



# Ontario Veal Association

## WEEKLY MARKET INFORMATION REPORT

Week Ending February 18, 2011  
Week#7

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### ONTARIO DIRECT TO PACKER

Live weight \$/lb., 54.56%yield

	Rail	Live
<b>Range</b>	<b>\$1.74-1.96</b>	<b>.95-1.07</b>
<b>Last Week</b>	<b>\$1.74-1.95</b>	<b>.95-1.06</b>

### WEEKLY ELECTRONIC VEAL SALES

	Average	OSI	OLEX	BRUSSELS
<b>&gt;600 lbs</b>				
Volume	603	81	214	220
Low \$	83.82	84.00	91.50	79.00
High \$	110.58	110.50	110.50	117.00
Avg. \$	97.53	100.31	102.02	96.90
Top \$	156.00	117.50	127.00	156.00
Avg. Weight	741	746	724	749
<b>451-600 lbs</b>				
Volume	50	7	35	2
Avg. \$	85.13	94.18	82.95	66.50
Avg. Weight	533	559	522	580
<b>Last Week &gt;600 lbs</b>				
Volume	642	131	264	195
Avg. \$	92.58	98.29	91.37	93.65
Avg. Weight	719	704	713	731

SALES ARENA	DATE	COMMENTS
OSI	Feb. 14	Veal sold on a steady market.
OLEX	Feb. 15	Veal sold on a stronger market.
BRUSSELS	Feb. 17	Holstein veal calves traded 42 -5.00 higher while beef veal traded steady to last week's strong market.
DENFIELD	Feb. 15	Veal traded steady to slightly lower with the good fancy veal trading strong.

### FEDERALLY INSPECTED VEAL: Feb. 12

WEEKLY	2010	2009	% CHANGE	YTD	2010	2009	% CHANGE
Western Cdn.	-	35		Western Cdn.	-	172	
Ontario	872	662	31.7	Ontario	4,327	3,753	15.3
Quebec	3,855	3,851	0.1	Quebec	23,229	24,264	-4.3
Canada	4,727	4,548	3.9	Canada	27,556	28,189	-2.2

**ONTARIO FEDERAL GRAIN-FED VEAL TOTALS**

MONTH	2011	2010	2009
January		2,537	1,088
February		2,610	1,116
March		2,481	982
April		1,998	724
May		2,422	1,109
June		3,135	924
July		2,958	1,230
August		2,854	2,301
September		5,904	2,134
October		3,792	2,808
November		3,250	2,246
December		3,568	2,219
<b>YEARLY</b>		<b>34,358</b>	<b>18,881</b>

**ONTARIO PROVINCIAL GRAIN-FED VEAL TOTALS**

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	2,349	2,194	2,370	3,919
June	2,374	2,320	2,436	2,715
July	2,799	2,267	2,669	2,484
August	2,083	1,803	2,557	3,192
September	1,943	1,669	3,063	3,025
October	1,886	2,381	2,936	2,980
November	1,923	2,320	2,453	2,931
December	2,038	2,494	2,345	2,725
<b>YEARLY</b>	<b>26,428</b>	<b>25,826</b>	<b>30,715</b>	<b>37,412</b>

**QUEBEC VEAL MARKET**
**Quebec Electronic Auction**

A2 Grain-Fed (\$/lb. rail) This price is the average of what is sold on the electronic auction.

	Volume	Average
This Week	1,572	1.931
Last Week	1,499	1.933

**BOB CALVES**

	This week	Last Week		This week	Last Week		
<b>Ontario</b> Live Auction Report	<b>Range</b>		<b>Quebec</b> Live Auction (\$/cwt)	<b>Volume</b>	<b>Average</b>	<b>Volume</b>	<b>Average</b>
Fancy to Good Calves (> 100 lbs)	\$110-200.00	\$150-220.00	Good 90-120 lb	925	1.31	1,064	\$1.25
Medium to Good Calves (80 - 100 lbs)	\$65-150.00	\$100-150.00	Good 121-140 lb	197	1.26	216	\$1.20
Small, Plain Calves (< 80 lbs)	\$5-100.00	\$0-95.00	Average 90-140 lb	264	.95	254	\$.88

Sales Arena	Date	Comments
Milverton Park	Feb 14	Avg. pricing for this week \$105-150.00 with a high of \$185.00
Listowel	Feb. 15	314 calves on offer Good calves \$110-170.00 Medium types \$65-105.00 Plain and small \$20-60.00  Calves sold barely steady
Keady	Feb. 15	Dollar calves sold slightly higher.
Denfield	Feb. 15	Drop calves traded strong at slightly higher prices.

OCA Auction Report	Volume	High	Avg. \$	Avg. Weight	Last week Avg.	Last week Volume
<125 lbs	726	136.04	118.22	105	110.39	803