



Ontario Veal Association
WEEKLY MARKET INFORMATION
REPORT

Week Ending May 6, 2011
 Week#18

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ONTARIO DIRECT TO PACKER
 Live weight \$/lb., 54.56%yield

	Rail	Live
Range	\$1.70-1.91	\$0.93-1.04
Last Week	\$1.73-1.93	\$0.94-1.05

WEEKLY ELECTRONIC VEAL SALES

	Average	OSI	OLEX	BRUSSELS
>600 lbs				
Volume	657	156	267	183
Low \$	82.59	79.50	85.00	83.50
High \$	103.75	102.00	98.50	116.00
Avg. \$	92.01	93.31	91.63	93.23
Top \$	150.00	131.00	119.00	150.00
Avg. Weight	723	723	717	734
451-600 lbs				
Volume	55	15	16	10
Avg. \$	88.98	92.36	86.35	96.61
Avg. Weight	548	552	557	551
Last Week >600 lbs				
Volume	577	68	318	158
Avg. \$	93.98	95.72	94.64	94.80
Avg. Weight	726	723	719	730

SALES ARENA	DATE	COMMENTS
OSI	May 2	Veal sold on a steady market.
OLEX	May 3	Veal sold on a steady market.
BRUSSELS	May 5	Holstein veal calves sold \$1.00-\$2.00 lower while beef veal calves traded \$5.00-\$10.00 higher.
DENFIELD	May 3	Veal sold steady.

FEDERALLY INSPECTED VEAL: April 30, 2011

WEEKLY	2011	2010	% CHANGE	YTD	2011	2010	% CHANGE
Western Cdn.	-	31		Western Cdn.	-	508	
Ontario	770	623	23.6	Ontario	12,775	10,342	23.5
Quebec	3,784	4,604	-17.8	Quebec	66,685	70,120	-4.9
Canada	4,554	5,258	-13.4	Canada	79,460	80,970	-1.9

ONTARIO FEDERAL GRAIN-FED VEAL TOTALS

MONTH	2011	2010	2009
January	2,038	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
YEARLY		34,358	18,881

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
YEARLY	26,428	25,826	30,715	37,412

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	1,613	1.931
Last Week	1,556	1.932

BOB CALVES

	This week	Last Week		This week	Last Week		
Ontario Live Auction Report	Range		Quebec Live Auction (\$/cwt)	Volume	Average	Volume	Average
Fancy to Good Calves (> 100 lbs)	\$180-250.00	\$150-320.00	Good 90-120 lb	908	1.69	663	1.83
Medium to Good Calves (80 - 100 lbs)	\$105-200.00	\$100-200.00	Good 121-140 lb	195	1.63	171	1.79
Small, Plain Calves (< 80 lbs)	\$80-150.00	\$30-150.00	Average 90-140 lb	276	1.26	194	1.33

Sales Arena	Date	Comments
Milverton Park		Unreported this week.
Listowel	May 3	300 calves on offer. Good calves \$180.00 to \$225.00, medium types \$125.00 to \$175.00, plain & small \$80.00 to \$120.00, precons \$225.00 to \$450.00. Calves sold strong.
Keady	May 3	Dollar calves sold steady.
Denfield	May 3	Drop calves still selling strong with a good offering of good calves and prices steady to last week.

OCA Auction Report	Volume	High	Avg. \$	Avg. Weight	Last week Avg.	Last week Volume
<125 lbs	701	174.82	152.43	104	151.50	622