



Veal Farmers of Ontario

WEEKLY MARKET INFORMATION REPORT

Week Ending: September 27, 2019

Week # 39

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	2.10-2.20	\$1.15-1.20
Weighted average	\$2.14	\$1.17
Last Week's range	\$2.10-2.20	\$1.14-1.20
Weighted Average	\$2.12	\$1.16

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	1,140	\$2.15
Last Week	1,158	\$2.15

WEEKLY ELECTRONIC VEAL SALES

	AVERAGE	OSI	OLEX	BRUSSELS
>600 lbs.				
Volume	758	66	300	183
Low \$	\$ 91.73	\$ 83.00	\$ 95.00	\$ 98.00
High \$	\$ 126.65	\$ 106.50	\$ 126.00	\$ 133.00
Avg. \$	\$ 111.13	\$ 96.64	\$ 114.46	\$ 117.48
Top \$	\$ 169.00	\$ 130.00	\$ 151.00	\$ 169.00
Avg. Weight (lbs.)	741	765	735	753
451 - 600 lbs.				
Volume	93	5	33	20
Avg. \$	\$ 95.37	\$ 89.32	\$ 98.00	\$ 107.94
Avg. Weight (lbs.)	557	583	553	578
Last Week >600 lbs.				
Volume	681	51	340	137
Avg. \$	\$106.89	\$101.73	\$108.07	\$113.58
Avg. Weight (lbs.)	749	760	745	749

WEEKLY ELECTRONIC VEAL SALES COMMENTS

ARENA	DATE	COMMENTS
Aylmer	Sep-25	No comment.
Brussels	Sep-26	Veal sold on an active trade with prices \$1-\$2 cwt higher.
Denfield	Sep-24	Veal traded considerably higher.
OLEX	Sep-24	Veal sold on a stronger market.
OSI	Sep-23	Veal 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	644	630	1,234
August	745	552	951
September		776	1,174
October		562	823
November		563	735
December		873	871
Yearly	5,491	8,847	12,574

FEDERALLY INSPECTED VEAL :

	WEEKLY			YTD			
	2019	2018	% Change	2019	2018	% Change	
Quebec	3,087	3,350	-7.9	Quebec	120,476	130,667	-7.8
Rest of Canada	65	123	-47.2	Rest of Canada	6,115	6,691	-8.6
Canada	3,152	3,473	-9.2	Canada	126,591	137,358	-7.8

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	2,244	2,073	2,128
July	2,547	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
Yearly	15,361	25,543	23,325

BOB CALVES SALES COMMENTS

ARENA	DATE	COMMENTS
Aylmer	Sep-25	88 replacement calves sold from \$5-490.00. Average \$87.15 per head.
Denfield	Sep-24	Drop calves sold under pressure at lower prices.
Keady	Sep-24	110 dollar calves on offer, selling easier. Holstein male calves weighing 100-150 lbs sold up to \$165.00 per head.
Listowel	Sep-24	250 calves on offer Choice calves \$150-220.00 Good calves \$80-140.00 Medium types \$35-70.00 Plain and small \$10-30.00 Calves sold mainly steady
Milverton Parks	Sep-23	50 calves Starter calves \$160-170 high of \$200 Bob calves \$70-80 high of \$100 Small calves \$35-45 high of \$60 XX small calves \$10-15 high of \$20

BFO Auction Report (<125 lbs.)

This Week				Last Week			
Volume	High	Avg. \$	Avg. Weight	Volume	High	Avg. \$	Avg. Weight
919	\$260.42	\$97.15	101	920	\$225.53	\$101.28	102

ONTARIO BOB CALVES - Live Auction

	This Week Range	Last Week Range
Fancy to Good Calves (>100 lbs.)	\$150-220	\$140-225
Medium to Good Calves (80-100)	\$35-80	\$40-145
Small, Plain Calves (<80 lbs.)	\$10-30	\$5-35

QUEBEC BOB CALVES - Live Auction

	This Week		Last Week	
	Volume	Average	Volume	Average
Good 90-120 lbs.	690	\$1.10	671	\$1.04
Good 121-140 lbs.	169	\$1.12	168	\$1.02
Average 90-140 lbs.	544	\$0.80	546	\$0.75