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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
790	\$400.60	\$178.41	102	789	\$355.82	\$162.29	102

ONTARIO BOB CALVES - Live Auction

	This week range	Last week range
X-Bred & Started Calves	\$200-650	\$200-600
Fancy to Good Calves (>100 lbs.)	\$120-325	\$230-320
Medium to Good Calves (80-100 lbs.)	\$125-270	\$120-240
Small, Plain Calves (<80 lbs.)	\$25-130	\$20-120

BOB CALVES SALES COMMENTS

SALE	DATE	COMMENTS
Aylmer	Dec-7	100 replacement calves sold between \$10.00-\$482.00 for an average of \$218.45 per head.
Denfield	Dec-6	Drop calves sold strong with a good demand.
Keady	Dec-6	64 dollar calves were on offer selling slightly higher.
Listowel	Dec-6	305 calves on offer. Beef cross bulls \$200-650/Beef cross hfrs \$100-350 Choice calves \$275-325 Good calves \$220-270 Medium types \$140-210 Plain & small \$25-130 Calves sold higher.
Milverton Parks	Dec-5	Beef X calves \$400 Bob calves \$120-150; high \$165 Small calves \$30-40; high \$50

QUEBEC BOB CALVES - Live Auction

		This week		Last week	
		Volume	Average \$/cwt	Volume	Average \$/cwt
Good	90-120 lbs.	547	\$1.50	474	\$1.42
Good	121-140 lbs.	163	\$1.50	163	\$1.49
Average	90-140 lbs.	338	\$1.27	395	\$1.21

FINISHED VEAL

ONTARIO DIRECT TO PACKER

Live weight \$/lb., 54.56% yield

	RAIL	LIVE
Range this week	\$3.55-3.90	\$1.94-2.13
Weighted average (delivered)	\$3.80	\$2.07
Last week's range	\$3.70-3.85	\$2.02-2.10
Last week's weighted average	\$3.80	\$2.07
Last year's weighted average	\$2.95	\$1.61

BFO WEEKLY ELECTRONIC VEAL SALES

Prices are per hundred weight.

	AVERAGE	OSI	OLEX	BRUSSELS
> 600 lbs.				
Volume	482	28	301	98
Low \$	\$170.62	\$149.00	\$175.00	\$180.00
High \$	\$223.16	\$188.00	\$229.00	\$230.00
Avg. \$	\$199.43	\$166.02	\$206.19	\$205.06
Top \$	\$235.00	\$188.00	\$235.00	\$230.00
Avg. weight (lbs.)	754	775	761	729
Last week >600 lbs.				
Volume	577	34	354	97
Avg. \$	\$197.36	\$179.61	\$204.77	\$206.10
Avg. weight (lbs.)	734	758	731	735

WEEKLY ELECTRONIC VEAL SALES COMMENTS

SALE	DATE	COMMENTS
Aylmer	Dec-7	No comment.
Brussels	Dec-8	Veal sold actively at steady prices.
Denfield	Dec-6	Veal remains steady but strong.
OLEX	Dec-6	Veal sold on a steady market.
OSI	Dec-5	A medium-quality offering of veal sold at just steady 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	1,281	\$3.550
Last week	1,490	\$3.550
This week last year	1,576	\$2.880

ONTARIO AVERAGE CORN PRICES (Chatham-Kent)

OLD CORN	Cash price per bushel
This week	\$7.85
Last week	\$8.01