2,456
July	1,931	2,358	2,798
August	1,669	2,015	2,560
September	1,771	2,363	2,403
October	1,997	2,447	2,803
November	1,773	2,122	2,583
December	2,035	2,503	2,428
Yearly	22,587	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)	\$320-450	\$350-450	Good	90-120 lb	918	\$2.98	921	\$3.33	
Medium to Good Calves (80-100 lbs)	\$160-350	\$190-350	Good	121-140 lb	167	\$2.89	188	\$3.22	
Small, Plain Calves (< 80 lbs)	\$65-200	\$65-200	Average	90-140 lb	592	\$2.57	707	\$2.79	
				This Week		Last Week			
BFO Auction Report	Volume	High	Avg.\$	Avg. Weight	Volume	High	Avg.\$	Avg. Weight	
<125 lbs	830	\$318.67	\$266.82	101	848	\$361.97	\$299.85	102	

Sales Arena	Date	Comments
Denfield	Mar-15	Drop calves sold strong with a good demand.
Milverton Park		Report not received at time of release.
Keady	Mar-8	Dollar calves sold fully steady.
Listowel	Mar-15	300 calves on offer.
		Choice calves: \$320.00-400.00.
		Good calves: \$225.00-310.00.
		Medium types: \$160.00-220.00.
		Plain & small: \$65.00-150.00.
		Calves sold on a good demand at slightly lower prices.
Aylmer	Mar-16	92 replacement calves sold from \$270.00-350.00, high of \$870.00 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.		
	Volume	Average\$
This Week	1,594	\$3.00
Last Week	1,503	\$3.10