

# Ontario Veal Association WEEKLY MARKET INFORMATION REPORT

Week Ending November 25, 2011

Week#47

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# ONTARIO DIRECT TO PACKER

Live weight \$/lb., 54.56%yield

	Rail	Live
Range	\$2.32-\$2.44	\$1.27-\$1.33
Last Week	\$2.28-\$2.47	\$1.24-\$1.35

#### WEEKLY ELECTRONIC VEAL SALES

	Average	OSI	OLEX	BRUSSELS
>600 lbs				
Volume	388	58	202	95
Low \$	109.45	104.00	113.00	113.00
High \$	135.24	137.50	137.00	136.00
Avg. \$	123.63	125.56	125.34	125.71
Top \$	179.50	137.50	141.00	179.50
Avg. Weight	723	748	723	724
451-600 lbs				
Volume	55	12	22	2
Avg. \$	113.26	120.75	121.42	134.50
Avg. Weight	556	581	569	590
Last Week >600 lbs				
Volume	450	75	256	79
Avg. \$	123.81	126.04	122.79	129.88
Avg. Weight	708	718	701	737

# FEDERALLY INSPECTED VEAL: November 19, 2011

SALES ARENA	DATE	COMMENTS
OSI	November 21	Veal sold on a steady market.
OLEX	November 22	Good quality veal calves traded on a stronger market while medium quality calves sold steady.
BRUSSELS	November 24	Veal sold on a strong demand with prices \$2.00-\$3.00 higher right across the board.
DENFIELD	November 22	Veal traded strong at prices \$4.00-\$5.00 higher than last week with a good volume of quality veal on offer. Drop calves sold a little easier this week.

WEEKLY	2011	2010	% CHANGE	YTD	2011	2010	% CHANGE
Western Cdn.				Western Cdn.			
Ontario				Ontario			
Quebec				Quebec			
Canada				Canada			

#### ONTARIO FEDERAL VEAL TOTALS

MONTH	2011	2010	2009
January	2,548	2,537	1,088
February	2,877	2,610	1,116
March	3,113	2,481	982
April	3,780	1,998	724
May	2,787	2,422	1,109
June	2,953	3,135	924
July	3,388	2,958	1,230
August	2,504	2,854	2,301
September	2,167	5,904	2,134
October	2,881	3,792	2,808
November		3,250	2,246
December		3,568	2,219
YEARLY	28,998	34,358	18,881

# ONTARIO PROVINCIAL VEAL TOTALS

MONTH	2011	2010	2009	2008
January	1,765	2,013	2,096	2,664
February	1,564	1,939	1,934	2,135
March	2,045	2,122	2,206	2,228
April	2,033	2,374	2,142	2,859
May	2,238	2,349	2,194	2,370
June	2,451	2,374	2,320	2,436
July	2,298	2,799	2,267	2,669
August	2,672	2,083	1,803	2,557
September	2,590	1,943	1,669	3,063
October	2,437	1,886	2,381	2,936
November		1,923	2,320	2,453
December		2,038	2,494	2,345
YEARLY	22,093	26,428	25,826	30,715

# QUEBEC VEAL MARKET

#### **Quebec Electronic Auction**

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

	Volume	Average
This Week	1,431	2,309
Last Week	1,340	2,275

# **BOB CALVES**

	This week	Last Week		This week		Last Week	
Ontario Live Auction Report	Range		Quebec Live Auction (\$/cwt)	Volume	Aver- age	Volume	Average
Fancy to Good Calves (> 100 lbs)	\$115-230.00	\$130-260.00	Good 90-120 lb	941	0.99	1,050	1.04
Medium to Good Calves (80 - 100 lbs)	\$80-110.00	\$70-170.00	Good 121-140 lb	185	1.03	180	1.01
Small, Plain Calves (< 80 lbs)	\$5-80.00	\$0-100.00	Average 90-140 lb	216	0.73	239	0.73

Sales Arena	Date	Comments
Milverton Park	November 21	Avg pricing for this week \$85-\$130 for a high of \$195.
Keady	November 22	Dollar calves were slightly higher.
Listowel	November 22	207 calves on offer. Choice calves \$120.00 to \$170.00, Good calves \$85.00 to \$125.00, Medium types \$40.00 to \$80.00, Plain & small \$10.00 to \$35.00. Calves sold easier.
Denfield	November 22	Veal traded strong at prices \$4.00-\$5.00 higher than last week with a good volume of quality veal on offer. Drop calves sold a little easier this week.

OCA Auction Report	Volume	High	Avg. \$	Avg. Weight Last week Avg.		Last week Volume
<125 lbs	753	99.93	86.37	103	91.70	897