



Ontario Veal Association
WEEKLY MARKET INFORMATION REPORT
 Week Ending January 24, 2008

FINISHED VEAL PRICES

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

	Rail	Live
Range	1.56 - 1.80	0.85 - 0.98
Last week	1.65 - 1.84	0.90 - 1.00

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

	Vol.	Plain/Heavy	Good Holsteins	Beef Types	Avg \$	Last Week Avg \$	Last Week Vol.
> 600 lbs	518	65.24	89.74	119.00	77.97	84.95	606
451-600 lbs	27	59.09	83.17	100.00	72.77	73.68	63

	Date	Comments
OSI	Jan 21	Veal sold on an easier market.
OLEX	Jan 22	Veal traded under pressure.
Brussels	Jan 24	Veal traded at prices \$2.00-\$3.00 higher.

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

Vol. Offered	Vol. Sold	Range	Avg	Last Wk	Surplus (\$/head)	Net Price
1765	1077	1.800-1.820	1.802	1.794	62.00	1.622

BOB CALF PRICES

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

	Vol.	Low	High	Top	Avg	Last Week Avg	Last Week Vol.
< 125 lbs	694	83.31	120.80	240.00	107.18	110.97	754

	Date	Comments
Vankleek Hill	Jan 21	Calves were up 3 cents with last week to average \$1.08.
Keady	Jan 22	Dollar calves sold on fair demand at barely steady prices.

Quebec Live Auction - (\$/cwt)

	Vol.	Avg	Last Wk
Good Calves (90-120lb)	996	1.26	1.39
Good Calves (121-140lb)	252	1.23	1.34
Average Calves (90-140lb)	708	1.10	1.17

FEDERALLY INSPECTED SLAUGHTER CALVES - For the week ending Jan 19, 2008

	2007	2006	% chg
Western Canada	42	34	23.5
Ontario	243	127	91.3
Quebec/Atlantic Provinces	4673	4726	-1.1
Canada	4958	4887	1.5

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