

WEEKLY MARKET INFORMATION REPORT

Week Ending: December 1, 2023

Week # 48

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 102 899 \$731.88 \$471.90 101 895 \$768.34 \$519.09

ONTARIO BOB CALVES - Live Auction			
	Range this week	Last week's range	
X-Bred	\$250-1,200	\$250-1,250	
Fancy to Good Calves (>100 lbs.)	\$500-650	\$550-650	
Medium to Good Calves (80-100 lbs.)	\$250-475	\$350-510	
Small, Plain Calves (<80 lbs.)	\$85-300	\$100-350	

	В	OB CALVES SALES COMMENTS
SALE	DATE	COMMENTS (H = high, L = low in \$, all wts. in lbs.)
Aylmer	Nov-29	139 replacement calves sold between \$35-930.00 for an average of \$501.45 per head
Brussels	Nov-30	Bob calves sold from \$200-750.00 per head.
Denfield	Nov-28	Drop calves traded steady
Hoards Station	Nov-28	<125 lbs. 103 head. Avg. \$413.69; Avg. wt. 101
Keady	Nov-28	86 dollar calves sold steady with Hostein calves \$295-570.00 and x-bred calves from \$560-1140.00 per head <100 L-\$150- H-\$-150; 100-150 L-\$40 H-\$620 150-350 L-\$440 H-\$870; Beef L-\$ H-\$
Listowel	Nov-28	265 calves on offer. Choice calves \$550-650; Good calves \$420-545 Medium calves \$250-390; Plain/small \$85-240.00 Beef x bulls \$600-1200; Beef x heifers \$250-700
Milverton Parks	Nov-27	Beef x \$900-970 Starter calves \$3.00/lb Bob calves \$500-550; H-\$600 Small \$350-400 high of \$450 XX small \$190
Temiskaming	Nov-27	<125 lbs. 35 head. Avg. \$369.64; Avg. wt. 107
Vankleek Hill	Nov-27 Nov-29	373 calves Avg. \$514.77 232 calves. Avg \$480.93

QUEBEC BOB CALVES - Live Auction					
	This week		Last v	Last week	
	Volume	Average	Volume	Average	
	volume	\$/cwt	volulile	\$/cwt	
Holstein good male calves (90-120 lbs.)	497	\$4.86	552	\$4.96	
Holstein good male calves (120-140 lbs.)	134	\$4.66	137	\$4.71	
Holstein avg. male calves (90-140 lbs.)	378	\$4.24	380	\$4.24	
Holstein good + avg. (other weights)	181	\$3.37	183	\$3.12	
Holstein - other (all weights)	142	\$1.41	172	\$1.32	
Holstein good female (90-120 lbs.)	35	\$4.01	51	\$4.33	
Other dairy breeds (all weights)	36	\$2.92	27	\$2.00	
Crossed male good + avg. (90-120 lbs.)	668	\$7.15	611	\$8.24	
Crossed male - other	350	\$6.71	326	\$7.56	
Crossed female good + avg. (90-120 lbs.)	568	\$5.82	606	\$6.40	
Crossed female - other	219	\$5.23	272	\$5.72	

FINISHED VEAL

ONTARIO DIRECT TO PACKER Live weight \$/lb., 54.56% yield			
	RAIL	LIVE	
Range this week	\$4.35-4.55	\$2.37-2.48	
Weighted average (delivered)	\$4.45	\$2.43	
Last week's range	\$4.35-4.55	\$2.37-2.48	
Last week's weighted average	\$4.47	\$2.44	
Last year's weighted average	\$3.80	\$2.07	

BFO WEEKLY ELECTRONIC VEAL SALES					
Prices are per hundred weight (lbs.)					
	AVG.	DENFIELD	OSI	OLEX	BRUSSELS
	This week >600 lbs.				
Volume	500	9	17	344	78
Low \$	\$226.18	\$228.00	\$225.00	\$237.50	\$219.00
High \$	\$274.52	\$236.00	\$247.00	\$286.00	\$266.00
Avg. \$	\$250.49	\$233.44	\$236.00	\$261.10	\$247.78
Top \$	\$288.00	\$236.00	\$247.00	\$288.00	\$286.00
Avg. wt.	754	702	836	752	742

WEEKLY ELECTRONIC VEAL SALES COMMENTS			
SALE	DATE	COMMENTS (all wts. in lbs.)	
Aylmer	Nov-29	20 head Avg. \$224.10; Avg. wt. 736	
Brussels	Nov-30	Veal sold steady	
Denfield	Nov-28	Veal sold \$5.00 cwt higher	
Hoards Station	Nov-28	5 head Avg. \$210.70; Avg. wt. 777	
OLEX	Nov-28	Veal sold actively at higher prices	
OSI	Nov-27	no comment	

QUEBEC GRAIN-FED VEAL MARKET - Electronic Auction This price does not include the management of the surplus veal in Quebec. AVERAGE VOLUME Grade A2 (head) (\$/lb. carcass) This week 1,595 \$3.95 Last week 1,664 \$3.95 This week last year 1,490 \$3.55

ONTARIO AVERAGE CORN PRICES (Chatham-Kent)			
OLD CORN	Cash price per bushel		
This week	\$5.53		
Last week	\$5.64		