



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

Week Ending: October 19, 2018  
Week # 42

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	\$2.25-2.50	\$1.23-1.36
Last Week's range	\$2.25-2.45	\$1.23-1.34

**WEEKLY ELECTRONIC VEAL SALES**

	AVERAGE	OSI	OLEX	BRUSSELS
<b>&gt;600 lbs</b>				
Volume	777	60	438	163
Low \$	98.14	92.00	100.00	101.00
High \$	134.07	121.00	138.00	130.00
Avg. \$	117.76	106.74	121.71	115.90
Top \$	186.00	150.00	167.50	186.00
Avg. Weight	753	754	750	748
<b>451 - 600 lbs</b>				
Volume	49	3	16	6
Avg. \$	106.08	110.51	112.88	116.00
Avg. Weight	546	577	553	565
<b>Last Week &gt;600 lbs</b>				
Volume	608	35	313	131
Avg. \$	117.62	115.26	118.49	122.32
Avg. Weight	739	751	743	745

SALES ARENA	DATE	COMMENTS
OSI	Oct-15	Veal calves sold on a steady market.
OLEX	Oct-16	Veal calves sold actively at stronger prices.
Denfield	Oct-16	No comment.
Aylmer	Oct-17	No comment.
Brussels	Oct-18	Veal sold on a steady market.

FEDERALLY INSPECTED VEAL :

October 13, 2018

WEEKLY	2018	2017	% CHANGE	YTD	2018	2017	% CHANGE
Ontario	129	199	-35.20	Ontario	7,143	10,539	-32.20
Quebec	2,768	3,149	-12.10	Quebec	140,382	146,934	-4.50
Canada	2,897	3,348	-13.50	Canada	147,525	157,473	-6.30

**ONTARIO FEDERAL VEAL TOTALS**

MONTH	2018	2017	2016
January	756	958	1,243
February	660	1,256	1,327
March	841	1,228	1,097
April	819	1,147	1,376
May	822	1,088	1,174
June	993	1,109	1,342
July	630	1,234	1,371
August	552	951	1,123
September	776	1,174	995
October		823	1,341
November		735	1,121
December		871	1,243
<b>Yearly</b>	<b>6,849</b>	<b>12,574</b>	<b>14,753</b>

**ONTARIO PROVINCIAL VEAL TOTALS**

MONTH	2018	2017	2016
January	1,984	1,761	1,653
February	1,866	1,720	1,508
March	2,060	1,922	1,831
April	2,136	1,641	1,618
May	2,389	1,982	1,725
June	2,073	2,128	2,039
July	1,922	1,842	1,674
August	2,133	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>16,563</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					Fancy to Good Calves (>100 lbs)					Good 90-120 lb	829	\$1.20	698	\$1.29	
					\$125-250					\$130-270					
	Range				Good 121-140 lb	190	\$1.23	208	\$1.31						
					Medium to Good Calves (80-100 lbs)					Good					
					\$70-170					\$75-175					
	Range				Average 90-140 lb	468	\$0.81	493	\$1.01						
					Small, Plain Calves (< 80 lbs)										
					\$10-110					\$10-100					
	This Week				Last Week										
BFO Auction Report	Volume	High	Avg.\$	Avg. Weight	Volume	High	Avg.\$	Avg. Weight							
<125 lbs	912	\$216.90	\$103.20	101	812	\$241.35	\$117.05	100							

Sales Arena	Date	Comment
Denfield	Oct-16	Drop calves sold steady to last week's decline.
Milverton Park	Oct-15	81 calves sold.
		Starter calves \$290-350 high of \$375
		Bob calves \$140-160 high of \$190
		Small calves \$90-110 high of \$120
		XX small calves \$30-50 high of \$55
Keady	Oct-16	137 dollar calves were on offer, selling easier.
Listowel	Oct-16	220 calves.
		Choice calves \$175-250
		Good calves \$125-170
		Medium types \$75-120
		Plain and small \$10-80
		No comment given.
Aylmer	Oct-17	117 replacement calves ranged from \$10.00-\$370.00 for an average of \$111.11 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	1,222	\$2.42
Last Week	1,424	\$2.37