



# Ontario Veal Association WEEKLY MARKET INFORMATION REPORT

Week Ending Sept 11, 2009  
Week#36

## FINISHED VEAL PRICES

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

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

	Rail	Live
Range	\$1.60-1.65	.87-.90
Last week	\$1.60-1.65	.87-.90

	Weekly Average	OSI	OLEX	Brussels
<b>&gt;600 lbs</b>				
Volume	466		227	156
Low \$	78.15		74.00	86.50
High \$	106.23		95.00	132.00
Avg.\$	90.20		84.35	103.06
Top \$	159.50		141.00	159.50
Avg. Weight	750		755	748
<b>451-600lbs</b>				
Volume	36		8	2
Low \$	65.38		76.50	93.00
High \$	88.39		87.00	93.00
Avg.\$	78.21		80.33	93.00
Top \$	110.50		102.00	93.00
Avg. Weight	554		559	580
<b>LAST WEEK &gt;600 lbs</b>				
Volume	571	76	292	148
Avg. \$	85.03	89.15	84.18	87.21
Avg. Weight	740	728	741	752
	Date	Comments		
OSI				
OLEX	Sept. 8	Veal sold on a steady active trade.		
Brussels	Sept. 10	All classes of veal traded on a very strong market with prices \$3.00-5.00 higher.		

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

	Vol.	Avg
This week	1,671	1.756
Last Week	1,408	1.755

## FEDERALLY INSPECTED VEAL

WEEKLY	2009	2008	% CHANGE	YTD	2009	2008	% CHANGE
Western Cdn.	33	39		Western Cdn.	1,131	1,275	-11.3
Ontario	511	256	99.6	Ontario	9,985	9,087	9.9
Quebec	3,902	4,535	-14.0	Quebec	151,642	160,977	-5.8
Canada	4,446	4,830	-8.0	Canada	162,758	171,339	-5.0

For the full version of Federally inspected veal visit [www.ontarioveal.on.ca](http://www.ontarioveal.on.ca) under Producer Info/Market Info/view-of-the veal industry

## PROVINCIALY INSPECTED VEAL

MONTH	2009	2008	2007
JANUARY	2,096	2,664	3,650
FEBRUARY	1,934	2,135	3,184
MARCH	2,206	2,228	3,286
APRIL	2,142	2,859	3,321
MAY	2,194	2,370	3,919
JUNE	2,320	2,436	2,715
JULY	2,267	2,669	2,484
AUGUST		2,557	3,192
SEPTEMBER		3,063	3,025
OCTOBER		2,936	2,980
NOVEMBER		2,453	2,931
DECEMBER		2,345	2,725

## BOB CALF PRICES

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

	Range	Last Week
Fancy to Good (> 100 lbs)	\$55-145.00	\$80-135.00
Medium to Good (80 - 100 lbs)	\$30-100.00	\$55-110.00
Small, Plain to Poor (< 80 lbs)	\$5-65.00	\$15-80.00

	Date	Comments
Milverton Park	Sept 7	Avg pricing \$55-85.00 with a high of \$145
Listowel	Sept 8	378 calves on offer Good calves \$55-95.00 Medium calves \$30-50.00 Plain and small \$5-25.00 Calves sold on a sluggish demand at lower prices
Keady	Sept 8	dollar calves sold slightly higher
Denfield	Sept 8	Holstein bull calves traded steady to slightly higher

Quebec Live Auction(\$/cwt)	Last Week			
	Volume	Average	Volume	Average
Good Calves (90-120 lbs)	610	.78	649	.86
Good Calves (121-140 lbs)	184	.84	171	.90
Average Calves (90-140 lbs)	610	.63	665	.63

### OCA Computerized Auction Report

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

	Last Week							
	Vol.	Low	High	Avg. \$	Avg. weight	Avg. weight	Avg. \$	Vol.
< 125 lbs	836	36.78	82.77	63.80	103	102	64.49	931

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

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