

# WEEKLY MARKET INFORMATION REPORT

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 |  |
| 925       | \$1,225.99 | \$916.59 | 102       | 819    | \$1,366.33 | \$937.08 | 102    |  |

## **ONTARIO BOB CALVES - Live Auction**

|                                     | Range this week | Last week's range |
|-------------------------------------|-----------------|-------------------|
| X-Bred                              | \$800-1,600     | \$800-1,600       |
| Fancy to Good Calves (>100 lbs.)    | \$950-1,200     | \$1,020-1,225     |
| Medium to Good Calves (80-100 lbs.) | \$550-950       | \$580-950         |
| Small, Plain Calves (<80 lbs.)      | \$200-990       | \$250-1,000       |

| BOB CALVES SALES COMMENTS |                |   |  |  |  |
|---------------------------|----------------|---|--|--|--|
| SALE DATE                 |                | COMMENTS (H = high, L = low in \$, all wts. in lbs.)  |  |  |  |
| Aylmer                    | May-8          | 166 replacement calves sold between \$50-1,500 for an<br>average of \$883.61 per head.  |  |  |  |
| Brussels                  | May-9          | Drop calves traded steady from \$400-1,225.00 per head.   |  |  |  |
| Denfield                  | May-7          | Drop calves traded steady on the market.  |  |  |  |
| Hoards<br>Station         | May-7          | <125 lbs. 105 head. Avg. \$1,017.80; Avg. wt. 105   |  |  |  |
| Keady                     | May-7          | 58 Dollar calves sold slightly higher with Holsteins from<br>\$260-1,700 and cross bred calves from \$350-1,690 per<br>head.<br><125 lbs. 46 head. Avg. \$870.11; Avg. wt. 107                                    |  |  |  |
| Listowel                  | May-7          | 365 calves on offer sold on good demand<br>Choice calves \$1,100-1,200.00; Good calves \$950-1,090<br>Medium calves \$550-950; Plain/small \$200-540.00<br>Beef x bulls \$1,000-1,600; Beef x heifers \$800-1,300 |  |  |  |
| Milverton<br>Parks        | May-6          | Beef x \$ 1,160-1,330 high of \$1,500<br>Bob calves \$1,000-1,100 high of \$1,150<br>Small calves \$700-980 high of \$990   |  |  |  |
| Temiskaming               | May-6          | <125 lbs. 37 head. Avg. \$689.00; Avg. wt. 101  |  |  |  |
| Vankleek<br>Hill          | May-6<br>May-8 | 396 calves. Avg \$952.26<br>262 calves. Avg \$912.71  |  |  |  |

#### **QUEBEC BOB CALVES - Live Auction**

|  | This week |         | Last week |         |
|--|-----------|---------|-----------|---------|
|  | Volume    | Average | Volume    | Average |
|  | volume    | \$/cwt  |           | \$/cwt  |
| Holstein good male calves (90-120 lbs.)  | 608       | \$9.76  | 564       | \$9.93  |
| Holstein good male calves (120-140 lbs.) | 147       | \$8.67  | 151       | \$8.65  |
| Holstein avg. male calves (90-140 lbs.)  | 260       | \$7.88  | 241       | \$7.79  |
| Holstein good + avg. (other weights)     | 188       | \$5.40  | 176       | \$5.94  |
| Holstein - other (all weights)           | 79        | \$3.44  | 97        | \$3.72  |
| Holstein good female (90-120 lbs.)       | 62        | \$9.16  | 54        | \$9.09  |
| Other dairy breeds (all weights)         | 25        | \$5.83  | 21        | \$5.01  |
| Crossed male good + avg. (90-120 lbs.)   | 636       | \$11.96 | 574       | \$12.29 |
| Crossed male - other                     | 358       | \$10.90 | 331       | \$11.23 |
| Crossed female good + avg. (90-120 lbs.) | 564       | \$10.23 | 548       | \$10.36 |
| Crossed female - other                   | 216       | \$9.31  | 218       | \$9.57  |

## **FINISHED VEAL**

## **ONTARIO DIRECT TO PACKER**

|                              | RAIL        | LIVE        |
|------------------------------|-------------|-------------|
| Range this week              | \$4.00-4.25 | \$2.18-2.32 |
| Weighted average (delivered) | \$4.12      | \$2.25      |
| Last week's range            | \$4.06-4.20 | \$2.22-2.29 |
| Last week's weighted average | \$4.13      | \$2.25      |
| Last year's weighted average | \$3.61      | \$1.97      |

|          | BFO WEEKLY ELECTRONIC VEAL SALES     |          |          |          |          |  |  |  |
|----------|--------------------------------------|----------|----------|----------|----------|--|--|--|
|          | Prices are per hundred weight (lbs.) |          |          |          |          |  |  |  |
|          | AVG.                                 | DENFIELD | OSI      | OLEX     | BRUSSELS |  |  |  |
|          | This week >600 lbs.                  |          |          |          |          |  |  |  |
| Volume   | 513                                  | 12       | 8        | 358      | 80       |  |  |  |
| Low \$   | \$195.50                             | \$175.00 | \$193.00 | \$200.00 | \$193.00 |  |  |  |
| High \$  | \$238.09                             | \$205.00 | \$220.00 | \$243.00 | \$225.00 |  |  |  |
| Avg. \$  | \$216.41                             | \$191.60 | \$206.57 | \$221.31 | \$212.06 |  |  |  |
| Top \$   | \$289.99                             | \$210.00 | \$243.00 | \$287.50 | \$259.00 |  |  |  |
| Avg. wt. | 761                                  | 751      | 795      | 756      | 767      |  |  |  |

| WEEKLY ELECTRONIC VEAL SALES COMMENTS |       |                                      |  |
|---------------------------------------|-------|--------------------------------------|--|
| SALE                                  | DATE  | COMMENTS (all wts. in lbs.)          |  |
| Aylmer                                | May-8 | 15 head. Avg. \$229.99; Avg. wt. 740 |  |
| Brussels                              | May-9 | Veal traded steady.                  |  |
| Denfield                              | May-7 | Veal traded steady on the market     |  |
| Hoards<br>Station                     | May-7 | 9 head. Avg. \$184.60; Avg. wt. 776  |  |
| OLEX                                  | May-7 | Veal sold on a steady market.        |  |
| OSI                                   | May-6 | Veal sold 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   | 1,624  | \$4.15           |  |  |  |
| Last week   | 1,596  | \$4.15           |  |  |  |
| This week last year   | 1,364  | \$3.55           |  |  |  |

## **ONTARIO AVERAGE CORN PRICES (Chatham-Kent)**

|           | Cash price |  |  |
|-----------|------------|--|--|
| OLD CORN  | per bushel |  |  |
| This week | \$5.27     |  |  |
| Last week | \$5.23     |  |  |