



# Ontario Veal Association

## WEEKLY MARKET INFORMATION REPORT

Week Ending Feb 8, 2007

### FINISHED VEAL PRICES

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

	Rail	Live
Range	1.47 - 1.65	0.80 - 0.90
Last Wk	1.49 - 1.60	0.81 - 0.87

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

	Vol.	Plain/Heavy	Good Holsteins	Beef Types	Avg \$	Last Wk
> 600 lbs	403	66.81	91.59	134.50	79.27	76.18
451-600 lbs	21	51.05	79.71	108.00	67.17	73.63

	Date	Comments
OSI	Feb 5	Veal calves continued to trade under pressure at barely steady prices.
OLEX	Feb 6	Veal sold steady to firmer.
Brussels	Feb 8	Veal sold on a strong market.

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

Vol. Offered	Vol. Sold	Range	Avg	Last Wk	Surplus (\$/head)	Net Price
1678	1324	157.00-176.50	169.90	187.40	n.d.	n.d.

### BOB CALF PRICES

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

	Vol.	Low	High	Top	Avg	Last Wk
< 125 lbs	606	63.81	143.20	166.00	114.54	107.91

	Date	Comments
Vankleek Hill	Feb 5	Calves were down to average \$1.09/lb due to the importation of US calves.
Keady	Feb 6	Sale cancelled due to severe weather and road closures.

#### Quebec Live Auction - (\$/cwt)

	Vol.	Avg	Last Wk
Good Calves (90-120lb)	858	135.00	145.00
Good Calves (121-140lb)	254	128.00	147.00
Average Calves (90-140lb)	538	114.00	124.00

### FEDERALLY INSPECTED SLAUGHTER CALVES - For the week ending Jan 27, 2007.

	2007	2006	% chg
Western Canada	173	89	94.4
Ontario	102	144	-29.2
Quebec/Atlantic Provinces	4452	4604	-3.3

The above information is collected from various sources and disseminated by the Ontario Veal Association.  
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