

#### **Ontario Veal Association**

# WEEKLY MARKET INFORMATION REPORT

Week Ending January 26, 2006

#### FINISHED VEAL PRICES

### Ontario Direct To Packer - Live weight \$/cwt, 54.56% yield

	Rail	Live	
Range	2.05 - 2.20	1.12 - 1.20	
Last Wk	2.01 - 2.20	1.10 - 1.20	

#### Ontario Live Auction - weighted average of 13 computerized salesbarns

	Vol.	Plain/Heavy	<b>Good Holsteins</b>	Beef Types	Avg \$	Last Wk	
> 600 lbs	651	94.50	130.81	151.50	112.90	112.76	
451-600 lbs	67	84.52	114.87	135.50	98.78	97.43	

**Location Date Comments** 

OSI Jan 23 Veal calves sold on a good demand at prices \$10 cwt. higher.

Brussels Jan 26 The veal sold on a strong active trade at prices 2.00 - \$5.00 higher that last week

### Quebec Electronic Auction - (Rail)

	Vol.	Range	Avg	Last Wk
A2 Grain Fed	1506	215.50 - 238.50	225.60	230.30
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→596 lbs (325-353 lb. hide off)

#### **BOB CALF PRICES**

Ontario Live Auction - weighted average of 13 computerized salesbarns

	Vol.	Low	High	Тор	Avg	Last Wk
< 125 lbs	843	58.91	244.34	300.00	163.03	194.93

**Location Date Comments** 

Vankleek Hill Jan 23 Calves were off to average \$1.52/lb. All cows were down 3 cents.

Keady Jan 24 Dollar calves sold \$15 per head lower.

#### Quebec Live Auction - (\$/lb live)

	Vol.	Avg	Last Wk
Good Calves (90-120lb)	1093	278.00	253.00
Average Calves (90-140lb)	649	210.00	194.00

## NON-COMPUTERIZED SALESBARNS

Listowel Jan 24 Vol. 269 Good calves sold \$30 lower. Small and plain calves sold \$50 lower.

Good Holsteins 195.00-260.00 Plain/Small 20.00-100.00 Medium Types 110.00-190.00 Started Calves 240.00-400.00

# FEDERALLY INSPECTED SLAUGHTER CALVES - For the week ending Jan 21, 2006.

	2006	2005	% chg
Western Canada	120	84	42.9
Ontario	149	339	-56.0
Quebec/Atlantic Provinces	4731	4972	-4.8