



Veal Farmers of Ontario
WEEKLY MARKET INFORMATION REPORT

Week Ending: April 17, 2015
Week #15

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	\$2.77-3.20	\$1.51-1.75
Last Week's range	\$2.77-3.20	\$1.51-1.75

WEEKLY ELECTRONIC VEAL SALES

	AVERAGE	OSI	OLEX	BRUSSELS
>600 LBS				
Volume	647	72	270	180
Low \$	141.42	148.50	142.00	136.00
High \$	176.82	167.50	160.00	200.00
Avg \$	152.77	157.71	149.18	151.49
Top \$	266.00	240.00	228.00	245.00
Avg. Weight	767	754	766	775
451 - 600 lbs				
Volume	51	7	13	1
Avg. \$	144.40	150.00	140.14	137.00
Avg. Weight	536	541	557	575
Last Week >600 lbs				
Volume	627	38	304	172
Avg. \$	150.60	153.09	151.10	152.92
Avg. Weight	754	733	741	784

SALES ARENA	DATE	COMMENTS
OSI	13-Apr	Veal sold on a steady market.
OLEX	14-Apr	Veal sold on a steady basis.
Denfield	14-Apr	Veal sold steady.
Aylmer	15-Apr	No comment.
Brussels	16-Apr	Veal sold on a strong active trade at steady prices.

FEDERALLY INSPECTED VEAL: April 11, 2015

WEEKLY	2015	2014	% CHANGE	YTD	2015	2014	% CHANGE
Ontario	333	504	-33.90	Ontario	4,491	7,615	-41.00
Quebec	3,191	3,428	-6.90	Quebec	52,328	52,589	-0.50
Canada	3,524	3,932	-10.40	Canada	56,819	60,204	-5.60

ONTARIO FEDERAL VEAL TOTALS

MONTH	2015	2014	2013
January	1,425	1,865	2,352
February	1,353	1,966	2,525
March	1,149	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	3,927	22,524	28,613

ONTARIO PROVINCIAL VEAL TOTALS

MONTH	2015	2014	2013
January	1,858	2,513	2,517
February	1,778	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	3,636	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)	\$550-675	\$450-620	Good 90-120 lb	1,103	\$4.98	849	\$4.23
Medium to Good Calves (80-100 lbs)	\$300-560	\$225-500	Good 121-140 lb	243	\$4.75	154	\$3.94
Small, Plain Calves (< 80 lbs)	\$100-350	\$50-320	Average 90-140 lb	554	\$3.98	698	\$3.28

BFO Auction Report	Volume	High	Avg.\$	Avg. Weight	Last week Avg. \$	Last Week Volume
<125 lbs	799	\$512.62	\$442.52	101	\$386.86	833

Sales Arena	Date	Comments
Denfield	14-Apr	Drop calves sold at least \$50.00 per head higher than last week's good trade.
Milverton Park	13-Apr	75 calves on offer.
		Starter calves: \$575.00-675.00, high of \$750.00
		Bob calves: \$400.00-500.00, high of \$540.00
		Small calves: \$300.00-350.00, high of \$375.00
Keady	14-Apr	XX Small calves: \$100.00-175.00, high of \$225.00
		Dollar calves sold higher.
Listowel	14-Apr	292 calves on offer.
		Choice calves: \$570.00-640.00
		Good calves: \$500.00-560.00
		Medium types: \$355.00-495.00
		Plain and small: \$150.00-350.00
		Calves sold on a strong market.
Aylmer	15-Apr	Replacement calves sold from \$380.00-525.00 with sales to \$730.00 with 106 on hand!

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	1,329	\$3.10
Last Week	1,653	\$3.10