



**Veal Farmers of Ontario**  
**WEEKLY MARKET INFORMATION REPORT**

Week Ending: May 18, 2018  
Week # 20

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	\$2.25-2.50	\$1.23-1.36
Last Week's range	\$2.25-2.50	\$1.23-1.36

**WEEKLY ELECTRONIC VEAL SALES**

	AVERAGE	OSI	OLEX	BRUSSELS
<b>&gt;600 LBS</b>				
Volume	790	56	395	159
Low \$	95.92	95.00	100.00	96.00
High \$	128.06	120.00	132.00	126.00
Avg \$	113.87	108.35	116.70	113.86
Top \$	196.00	137.00	180.00	196.00
Avg. Weight	746	747	745	754
<b>451 - 600 lbs</b>				
Volume	56	6	7	1
Avg. \$	107.73	98.27	113.50	76.00
Avg. Weight	542	580	564	565
<b>Last Week &gt;600 lbs</b>				
Volume	639	49	376	116
Avg. \$	112.50	109.36	114.39	109.05
Avg. Weight	731	721	733	748

SALES ARENA	DATE	COMMENTS
OSI	May-14	Good right weight veal sold stronger, with heavy and plainer types selling steady.
OLEX	May-15	Veal sold actively at steady prices.
Denfield	May-15	Veal sold stronger.
Aylmer	May-16	No comment.
Brussels	May-17	Veal sold on an active trade with right weight calves selling steady, while right weight calves were \$1.00-\$2.00 cwt higher.

FEDERALLY INSPECTED VEAL :

May 12, 2018

WEEKLY	2018	2017	% CHANGE	YTD	2018	2017	% CHANGE
Ontario	207	272	-23.90	Ontario	3,498	5,099	-31.40
Quebec	2,887	3,873	-25.50	Quebec	66,691	69,028	-3.40
Canada	3,094	4,145	-25.40	Canada	70,189	74,127	-5.30

**ONTARIO FEDERAL VEAL TOTALS**

MONTH	2018	2017	2016
January	756	958	1,243
February	660	1,256	1,327
March	841	1,228	1,097
April	819	1,147	1,376
May		1,088	1,174
June		1,109	1,342
July		1,234	1,371
August		951	1,123
September		1,174	995
October		823	1,341
November		735	1,121
December		871	1,243
<b>Yearly</b>	<b>3,076</b>	<b>12,574</b>	<b>14,753</b>

**ONTARIO PROVINCIAL VEAL TOTALS**

MONTH	2018	2017	2016
January	1,984	1,761	1,653
February	1,866	1,720	1,508
March	2,060	1,922	1,831
April		1,641	1,618
May		1,982	1,725
June		2,128	2,039
July		1,842	1,674
August		2,171	1,897
September		1,937	1,999
October		2,088	1,733
November		2,165	1,884
December		1,968	1,885
<b>Yearly</b>	<b>5,910</b>	<b>23,325</b>	<b>21,446</b>

BOB CALVES												
	This Week		Last Week		This Week		Last Week					
Ontario	Range		Quebec		Volume	Average \$	Volume	Average \$				
Live Auction Report									114.39		(\$/cwt)	
Fancy to Good Calves (>100 lbs)									\$190-350	No range	Good 90-120 lb	655
Medium to Good Calves (80-100 lbs)	\$150-280	No range	Good 121-140 lb	185	\$1.41	191	\$1.67					
Small, Plain Calves (< 80 lbs)	\$50-160	No range	Average 90-140 lb	572	\$1.17	552	\$1.43					
	This Week				Last Week							
BFO Auction Report	Volume	High	Avg.\$	05-May-18	Volume	High	Avg.\$	Avg. Weight				
<125 lbs	952	\$231.66	\$130.17	100	737	\$238.98	\$146.03	101				

Sales Arena	Date	Comment
Denfield	May-15	Drop calves sold very strong with a good demand.
Milverton Park	May-14	52 calves sold
		Starter calves \$300-400 high of \$450
		Bob calves \$190-220 high of \$250
		Small calves \$110-130 high of \$150
Keady	May-15	XX small calves \$50-75 high of \$100
		103 dollar calves were on offer, selling barely steady.
Listowel	May-15	254 calves on offer
		Choice calves \$290-350
		Good calves \$240-280
		Medium types \$170-230
		Plain & small \$70-160
		Calves sold on a good demand at steady prices.
Aylmer	May-16	189 replacement calves sold between \$10.00-\$775.00 averaging \$216.58 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	1,364	\$2.35
Last Week	1,208	\$2.38