



# Ontario Veal Association WEEKLY MARKET INFORMATION REPORT

Week Ending June 5, 2009  
Week#22

## FINISHED VEAL PRICES

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

	Rail	Live
Range	1.47-1.70	.80-.93
Last week	1.34-1.70	.73-.93

**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	579	72.47	101.95	137.00	83.77	735	82.38	688	737
451-600 lbs	41	66.73	94.09	122.00	80.05	542	74.58	45	560

	Date	Comments
OSI	June 1	Veal traded on a barely steady market
OLEX	June 2	Veal traded on a steady market
Brussels	June 4	Veal traded at steady prices

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

	Vol.	Avg
This week	1,658	1.805
Last Week	1,741	1.806

## BOB CALF PRICES

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

	Range	Last Week
Fancy to Good (> 100 lbs)	\$100-200.00	\$100-255.00
Medium to Good (80 - 100 lbs)	\$100-150.00	\$105-155.00
Small, Plain to Poor (< 80 lbs)	\$20-95.00	\$10-100.00

**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	900	83.96	145.45	125.97	102	103	122.88	803

	Date	Comments
Milverton Park	June 1	118 calves Avg pricing for the week \$100-\$150.00 with a high of \$165
	June 2	340 calves on offer Good calves \$150.00-190.00 Medium calves \$ 100-150.00
Listowel		Plain and small calves \$40-95.00
		Precons sold \$310-400.00 Calves sold on a good active market
Keady	June 2	dollar calves sold slightly higher
Denfield	June 2	Good Holstein bull calves sold strong at higher prices

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

**Last Week**

	Volume	Average	Volume	Average
Good Calves (90-120 lbs)	1,025	1.44	1,083	1.37
Good Calves (121-140 lbs)	231	1.41	245	1.35
Average Calves (90-140 lbs)	361	1.16	326	1.12

## FEDERALLY INSPECTED SLAUGHTER CALVES

**Week Ending: May 30, 2009**

**To Date**

	2009	2008	% chg		2009	2008	% chg
Western Canada	33	33	0.0	Western Canada	766	806	-5.0
Ontario	126	198	-36.4	Ontario	5,019	5,546	-9.5
Quebec	4,589	4,030	13.9	Quebec	94,423	96,851	-2.5
<b>Canada</b>	<b>4,748</b>	<b>4,261</b>	<b>11.4</b>	<b>Canada</b>	<b>100,208</b>	<b>103,203</b>	<b>-2.9</b>

## PROVINCIALY INSPECTED SLAUGHTER CALVES

<b>Month</b>	<b>2009</b>	<b>2008</b>	<b>2007</b>
<b>January</b>	2096	2664	3650
<b>February</b>	1934	2135	3184
<b>March</b>	2206	2228	3286
<b>April</b>	2142	2859	3321
<b>May</b>		2370	3919
<b>June</b>		2436	2715
<b>July</b>		2669	2484
<b>August</b>		2557	3192
<b>September</b>		3063	3025
<b>October</b>		2936	2980
<b>November</b>		2453	2931
<b>December</b>		2345	2725

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

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