



WEEKLY MARKET INFORMATION REPORT

Week Ending October 4, 2007

FINISHED VEAL PRICES

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

RailLiveRange1.55 - 1.620.85 - 0.88Last Wk1.50 - 1.600.82 - 0.87

| iterized salesbarns (\$/cwt) |
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Last Week

| | Vol. | Plain/Heavy | Good Holsteins | Beef Types | Avg \$ | Avg \$ | Vol. |
|-------------|------|-------------|-----------------------|-------------------|--------|--------|------|
| > 600 lbs | 710 | 67.77 | 89.57 | 116.50 | 78.22 | 74.55 | 612 |
| 451-600 lbs | 40 | 67.09 | 86.40 | 120.00 | 76.83 | 74.06 | 54 |

Date Comments

OSI Oct 1 Veal traded on a stronger market.

OLEX Oct 2 Veal traded actively with prices \$2.00 higher.

Brussels Oct 4 Holstein veal calves sold on a strong active trade while beef veal sold steady.

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

| Vol. Offered | Vol. ed Sold Range | | Avg | Last Wk | Surplus (\$/head) | Net Price |
|-----------------|-----------------------|-------------|-------|---------|----------------------|-----------|
| 1484 | 791 | 1.665-1.820 | 1.800 | 1.796 | n.d. | n.d. |

BOB CALF PRICES

| Ontario Live Auction - weighted average of 13 computerized salesbarns (\$cwt) | | | | | | Last W | /eek |
|---|------|-------|--------|--------|--------|--------|------|
| - | Vol. | Low | High | Тор | Avg | Avg | Vol. |
| < 125 lbs | 882 | 70.13 | 125.57 | 170.00 | 101.70 | 111.27 | 795 |

Date Comments

Vankleek Hill Oct 1 Calves were steady with last week Keady Oct 2 Dollar calves sold slightly higher

Quebec Live Auction - (\$/cwt)

| | voi. | Avg | Last wk |
|---------------------------|------|------|---------|
| Good Calves (90-120lb) | 1217 | 1.44 | 1.36 |
| Good Calves (121-140lb) | 218 | 1.38 | 1.30 |
| Average Calves (90-140lb) | 541 | 1.21 | 1.13 |

FEDERALLY INSPECTED SLAUGHTER CALVES - For the week ending Sep 29, 2007.

| | 2007 | 2006 | % chg |
|---------------------------|------|-----------|-------|
| Western Canada | 56 | 75 | -25.3 |
| Ontario | 108 | 190 | -43.2 |
| Quebec/Atlantic Provinces | 4365 | 4322 | 1.0 |
| Canada | 4529 | 4587 | -1.3 |

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