



Ontario Veal Association WEEKLY MARKET INFORMATION REPORT

Week Ending February 10, 2012
Week#6

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	\$2.26-\$2.46	\$1.23-\$1.34
Last Week	\$2.26-\$2.46	\$1.23-\$1.34

WEEKLY ELECTRONIC VEAL SALES

	Average	OSI	OLEX	BRUSSELS
>600 lbs				
Volume	497	47	229	174
Low \$	109.02	108.50	115.00	105.50
High \$	132.23	131.00	131.50	136.00
Avg. \$	121.23	119.18	123.79	121.40
Top \$	172.50	134.50	146.50	172.50
Avg. Weight	727	760	721	721
451-600 lbs				
Volume	53	11	13	5
Avg. \$	112.97	122.29	117.32	122.60
Avg. Weight	542	552	561	572
Last Week >600 lbs				
Volume	573	84	290	154
Avg. \$	127.68	127.56	131.06	125.03
Avg. Weight	727	741	715	745

SALES ARENA	DATE	COMMENTS
OSI	February 6	Veal sold on a steady market.
OLEX	February 7	Veal sold on a slightly easier market.
BRUSSELS	February 9	Veal sold on an active trade with strong bidding. Beef veal calves traded at steady prices while Holstein calves were \$1.00-\$2.00 easier.
DENFIELD	February 7	Veal traded \$3.00-\$4.00 lower than last week. Drop calves sold higher with good calves bringing up to \$5.00 more.

FEDERALLY INSPECTED VEAL: February 4, 2012

WEEKLY	2012	2011	% CHANGE	YTD	2012	2011	% CHANGE
Western Cdn.	-	-		Western Cdn.	-	-	
Ontario	787	696	13.1	Ontario	3,071	3,425	-10.3
Quebec	3,746	3,863	-3.0	Quebec	18,363	19,374	-5.2
Canada	4,533	4,559	-0.6	Canada	21,434	22,799	-6.0

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	2,246	3,250	2,246
December	3,262	3,568	2,219
YEARLY	34,506	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	2,379	1,923	2,320	2,453
December	2,389	2,038	2,494	2,345
YEARLY	26,860	26,428	25,826	30,715

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	1,578	2.256
Last Week	1,485	2.259

BOB CALVES

	This week	Last Week		This week	Last Week
Ontario Live Auction Report	Range		Quebec Live Auction (\$/cwt)	Volume	Average
Fancy to Good Calves (> 100 lbs)	\$175-270.00	\$160-205.00	Good 90-120 lb	1,144	1.50
Medium to Good Calves (80 - 100 lbs)	\$125-220.00	\$100-150.00	Good 121-140 lb	192	1.54
Small, Plain Calves (< 80 lbs)	\$60-125.00	\$40-100.00	Average 90-140 lb	227	1.02

Sales Arena	Date	Comments
Milverton Park	February 6	Avg. pricing for this week \$75.00-\$225.00 with a high of \$295.00.
Keady	February 7	No report.
Listowel	February 7	237 calves on offer. Choice calves \$225.00 to \$270.00, Good calves \$190.00 to \$220.00, Medium types \$125.00 to \$185.00, Plain & small \$60.00 to \$120.00. Calves sold on a good demand at higher prices.
Denfield	February 7	Veal traded \$3.00-\$4.00 lower than last week. Drop calves sold higher with good calves bringing up to \$5.00 more.

OCA Auction Report	Volume	High	Avg. \$	Avg. Weight	Last week Avg.	Last week Volume
<125 lbs	832	151.64	127.67	103	154.91	789