

WEEKLY MARKET INFORMATION REPORT

December 29, 2023 52

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
507	\$790.38	\$474.71	100	875	\$722.78	\$460.40	100

ONTARIO BOB CALVES - Live Auction

	Range this week	Last week's range
X-Bred	no range	\$250-1250
Fancy to Good Calves (>100 lbs.)	no range	\$400-575
Medium to Good Calves (80-100 lbs.)	no range	\$200-450
Small, Plain Calves (<80 lbs.)	no range	\$50-300

BOB CALVES SALES COMMENTS		
SALE	DATE	COMMENTS (H = high, L = low in \$, all wts. in lbs.)
Aylmer	Dec-27	126 replacement calves sold between \$5-975.00 for an average of \$515.32 per head
Brussels		no sale
Denfield		no sale
Hoards Station		no sale
Keady		no sale
Listowel		no sale
Milverton Parks		no sale
Temiskaming		no sale
Vankleek Hill	Dec-27	no report 494 calves. Avg \$476.42

QUEBEC BOB CALVES - Live Auction					
	This week		Last week		
	Volume	Average	Volume	Average	
	volume	\$/cwt	voiume	\$/cwt	
Holstein good male calves (90-120 lbs.)	264	\$4.44	581	\$4.70	
Holstein good male calves (120-140 lbs.)	112	\$4.26	176	\$4.48	
Holstein avg. male calves (90-140 lbs.)	313	\$3.85	478	\$4.09	
Holstein good + avg. (other weights)	93	\$3.26	186	\$3.14	
Holstein - other (all weights)	131	\$1.17	209	\$1.30	
Holstein good female (90-120 lbs.)	25	\$3.67	44	\$4.03	
Other dairy breeds (all weights)	5	\$1.80	39	\$1.93	
Crossed male good + avg. (90-120 lbs.)	442	\$7.13	770	\$7.02	
Crossed male - other	230	\$6.86	390	\$6.52	
Crossed female good + avg. (90-120 lbs.)	376	\$5.61	649	\$5.72	
Crossed female - other	150	\$4.92	256	\$5.39	

FINISHED VEAL

ONTARIO DIRECT TO PACKER Live weight \$/lb., 54.56% yield

	RAIL	LIVE
Range this week	\$4.10-4.50	\$2.24-2.46
Weighted average (delivered)	\$4.45	\$2.43
Last week's range	\$4.45-4.58	\$2.43-2.50
Last week's weighted average	\$4.48	\$2.44
Last year's weighted average	\$3.77	\$2.06

	BFO WEEKLY ELECTRONIC VEAL SALES					
		Prices are per	hundred weigh	nt (lbs.)		
	AVG.	DENFIELD	OSI	OLEX	BRUSSELS	
		This v	veek >600 lbs.			
Volume	405			378		
Low \$	\$187.14			\$190.00		
High \$	\$250.37			\$253.00		
Avg. \$	\$224.34			\$226.84		
Top \$	\$293.00			\$293.00		
Avg. wt.	762			762		

<u>۱</u>	WEEKLY ELECTRONIC VEAL SALES COMMENTS			
SALE	DATE	COMMENTS (all wts. in lbs.)		
Aylmer	Dec-27	16 head Avg. \$206.19; Avg. wt. 716		
Brussels		no sale		
Denfield		no sale		
Hoards Station		no sale		
OLEX	Dec-27	Veal sold at barely steady prices.		
OSI		no sale		

QUEBEC GRAIN-FED VEAL MARKET - Electronic Auction

This price does not include the management of the surplus veal in Quebec.				
VOLUME	AVERAGE			
(head)	(\$/lb. carcass)			
1,142	\$4.15			
651	\$4.12			
1,231	\$3.55			
	VOLUME (head) 1,142 651			

ONTARIO AVERAGE CORN PRICES (Chatham-Kent)

OLD CORN	Cash price per bushel		
This week	\$5.37		
Last week	\$5.40		