



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

Week Ending February 1, 2013  
 Week #4

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**ONTARIO DIRECT TO PACKER**

Live weight \$/lb., 54.56% yield

	<b>Rail</b>	<b>Live</b>
<b>Range</b>	<b>\$1.80-1.90</b>	<b>\$.98-1.04</b>
<b>Last Week</b>	<b>\$1.81-2.09</b>	<b>\$.99-1.14</b>

**WEEKLY ELECTRONIC VEAL SALES**

	<b>Average</b>	<b>OSI</b>	<b>OLEX</b>	<b>BRUSSELS</b>
<b>&gt;600 lbs</b>				
Volume	<b>549</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>308</b>	<b>167</b>
Low \$	<b>83.19</b>	<b>93.50</b>	<b>85.00</b>	<b>77.00</b>
High \$	<b>109.99</b>	<b>101.50</b>	<b>100.50</b>	<b>132.00</b>
Avg. \$	<b>92.63</b>	<b>97.74</b>	<b>92.43</b>	<b>91.70</b>
Top \$	<b>170.00</b>	<b>106.00</b>	<b>144.00</b>	<b>170.00</b>
Avg. Weight	<b>727</b>	<b>698</b>	<b>719</b>	<b>740</b>
<b>451-600 lbs</b>				
Volume	<b>29</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>3</b>
Avg. \$	<b>86.35</b>	<b>95.41</b>	<b>86.59</b>	<b>73.67</b>
Avg. Weight	<b>553</b>	<b>530</b>	<b>566</b>	<b>570</b>
<b>Last Week &gt;600 lbs</b>				
Volume	<b>383</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>205</b>	<b>92</b>
Avg. \$	<b>100.71</b>	<b>95.95</b>	<b>99.70</b>	<b>111.47</b>
Avg. Weight	<b>728</b>	<b>720</b>	<b>717</b>	<b>761</b>

<b>SALES ARENA</b>	<b>DATE</b>	<b>COMMENTS</b>
<b>OSI</b>	<b>Jan 28</b>	<b>Veal sold on a barely steady market.</b>
<b>OLEX</b>	<b>Jan 29</b>	<b>Veal sold on a barely steady market.</b>
<b>BRUSSELS</b>	<b>Jan 31</b>	<b>Beef veal calves sold on a strong market while Holstein calves traded under pressure.</b>
<b>DENFIELD</b>	<b>Jan 29</b>	<b>Veal traded steady to slightly higher on good veal.</b>

**FEDERALLY INSPECTED VEAL:**

<b>WEEKLY</b>	<b>2013</b>	<b>2012</b>	<b>% CHANGE</b>	<b>YTD</b>	<b>2013</b>	<b>2012</b>	<b>% CHANGE</b>
Ontario	<b>555</b>	<b>582</b>	<b>-4.6</b>	Ontario	<b>2,352</b>	<b>2,284</b>	<b>3.0</b>
Quebec	<b>3,405</b>	<b>4,025</b>	<b>-15.4</b>	Quebec	<b>12,965</b>	<b>14,617</b>	<b>-11.3</b>
Canada	<b>3,960</b>	<b>4,607</b>	<b>-14.0</b>	Canada	<b>15,317</b>	<b>16,901</b>	<b>-9.4</b>

**ONTARIO FEDERAL VEAL TOTALS**

MONTH	2013	2012	2011
January	2,352	2,284	2,548
February		2,760	2,877
March		3,458	3,113
April		2,516	3,780
May		2,550	2,787
June		3,091	2,953
July		2,433	3,388
August		2,391	2,504
September		2,778	2,167
October		2,009	2,881
November		2,933	2,246
December		2,062	3,262
<b>YEARLY</b>	<b>2,352</b>	<b>31,351</b>	<b>34,506</b>

**ONTARIO PROVINCIAL VEAL TOTALS**

MONTH	2013	2012	2011
January		2,322	1,765
February		2,126	1,564
March		2,261	2,045
April		2,204	2,033
May		2,503	2,238
June		2,348	2,451
July		2,585	2,298
August		2,649	2,672
September		2,379	2,590
October		2,548	2,437
November		2,660	2,379
December		2,357	2,389
<b>YEARLY</b>		<b>28,942</b>	<b>26,860</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	1,489	\$2.057
Last Week	1,307	\$2.057

**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>Avg.</b>	<b>Volume</b>	<b>Average</b>
Fancy to Good Calves (> 100 lbs)	\$170-240.00	\$160-210.00	Good 90-120 lb	1,004	\$1.46	906	\$1.39
Medium to Good Calves (80 - 100 lbs)	\$140-190.00	\$100-175.00	Good 121-140 lb	225	\$1.39	211	\$1.34
Small, Plain Calves (< 80 lbs)	\$20-150.00	\$50-125.00	Average 90-140 lb	319	\$1.10	256	\$1.02

Sales Arena	Date	Comments
Milverton Park	Jan 28	No report
Keady	Jan 29	Dollar calves sold slightly higher.
Listowel	Jan 29	270 calves on offer.  Choice calves \$ 170.00 to \$ 220.00 Good calves \$ 140.00 to \$ 165.00 Medium types \$ 65.00 to \$ 135.00 Plain & small \$ 20.00 to \$ 60.00  Calves sold on a good demand at steady prices.
Denfield	Jan 29	Drop calves sold slightly higher again this week.

OCA Auction Report	Volume	High	Avg. \$	Avg. Weight	Last week Avg. \$	Last week Volume
<125 lbs	959	145.21	120.36	103	113.46	685