



Ontario Veal Association WEEKLY MARKET INFORMATION REPORT

Week Ending September 19, 2008

Week# 38

FINISHED VEAL PRICES

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

	Rail	Live
Range	1.80 - 1.96	.98 - 1.06
Last week	1.74 - 1.95	.98 - 1.06

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

	Vol.	Plain/Heavy	Good Holsteins	Beef Types	Avg \$	Last Week	
						Avg \$	Vol.
> 600 lbs	624	85.16	109.00	157.00	98.44	92.60	645
451-600 lbs	45	59.53	97.24	114.00	81.23	83.99	70

	Date	Comments
OSI	Sept 15	Veal sold on a steady market
OLEX	Sept 16	Veal sold actively at prices \$3.00-\$5.00 higher
Brussels	Sept 18	Veal sold strong at fully steady prices

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

Vol. Offered	Avg	Last Wk
1,573	1.945	1.883

BOB CALF PRICES

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

	Range	Last Week
Fancy to Good (> 100 lbs)	80.00-100.00	100.00 – 125.00
Medium to Good (80 - 100 lbs)	30.00-60.00	40.00 – 60.00
Small, Plain to Poor (< 80 lbs)	5.00-20.00	10.00 – 50.00

OCA Computerized Auction Report

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

	Vol.	Low	High	Avg	Last Week	
					Avg	Vol.
< 125 lbs	925	35.71	81.27	70.74	61.23	1,044

	Date	Comments
Milverton Park	Sept 15	~
Denfield	Sept 16	~
Keady	Sept 16	dollar calves sold slightly higher
Listowel	Sept 16	Lighter run than usual

Quebec Live Auction - (\$/cwt)

	Vol.	Avg	Last Wk
Good Calves (90-120lb)	965	0.85	0.80
Good Calves (121-140lb)	188	0.86	0.82
Average Calves (90-140lb)	521	0.69	0.67

FEDERALLY INSPECTED SLAUGHTER CALVES

Week ending	2008	2007	% chg	To Date	2008	2007	% chg
Sept 13, 2008							
Western Canada	39	133	-70.7	Western Canada	1,358	4,273	-68.2
Ontario	314	262	19.8	Ontario	9,495	6,639	43.0
Quebec	4,325	4,658	-7.1	Quebec	169,114	170,053	-0.6
Canada	4,678	5,053	-7.4	Canada	179,967	180,965	-0.6

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