



Ontario Veal Association WEEKLY MARKET INFORMATION REPORT

Week Ending April 23, 2010

Week#16

FINISHED VEAL PRICES

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

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

	Rail	Live
Range	\$1.35-1.79	.74-.98
Last week	\$1.32-1.80	.72-.98

	Weekly Average	OSI	OLEX	Brussels
>600 lbs				
Volume	653	103	265	241
Low \$	68.17	64.00	70.00	70.00
High \$	91.41	84.00	88.00	101.00
Avg.\$	77.37	73.96	77.79	80.26
Top \$	135.00	108.50	132.50	135.00
Avg. Weight	733	727	726	741
451-600lbs				
Volume	60	5	16	4
Low \$	63.94	42.00	52.00	51.00
High \$	85.57	55.00	80.00	108.00
Avg.\$	77.15	49.65	65.77	89.75
Top \$	108.00	63.00	85.00	108.00
Avg. Weight	535	535	548	565
LAST WEEK >600 lbs				
Volume	818	183	325	252
Avg. \$	72.89	66.79	72.05	79.57
Avg. Weight	732	734	727	740

	Date	Comments
OSI	April 19	Good veal calves sold slightly stronger with all others trading steady.
OLEX	April 20	Veal sold on a very strong trade with prices \$3.00-\$5.00 higher.
Brussels	April 22	Veal calves sold on a good demand with prices \$2.00-\$3.00 higher
Denfield	April 20	Veal sold steady.

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

	Vol.	Avg
This week	1,681	1.794
Last Week	1,788	1.795

FEDERALLY INSPECTED VEAL

WEEKLY	2010	2009	% CHANGE	YTD	2010	2009	% CHANGE
Western Cdn.	28	47		Western Cdn.	448	558	-19.7
Ontario	659	197	234.5	Ontario	9,054	3,616	150.4
Quebec	4,368	4,113	6.2	Quebec	61,423	67,555	-9.1
Canada	5,055	4,357	16.0	Canada	70,925	71,729	-1.1

For the full version of Federally inspected veal visit www.ontarioveal.on.ca under Producer Info/Market Info/view-of-the veal industry

MONTH	2010	2009
JANUARY	2,537	1,088
FEBRUARY	2,478	1,116
MARCH	2,481	982
APRIL		724
MAY		1,109
JUNE		924
JULY		1,230
AUGUST		2,301
SEPTEMBER		2,134
OCTOBER		2,808
NOVEMBER		2,246
DECEMBER		2,219

PROVINCIALY INSPECTED VEAL

MONTH	2010	2009	2008	2007
JANUARY	2,013	2,096	2,664	3,650
FEBRUARY	1,939	1,934	2,135	3,184
MARCH		2,206	2,228	3,286
APRIL		2,142	2,859	3,321
MAY		2,194	2,370	3,919
JUNE		2,320	2,436	2,715
JULY		2,267	2,669	2,484
AUGUST		1,803	2,557	3,192
SEPTEMBER		1,669	3,063	3,025
OCTOBER		2,381	2,936	2,980
NOVEMBER		2,320	2,453	2,931
DECEMBER		2,494	2,345	2,725

BOB CALF PRICES

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

	Range	Last Week
Fancy to Good (> 100 lbs)	\$140-205.00	\$140-200.00
Medium to Good (80 - 100 lbs)	\$100-150.00	\$90-155.00
Small, Plain to Poor (< 80 lbs)	\$20-95.00	\$10-95.00

	Date	Comments
Milverton Park	April 19	Avg. pricing for this week on Holstein Bull calves is \$90.00-\$170.00 with a high of \$205.00
Listowel	April 20	Calves sold on a good demand at steady prices. Good calves \$140.00 to \$185.00 Medium types \$100.00 to \$135.00 Plain and small \$30.00 to \$95.00
Keady	April 20	calves sold on strong demand at higher prices
Denfield	April 20	Drop calves sold stronger

OCA Computerized Auction Report

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

	Vol.	Low	High	Avg. \$	Avg. weight	Avg. weight	Avg. \$	Vol.
< 125 lbs	706	69.61	111.97	96.52	104	105	87.22	726

Last Week

Quebec Live Auction(\$/cwt)	Last Week			
	Volume	Average	Volume	Average
Good Calves (90-120 lbs)	945	1.08	916	.99
Good Calves (121-140 lbs)	215	1.07	186	.90
Average Calves (90-140 lbs)	262	.77	349	.71

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