



# Ontario Veal Association

## WEEKLY MARKET INFORMATION REPORT

Week Ending June 8, 2006

### FINISHED VEAL PRICES

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

	Rail	Live
Range	1.55 - 1.65	0.84 - 0.90
Last Wk	1.47 - 1.65	0.80 - 0.90

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

	Vol.	Plain/Heavy	Good Holsteins	Beef Types	Avg \$	Last Wk
> 600 lbs	704	77.56	95.77	128.00	87.23	78.36
451-600 lbs	49	69.39	95.43	120.00	83.91	74.04

	Date	Comments
OSI	Jun 5	Veal calves traded stronger, with dairy types \$5-7 cwt. higher.
Brussels	Jun 8	The veal sold \$10.00 higher on a strong trade.

#### Quebec Electronic Auction - A2 Grain Fed (Rail)

Vol. Offered	Vol. Sold	Vol. Surplus	Range	Avg	Last Wk	Surplus* (\$/head)	Net Price
1634	1059	575	160.50 - 190.50	188.80	189.80	60.00	171.80

\* In order to manage the cost of the surplus calves sold, a surplus charge is passed back to the producer, resulting in the producer then receiving the net price for calves sold.

### BOB CALF PRICES

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

	Vol.	Low	High	Top	Avg	Last Wk
< 125 lbs	881	145.74	271.91	300.00	226.16	269.66

	Date	Comments
Vankleek Hill	Jun 5	Calves were steady to average \$2.53/lb
Keady	Jun 6	Dollar calves sold slightly easier.

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

	Vol.	Avg	Last Wk
Good Calves (90-120lb)	964	292.00	333.00
Good Calves (121-140lb)	178	275.00	313.00
Average Calves (90-140lb)	696	243.00	270.00

### FEDERALLY INSPECTED SLAUGHTER CALVES - For the week ending May Jun 3, 2006.

	2006	2005	% chg
Western Canada	77	105	-26.7
Ontario	192	126	52.4
Quebec/Atlantic Provinces	5156	5678	-9.2