



Ontario Veal Association
WEEKLY MARKET INFORMATION REPORT

Week Ending: March 20, 2015
Week #11

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	\$2.75-3.20	\$1.50-1.75
Last Week's range	\$3.02-3.10	\$1.65-1.69

WEEKLY ELECTRONIC VEAL SALES

	AVERAGE	OSI	OLEX	BRUSSELS
>600 LBS				
Volume	527	57	235	114
Low \$	141.27	145.50	144.00	135.00
High \$	172.72	167.00	165.00	205.00
Avg \$	153.94	156.09	153.81	157.91
Top \$	247.00	205.50	219.00	247.00
Avg. Weight	745	734	738	772
451 - 600 lbs				
Volume	32	3	6	2
Avg. \$	149.77	151.75	139.40	154.50
Avg. Weight	542	547	564	580
Last Week >600 lbs				
Volume	730	81	292	240
Avg. \$	151.86	155.22	153.05	150.67
Avg. Weight	760	789	741	787

SALES ARENA	DATE	COMMENTS
OSI	16-Mar	Veal calves sold under
OLEX	17-Mar	Veal sold on a steady market.
Denfield	17-Mar	Veal and drop calves sold steady to last week's market.
Aylmer	18-Mar	Veal sold slightly easier.
Brussels	19-Mar	Veal sold on a strong active market with beef calves \$2-5 stronger while Holsteins were up \$5-10.

FEDERALLY INSPECTED VEAL: March 14, 2015

WEEKLY	2015	2014	% CHANGE	YTD	2015	2014	% CHANGE
Ontario	301	463	-35.80	Ontario	3,319	5,299	-37.40
Quebec	3,789	3,633	4.30	Quebec	38,403	38,759	-0.90
Canada	4,090	4,102	-0.30	Canada	41,722	44,058	-5.30

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
Yearly	1,425	22,524	28,613

ONTARIO PROVINCIAL VEAL TOTALS

MONTH	2015	2014	2013
January	1,858	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
Yearly		28,552	30,323

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)			Good					90-120 lb
Medium to Good Calves (80-100 lbs)	\$450-725	\$450-675	Good	1,054	\$4.97	1,013	\$5.09	
Small, Plain Calves (< 80 lbs)	\$300-625	\$230-550	Good	193	\$4.79	173	\$4.90	
	\$50-425	\$80-300	Average	465	\$4.09	423	\$4.25	
			90-140 lb					

BFO Auction Report	Volume	High	Avg. \$	Avg. Weight	Last week Avg. \$	Last Week Volume
<125 lbs	864	\$542.33	\$452.80	102	\$440.12	914

Sales Arena	Date	Comments
Denfield	17-Mar	Veal and drop calves sold steady to last week's market.
Milverton Park	16-Mar	80 calves on offer.
		Starter calves: \$700.00-725.00, high of \$750.00
		Bob calves: \$575.00-625.00, high of \$650.00
		Small calves: \$425.00-475.00, high of \$525.00
		XX Small calves: \$250.00-350
Keady	17-Mar	Dollar calves sold steady.
Listowel	17-Mar	234 calves on offer.
		Choice calves: \$555.00-640.00
		Good calves: \$490.00-550.00
		Medium types: \$430.00-485.00
		Plain and small: \$50.00-425.00
		Good calves sold on a good demand at slightly higher prices.
Aylmer	18-Mar	Replacement calves sold from \$250.00-575.00, sales to \$780.00.

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	1,462	\$3.10
Last Week	1,459	\$3.10