



Ontario Veal Association WEEKLY MARKET INFORMATION REPORT

Week Ending January 23, 2009
Week# 3

FINISHED VEAL PRICES

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

	Rail	Live
Range	1.89-2.03	1.03-1.11
Last week	1.90-2.05	1.03-1.12

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

	Vol.	Plain/Heavy	Good Holsteins	Beef Types	Avg \$	Avg weight	Avg \$	Last Week	
								Vol.	Weight
> 600 lbs	534	83.68	113.26	156.00	98.18	732	98.98	493	734
451-600 lbs	50	66.09	97.21	108.50	83.14	554	86.63	67	538

	Date	Comments
OSI	Jan 19	Good veal calves sold strong while medium and common types sold barely steady.
OLEX	Jan 20	Veal sold actively at steady prices.
Brussels	Jan 22	Veal sold on a strong demand. Holstein veal calves traded steady to last week's stronger market while beef veal calves sold stronger, regaining last week's price decline.

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

	Vol.	Avg
This week	1,725	1.910
Last Week	1,834	1.913

BOB CALF PRICES

Ontario Live Auction Report — price range from non-computerized southwestern Ontario salesbarns (\$/head).

	Range	Last Week
Fancy to Good (> 100 lbs)	75-150	50-58
Medium to Good (80 - 100 lbs)	40-120	10-60
Small, Plain to Poor (< 80 lbs)	<70	~

OCA Computerized Auction Report

weighted average of 13 computerized salesbarns (\$/cwt)

	Vol.	Low	High	Avg. \$	Avg. weigh t	Avg. weight	Avg. \$	Last Week
								Vol.
< 125 lbs	888	64.65	118.10	96.56	103	103	76.44	805

	Date	Comments
Hagersville	Jan 19	~
Milverton Park	Jan 20	66 head
Listowel	Jan 20	250 head
Keady	Jan 20	dollar calves sold slightly higher
Denfield	Jan 20	Good Holstein bull calves were fully steady.

Quebec Live Auction - (\$/cwt)

	Vol.	Avg.	Last Week	
			Vol.	Avg.
Good Calves (90-120lb)	900	1.16	763	0.94
Good Calves (121-140lb)	245	1.15	216	0.99
Average Calves (90-140lb)	290	.82	507	0.75

FEDERALLY INSPECTED SLAUGHTER CALVES

Week Ending:	2009			2008			% chg	To Date	2009			2008			% chg
Western Canada								Western Canada							
Ontario								Ontario							
Quebec								Quebec							
Canada								Canada							

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