



Ontario Veal Association WEEKLY MARKET INFORMATION REPORT

Week Ending May 28, 2010

Week#21

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	\$1.38-1.79	.75-.98
Last week	\$1.40-1.79	.76-.98

	Weekly Average	OSI	OLEX	Brussels
>600 lbs				
Volume	662	84	252	285
Low \$	63.17	72.00	59.00	65.50
High \$	90.14	87.00	82.00	100.00
Avg.\$	75.19	79.69	72.23	77.70
Top \$	127.00	99.00	116.00	127.00
Avg. Weight	711	703	707	718
451-600lbs				
Volume	65	1	24	15
Low \$	61.01	91.50	48.00	76.00
High \$	88.85	91.50	72.00	126.00
Avg.\$	73.60	91.50	60.30	90.50
Top \$	131.00	91.50	79.00	131.00
Avg. Weight	553	600	557	580
LAST WEEK >600 lbs				
Volume	665	169	279	184
Avg. \$	72.07	74.88	67.84	77.10
Avg. Weight	729	725	727	731

	Date	Comments
OSI	May 25	Veal sold on a strong active trade.
OLEX	May 25	Veal traded on an active market at steady prices
Brussels	May 27	Holstein veal traded \$5.00 higher while beef veal calves sold \$2-5.00 higher.
Denfield	May 25	The market steady to slightly stronger in all areas.

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

	Vol.	Avg
This week	1,778	1.791
Last Week	1,800	1.791

FEDERALLY INSPECTED VEAL

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WEEKLY	2010	2009	% CHANGE	YTD	2010	2009	% CHANGE
Western Cdn.	32	39	-17.9	Western Cdn.	599	733	-18.3
Ontario	566	182	211.0	Ontario	12,048	4,893	146.2
Quebec	4,372	3,748	16.6	Quebec	83,017	89,834	-7.6
Canada	4,970	3,969	25.2	Canada	95,664	95,460	0.2

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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	2,374	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)	\$160-210.00	\$100-175.00
Medium to Good (80 - 100 lbs)	\$110-175.00	\$10-125.00
Small, Plain to Poor (< 80 lbs)	\$5-110.00	

	Date	Comments
Milverton Park	May 24	Average pricing for this week \$100-175.00 with a high of \$210.00
Listowel	May 25	Calves sold on a good demand at higher prices. Good calves \$160-210.00 Medium types \$120-155.00 Plain and small \$25-110.00
Keady	May 25	dollar calves sold slightly higher
Denfield	May 25	The market steady to slightly stronger in all areas.

OCA Computerized Auction Report

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

	Vol.	Low	High	Avg. \$	Avg. weight	Avg. weight	Avg. \$	Vol.
< 125 lbs	528	70.86	118.82	100.96	150.00	104	86.85	578

Quebec Live Auction(\$/cwt)	Last Week			
	Volume	Average	Volume	Average
Good Calves (90-120 lbs)	722	1.14	742	1.02
Good Calves (121-140 lbs)	198	1.07	199	1.01
Average Calves (90-140 lbs)	247	.80	321	.70

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