



Ontario Veal Association
WEEKLY MARKET INFORMATION REPORT
 Week Ending Mar 15, 2007

FINISHED VEAL PRICES

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

| | Rail | Live |
|---------|-------------|-------------|
| Range | 1.50 - 1.55 | 0.81 - 0.85 |
| Last Wk | 1.48 - 1.65 | 0.80 - 0.90 |

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

| | Vol. | Plain/Heavy | Good Holsteins | Beef Types | Avg \$ | Last Wk |
|-------------|-------------|--------------------|-----------------------|-------------------|---------------|----------------|
| > 600 lbs | 871 | 63.69 | 87.28 | 134.50 | 74.81 | 77.93 |
| 451-600 lbs | 59 | 71.77 | 83.62 | 107.25 | 78.29 | 76.53 |

| | Date | Comments |
|----------|-------------|---|
| OSI | Mar 12 | Veal calves traded at steady prices for the week |
| OLEX | Mar 13 | Veal sold under pressure at price \$3.00-\$5.00 lower following last week's increase. |
| Brussels | Mar 15 | Veal sold on a strong active trade with prices \$1 - 2 higher. |

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

| Vol. Offered | Vol. Sold | Range | Avg | Last Wk | Surplus (\$/head) | Net Price |
|---------------------|------------------|---------------|------------|----------------|--------------------------|------------------|
| 1931 | 1251 | 149.00-171.52 | 167.80 | 169.10 | n.a. | n.a. |

BOB CALF PRICES

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

| | Vol. | Low | High | Top | Avg | Last Wk |
|-----------|-------------|------------|-------------|------------|------------|----------------|
| < 125 lbs | 749 | 78.29 | 154.66 | 172.00 | 124.67 | 147.46 |

| | Date | Comments |
|---------------|-------------|--|
| Vankleek Hill | Mar 12 | Calves were down 7 cents with last week. |
| Keady | Mar 13 | Dollar calves sold higher. |

Quebec Live Auction - (\$/cwt)

| | Vol. | Avg | Last Wk |
|---------------------------|-------------|------------|----------------|
| Good Calves (90-120lb) | 905 | 165.00 | 170.00 |
| Good Calves (121-140lb) | 229 | 154.00 | 160.00 |
| Average Calves (90-140lb) | 668 | 139.00 | 140.00 |

FEDERALLY INSPECTED SLAUGHTER CALVES - For the week ending Mar 10, 2007.

| | 2007 | 2006 | % chg |
|---------------------------|-------------|-------------|--------------|
| Western Canada | 83 | 94 | -11.7 |
| Ontario | 119 | 146 | -18.5 |
| Quebec/Atlantic Provinces | 4920 | 4454 | 10.5 |

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