



WEEKLY MARKET INFORMATION REPORT

Week Ending: April 30, 2021
Week # 17

This report is a collection of reports from sales barns and direct sales. The VFO is **NOT** responsible for the accuracy of these numbers.

BOB CALVES

The pricing reported below has **NOT** been broken out by dairy breeds or dairy crossbreeds.

FINISHED VEAL

BFO Auction Report (<125 lbs.)

This Week				Last Week			
Volume	High	Avg. \$	Avg. Weight	Volume	High	Avg. \$	Avg. Weight
705	\$376.59	\$191.79	101	753	\$419.74	\$208.27	101

ONTARIO DIRECT TO PACKER

Live weight \$/lb., 54.56% yield

	RAIL	LIVE
Range this week	\$2.33-2.35	\$1.27-1.28
Weighted average (delivered)	\$2.34	\$1.28
Last Week's range	\$2.35-2.38	\$1.28-1.30
Weighted Average	\$2.37	\$1.29

ONTARIO BOB CALVES - Live Auction

	This Week	Last Week
	Range	Range
Fancy to Good Calves (>100 lbs.)	\$250-350	\$285-450
Medium to Good Calves (80-100 lbs.)	\$150-280	\$160-300
Small, Plain Calves (<80 lbs.)	\$25-150	\$25-200

BFO WEEKLY ELECTRONIC VEAL SALES

	AVERAGE	OSI	OLEX	BRUSSELS
>600 lbs.				
Volume	759	10	473	137
Low \$	\$ 95.28	\$ 107.00	\$ 95.00	\$ 100.00
High \$	\$ 123.99	\$ 124.00	\$ 126.00	\$ 119.00
Avg. \$	\$ 110.50	\$ 114.00	\$ 111.74	\$ 108.88
Top \$	\$ 212.00	\$ 124.00	\$ 197.50	\$ 212.00
Avg. Weight (lbs.)	766	803	763	775
Last Week >600 lbs.				
Volume	612	39	412	n/a
Avg. \$	\$114.42	\$113.71	\$116.34	-
Avg. Weight (lbs.)	758	780	759	-

BOB CALVES SALES COMMENTS

ARENA	DATE	COMMENTS
Aylmer	Apr-28	76 replacement calves sold between \$5.00-\$560.00 for an average of \$270.46 per head.
Denfield	Apr-27	Drop calves traded steady.
Keady	Apr-27	63 dollar calves were on offer selling steady.
Listowel	Apr-27	155 calves on offer. Beef cross bulls \$300-600/Beef cross hfrs. \$150-350 Choice calves \$285-330 Good calves \$240-280 Medium types \$150-230 Plain & small \$25-140 Calves sold on a good demand.
Milverton Parks	Apr-26	Light run. Good demand.

WEEKLY ELECTRONIC VEAL SALES COMMENTS

ARENA	DATE	COMMENTS
Aylmer	Apr-28	No comment.
Brussels	Apr-29	Veal sold actively at prices higher than last week's lower market.
Denfield	Apr-27	Veal sold slightly lower.
OLEX	Apr-27	Veal calves sold at easier prices.
OSI	Apr-26	A very light run of veal due to the lamb holiday, traded at steady prices.

QUEBEC BOB CALVES - Live Auction

	This Week		Last Week	
	Volume	Average \$/cwt	Volume	Average \$/cwt
Good 90-120 lbs.	491	\$1.86	387	\$1.77
Good 121-140 lbs.	210	\$1.85	135	\$1.83
Average 90-140 lbs.	445	\$1.53	302	\$1.49

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	1,481	\$2.33
Last Week	1,494	\$2.33

ONTARIO PROVINCIAL VEAL TOTALS

MONTH	2021	2020	2019
January	2,955	2,606	1,974
February	2,695	2,570	1,685
March	3,315	3,606	1,847
April		3,440	2,451
May		3,317	2,613
June		3,611	2,244
July		3,476	2,547
August		3,019	2,697
September		3,421	2,263
October		3,068	2,753
November		3,113	2,323
December		3,494	2,322
Yearly	8,965	38,741	27,719