



Ontario Veal Association WEEKLY MARKET INFORMATION REPORT

Week Ending May 21, 2010
Week#20

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	\$1.40-1.79	.76-.98
Last week	\$1.52-1.79	.83-.98

	Weekly Average	OSI	OLEX	Brussels
>600 lbs				
Volume	665	169	279	184
Low \$	62.65	66.00	60.00	64.00
High \$	83.71	85.00	75.00	98.00
Avg.\$	72.07	74.88	67.84	77.10
Top \$	128	115.00	109.00	128.00
Avg. Weight	729	725	727	731
451-600lbs				
Volume	74	18	15	9
Low \$	63.84	55.50	49.00	50.00
High \$	82.20	78.50	80.00	70.00
Avg.\$	73.45	67.01	67.27	59.38
Top \$	118	89.50	96.50	76.00
Avg. Weight	545	552	568	568
LAST WEEK >600 lbs				
Volume	769	115	354	249
Avg. \$	69.02	74.02	67.03	71.18
Avg. Weight	728	715	739	713
	Date	Comments		
OSI	May 17	Veal traded on a barely steady market		
OLEX	May 18	Lighter weight veal calves sold stronger while heavier weights traded under pressure at easier prices.		
Brussels	May 20	All classes of veal sold on a steady and strong market		
Denfield				

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

	Vol.	Avg
This week	1,800	1.791
Last Week	1,566	1.791

FEDERALLY INSPECTED VEAL

May 15

	2010	2009	% CHANGE	YTD	2010	2009	% CHANGE
Western Cdn.	30	32		Western Cdn.	567	694	-18.3
Ontario	598	272	119.9	Ontario	11,482	4,711	143.7
Quebec	4,285	4,816	-11.0	Quebec	76,645	86,086	-8.6
Canada	4,913	5,120	-4.0	Canada	90,694	91,461	-.09

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

PROVINCIAL 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	2,374	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)	\$100-175.00	\$100-200.00
Medium to Good (80 - 100 lbs)	\$10-125.00	\$65.00-125.00
Small, Plain to Poor (< 80 lbs)		\$10-80.00

	Date	Comments
Milverton Park	May 17	77 bull calves, avg pricing \$100-140.00 with a high of \$155.00
Listowel	May 18	~
Keady	May 18	dollar calves sold slightly higher
Denfield	May 18	Calves sold higher

OCA Computerized Auction Report

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

	Vol.	Low	High	Avg. \$	Avg. weight	Avg. weight	Avg. \$	Vol.
< 125 lbs	578	64.53	104.71	86.85	104	105	76.98	597

Quebec Live Auction(\$/cwt)			Last Week	
	Volume	Average	Volume	Average
Good Calves (90-120 lbs)	742	1.02	767	.84
Good Calves (121-140 lbs)	199	1.01	190	.85
Average Calves (90-140 lbs)	321	.70	423	.66

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