



# Veal Farmers of Ontario

## WEEKLY MARKET INFORMATION REPORT

Week Ending: August 14, 2020

Week # 33

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	\$2.30-2.32	\$1.25-1.27
Weighted average	\$2.30	\$1.25
Last Week's range	\$2.25-2.32	\$1.23-1.27
Weighted Average	\$2.27	\$1.24

### WEEKLY ELECTRONIC VEAL SALES

	AVERAGE	OSI	OLEX	BRUSSELS
<b>&gt;600 lbs.</b>				
Volume	609	32	325	90
Low \$	\$ 108.23	\$ 114.00	\$ 109.00	\$ 115.00
High \$	\$ 134.29	\$ 126.50	\$ 136.00	\$ 136.00
Avg. \$	\$ 118.63	\$ 119.22	\$ 119.81	\$ 122.92
Top \$	\$ 182.50	\$ 140.00	\$ 182.50	\$ 178.00
Avg. Weight (lbs.)	762	774	759	752
<b>451 - 600 lbs.</b>				
Volume	45	1	10	2
Avg. \$	\$ 101.56	\$ 75.00	\$ 102.75	\$ 124.50
Avg. Weight (lbs.)	534	530	581	585
<b>Last Week &gt;600 lbs.</b>				
Volume	574	8	332	142
Avg. \$	\$119.19	\$88.98	\$119.90	\$121.99
Avg. Weight (lbs.)	749	759	756	745

### FEDERAL VEAL TOTALS

MONTH	2020	2019	2018
January	0	613	756
February	0	715	660
March	0	782	841
April	0	686	819
May	0	534	822
June	0	772	993
July	0	644	630
August		946	552
September		423	776
October		0	562
November		0	563
December		0	873
<b>Yearly</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>6,115</b>	<b>8,847</b>

### ONTARIO PROVINCIAL VEAL TOTALS

MONTH	2020	2019	2018
January	2,606	1,974	1,984
February	2,570	1,685	1,866
March	3,606	1,847	2,060
April	3,440	2,451	2,136
May	3,317	2,613	2,389
June		2,244	2,073
July		2,547	1,922
August		2,697	2,133
September		2,263	2,008
October		2,753	2,475
November		2,323	2,361
December		2,322	2,136
<b>Yearly</b>	<b>15,539</b>	<b>27,719</b>	<b>25,543</b>

### ONTARIO BOB CALVES - Live Auction

	This Week Range	Last Week Range
Fancy to Good Calves (>100 lbs.)	\$70-250	\$75-250
Medium to Good Calves (80-100)	\$20-200	\$35-170
Small, Plain Calves (<80 lbs.)	\$5-125	\$5-90

### 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	1,456	\$2.30
Last Week	1,436	\$2.30

### WEEKLY ELECTRONIC VEAL SALES COMMENTS

ARENA	DATE	COMMENTS
Aylmer	Aug-12	No comment.
Brussels	Aug-13	Veal sold on a strong active trade at steady prices.
Denfield	Aug-11	Veal sold barely steady.
OLEX	Aug-11	Veal calves sold on a steady trade.
OSI	Aug-10	Veal traded steady.

### FEDERALLY INSPECTED VEAL : August 01, 2020

	WEEKLY			YTD			
	2020	2019	% Change	2020	2019	% Change	
Quebec	2,824	2,781	1.5	Quebec	95,510	100,684	-5.1
Rest of Canada	0	162	-	Rest of Canada	1	4,908	-99.98
<b>Canada</b>	<b>2,824</b>	<b>2,943</b>	<b>-4.0</b>	<b>Canada</b>	<b>95,511</b>	<b>105,592</b>	<b>-9.5</b>

### BOB CALVES SALES COMMENTS

ARENA	DATE	COMMENTS
Aylmer	Aug-12	141 replacement calves sold between \$5.00-\$350.00 for an average of \$65.21 per head.
Denfield	Aug-11	Drop calves sold fully steady and slightly higher.
Keady	Aug-11	75 dollar calves were on offer, selling steady: Holstein male calves weighing 100-150 pounds sold up to \$205.00 per head.
Listowel	Aug-11	262 calves on offer. Choice calves \$100-\$150 Good calves \$50-80 Medium types \$20-45 Plain & small \$5-10 Calves sold on a poor demand.
Milverton Parks	Aug-10	Light run. Starter calves good demand. Bob calves \$70-80; high \$175 Small calves \$40-50; high \$60 XX small calves \$25-35

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

This Week				Last Week			
Volume	High	Avg. \$	Avg. Weight	Volume	High	Avg. \$	Avg. Weight
829	\$224.84	\$104.78	101	832	\$201.03	\$101.49	101

### QUEBEC BOB CALVES - Live Auction

	This Week		Last Week	
	Volume	Average	Volume	Average
Good 90-120 lbs.	714	\$1.14	573	\$1.06
Good 121-140 lbs.	170	\$1.16	180	\$1.09
Average 90-140 lbs.	408	\$0.87	465	\$0.76