



Ontario Veal Association
WEEKLY MARKET INFORMATION
REPORT

Week Ending March 28, 2013
 Week #13

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	\$1.61-1.80	\$.88-.98
Last Week	\$1.56-1.85	\$0.85-1.01

WEEKLY ELECTRONIC VEAL SALES

	Average	OSI	OLEX	BRUSSELS
>600 lbs				
Volume	300	60	216	91
Low \$	81.64	78.00	84.00	78.00
High \$	94.26	89.00	96.00	120.00
Avg. \$	87.93	84.07	89.72	90.32
Top \$	104.00	98.00	104.00	160.00
Avg. Weight	722	714	722	746
451-600 lbs				
Volume	39	8	10	
Avg. \$	82.37	84.24	80.13	
Avg. Weight	544	564	552	
Last Week >600 lbs				
Volume	494	37	217	182
Avg. \$	88.90	86.98	88.85	88.99
Avg. Weight	734	768	727	737

SALES ARENA	DATE	COMMENTS
OSI	March 25	Veal sold on a steady market.
OLEX	March 26	Veal sold on a good active trade at fully steady prices.
BRUSSELS	March 28	Veal sold on a good active trade with beef calves trading steady while Holstein calves sold \$1-2.00
DENFIELD	March 26	Veal traded steady to last week's market.

FEDERALLY INSPECTED VEAL: March 23, 2013

WEEKLY	2013	2012	% CHANGE	YTD	2013	2012	% CHANGE
Ontario	482	745	-35.3	Ontario	7,587	7,839	-3.2
Quebec	3,719	3,721	-0.1	Quebec	41,765	44,613	-6.4
Canada	4,201	4,466	-5.9	Canada	49,352	52,452	-5.9

ONTARIO FEDERAL VEAL TOTALS

MONTH	2013	2012	2011
January	2,352	2,284	2,548
February	2,525	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
YEARLY	4,877	31,351	34,506

ONTARIO PROVINCIAL VEAL TOTALS

MONTH	2013	2012	2011
January	2,517	2,322	1,765
February	2,271	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
YEARLY	4,788	28,942	26,860

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	1,319	\$2.054
Last Week	1,398	\$2.054

BOB CALVES

	This week	Last Week		This week	Last Week		
Ontario Live Auction Report	Range		Quebec Live Auction (\$/cwt)	Volume	Avg.	Volume	Average
Fancy to Good Calves (> 100 lbs)	\$175-250.00	\$175-225.00	Good 90-120 lb	812	1.70	754	\$1.65
Medium to Good Calves (80 - 100 lbs)	\$150-200.00	\$130-175.00	Good 121-140 lb	206	1.67	195	\$1.69
Small, Plain Calves (< 80 lbs)	\$10-110.00	\$75-125.00	Average 90-140 lb	457	1.28	377	\$1.26

Sales Arena	Date	Comments
Milverton Park	March 25	Starter calves \$1.10-1.25 high of \$1.35/lb. Bob calves \$175.00-220.00 high of \$280.00 Small calves 90.00-100.00 high of \$140.00 XX small calves \$10.00-20.00 high of \$30.00
Keady	March 26	Dollar calves sold slightly higher
Listowel	March 26	196 calves on offer. Choice calves \$ 200.00 to \$ 250.00 Good calves \$ 150.00 to \$ 195.00 Medium types \$ 110.00 to \$ 145.00 Plain & small \$ 60.00 to \$ 110.00 Calves sold steady
Denfield	March 26	Drop calves sold strong with higher prices on the second cut calves.

OCA Auction Report	Volume	High	Avg. \$	Avg. Weight	Last week Avg. \$	Last week Volume
<125 lbs	763	161.22	134.26	101	133.11	851