



**Ontario Veal Association**  
**WEEKLY MARKET INFORMATION REPORT**

Week Ending: Feb 27, 2015  
Week # 8

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 this week	\$3.02-3.50	\$1.65-1.91
Last Week's range	\$3.12-3.50	\$1.70-1.91

**WEEKLY ELECTRONIC VEAL SALES**

	AVERAGE	OSI	OLEX	BRUSSELS
<b>&gt;600 LBS</b>				
Volume	536	63	282	104
Low \$	143.37	147.00	149.00	134.00
High \$	164.85	170.50	163.50	170.00
Avg \$	155.00	160.14	155.88	155.02
Top \$	246.00	176.00	221.00	246.00
Avg. Weight	739	722	734	769
<b>451 - 600 lbs</b>				
Volume	53	12	13	-
Avg. \$	143.41	148.38	157.68	-
Avg. Weight	539	526	581	-
<b>Last Week &gt;600 lbs</b>				
Volume	473	24	251	120
Avg. \$	160.11	158.05	162.79	159.64
Avg. Weight	755	735	747	773

SALES ARENA	DATE	COMMENTS
OSI	24-Feb	Good veal calves sold on a steady market.
OLEX	24-Feb	Veal sold on a barely steady market.
Denfield	24-Feb	The market was strong and steady to last week in all areas.
Aylmer	25-Feb	No comment.
Brussels	26-Feb	Beef veal calves and good Holstein calves sold fully steady, with heavy Hosteins selling under pressure.

**FEDERALLY INSPECTED VEAL: February 21, 2015**

WEEKLY	2015	2014	% CHANGE	YTD	2015	2014	% CHANGE
Ontario	381	566	-32.70	Ontario	2,465	3,831	-35.70
Quebec	3,497	3,517	-0.60	Quebec	27,734	28,416	-2.40
Canada	3,878	4,083	-5.00	Canada	30,199	32,247	-6.40

**ONTARIO FEDERAL VEAL TOTALS**

MONTH	2015	2014	2013
January	1,425	1,865	2,352
February		1,966	2,525
March		2,576	3,080
April		1,904	2,011
May		2,939	2,201
June		1,881	3,388
July		2,268	2,381
August		1,702	2,628
September		2,428	2,188
October		1,141	1,881
November		859	2,311
December		995	1,667
<b>Yearly</b>		<b>22,524</b>	<b>28,613</b>

**ONTARIO PROVINCIAL VEAL TOTALS**

MONTH	2015	2014	2013
January		2,513	2,517
February		2,256	2,270
March		2,379	2,321
April		2,622	2,464
May		2,487	2,720
June		2,487	2,456
July		2,358	2,798
August		2,015	2,560
September		2,363	2,403
October		2,447	2,803
November		2,122	2,583
December		2,503	2,428
<b>Yearly</b>		<b>28,552</b>	<b>30,323</b>

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)	\$530-680	\$500-650	Good 90-120 lb	1,003	\$4.67	1,055	\$5.12	
Medium to Good Calves (80-100 lbs)	\$300-550	\$280-550	Good 121-140 lb	225	\$4.38	205	\$4.88	
Small, Plain Calves (< 80 lbs)	\$100-290	\$100-275	Average 90-140 lb	444	\$3.77	446	\$3.92	

BFO Auction Report	Volume	High	Avg. \$	Avg. Weight	Last week Avg. \$	Last Week Volume
<125 lbs	845	\$493.35	\$416.38	102	\$432.29	891

Sales Arena	Date	Comments
Denfield	24-Feb	The market was strong and steady to last week in all areas.
Milverton Park	23-Feb	Starter calves: \$600-680, high of \$710
		Bob calves: \$500-550, high of \$575
		Small calves: \$375-450, high of \$475
		XX Small calves: \$175-275, high of \$300
		110 calves on offer
Keady	24-Feb	Dollar calves sold steady.
Listowel	24-Feb	257 calves on offer
		Choice calves: \$530-640
		Good calves: \$430-520
		Medium types: \$300-420
		Plain and small: \$100-290
		Calves sold on a good demand at fully steady prices.
Aylmer	25-Feb	Replacement calves sold from \$120-450, sales to \$620

QUEBEC VEAL MARKET		
Quebec Electronic Auction		
A2 Grain-Fed (\$/lb.rail) This price is the average of what is sold on the electronic auction.		
	Volume	Average\$
This Week	1,458	\$3.05
Last Week	1,202	\$3.09