



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

Week Ending: July 19, 2019

Week # 29

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	\$2.05-2.15	\$1.12-1.17
Weighted average	\$2.11	\$1.15
Last Week's range	\$2.00-2.15	\$1.09-1.17
Weighted Average	\$2.10	\$1.15

**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 (head)	AVERAGE (\$/lb carcass)
This Week	1,394	\$2.15
Last Week	1,381	\$2.15

**WEEKLY ELECTRONIC VEAL SALES**

	AVERAGE	OSI	OLEX	BRUSSELS
<b>&gt;600 lbs.</b>				
Volume	730	86	329	134
Low \$	\$ 81.31	\$ 83.00	\$ 85.00	\$ 80.00
High \$	\$ 104.13	\$ 94.00	\$ 107.00	\$ 106.00
Avg. \$	\$ 91.40	\$ 88.63	\$ 94.19	\$ 92.19
Top \$	\$ 170.00	\$ 125.00	\$ 141.00	\$ 170.00
Avg. Weight (lbs.)	740	771	728	740
<b>451 - 600 lbs.</b>				
Volume	44	0	17	9
Avg. \$	\$ 81.36	-	\$ 80.36	\$ 82.38
Avg. Weight (lbs.)	533	-	549	526
<b>Last Week &gt;600 lbs.</b>				
Volume	819	66	425	123
Avg. \$	\$85.49	\$82.84	\$87.58	\$83.39
Avg. Weight (lbs.)	745	754	738	724

**WEEKLY ELECTRONIC VEAL SALES COMMENTS**

ARENA	DATE	COMMENTS
Aylmer	Jul-17	No comment.
Brussels	Jul-18	Right weight Holstein calves sold \$10.00 cwt higher, with beef calves and heavy Holsteins steady.
Denfield	Jul-16	Veal traded slightly lower.
OLEX	Jul-16	Veal sold on a good demand at higher prices.
OSI	Jul-15	Veal calves sold on a steady market.

**FEDERAL VEAL TOTALS**

MONTH	2019	2018	2017
January	613	756	958
February	715	660	1,256
March	782	841	1,228
April	686	819	1,147
May	534	822	1,088
June	772	993	1,109
July		630	1,234
August		552	951
September		776	1,174
October		562	823
November		563	735
December		873	871
<b>Yearly</b>	<b>4,102</b>	<b>8,847</b>	<b>12,574</b>

**FEDERALLY INSPECTED VEAL : July 13, 2019**

	WEEKLY			YTD			
	2019	2018	% Change	2019	2018	% Change	
Quebec	3,290	3,281	0.3	Quebec	91,893	97,305	-5.6
Rest of Canada	164	174	-5.7	Rest of Canada	4,422	5,192	-14.8
<b>Canada</b>	<b>3,454</b>	<b>3,455</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>Canada</b>	<b>96,315</b>	<b>102,497</b>	<b>-6.0</b>

**ONTARIO PROVINCIAL VEAL TOTALS**

MONTH	2019	2018	2017
January	1,974	1,984	1,761
February	1,685	1,866	1,720
March	1,847	2,060	1,922
April	2,451	2,136	1,641
May	2,613	2,389	1,982
June		2,073	2,128
July		1,922	1,842
August		2,133	2,171
September		2,008	1,937
October		2,475	2,088
November		2,361	2,165
December		2,136	1,968
<b>Yearly</b>	<b>10,570</b>	<b>25,543</b>	<b>23,325</b>

**BOB CALVES SALES COMMENTS**

ARENA	DATE	COMMENTS
Aylmer	Jul-17	210 replacement calves sold between \$7.00-\$560.00 for an average of \$59.35 per head.
Denfield	Jul-16	Drop calves were under pressure this week.
Keady	Jul-16	93 dollar calves were on offer, selling slightly stronger.
Listowel	Jul-16	350 calves on offer. Choice calves \$125-200 Good calves \$80-120 Medium types \$25-75 Plain and small \$5-20 Calves sold on a poor demand at lower prices.
Milverton Parks	Jul-15	54 calves sold. Starter calves \$165-175 high of \$205 Bob calves \$100-110 high of \$130 Small calves \$50-60 high of \$75 XX small calves \$15-20 high of \$35

**BFO Auction Report (<125 lbs.)**

This Week				Last Week			
Volume	High	Avg. \$	Avg. Weight	Volume	High	Avg. \$	Avg. Weight
1,046	\$285.02	\$112.11	101	1,037	\$269.69	\$99.91	102

**ONTARIO BOB CALVES - Live Auction**

	This Week Range	Last Week Range
Fancy to Good Calves (>100 lbs.)	\$100-200	\$100-250
Medium to Good Calves (80-100)	\$25-120	\$40-130
Small, Plain Calves (<80 lbs.)	\$5-60	\$5-50

**QUEBEC BOB CALVES - Live Auction**

		This Week		Last Week	
		Volume	Average	Volume	Average
Good	90-120 lbs.	778	\$1.16	757	\$1.13
Good	121-140 lbs.	204	\$1.18	195	\$1.12
Average	90-140 lbs.	516	\$0.94	529	\$0.79