

# **WEEKLY MARKET INFORMATION REPORT**

Week Ending: September 4, 2020

Week # 36

This report is a collection of reports from sales barns and direct sales. The VFO is **NOT** responsible for the accuracy of these numbers.

## **BOB CALVES**

The pricing reported below has **NOT** been broken out by dairy breeds or dairy crossbreeds.

### BFO Auction Report (<125 lbs.) This Week Last Week Avg. Avg. Volume High Avg. \$ Weight Volume Weight High Avg. \$ 911 \$295.49 \$121.42 101 \$352.40 \$123.11 100 864

ONTARIO BOB CALVES - Live Auction							
This Week Last Week							
	Range	Range					
Fancy to Good Calves (>100 lbs.)	\$100-250	\$70-250					
Medium to Good Calves (80-100 lbs.)	\$80-140	\$80-140					
Small, Plain Calves (<80 lbs.)	\$5-75						

BOB CALVES SALES COMMENTS								
	ARENA DATE COMMENTS							
ARENA	DATE	COMMENTS						
Aylmer	Sep-2	131 replacement calves sold between \$10.00- \$370.00 for an average of \$117.90 per head.						
Denfield	Sep-1	Drop calves traded slightly lower this week.						
Keady	Sep-1	20 dollar calves were on offer selling steady: Holstein male calves weighing 100-150 pounds solup to \$120.00 per head.						
Listowel		No report.						
Milverton Parks	Sep-1	50 calves sold. Starter calves \$250-300; high \$325 Bob calves \$100-110; high \$140 Small calves \$60-70; high \$85 XX small calves \$30-40; high \$50 Open for calf auction Labour Day Sept 7 as usual.						

QUEBEC BOB CALVES - Live Auction						
This Week Last Wee						
		Volume	Average	Volume	Average	
		volume	\$/cwt	volume	\$/cwt	
Good	90-120 lbs.	735	\$0.99	707	\$1.04	
Good	121-140 lbs.	216	\$1.04	153	\$1.02	
Average	90-140 lbs.	396	\$0.73	467	\$0.69	

# **FINISHED VEAL**

ONTARIO DIRECT TO PACKER Live weight \$/lb., 54.56% yield							
	RAIL LIVE						
Range this week	Range this week \$2.30-2.35 \$1.25-1.28						
Weighted average	Weighted average \$2.31 \$1.26						
Last Week's range \$2.30-2.32 \$1.25-1.27							
Weighted Average \$2.30 \$1.25							

BFO WEEKLY ELECTRONIC VEAL SALES								
	Α	VERAGE		OSI	OLEX		BRUSSELS	
			>600	lbs.				
Volume		561		39	286 111			111
Low \$	\$	107.41	\$	107.00	\$	109.00	\$	110.00
High \$	\$	129.89	\$	121.00	\$	132.00	\$	132.00
Avg. \$	\$	118.67	\$	115.33	\$	120.34	\$	119.92
Top \$	\$	177.50	\$	160.00	\$	177.50	\$	166.00
Avg. Weight (lbs.)		750		774	747			756
Last Week >600 lbs.								
Volume		566	35 323			84		
Avg. \$	40	120.95	\$	117.87	\$125.02		\$	120.29
Avg. Weight (lbs.)		743		755	733 730			730

WEEKLY ELECTRONIC VEAL SALES COMMENTS					
ARENA	DATE	COMMENTS			
Aylmer	Sep-2	No comment.			
Brussels	Sep-3	Veal sold actively at steady prices.			
Denfield	Sep-1	Veal sold steady.			
OLEX	Sep-1	Veal calves sold on a barely steady trade.			
OSI	Aug-31	Veal traded on a steady market.			

# 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) (\$/lb.carcass) This Week 1,589 \$2.30 Last Week 1,377 \$2.30

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	3,611	2,244	2,073			
July	3,476	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			
Yearly	22,626	27,719	25,543			