



Ontario Veal Association WEEKLY MARKET INFORMATION REPORT

Week Ending April 9, 2009

Week#14

FINISHED VEAL PRICES

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

	Rail	Live
Range	1.65-1.72	.90-.94
Last week	1.69-1.74	.92-.95

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

	Vol.	Plain/Heavy	Good Holsteins	Beef Types	Avg \$	Avg weight	Avg \$	Last Week Vol.	Last Week Weight
> 600 lbs	449	73.17	99.59	83.43	133.00	725	82.51	609	729
451-600 lbs	44	63.24	94.48	80.37	140.00	549	80.07	45	545

	Date	Comments
OSI	April 6	A light run of good Holstein calves sold higher. Very few good beef calves on offer
OLEX	April 7	Veal continued to sell on an easier trade
Brussels	April 9	~

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

	Vol.	Avg
This week	1,807	1.854
Last Week	1,703	1.854

BOB CALF PRICES

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

	Range	Last Week
Fancy to Good (> 100 lbs)	75-195.00	75-175.00
Medium to Good (80 - 100 lbs)	65-125.00	60-115.00
Small, Plain to Poor (< 80 lbs)	5-85.00	5-70.00

OCA Computerized Auction Report

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

	Vol.	Low	High	Avg. \$	Avg. weight	Avg. weight	Avg. \$	Last Week Vol.
< 125 lbs	871	82.25	127.75	110.00	104	103	108.98	943

Date Comments

Milverton Park	April 7	74 head
Listowel	April 7	Good strong sales, prices \$20.00 higher
Keady	April 7	dollars calves sold barely steady
Denfield	April 7	Holstein bull calves sold at stronger prices

**Quebec Live
Auction(\$/cwt)**

Last Week

	Volume	Average	Volume	Average
Good Calves (90-120 lbs)	Prices not available		338	1.20-1.40
Good Calves (121-140 lbs)			67	1.17-1.35
Average Calves (90-140 lbs)			53	.80-1.05

FEDERALLY INSPECTED SLAUGHTER CALVES

Week Ending: March 28, 2009

To Date

	2009	2008	% chg		2009	2008	% chg
Western Canada	40	49	-18.4	Western Canada	472	492	-4.1
Ontario	219	89	146.1	Ontario	3,186	2,925	8.9
Quebec	4,715	4,454	5.9	Quebec	54,252	54,318	-0.1
Canada	4,974	4,592	8.3	Canada	57,910	57,735	0.3

Month	2009	2008	2007
January	2096	2664	3650
February	1934	2135	3184
March		2228	3286
April		2859	3321
May		2370	3919
June		2436	2715
July		2669	2484
August		2557	3192
September		3063	3025
October		2936	2980
November		2453	2931
December		2345	2725

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

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