



# Ontario Veal Association

## WEEKLY MARKET INFORMATION REPORT

Week Ending April 27, 2006

### FINISHED VEAL PRICES

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

	Rail	Live
Range	1.60 - 1.80	0.87 - 0.98
Last Wk	1.75 - 1.80	0.95 - 0.98

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

	Vol.	Plain/Heavy	Good Holsteins	Beef Types	Avg \$	Last Wk
> 600 lbs	1012	66.76	92.08	129.50	80.02	92.92
451-600 lbs	91	66.53	94.96	124.00	82.59	91.81

	Date	Comments
OSI	Apr 24	Veal calves sold under pressure at prices \$7 cwt. lower.
Brussels	Apr 27	The veal sold \$5.00 - 10.00 lower to last week.

#### Quebec Electronic Auction - (Rail)

	Vol.	Range	Avg	Last Wk
A2 Grain Fed	1479	185.00-199.00	195.50	195.30

↳ 596 lbs (325-353 lb. hide off)

### BOB CALF PRICES

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

	Vol.	Low	High	Top	Avg	Last Wk
< 125 lbs	701	147.32	298.34	349.00	238.38	252.61

	Date	Comments
Vankleek Hill	Apr 24	Calves were up 7 cents to average \$2.50/lb.
Keady	Apr 25	Dollar calves sold \$15.00 per head higher.

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

	Vol.	Avg	Last Wk
Good Calves (90-120lb)	1003	294.00	237.00
Average Calves (90-140lb)	837	234.00	204.00

### NON-COMPUTERIZED SALESBARNS

Listowel	Apr 25	Vol.	290	Calves sold on a good demand at stronger prices.		
		Good Holsteins	270.00-330.00	Plain/Small	80.00-175.00	
		Medium Types	180.00-268.00	Started Calves	275.00-400.00	

### FEDERALLY INSPECTED SLAUGHTER CALVES - For the week ending Apr 22, 2006.

	2006	2005	% chg
Western Canada	111	114	-2.6
Ontario	152	527	-71.2
Quebec/Atlantic Provinces	4260	4992	-14.7