



WEEKLY MARKET INFORMATION REPORT

Week Ending February 7, 2008

FINISHED VEAL PRICES

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

	Rail	Live
Range	1.56 - 1.69	0.85 - 0.92
Last week	1.56 - 1.75	0.85 - 0.95

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

	Vol.	Plain/Heavy	Good Holsteins	Beef Types	Avg \$	Last Week	
						Avg \$	Vol.
> 600 lbs	571	59.38	83.76	122.50	70.26	76.44	525
451-600 lbs	53	51.14	76.63	93.00	66.61	69.62	44

	Date	Comments
OSI	Feb 4	All classes of veal sold sharply lower.
OLEX	Feb 5	Veal sold under severe pressure.
Brussels	Feb 7	A light run of veal sold under pressure.

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

Vol. Offered	Vol. Sold	Range	Avg	Last Wk	Surplus (\$/head)	Net Price
1668	1250	1.685-1.835	1.799	1.806	50.00	1.657

BOB CALF PRICES

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

	Vol.	Low	High	Top	Avg	Last Week	
						Avg	Vol.
< 125 lbs	685	81.18	126.36	390.00	107.72	96.73	724

	Date	Comments
Vankleek Hill	Feb 4	Calves were down 5 cents with last week.
Keady	Feb 5	Dollar calves sold steady.

Quebec Live Auction - (\$/cwt)

	Vol.	Avg	Last Wk
Good Calves (90-120lb)	1163	1.32	1.23
Good Calves (121-140lb)	237	1.27	1.25
Average Calves (90-140lb)	574	1.13	1.06

FEDERALLY INSPECTED SLAUGHTER CALVES - For the week ending Feb 2, 2008

	2007	2006	% chg
Western Canada	36	83	-56.6
Ontario	246	151	62.9
Quebec/Atlantic Provinces	4887	4668	4.7
Canada	5169	4902	5.4

The above information is collected from various sources and disseminated by the Ontario Veal Association.
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