



# Ontario Veal Association WEEKLY MARKET INFORMATION REPORT

Week Ending December 11, 2009

Week#49

## FINISHED VEAL PRICES

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

	<b>Rail</b>	<b>Live</b>
<b>Range</b>	<b>\$1.72-1.78</b>	<b>.94-.97</b>
<b>Last week</b>	<b>\$1.64-\$1.77</b>	<b>.90-.97</b>

This report is a collection of reports from sales barns and direct sales. The OVA is not responsible for the accuracy of these numbers.

	<b>Weekly Average</b>	<b>OSI</b>	<b>OLEX</b>	<b>Brussels</b>
<b>&gt;600 lbs</b>				
<b>Volume</b>	<b>583</b>	<b>98</b>	<b>261</b>	<b>197</b>
<b>Low \$</b>	<b>75.94</b>	<b>63.00</b>	<b>74.50</b>	<b>87.50</b>
<b>High \$</b>	<b>103.33</b>	<b>97.50</b>	<b>102.50</b>	<b>111.00</b>
<b>Avg.\$</b>	<b>89.44</b>	<b>82.24</b>	<b>89.16</b>	<b>96.48</b>
<b>Top \$</b>	<b>136.00</b>	<b>121.50</b>	<b>136.00</b>	<b>125.00</b>
<b>Avg. Weight</b>	<b>725</b>	<b>757</b>	<b>713</b>	<b>714</b>
<b>451-600lbs</b>				
<b>Volume</b>	<b>82</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>11</b>
<b>Low \$</b>	<b>63.67</b>	<b>70.00</b>	<b>65.00</b>	<b>70.00</b>
<b>High \$</b>	<b>93.12</b>	<b>95.50</b>	<b>98.50</b>	<b>96.00</b>
<b>Avg.\$</b>	<b>77.65</b>	<b>79.83</b>	<b>81.04</b>	<b>86.56</b>
<b>Top \$</b>	<b>130.00</b>	<b>106.50</b>	<b>130.00</b>	<b>119.00</b>
<b>Avg. Weight</b>	<b>550</b>	<b>550</b>	<b>557</b>	<b>566</b>
<b>LAST WEEK &gt;600 lbs</b>				
<b>Volume</b>	<b>501</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>191</b>	<b>180</b>
<b>Avg. \$</b>	<b>89.39</b>	<b>86.21</b>	<b>87.21</b>	<b>98.37</b>
<b>Avg. Weight</b>	<b>725</b>	<b>819</b>	<b>705</b>	<b>715</b>
<b>Date</b>	<b>Comments</b>			
<b>OSI</b>	<b>Dec. 7</b>	<b>Veal sold on a steady market.</b>		
<b>OLEX</b>	<b>Dec. 8</b>	<b>Veal sold actively on a steady market.</b>		
<b>Brussels</b>	<b>Dec. 10</b>	<b>Veal traded at prices steady to last week's stronger market.</b>		
<b>Denfield</b>	<b>Dec. 8</b>	<b>Veal remained steady</b>		

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

	<b>Vol.</b>	<b>Avg</b>
<b>This week</b>	<b>1,748</b>	<b>1.771</b>
<b>Last Week</b>	<b>1,655</b>	<b>1.771</b>

## FEDERALLY INSPECTED VEAL December 05, 2009

<b>WEEKLY</b>	<b>2009</b>	<b>2008</b>	<b>% CHANGE</b>	<b>YTD</b>	<b>2009</b>	<b>2008</b>	<b>% CHANGE</b>
Western Cdn.	23	46		Western Cdn.	1,464	1,701	-13.9
Ontario	754	255	195.7	Ontario	17,416	12,084	44.1
Quebec	4,446	5,100	-12.3	Quebec	204,875	219,559	-6.7
Canada	<b>5,223</b>	<b>5,401</b>	<b>-3.3</b>	Canada	<b>223,755</b>	<b>233,344</b>	<b>-4.1</b>

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## PROVINCIALY INSPECTED VEAL

<b>MONTH</b>	<b>2009</b>	<b>2008</b>	<b>2007</b>
<b>JANUARY</b>	<b>2,096</b>	<b>2,664</b>	<b>3,650</b>
<b>FEBRUARY</b>	<b>1,934</b>	<b>2,135</b>	<b>3,184</b>
<b>MARCH</b>	<b>2,206</b>	<b>2,228</b>	<b>3,286</b>
<b>APRIL</b>	<b>2,142</b>	<b>2,859</b>	<b>3,321</b>
<b>MAY</b>	<b>2,194</b>	<b>2,370</b>	<b>3,919</b>
<b>JUNE</b>	<b>2,320</b>	<b>2,436</b>	<b>2,715</b>
<b>JULY</b>	<b>2,267</b>	<b>2,669</b>	<b>2,484</b>
<b>AUGUST</b>	<b>1,803</b>	<b>2,557</b>	<b>3,192</b>
<b>SEPTEMBER</b>	<b>1,669</b>	<b>3,063</b>	<b>3,025</b>
<b>OCTOBER</b>	<b>2,381</b>	<b>2,936</b>	<b>2,980</b>
<b>NOVEMBER</b>		<b>2,453</b>	<b>2,931</b>
<b>DECEMBER</b>		<b>2,345</b>	<b>2,725</b>

## BOB CALF PRICES

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

	Range	Last Week
Fancy to Good (> 100 lbs)	<b>\$100-150.00</b>	\$100-185.00
Medium to Good (80 - 100 lbs)	<b>\$45.00-120.00</b>	\$65.00-110.00
Small, Plain to Poor (< 80 lbs)	<b>\$5.00-70.00</b>	\$5-70.00

	Date	Comments
Milverton Park	<b>Dec. 7</b>	Avg. pricing for this week, \$85-125.00 with a high of \$150.00
Listowel	<b>Dec. 8</b>	255 Calves on offer Good calves \$100.00-\$140.00 Medium types \$45.00-\$75.00 Plain and small \$10.00-\$40.00 Good calves sold strong while medium types and small calves sold under pressure.
Keady	<b>Dec. 8</b>	Dollar calves sold barely steady
Denfield	<b>Dec. 8</b>	Calves sold steady to higher

Quebec Live Auction(\$/cwt)			Last Week	
	Volume	Average	Volume	Average
Good Calves (90-120 lbs)	<b>701</b>	<b>.80</b>	784	.91
Good Calves (121-140 lbs)	<b>163</b>	<b>.90</b>	189	.99
Average Calves (90-140 lbs)	<b>531</b>	<b>.68</b>	543	.72

### OCA Computerized Auction Report

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

	Vol.	Low	High	Avg. \$	Avg. weight	Last Week		Vol.
						Avg. weight	Avg. \$	
< 125 lbs	<b>803</b>	<b>42.57</b>	<b>83.80</b>	<b>66.04</b>	<b>102</b>	102	71.86	874

**Mark Your Calendar!**  
**Annual General Meeting**  
**Friday March 5, 2010**  
**Festival Inn, Stratford**

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

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