

WEEKLY MARKET INFORMATION REPORT

Week Ending:

February 24, 2023

Week#

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 Avg. Avg. Volume High Avg. \$ weight Volume High Avg. \$ weight 646 \$505.07 \$262.56 102 802 \$450.65 \$236.49 102

ONTARIO BOB CALVES - Live Auction				
	This week	Last week		
range range				
X-Bred & Started Calves	\$200-660	\$200-650		
Fancy to Good Calves (>100 lbs.)	\$200-380	\$200-380		
Medium to Good Calves (80-100 lbs.)	\$100-320	\$130-320		
Small, Plain Calves (<80 lbs.)	\$10-120	\$20-170		

BOB CALVES SALES COMMENTS			
SALE	DATE	COMMENTS	
Aylmer	Feb-22	86 replacement calves sold between \$20.00-\$545.00 for an average price of \$266.51 per head.	
Denfield	Feb-21	Drop calves sold fully steady to last week's trade.	
Keady	Feb-21	Closed, no sale.	
Listowel	Feb-21	240 calves on offer. Beef cross bulls \$200-660/Beef cross hfrs \$100-350 Choice calves \$330-380 Good calves \$260-320 Medium types \$130-250 Plain & small \$20-120 Calves sold on a good demand.	
Milverton Parks	Feb-20	Strong prices/demand/excellent quality. Beef X calves \$490 Bob calves \$200-250; high \$275 Small calves \$100-120; high \$150	

QUEBEC BOB CALVES - Live Auction					
	Last week			week	
		This week		(updated)	
		Volume	Average	Volume	Average
		Volume	\$/cwt	volune	\$/cwt
Good	90-120 lbs.	460	\$2.43	453	\$2.25
Good	121-140 lbs.	143	\$2.37	156	\$2.25
Average	90-140 lbs.	422	\$2.03	358	\$1.88

FINISHED VEAL

ONTARIO DIRECT TO PACKER Live weight \$/lb., 54.56% yield				
RAIL LIVE				
Range this week \$3.55-3.85 corrected \$1.94-2.10 corrected				
Weighted average (delivered)	3.77 corrected	2.06 corrected		
Last week's range	\$3.75-3.85	\$2.05-2.10		
Last week's weighted average	\$3.80	\$2.07		
Last year's weighted average \$3.04 \$1.66				

BFO WEEKLY ELECTRONIC VEAL SALES				
	Prices are per hundred weight.			
	AVERAGE	OSI	OLEX	BRUSSELS
	,	600 lbs.		
Volume	548	17	372	81
Low \$	\$170.86	\$145.00	\$170.00	\$189.00
High \$	\$210.27	\$189.00	\$212.00	\$216.00
Avg. \$	\$191.22	\$173.00	\$191.92	\$202.22
Top \$	\$240.00	\$201.00	\$239.00	\$240.00
Avg. weight (lbs.)	748	719	754	741
Last week >600 lbs.				
Volume	501	1	340	84
Avg. \$	\$195.65	\$160.00	\$195.84	\$208.51
Avg. weight (lbs.)	745	720	751	742

1	WEEKLY ELECTRONIC VEAL SALES COMMENTS			
SALE	DATE	COMMENTS		
Aylmer	Feb-22	No comment.		
Brussels	Feb-23	Veal sold steady.		
Denfield	Feb-21	Veal sold fully steady to last week's trade.		
OLEX	Feb-21	Veal sold on a barely steady market.		
OSI	Feb-20	A very medium offering of veal sold just steady.		

QUEBEC GRAIN-FED VEAL MARKET - Electronic Auction

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

Grade A2	VOLUME	AVERAGE
Grade AZ	(head)	(\$/lb carcass)
This week	1,645	\$3.550
Last week	1,627	\$3.550
This week last year	1,299	\$3.050

ONTARIO AVERAGE CORN PRICES (Chatham-Kent)			
OLD CORN	Cash price		
	per bushel		
This week	\$8.10		
Last week	\$8.12		