



FINISHED VEAL PRICES

Ontario Direct To Packer - Live weight \$/lb., 54.56% yield

	Rail	Live
Range	1.82 - 1.90	0.99 - 1.03
Last Wk	1.75 - 1.98	0.95 - 1.08

Ontario Live Auction - weighted average of 13 computerized salesbarns (\$/cwt)

	Vol.	Plain/Heavy	Good Holsteins	Beef Types	Avg \$	Last Wk
> 600 lbs	605	81.06	105.96	160.00	94.61	95.05
451-600 lbs	65	67.17	98.28	112.00	83.87	85.96

	Date	Comments
OSI	Aug 28	Good quality veal calves sold \$5 cwt. higher, with others steady.
Brussels	Aug 31	The veal sold on a steady active trade.

Quebec Electronic Auction - A2 Grain Fed (\$/lb. Rail)

Vol. Offered	Vol. Sold	Range	Avg	Last Wk	Surplus* (\$/head)	Net Price
1205	1205	185.00-197.50	192.30	188.30	0.00	192.30

* In order to manage the cost of the surplus calves sold, a surplus charge is passed back to the producer, resulting in the producer then receiving the net price for calves sold.

BOB CALF PRICES

Ontario Live Auction - weighted average of 13 computerized salesbarns (\$/cwt)

	Vol.	Low	High	Top	Avg	Last Wk
< 125 lbs	969	75.12	200.36	260.00	149.26	175.25

	Date	Comments
Vankleek Hill	Aug 28	Calves were off with last week to average \$1.45/lb.
Keady	Aug 29	Calves sold barely steady.

Quebec Live Auction - (\$/cwt)

	Vol.	Avg	Last Wk
Good Calves (90-120lb)	811	220.00	237.00
Good Calves (121-140lb)	98	203.00	219.00
Average Calves (90-140lb)	684	179.00	184.00

FEDERALLY INSPECTED SLAUGHTER CALVES - For the week ending Aug 26, 2006.

	2006	2005	% chg
Western Canada	72	81	-11.1
Ontario	343	129	165.9
Quebec/Atlantic Provinces	4438	4874	-8.9