

# Ontario Veal Association WEEKLY MARKET INFORMATION REPORT

Week Ending Mar 1, 2007

## FINISHED VEAL PRICES

Ontario Direct To Packer	- Live weight \$/lb., 54.56% yield
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	Rail	Live
Range	1.38 - 1.55	0.75 - 0.84
Last Wk	1.47 - 1.65	0.80 - 0.90

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

	Vol.	Plain/Heavy	<b>Good Holsteins</b>	Beef Types	Avg \$	Last Wk
> 600 lbs	606	63.35	84.94	122.50	73.67	75.19
451-600 lbs	27	67.85	85.70	123.00	78.06	68.28

	Date	Comments
OSI	Feb 26	Veal calves continued to trade under pressure at barely steady prices.
OLEX	Feb 27	Veal traded under pressure at easier money.
Brussels	Mar 1	Veal sold on a steady, active market.

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

Vol. Offered	Vol. Sold	Range	Avg	Last Wk	Surplus (\$/head)	Net Price
1923	1291	159.00-172.00	169.30	169.60	38.00	158.10

## **BOB CALF PRICES**

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

	Vol.	Low	High	Тор	Avg	Last Wk
< 125 lbs	696	99.80	160.96	214.29	136.19	126.14

	Date	Comments
Vankleek Hill	Feb 26	Calves were up 23 cents with last week to average \$1.50.
Keady	Feb 27	Dollar calves sold slightly higher.

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

	Vol.	Avg	Last Wk
Good Calves (90-120lb)	928	153.00	146.00
Good Calves (121-140lb)	227	140.00	137.00
Average Calves (90-140lb)	627	127.00	124.00

FEDERALLY INSPECTED SLAUGHTER CALVES - For the week ending Feb 24, 2007.

	2007	2006	% chg
Western Canada	91	97	-6.2
Ontario	125	188	-33.5
Quebec/Atlantic Provinces	4651	4296	8.3

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