



Veal Farmers of Ontario
WEEKLY MARKET INFORMATION REPORT

Week Ending: May 5, 2017
Week # 18

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

ONTARIO DIRECT TO PACKER

Live weight \$/lb., 54.56% yield

	Rail	Live
Range this week	\$2.20-2.45	\$1.20-1.34
Last Week's range	\$2.20-2.45	\$1.20-1.34

WEEKLY ELECTRONIC VEAL SALES

	AVERAGE	OSI	OLEX	BRUSSELS
>600 LBS				
Volume	820	54	464	183
Low \$	96.46	100.00	99.00	94.00
High \$	119.00	116.00	117.50	116.00
Avg \$	106.45	108.16	107.12	103.94
Top \$	172.00	123.50	172.00	170.00
Avg. Weight	764	730	768	775
451 - 600 lbs				
Volume	51	7	10	0
Avg. \$	101.01	92.25	89.44	n/a
Avg. Weight	548	549	582	n/a
Last Week >600 lbs				
Volume	767	77	383	194
Avg. \$	106.86	104.58	106.63	107.01
Avg. Weight	761	775	750	782

SALES ARENA	DATE	COMMENTS
OSI	May-1	Veal sold on a barely steady market.
OLEX	May-2	Veal sold on a strong active trade.
Denfield	May-2	Veal still selling under pressure.
Aylmer	May-3	All markets remained steady.
Brussels	May-4	Veal sold on a good active trade.

FEDERALLY INSPECTED VEAL :

April 29, 2017

WEEKLY	2017	2016	% CHANGE	YTD	2017	2016	% CHANGE
Ontario	255	234	9.00	Ontario	4,589	5,043	-9.00
Quebec	3,713	3,794	-2.10	Quebec	61,361	60,679	1.10
Canada	3,968	4,028	-1.50	Canada	65,950	65,722	0.30

ONTARIO FEDERAL VEAL TOTALS

MONTH	2017	2016	2015
January	958	1,243	1,425
February	1,256	1,327	1,353
March	1,228	1,097	1,149
April	1,147	1,376	1,268
May		1,174	1,518
June		1,342	1,114
July		1,371	1,105
August		1,123	1,507
September		995	1,228
October		1,341	1,233
November		1,121	1,082
December		1,243	1,080
Yearly	4,589	14,753	15,062

ONTARIO PROVINCIAL VEAL TOTALS

MONTH	2017	2016	2015
January	1,761	1,653	1,859
February	1,718	1,508	1,778
March	1,922	1,831	1,900
April		1,618	2,019
May		1,725	1,921
June		2,039	1,934
July		1,674	1,931
August		1,897	1,669
September		1,999	1,771
October		1,733	1,997
November		1,884	1,773
December		1,885	2,035
Yearly	5,401	21,446	22,587

BOB CALVES								
	This Week		Last Week		This Week		Last Week	
Ontario	Range		Quebec		Volume	Average \$	Volume	Average \$
Live Auction Report			Live Auction (\$/cwt)					
Fancy to Good Calves (>100 lbs)	\$220-340	\$190-330	Good 90-120 lb		737	\$2.75	769	\$2.57
Medium to Good Calves (80-100 lbs)	\$175-280	\$150-275	Good 121-140 lb		173	\$2.66	194	\$2.38
Small, Plain Calves (< 80 lbs)	\$50-190	\$50-170	Average 90-140 lb		499	\$2.45	584	\$2.20
	This Week				Last Week			
BFO Auction Report	Volume	High	Avg.\$	Avg. Weight	Volume	High	Avg.\$	Avg. Weight
<125 lbs	699	\$287.54	\$238.76	101	815	\$280.89	\$220.40	100

Sales Arena	Date	Comment
Denfield	May-2	Drop calves traded very strong with a good demand.
Milverton Park	May-1	66 calves handled
		Starter calves \$350-400 high of \$450
		Bob calves \$220-250 high of \$300
		Small calves \$150-190 high of \$210
Keady	May-2	XX small calves \$100-125 high of \$135
		104 dollar calves were on offer, selling under pressure.
		382 calves on offer
		Choice calves \$285 - 340
		Good calves \$250 - 280
Listowel	May-2	Medium types \$175 - 245
		Plain & small \$ 50 - 170
		Calves sold on a good demand at fully steady prices.
Aylmer	May-3	There were 83 replacement calves which sold from \$30.00-\$510.00, averaging \$273.07 per head.

QUEBEC VEAL MARKET		
Quebec Electronic Auction		
A2 Grain-Fed (\$/lb.rail) This price is the average of what is sold on the electronic auction.		
This Week	1,537	\$2.45
Last Week	1,563	\$2.45