

Ontario Veal Association

WEEKLY MARKET INFORMATION REPORT

Week Ending February 16, 2006

FINISHED VEAL PRICES

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

	Rail	Live
Range	2.05 - 2.20	1.12 - 1.19
Last Wk	2.11 - 2.23	1.15 - 1.22

Ontario Live Auction - weighted average of 13 computerized salesbarns

	Vol.	Plain/Heavy	Good Holsteins	Beef Types	Avg \$	Last Wk	
> 600 lbs	687	94.30	119.90	142.00	109.03	113.22	
451-600 lbs	78	87.75	111.60	133.00	100.13	108.23	

Location Date Comments

OSI Feb 13 Veal calves sold steady for the week.

Brussels Feb 16 The veal sold on a strong active trade with prices 2.00-3.00\$ lower to last week.

Quebec Electronic Auction - (Rail)

	Vol.	Range	Avg	Last Wk
A2 Grain Fed	1568	220.00-229.50	226.80	227.10
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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	842	107.24	291.88	360.00	215.97	247.27

Location Date Comments

Vankleek Hill Feb 13 Calves were down to average \$2.24/lb.

Keady Feb 14 Good calves sold higher while poor quality calves sold easier.

Quebec Live Auction - (\$/lb live)

	Vol.	Avg	Last Wk
Good Calves (90-120lb)	1019	276.00	322.00
Average Calves (90-140lb)	663	217.00	253.00

FEDERALLY INSPECTED SLAUGHTER CALVES - For the week ending Feb 11, 2006.

	2006	2005	% chg
Western Canada	94	107	-12.1
Ontario	146	354	-58.8
Quebec/Atlantic Provinces	4552	4877	-6.7