



WEEKLY MARKET INFORMATION REPORT

Week Ending: **September 17, 2021**
 Week # **37**

This report is a collection of reports from sales barns and direct sales. The VFO is **NOT** responsible for the accuracy of these numbers.

BOB CALVES

The pricing reported below has **NOT** been broken out by dairy breeds or dairy crossbreeds.

BFO AUCTION REPORT (<125 lbs.)

| This week | | | | Last week | | | |
|-----------|----------|----------|-------------|-----------|----------|----------|-------------|
| Volume | High | Avg. \$ | Avg. weight | Volume | High | Avg. \$ | Avg. weight |
| 920 | \$340.54 | \$120.87 | 100 | 848 | \$310.77 | \$119.22 | 101 |

ONTARIO BOB CALVES - Live Auction

| | This week range | Last week range |
|-------------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Fancy to Good Calves (>100 lbs.) | \$80-250 | \$100-200 |
| Medium to Good Calves (80-100 lbs.) | \$25-150 | \$50-145 |
| Small, Plain Calves (<80 lbs.) | \$5-80 | \$5-60 |

BOB CALVES SALES COMMENTS

| SALE | DATE | COMMENTS |
|-----------------|--------|---|
| Aylmer | Sep-15 | 151 replacement calves sold between \$5.00-\$430.00 for an average of \$89.93 per head. |
| Denfield | Sep-14 | Drop calves remained steady. |
| Keady | Sep-14 | 59 dollar calves were on offer selling easier. |
| Listowel | Sep-14 | 265 calves on offer Beef cross bulls \$250-550/Beef cross hfrs. \$100-250 Choice calves \$135-185 Good calves \$75-130 Medium types \$25-70 Plain & small \$5-20 |
| Milverton Parks | Sep-13 | 84 calves sold. Beef cross calves \$400 Starter calves \$200-220; \$260 Bob calves \$80-100; high \$135 Small calves \$40-50; high \$60 XX small calves \$5-10; high of \$20 |

QUEBEC BOB CALVES - Live Auction

| | | This week | | Last week | |
|---------|--------------|-----------|----------------|-----------|----------------|
| | | Volume | Average \$/cwt | Volume | Average \$/cwt |
| Good | 90-120 lbs. | 607 | \$1.08 | 594 | \$1.10 |
| Good | 121-140 lbs. | 187 | \$1.10 | 185 | \$1.14 |
| Average | 90-140 lbs. | 404 | \$0.77 | 475 | \$0.81 |

FINISHED VEAL

ONTARIO DIRECT TO PACKER

Live weight \$/lb., 54.56% yield

| | RAIL | LIVE |
|------------------------------|-------------|-------------|
| Range this week | \$2.40-2.51 | \$1.31-1.37 |
| Weighted average (delivered) | \$2.47 | \$1.35 |
| Last week's range | \$2.35-2.49 | \$1.28-1.36 |
| Weighted average | \$2.44 | \$1.33 |
| Last year's weighted average | \$2.30 | \$1.25 |

BFO WEEKLY ELECTRONIC VEAL SALES

| | AVERAGE | OSI | OLEX | BRUSSELS |
|---------------------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| >600 lbs. | | | | |
| Volume | 662 | 34 | 416 | 121 |
| Low \$ | \$108.32 | \$103.00 | \$111.00 | \$106.00 |
| High \$ | \$145.02 | \$140.00 | \$146.00 | \$150.00 |
| Avg. \$ | \$126.93 | \$121.45 | \$129.21 | \$127.34 |
| Top \$ | \$206.00 | \$146.00 | \$192.50 | \$206.00 |
| Avg. weight (lbs.) | 764 | 819 | 754 | 771 |
| Last week >600 lbs. | | | | |
| Volume | 565 | 28 | 338 | 126 |
| Avg. \$ | \$124.08 | \$116.20 | \$128.11 | \$120.68 |
| Avg. weight (lbs.) | 743 | 770 | 740 | 741 |

WEEKLY ELECTRONIC VEAL SALES COMMENTS

| SALE | DATE | COMMENTS |
|----------|--------|--|
| Aylmer | Sep-15 | No comment. |
| Brussels | Sep-16 | Veal sold actively at higher prices. |
| Denfield | Sep-14 | Veal remained steady. |
| OLEX | Sep-14 | Veal sold on a good demand at stronger prices. |
| OSI | Sep-13 | Veal sold on an active trade at fully steady to stronger prices. |

QUEBEC GRAIN-FED VEAL MARKET - Electronic Auction

This price does not include the management of the surplus veal in Quebec.

| Grade A2 | VOLUME (head) | AVERAGE (\$/lb carcass) |
|---------------------|---------------|-------------------------|
| This week | 1,248 | \$2.51 |
| Last week | 1,459 | \$2.47 |
| This week last year | 1,318 | \$2.35 |

ONTARIO AVERAGE CORN PRICES (Chatham-Kent)

As reported by Grain Farmers of Ontario.

| OLD CORN | Cash price per bushel |
|-----------|-----------------------|
| This week | \$6.29 |
| Last week | \$6.15 |