



# Ontario Veal Association WEEKLY MARKET INFORMATION REPORT

Week Ending July 3, 2008  
Week# 27

## FINISHED VEAL PRICES

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

	Rail	Live
Range	1.47 - 1.60	0.80 - 0.87
Last week	1.47 - 1.60	0.80 - 0.87

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

	Vol.	Plain/Heavy	Good Holsteins	Beef Types	Avg \$	Last Week	
						Avg \$	Vol.
> 600 lbs	557	64.78	86.23	125.00	77.51	76.49	744
451-600 lbs	32	62.06	79.34	100.00	70.38	65.09	29

	Date	Comments
OSI	Jun 30	Veal sold at steady prices
OLEX	Jul 1	Veal traded steady to higher.
Brussels	Jul 3	Veal sold on a steady market.

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

Vol. Offered	Vol. Sold	Range	Avg	Last Wk	Surplus (\$/head)	Net Price
1613	911	1.800-1.815	1.801	1.801	93.00	1.531

## BOB CALF PRICES

**Ontario Live Auction Report** - price range from non-computerized southwestern Ontario salesbarns (\$/head).

	Range	Last Week
Fancy to Good (> 100 lbs)	75.00-162.00	115.00-165.00
Medium to Good (80 - 100 lbs)	50.00-120.00	70.00-100.00
Small, Plain to Poor (< 80 lbs)	10.00-60.00	10.00-35.00

**OCA Computerized Auction Report**

weighted average of 13 computerized salesbarns (\$/cwt)

	Vol.	Low	High	Avg	Last Week	
					Avg	Vol.
< 125 lbs	770	81.82	121.15	107.95	111.17	871

	Date	Comments
Milverton Park	Jun 30	~
Denfield	Jul 1	A larger offering of Holstein bull calves traded slightly better for the good started calves.
Keady	Jul 1	Dollar calves sold higher.
Listowel	Jul 1	~

**Quebec Live Auction** - (\$/cwt)

	Vol.	Avg	Last Wk
Good Calves (90-120lb)	838	1.17	1.27
Good Calves (121-140lb)	196	1.17	1.28
Average Calves (90-140lb)	518	1.04	1.14

## FEDERALLY INSPECTED SLAUGHTER CALVES

Week ending Jun 28, 2008	2008	2007	% chg
Western Canada	-	86	-100
Ontario	316	244	29.5
Quebec	4095	3978	2.9
<b>Canada</b>	<b>4411</b>	<b>4308</b>	<b>2.4</b>

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