



**Veal Farmers of Ontario**  
**WEEKLY MARKET INFORMATION REPORT**

Week Ending: March 16, 2018  
Week # 11

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	\$2.57-2.80	\$1.40-1.53
Last Week's range	\$2.57-2.95	\$1.40-1.61

**WEEKLY ELECTRONIC VEAL SALES**

	AVERAGE	OSI	OLEX	BRUSSELS
<b>&gt;600 LBS</b>				
Volume	743	75	446	113
Low \$	109.84	112.50	115.00	101.00
High \$	140.20	149.00	139.00	134.00
Avg \$	125.24	129.11	126.80	120.37
Top \$	211.00	176.00	211.00	179.00
Avg. Weight	731	748	734	745
<b>451 - 600 lbs</b>				
Volume	42	2	10	4
Avg. \$	114.87	114.00	110.06	94.50
Avg. Weight	539	562	558	516
<b>Last Week &gt;600 lbs</b>				
Volume	663	50	364	161
Avg. \$	126.43	127.27	129.18	122.38
Avg. Weight	755	817	748	754

SALES ARENA	DATE	COMMENTS
OSI	Mar-12	Veal sold barely steady.
OLEX	Mar-13	Veal calves sold on a steady market.
Denfield	Mar-13	Veal traded steady to last week.
Aylmer	Mar-14	No comment.
Brussels	Mar-15	Veal sold on a steady market.

**FEDERALLY INSPECTED VEAL :**

**March 10, 2018**

WEEKLY	2018	2017	% CHANGE	YTD	2018	2017	% CHANGE
Ontario	232	303	-23.40	Ontario	1,806	2,866	-37.00
Quebec	3,759	3,695	1.70	Quebec	35,032	35,720	-1.90
Canada	3,991	3,998	-0.20	Canada	36,838	38,586	-4.50

**ONTARIO FEDERAL VEAL TOTALS**

MONTH	2018	2017	2016
January	756	958	1,243
February	660	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
<b>Yearly</b>	<b>1,416</b>	<b>12,574</b>	<b>14,753</b>

**ONTARIO PROVINCIAL VEAL TOTALS**

MONTH	2018	2017	2016
January		1,761	1,653
February		1,720	1,508
March		1,922	1,831
April		1,641	1,618
May		1,982	1,725
June		2,128	2,039
July		1,842	1,674
August		2,171	1,897
September		1,937	1,999
October		2,088	1,733
November		2,165	1,884
December		1,968	1,885
<b>Yearly</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>23,325</b>	<b>21,446</b>

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)									\$180-300	\$125-280
Medium to Good Calves (80-100 lbs)	\$110-220	\$75-190	Good 121-140 lb	187	\$1.70	216	\$1.33			
Small, Plain Calves (< 80 lbs)	\$10-150	\$10-100	Average 90-140 lb	426	\$1.45	529	\$1.12			
	This Week				Last Week					
BFO Auction Report	Volume	High	Avg.\$	Avg. Weight	Volume	High	Avg.\$	Avg. Weight		
<125 lbs	823	\$235.35	\$152.44	101	779	\$205.53	\$113.50	100		

Sales Arena	Date	Comment
Denfield	Mar-13	Drop calves sold strong on a good demand.
Milverton Park	Mar-12	Sold 74 calves
		Starter calves \$325-375 high of \$425
		Bob calves \$180-200 high of \$250
		Small calves \$125-150 high of \$160
Keady	Mar-13	XX small calves \$75-100 high of \$110
		100 dollar calves were on offer, selling higher.
Listowel	Mar-13	250 calves on offer.
		Choice calves \$225-300
		Good calves \$170-220
		Medium types \$110-165
		Plain and small \$10-100
		Calves sold on a good demand.
Aylmer	Mar-14	138 replacemnt calves sold from \$25.00-\$400.00 averaging \$205.54 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	1,267	\$2.51
Last Week	1,378	\$2.55