

Veal Farmers of Ontario

WEEKLY MARKET INFORMATION REPORT

Week Ending: September 13, 2019

Week # **37**

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	\$2.10-2.15	\$1.15-1.17
Weighted average	\$2.11	\$1.15
Last Week's range	\$2.10-2.15	\$1.15-1.17
Weighted Average	\$2.11	\$1.15

WEEKLY ELECTRONIC VEAL SALES								
	AVERAGE	BRUSSELS						
>600 lbs.								
Volume	730	75	347	144				
Low \$	\$ 87.64	\$ 82.00	\$ 92.00	\$ 90.00				
High \$	\$ 118.55	\$ 104.00	\$ 120.00	\$ 121.00				
Avg. \$	\$ 104.35	\$ 94.65	\$ 107.83	\$ 107.53				
Top \$	\$ 182.00	\$ 179.00	\$ 150.00	\$ 177.00				
Avg. Weight (lbs.)	752	825	740	753				
451 - 600 lbs.								
Volume	45	4	10	7				
Avg. \$	\$ 93.54	\$ 73.15	\$ 105.38	\$ 99.33				
Avg. Weight (lbs.)	548	554	573	551				
Last Week >600 lb	S.							
Volume	554	35	264	101				
Avg. \$	\$104.35	\$97.05	\$107.47	\$108.49				
Avg. Weight (lbs.)	752	753	731	732				

FEDERAL VEAL TOTALS							
MONTH	2019	2018	2017				
January	613	756	958				
February	715	660	1,256				
March	782	841	1,228				
April	686	819	1,147				
May	534	822	1,088				
June	772	993	1,109				
July	644	630	1,234				
August	745	552	951				
September		776	1,174				
October		562	823				
November		563	735				
December		873	871				
Yearly	5,491	8,847	12,574				

ONTARIO PROVINCIAL VEAL TOTALS							
MONTH	2019	2018	2017				
January	1,974	1,984	1,761				
February	1,685	1,866	1,720				
March	1,847	2,060	1,922				
April	2,451	2,136	1,641				
May	2,613	2,389	1,982				
June	2,244	2,073	2,128				
July	2,547	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	15,361	25,543	23,325				

ONTARIO BOB CALVES - Live Auction						
	This Week	Last Week				
Range Range						
Fancy to Good Calves (>100 lbs.)	\$60-200	\$100-210				
Medium to Good Calves (80-100	\$30-125	\$30-125				
Small, Plain Calves (<80 lbs.) \$5-50 \$5-40						

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	1,144	\$2.15
Last Week	1,138	\$2.15

	WEEKLY ELECTRONIC VEAL SALES COMMENTS				
ARENA	DATE	COMMENTS			
Aylmer	Sep-11	No comment.			
Brussels	Sep-12	Veal sold on a strong active trade at steady prices.			
Denfield	Sep-10	Veal traded fully steady.			
OLEX	Sep-10	Veal sold on a steady trade.			
OSI	Sep-9	Good dairy calves sold steady.			

FEDERALLY INSPECTED VEAL :							
	WEEKLY YTD						
	2019	2018	% Change		2019	2018	% Change
Quebec	2,289	2,907	-21.3	Quebec	114,471	123,870	-7.6
Rest of Canada	160	120	33.3	Rest of Canada	5,852	6,376	-8.2
Canada	2,449	3,027	-19.1	Canada	120,323	130,246	-7.6

	BOB CALVES SALES COMMENTS						
ARENA	DATE	COMMENTS					
Aylmer	Sep-11	190 replacement calves sold from \$5.00 and \$550.00 for an average of \$88.08 per head.					
Denfield	Sep-10	Drop calves sold considerably higher.					
Keady	Sep-10	102 dollar calves were on offer, selling easier: Holstein male calves weighing 100-150 pounds sold up to \$200.00 per head.					
Listowel	Sep-10	260 calves. Choice calves \$130-200 Good calves \$60-125 Medium types \$30-55 Plain and small \$5-25 Calves sold steady.					
Milverton Parks	Sep-9	58 calves sold. Starter calves \$110-115 high of \$125 Bob calves \$60-70 high of \$85 Small calves \$20-30 high of \$50 XX small calves \$5-10 high of \$15					

BFO Auction Report (<125 lbs.)							
This Week				Last Week			
Volume	High	Avg. \$	Avg. Weight	Volume	High	Avg. \$	Avg. Weight
883	\$297.71	\$115.81	100	880	\$329.83	\$103.49	101

QUEBEC BOB CALVES - Live Auction						
This Week Last Week						
	Volume	Average	Volume	Average		
Good 90-120 lbs.	758	\$1.13	740	\$1.02		
Good 121-140 lbs.	175	\$1.14	169	\$1.04		
Average 90-140 lbs.	457	\$0.89	427	\$0.76		