



Veal Farmers of Ontario
WEEKLY MARKET INFORMATION REPORT

Week Ending: May 8, 2015
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	\$2.93-3.20	\$1.60-1.75
Last Week's range	\$2.93-3.20	\$1.60-1.75

WEEKLY ELECTRONIC VEAL SALES

	AVERAGE	OSI	OLEX	BRUSSELS
>600 LBS				
Volume	588	65	292	130
Low \$	137.54	143.50	140.00	130.00
High \$	170.93	160.00	160.00	192.00
Avg \$	149.07	151.52	148.47	149.94
Top \$	227.50	203.00	215.00	252.00
Avg. Weight	771	745	755	820
451 - 600 lbs				
Volume	29	3	1	4
Avg. \$	147.75	149.23	155.00	117.25
Avg. Weight	538	533	554	568
Last Week >600 lbs				
Volume	676	99	304	162
Avg. \$	149.12	154.16	149.21	145.95
Avg. Weight	759	732	771	769

SALES ARENA	DATE	COMMENTS
OSI	04-May	Veal sold on a steady market.
OLEX	05-May	Veal sold on a steady market.
Denfield	5-May	Veal sold under pressure at easier prices.
Aylmer	6-May	Veal remain steady.
Brussels	7-May	Veal sold at prices \$2.00-3.00 easier.

FEDERALLY INSPECTED VEAL: April 25, 2015

WEEKLY	2015	2014	% CHANGE	YTD	2015	2014	% CHANGE
Ontario	398	568	-29.90	Ontario	5,195	8,311	-37.50
Quebec	3,640	3,222	13.00	Quebec	58,336	59,282	-1.60
Canada	4,038	3,790	6.50	Canada	63,531	67,593	-6.00

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	1,268	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	5,195	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	1,900	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	5,536	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					
	\$450-560	\$525-760	90-120 lb	964	\$4.88	1,014	\$4.93	
Medium to Good Calves (80-100 lbs)	\$210-490	\$330-520	Good	178	\$4.58	176	\$4.63	
			121-140 lb					
Small, Plain Calves (< 80 lbs)	\$100-250	\$120-320	Average	520	\$4.10	461	\$3.86	
			90-140 lb					

BFO Auction Report	Volume	High	Avg.\$	Avg. Weight	Last week Avg. \$	Last Week Volume
<125 lbs	859	\$511.71	\$428.15	101	\$426.28	910

Sales Arena	Date	Comments
Denfield	5-May	Drop calves still selling strong.
Milverton Park	Report not received at time of release.	
Keady	5-May	Dollar calves sold barely steady.
Listowel	5-May	432 calves on offer. Choice calves: \$495.00-560.00 Good calves: \$400.00-490.00 Medium calves: \$210.00-390.00 Plain & small: \$100.00-200.00 Calves sold on a selective market at easier prices.
Aylmer	6-May	Replacement calves sold slightly easier from \$250.00-470.00 with sales to \$650.00

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	1,341	\$3.11
Last Week	1,442	\$3.10