



Ontario Veal Association WEEKLY MARKET INFORMATION REPORT

Week Ending May 14, 2010

Week#19

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	\$1.52-1.79	.83-.98

	Weekly Average	OSI	OLEX	Brussels
>600 lbs				
Volume	769	115	354	249
Low \$	58.80	63.00	58.00	61.00
High \$	81.14	83.00	75.00	91.00
Avg.\$	69.02	74.02	67.03	71.18
Top \$	115.00	100.50	100.00	115.00
Avg. Weight	728	715	739	713
451-600lbs				
Volume	49	11	4	6
Low \$	51.57	61.00	30.00	47.00
High \$	78.46	88.50	76.00	74.00
Avg.\$	65.11	78.15	52.50	62.40
Top \$	108.00	108.00	76.00	100.00
Avg. Weight	544	572	540	558
LAST WEEK >600 lbs				
Volume	862	119	348	318
Avg. \$	74.91	80.11	75.06	74.58
Avg. Weight	727	739	730	720

	Date	Comments
OSI	May 10	All classes of veal sold at lower prices.
OLEX	May 11	Veal sold under extreme pressure with prices \$4.00 to \$5.00 lower.
Brussels	May 13	Good light beef veal calves traded steady while all other classes of veal continued to trend lower.
Denfield	May 11	Veal was lower

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

	Vol.	Avg
This week	1,566	1.791
Last Week	1,730	1.791

FEDERALLY INSPECTED VEAL

WEEKLY	2010	2009	% CHANGE	YTD	2010	2009	% CHANGE
Western Cdn.	29	24		Western Cdn.	537	662	-18.9
Ontario	542	264	105.3	Ontario	10,884	4,439	145.2
Quebec	4,240	4,472	-5.2	Quebec	74,360	81,270	-8.5
Canada	4,811	4,760	1.1	Canada	85,781	86,371	-0.7

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	2,298	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)	\$100-200.00	\$100-155.00
Medium to Good (80 - 100 lbs)	\$65.00-125.00	\$60-115.00
Small, Plain to Poor (< 80 lbs)	\$10-80.00	\$10-70.00

	Date	Comments
Milverton Park	May 10	Avg. Pricing for sale was \$60.00-120.00 with a high of \$200.00
Listowel	May 11	236 calves on offer Good Calves \$105-155.00 Medium types \$65.00-100.00 Plain and small \$20.00-60.00 Calves sold on a good demand at slightly higher prices.
Keady	May 11	dollar calves sold barely steady
Denfield	May 11	Drop calves were steady

OCA Computerized Auction Report

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

	Vol.	Low	High	Avg. \$	Avg. weight	Avg. weight	Avg. \$	Vol.
< 125 lbs	597	57.82	90.13	76.98	105	105	72.68	577

Quebec Live Auction(\$/cwt)	Last Week			
	Volume	Average	Volume	Average
Good Calves (90-120 lbs)	767	.84	629	.85
Good Calves (121-140 lbs)	190	.85	214	.87
Average Calves (90-140 lbs)	423	.66	487	.68

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