



Veal Farmers of Ontario
WEEKLY MARKET INFORMATION REPORT

Week Ending: October 26, 2018
Week # 43

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	\$2.35-2.50	\$1.28-1.36
Last Week's range	\$2.25-2.50	\$1.23-1.36

WEEKLY ELECTRONIC VEAL SALES

	AVERAGE	OSI	OLEX	BRUSSELS
>600 lbs				
Volume	630	61	358	82
Low \$	95.60	104.00	95.00	111.00
High \$	133.17	125.00	135.00	133.00
Avg. \$	117.23	115.91	119.92	122.85
Top \$	185.00	141.00	150.00	185.00
Avg. Weight	758	745	761	753
451 - 600 lbs				
Volume	54	4	21	1
Avg. \$	106.72	85.64	113.24	110.00
Avg. Weight	542	550	555	550
Last Week >600 lbs				
Volume	777	60	438	163
Avg. \$	117.76	106.74	121.71	115.90
Avg. Weight	753	754	750	748

SALES ARENA	DATE	COMMENTS
OSI	Oct-22	Veal calves sold on a barely steady market.
OLEX	Oct-23	Veal calves sold on a slightly easier trade.
Denfield	Oct-23	Veal sold steady.
Aylmer	Oct-24	No comment.
Brussels	Oct-25	Veal sold on a good active trade with prices \$5.00-\$10.00 cwt higher.

FEDERALLY INSPECTED VEAL :

October 20, 2018

WEEKLY	2018	2017	% CHANGE	YTD	2018	2017	% CHANGE
Ontario	127	191	-33.50	Ontario	7,270	10,730	-32.20
Quebec	3,390	3,663	-7.50	Quebec	143,772	150,597	-4.50
Canada	3,517	3,854	-8.70	Canada	151,042	161,327	-6.40

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	822	1,088	1,174
June	993	1,109	1,342
July	630	1,234	1,371
August	552	951	1,123
September	776	1,174	995
October		823	1,341
November		735	1,121
December		871	1,243
Yearly	6,849	12,574	14,753

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	2,136	1,641	1,618
May	2,389	1,982	1,725
June	2,073	2,128	2,039
July	1,922	1,842	1,674
August	2,133	2,171	1,897
September	2,008	1,937	1,999
October		2,088	1,733
November		2,165	1,884
December		1,968	1,885
Yearly	18,571	23,325	21,446

BOB CALVES															
	This Week		Last Week			This Week		Last Week							
Ontario	Range				Quebec	Volume	Average \$	Volume	Average \$						
Live Auction Report					Fancy to Good Calves (>100 lbs)					Good 90-120 lb	921	\$1.17	829	\$1.20	
					\$120-250					\$125-250					
	Range				Good 121-140 lb	187	\$1.20	190	\$1.23						
					Medium to Good Calves (80-100 lbs)					Good					
					\$60-160					\$70-170					
	Range				Average 90-140 lb	570	\$0.97	468	\$0.81						
					Small, Plain Calves (< 80 lbs)										
					\$10-120					\$10-110					
	This Week				Last Week										
BFO Auction Report	Volume	High	Avg.\$	Avg. Weight	Volume	High	Avg.\$	Avg. Weight							
<125 lbs	853	\$249.48	\$111.44	102	912	\$216.90	\$103.20	101							

Sales Arena	Date	Comment
Denfield	Oct-23	Drop calves sold considerably lower with little demand.
Milverton Park	Oct-22	54 calves sold
		Starter calves \$300-360 high of \$400
		Bob calves \$140-170 high of \$190
		Small calves \$90-120 high of \$150
		XX small calves \$30-50 high of \$60
Keady	Oct-23	No comment given.
Listowel	Oct-23	240 calves on offer.
		Choice calves \$170-250
		Good calves \$110-160
		Medium types \$70-105
		Plain and small \$10-65
		Calves sold on a selective demand.
Aylmer	Oct-24	125 replacement calves ranged from \$10.00-\$375.00 for an average of \$97.12 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	1,291	\$2.41
Last Week	1,222	\$2.42