



Veal Farmers of Ontario

WEEKLY MARKET INFORMATION REPORT

Week Ending: February 15, 2019

Week # 7

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	\$2.09-2.30	\$1.14-1.25
Weighted average	\$2.20	\$1.20
Last Week's range	\$2.15-2.30	\$1.17-1.25
Weighted Average	\$2.23	\$1.22

WEEKLY ELECTRONIC VEAL SALES

	AVERAGE	OSI	OLEX	BRUSSELS
>600 lbs.				
Volume	654	n/a	335	169
Low \$	79.40	n/a	80.00	86.00
High \$	112.35	n/a	109.00	108.00
Avg. \$	95.52	n/a	95.03	98.09
Top \$	190.00	n/a	142.00	159.00
Avg. Weight (lbs.)	734	n/a	739	737
451 - 600 lbs.				
Volume	37	n/a	16	1
Avg. \$	89.60	n/a	78.96	94.00
Avg. Weight (lbs.)	536	n/a	551	595
Last Week >600 lbs.				
Volume	783	27	362	247
Avg. \$	94.12	91.99	94.66	94.36
Avg. Weight (lbs.)	739	743	729	747

ONTARIO FEDERAL VEAL TOTALS

MONTH	2019	2018	2017
January	613	756	958
February		660	1,256
March		841	1,228
April		819	1,147
May		822	1,088
June		993	1,109
July		630	1,234
August		552	951
September		776	1,174
October		562	823
November		563	735
December		873	871
Yearly	613	8,847	12,574

ONTARIO PROVINCIAL VEAL TOTALS

MONTH	2019	2018	2017
January		1,984	1,761
February		1,866	1,720
March		2,060	1,922
April		2,136	1,641
May		2,389	1,982
June		2,073	2,128
July		1,922	1,842
August		2,133	2,171
September		2,008	1,937
October		2,475	2,088
November		2,361	2,165
December		2,136	1,968
Yearly	0	25,543	23,325

ONTARIO BOB CALVES - Live Auction

	This Week Range	Last Week Range
Fancy to Good Calves (>100 lbs.)	No range	No range
Medium to Good Calves (80-100)	No range	No range
Small, Plain Calves (<80 lbs.)	No range	No range

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 (head)	AVERAGE (\$/lb carcass)
This Week	1,563	\$2.15
Last Week	1,492	\$2.15

WEEKLY ELECTRONIC VEAL SALES COMMENTS

ARENA	DATE	COMMENTS
Aylmer	Feb-13	No comment.
Brussels	Feb-14	Veal sold on a good active trade at prices \$5.00 cwt higher.
Denfield	Feb-12	Veal remained steady to last week's trade.
OLEX	Feb-12	Veal calves on a steady basis.
OSI	Feb-11	Well fed veal calves sold steady, with leaner types barely steady.

FEDERALLY INSPECTED VEAL : February 09, 2019

	WEEKLY			YTD			
	2019	2018	% Change	2019	2018	% Change	
Ontario	129	202	-36.10	Ontario	954	1,155	-17.40
Quebec	3,530	3,718	-5.10	Quebec	20,052	20,465	-2.00
Canada	3,659	3,920	-6.70	Canada	21,006	21,620	-2.80

BOB CALVES SALES COMMENTS

ARENA	DATE	COMMENTS
Aylmer	Feb-13	103 replacement calves sold between \$10.00-\$300.00 averaging \$97.48 per head.
Denfield	Feb-14	Drop calves traded under pressure due to weather conditions and demand.
Keady	Feb-12	205 dollar calves were on offer, selling easier.
Listowel	Feb-12	170 calves on offer. Choice calves \$150-200 Good calves \$100-145 Medium types \$45-95 Plain & small \$5-40 Calves sold mainly steady.
Milverton Parks		No report.

BFO Auction Report (<125 lbs.)

This Week				Last Week			
Volume	High	Avg. \$	Avg. Weight	Volume	High	Avg. \$	Avg. Weight
597	\$235.45	\$113.34	103	719	\$222.31	\$102.37	104

QUEBEC BOB CALVES - Live Auction

	This Week		Last Week	
	Volume	Average	Volume	Average
Good 90-120 lbs.	518	\$1.23	563	\$1.17
Good 121-140 lbs.	195	\$1.22	205	\$1.18
Average 90-140 lbs.	405	\$0.87	502	\$0.83