



Veal Farmers of Ontario
WEEKLY MARKET INFORMATION REPORT

Week Ending: February 2, 2018
Week # 5

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	\$3.00-3.20	\$1.64-1.75
Last Week's range	\$3.00-3.15	\$1.64-1.72

WEEKLY ELECTRONIC VEAL SALES

	AVERAGE	OSI	OLEX	BRUSSELS
>600 LBS				
Volume	593	29	312	159
Low \$	134.14	132.50	140.00	133.00
High \$	176.86	195.00	179.00	178.00
Avg \$	160.45	168.70	166.73	157.59
Top \$	208.50	200.00	208.50	194.00
Avg. Weight	737	747	738	750
451 - 600 lbs				
Volume	31	1	13	4
Avg. \$	132.24	107.50	162.27	124.25
Avg. Weight	546	585	580	529
Last Week >600 lbs				
Volume	597	67	329	125
Avg. \$	161.57	156.82	166.37	164.87
Avg. Weight	758	752	772	742

SALES ARENA	DATE	COMMENTS
OSI	Jan-29	Veal sold on a steady market.
OLEX	Jan-30	Veal calves sold on a good demand at higher prices.
Denfield	Jan-30	Veal sold strong but steady to last week.
Aylmer	Jan-31	No comment.
Brussels	Feb-1	Veal was down \$5.00 cwt, but a very good market still steady with the week's decline.

FEDERALLY INSPECTED VEAL :

January 27, 2018

WEEKLY	2018	2017	% CHANGE	YTD	2018	2017	% CHANGE
Ontario	181	235	-23.00	Ontario	756	958	-21.10
Quebec	3,624	3,612	0.30	Quebec	13,005	13,770	-5.60
Canada	3,805	3,847	-1.10	Canada	13,761	14,728	-6.60

ONTARIO FEDERAL VEAL TOTALS

MONTH	2018	2017	2016
January	756	958	1,243
February		1,256	1,327
March		1,228	1,097
April		1,147	1,376
May		1,088	1,174
June		1,109	1,342
July		1,234	1,371
August		951	1,123
September		1,174	995
October		823	1,341
November		735	1,121
December		871	1,243
Yearly	756	12,574	14,753

ONTARIO PROVINCIAL VEAL TOTALS

MONTH	2017	2016	2015
January	1,761	1,653	1,859
February	1,720	1,508	1,778
March	1,922	1,831	1,900
April	1,641	1,618	2,019
May	1,982	1,725	1,921
June	2,128	2,039	1,934
July	1,842	1,674	1,931
August	2,171	1,897	1,669
September	1,937	1,999	1,771
October	2,088	1,733	1,997
November	2,165	1,884	1,773
December	1,968	1,885	2,035
Yearly	23,325	21,446	22,587

BOB CALVES										
	This Week		Last Week		This Week		Last Week			
Ontario	Range		Quebec		Volume	Average \$	Volume	Average \$		
Live Auction Report									(\$/cwt)	
Fancy to Good Calves (>100 lbs)									\$190-350	\$175-300
Medium to Good Calves (80-100 lbs)	\$100-250	\$110-230	Good 121-140 lb	191	\$1.25	176	\$1.20			
Small, Plain Calves (< 80 lbs)	\$20-160	\$10-110	Average 90-140 lb	714	\$1.03	685	\$1.02			
	This Week				Last Week					
BFO Auction Report	Volume	High	Avg.\$	Avg. Weight	Volume	High	Avg.\$	Avg. Weight		
<125 lbs	847	\$202.11	\$114.73	101	844	\$202.20	\$114.22	101		

Sales Arena	Date	Comment
Denfield	Jan-30	Drop calves sold \$50.00 higher per head.
Milverton Park	Jan-29	60 calves sold
		Starter calves \$325-350 high of \$400
		Bob calves \$190-230 high of \$275
		Small calves \$140-160 high of \$180
		XX small calves \$100-110 high of \$130
Keady	No report	
Listowel	Jan-30	192 calves on offer
		Choice calves \$245-300
		Good calves \$170-240
		Medium types \$120-165
		Plain and Small \$20-110
		Calves sold on a good demand.
Aylmer	Jan-31	Replacement calves sold on a stronger market with sales from \$25.00-\$295.00 averaging \$190.00 per head.

QUEBEC VEAL MARKET		
Quebec Electronic Auction		
A2 Grain-Fed (\$/lb.rail) This price is the average of what is sold on the electronic auction.		
This Week	1,283	\$3.03
Last Week	1,169	\$3.16