



Veal Farmers of Ontario
WEEKLY MARKET INFORMATION REPORT

Week Ending: August 14, 2015
Week #32

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	\$3.21-3.30	\$1.75-1.80
Last Week's range	\$2.93-3.25	\$1.60-1.77

WEEKLY ELECTRONIC VEAL SALES

	AVERAGE	OSI	OLEX	BRUSSELS
>600 LBS				
Volume	599	67	290	126
Low \$	142.73	149.50	145.00	142.00
High \$	181.43	175.00	185.00	184.00
Avg \$	160.12	158.41	162.18	162.05
Top \$	277.00	197.00	238.00	277.00
Avg. Weight	780	777	766	822
451 - 600 lbs				
Volume	26	3	7	1
Avg. \$	145.32	142.53	164.17	150.00
Avg. Weight	550	555	577	515
Last Week >600 lbs				
Volume	553	16	221	169
Avg. \$	153.75	153.91	154.91	155.34
Avg. Weight	779	798	780	788

SALES ARENA	DATE	COMMENTS
OSI	10-Aug	Veal sold at stronger prices!
OLEX	11-Aug	Veal sold at sharply higher prices with lighter weight calves at a premium.
Denfield	11-Aug	Veal sold \$5.00 cwt higher with a good offering and strong demand.
Aylmer	12-Aug	No comment.
Brussels	13-Aug	Veal sold on a very strong market with beef calves selling steady to last week's high market. Light weight Holstein calves sold \$2.00-5.00 higher while heavier Holstein calves were up a strong \$5.00.

FEDERALLY INSPECTED VEAL: August 8, 2015

WEEKLY	2015	2014	% CHANGE	YTD	2015	2014	% CHANGE
Ontario	305	480	-36.50	Ontario	9,512	16,407	-42.00
Quebec	2,966	3,362	-11.80	Quebec	107,441	110,191	-2.50
Canada	3,271	3,842	-14.90	Canada	116,953	126,598	-7.60

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	1,268	1,904	2,011
May	1,518	2,939	2,201
June	1,114	1,881	3,388
July	1,105	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	8,932	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	2,021	2,622	2,464
May	1,921	2,487	2,720
June	1,934	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	11,412	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)	\$350-550	\$300-650	Good 90-120 lb	1,006	\$4.46	1,084	\$4.23
Medium to Good Calves (80-100 lbs)	\$200-410	\$200-525	Good 121-140 lb	146	\$4.33	238	\$4.10
Small, Plain Calves (< 80 lbs)	\$100-200	\$50-250	Average 90-140 lb	626	\$3.17	909	\$2.88

BFO Auction Report	Volume	High	Avg.\$	Avg. Weight	Last week Avg. \$	Last Week Volume
<125 lbs	1,076	\$440.33	\$342.86	101	\$309.48	1,156

Sales Arena	Date	Comments
Denfield	11-Aug	Drop calves sold up to \$100.00 per head higher with good demand.
Milverton Park	Report not received at time of release.	
Keady	11-Aug	Dollar calves sold slightly higher.
Listowel	11-Aug	271 calves on offer. Choice calves: \$ 420.00-550.00 Good calves: \$350.00-410.00 Medium calves: \$200.00-340.00 Plain & small: \$100.00-200.00 Calves sold on a good demand at higher prices.
Aylmer	12-Aug	Replacement calves remain steady from \$350.00-450.00 with a high of \$855.00 per head, with 111 head 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	1,040	\$3.46
Last Week	933	\$3.44