



Ontario Veal Association WEEKLY MARKET INFORMATION REPORT

Week Ending April 30, 2010

Week#17

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	\$1.52-1.79	.83-.98
Last week	1.35-1.79	.74-.98

	Weekly Average	OSI	OLEX	Brussels
>600 lbs				
Volume	830	171	361	240
Low \$	67.18	73.50	65.00	67.50
High \$	88.16	87.00	87.00	93.00
Avg.\$	77.59	79.73	78.29	77.15
Top \$	121.00	103.00	121.00	118.00
Avg. Weight	733	739	728	740
451-600lbs				
Volume	44	8	12	
Low \$	61.15	68.50	71.00	
High \$	94.32	88.00	120.00	
Avg.\$	76.41	75.89	87.45	
Top \$	120.00	88.00	120.00	
Avg. Weight	541	549	563	
LAST WEEK >600 lbs				
Volume	653	103	265	241
Avg. \$	77.37	73.96	77.79	80.26
Avg. Weight	733	727	726	741
	Date	Comments		
OSI	April 26	Good calves sold barely steady with heavy calves trading under pressure.		
OLEX	April 27	Veal sold actively at steady prices.		
Brussels	April 29	Veal traded under pressure with beef veal calves selling \$5.00-\$10.00 lower and Holstein veal calves \$2.00-\$3.00 lower.		
Denfield	April 27	~		

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

	Vol.	Avg
This week	1,756	1.79
Last Week	1,681	1.794

FEDERALLY INSPECTED VEAL

WEEKLY	2010	2009	% CHANGE	YTD	2010	2009	% CHANGE
Western Cdn.	29	39		Western Cdn.	477	597	-20.1
Ontario	665	294	126.2	Ontario	9,719	3,910	148.6
Quebec	4,093	4,653	-12.0	Quebec	65,516	72,208	-9.3
Canada	4,787	4,986	-4.0	Canada	75,712	76,715	-1.3

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	2,122	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)	\$120-200.00	\$140-205.00
Medium to Good (80 - 100 lbs)	\$100-160.00	\$100-150.00
Small, Plain to Poor (< 80 lbs)	\$0-110.00	\$20-95.00

	Date	Comments
Milverton Park	April 26	66 head of Holstein bull calves
Listowel	April 27	243 calves on offer Good calves \$150.00-200.00 Medium calves \$105.00-145.00 Plain and small \$40.00-105.00 Calves sold on a good demand at higher prices
Keady	April 27	dollar calves sold slightly easier
Denfield	April 27	Drop calves traded stronger

OCA Computerized Auction Report

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

	Vol.	Low	High	Avg. \$	Avg. weight	Avg. weight	Avg. \$	Vol.
< 125 lbs	611	62.33	111.35	92.18	103	104	96.52	706

Quebec Live Auction(\$/cwt)	Last Week			
	Volume	Average	Volume	Average
Good Calves (90-120 lbs)	925	1.05	945	1.08
Good Calves (121-140 lbs)	211	1.00	215	1.07
Average Calves (90-140 lbs)	317	.76	262	.77

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