



**Ontario Veal Association**  
**WEEKLY MARKET INFORMATION**  
**REPORT**

Week Ending December 2, 2011  
 Week#48

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**ONTARIO DIRECT TO PACKER**

Live weight \$/lb., 54.56%yield

	<b>Rail</b>	<b>Live</b>
<b>Range</b>	<b>\$2.35-\$2.44</b>	<b>\$1.28-\$1.33</b>
<b>Last Week</b>	<b>\$2.32-\$2.44</b>	<b>\$1.27-\$1.33</b>

**WEEKLY ELECTRONIC VEAL SALES**

	<b>Average</b>	<b>OSI</b>	<b>OLEX</b>	<b>BRUSSELS</b>
<b>&gt;600 lbs</b>				
Volume	<b>465</b>	<b>80</b>	<b>234</b>	<b>107</b>
Low \$	<b>112.89</b>	<b>113.00</b>	<b>119.00</b>	<b>113.00</b>
High \$	<b>135.03</b>	<b>138.00</b>	<b>135.00</b>	<b>142.00</b>
Avg. \$	<b>123.79</b>	<b>125.79</b>	<b>127.19</b>	<b>126.28</b>
Top \$	<b>172.00</b>	<b>149.00</b>	<b>157.00</b>	<b>172.00</b>
Avg. Weight	<b>712</b>	<b>723</b>	<b>703</b>	<b>728</b>
<b>451-600 lbs</b>				
Volume	<b>90</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>5</b>
Avg. \$	<b>112.05</b>	<b>125.93</b>	<b>117.33</b>	<b>119.50</b>
Avg. Weight	<b>547</b>	<b>555</b>	<b>551</b>	<b>542</b>
<b>Last Week &gt;600 lbs</b>				
Volume	<b>388</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>202</b>	<b>95</b>
Avg. \$	<b>123.63</b>	<b>125.56</b>	<b>125.34</b>	<b>125.71</b>
Avg. Weight	<b>723</b>	<b>748</b>	<b>723</b>	<b>724</b>

<b>SALES ARENA</b>	<b>DATE</b>	<b>COMMENTS</b>
<b>OSI</b>	<b>November 28</b>	Veal traded on a steady to strong market.
<b>OLEX</b>	<b>November 29</b>	Veal sold steady to last week's higher market.
<b>BRUSSELS</b>	<b>December 1</b>	Veal sold on a good active trade with prices steady to last week's stronger market.
<b>DENFIELD</b>	<b>November 29</b>	Veal sold strong and steady with last week's market. Drop calves sold under pressure at considerably lower prices.

**FEDERALLY INSPECTED VEAL: November 26, 2011**

<b>WEEKLY</b>	<b>2011</b>	<b>2010</b>	<b>% CHANGE</b>	<b>YTD</b>	<b>2011</b>	<b>2010</b>	<b>% CHANGE</b>
Western Cdn.	-	-	-	Western Cdn.	-	1,398	-
Ontario	520	681	-23.6	Ontario	31,837	30,792	3.4
Quebec	4,169	4,034	3.3	Quebec	180,543	187,029	-3.5
Canada	<b>4,689</b>	<b>4,715</b>	<b>-0.6</b>	Canada	<b>212,380</b>	<b>219,219</b>	<b>-3.1</b>

**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
<b>YEARLY</b>	<b>28,998</b>	<b>34,358</b>	<b>18,881</b>

**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
<b>YEARLY</b>	<b>22,093</b>	<b>26,428</b>	<b>25,826</b>	<b>30,715</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	1,220	2,490
Last Week	1,431	2,309

**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>
Fancy to Good Calves (> 100 lbs)	\$100-190.00	\$115-230.00	Good 90-120 lb	1,019	1.02
Medium to Good Calves (80 - 100 lbs)	\$50-135.00	\$80-110.00	Good 121-140 lb	200	1.03
Small, Plain Calves (< 80 lbs)	\$10-90.00	\$5-80.00	Average 90-140 lb	314	0.73

Sales Arena	Date	Comments
Milverton Park	November 28	Avg pricing this week \$95-\$135 with a high of \$185.
Keady	November 29	Dollar calves sold slightly higher.
Listowel	November 29	No report.
Denfield	November 29	Veal sold strong and steady with last week's market. Drop calves sold under pressure at considerably lower prices.

OCA Auction Report	Volume	High	Avg. \$	Avg. Weight	Last week Avg.	Last week Volume
<125 lbs	753	99.93	86.37	103	89.76	877