



Ontario Veal Association

WEEKLY MARKET INFORMATION REPORT

Week Ending Dec 14, 2006

FINISHED VEAL PRICES

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

	Rail	Live
Range	1.87 - 2.10	1.02 - 1.14
Last Wk	2.01 - 2.20	1.10 - 1.20

Ontario Live Auction - weighted average of 13 computerized salesbarns (\$/cwt)

	Vol.	Plain/Heavy	Good Holsteins	Beef Types	Avg \$	Last Wk
> 600 lbs	842	80.75	102.67	134.00	91.58	102.84
451-600 lbs	79	65.85	93.11	122.00	80.61	89.34

	Date	Comments
OSI	Dec 11	Most classes of veal calves traded under pressure at \$5 cwt. lower. (Due to a heavier supply and the Xmas lamb sale).
Brussels	Dec 14	Veal sold \$5 - \$8 lower.

Quebec Electronic Auction - A2 Grain Fed (\$/lb. Rail)

Vol. Offered	Vol. Sold	Range	Avg	Last Wk	Surplus (\$/head)	Net Price
1860	1295	158.00-196.50	194.20	191.90	32.00	185.00

BOB CALF PRICES

Ontario Live Auction - weighted average of 13 computerized salesbarns (\$cwt)

	Vol.	Low	High	Top	Avg	Last Wk
< 125 lbs	821	95.49	178.64	200.00	147.39	162.26

	Date	Comments
Vankleek Hill	Dec 11	Calves were down with last week to average \$1.52/lb.
Keady	Dec 12	Dollar calves sold easier.

Quebec Live Auction - (\$/cwt)

	Vol.	Avg	Last Wk
Good Calves (90-120lb)	771	177.00	226.00
Good Calves (121-140lb)	196	164.00	203.00
Average Calves (90-140lb)	628	150.00	171.00

FEDERALLY INSPECTED SLAUGHTER CALVES - For the week ending Dec 9, 2006.

	2006	2005	% chg
Western Canada	59	85	-30.6
Ontario	172	250	-31.2
Quebec/Atlantic Provinces	4920	5360	-8.2