



WEEKLY MARKET INFORMATION REPORT

Week Ending: **May 17, 2024**
Week # **20**

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			
Volume	High	Avg. \$	Avg. weight	Volume	High	Avg. \$	Avg. weight
902	\$1,256.89	\$931.18	102	925	\$1,225.99	\$916.59	102

ONTARIO BOB CALVES - Live Auction

	Range this week	Last week's range
X-Bred	\$800-1700	\$800-1,600
Fancy to Good Calves (>100 lbs.)	\$920-1350	\$950-1,200
Medium to Good Calves (80-100 lbs.)	\$560-1090	\$550-950
Small, Plain Calves (<80 lbs.)	\$200-900	\$200-990

BOB CALVES SALES COMMENTS

SALE	DATE	COMMENTS (H = high, L = low in \$, all wts. in lbs.)
Aylmer	May-15	160 replacement calves sold between \$225-1,500 for an average of \$921.69 per head.
Brussels	May-16	Drop calves traded from \$685-1200 per head.
Denfield	May-14	Drop calves traded steady on the market.
Hoards Station	May-14	<125 lbs. 122 head. Avg. \$955.89; Avg. wt. 104
Keady	May-14	47 dollar calves sold slightly higher with Holsteins from \$500-1,100 and cross bred calves from \$1,100-1,500 per head. <125 lbs. 25 head. Avg. \$942.59; Avg. wt. 104
Listowel	May-14	540 calves on offer. Calves sold on a good demand. Choice calves \$1,040-1,200; Good calves \$900-1,030 Medium calves \$560-890; Plain/small \$200-550 Beef X bulls \$1,000-1,700; Beef X heifers \$800-1,300
Milverton Parks	May-13	Beef X \$ 1,260; Bob calves \$920-1020, H - \$1,090 Small calves \$710-900; H - \$910 XX small calves \$310-400, H - \$600
Temiskaming	May-13	<125 lbs. 29 head. Avg. \$850.00; Avg. wt. 106
Vankleek Hill	May-13 May-15	405 calves. Avg \$950.21 241 calves. Avg \$920.75

QUEBEC BOB CALVES - Live Auction

	This week		Last week	
	Volume	Average \$/cwt	Volume	Average \$/cwt
Holstein good male calves (90-120 lbs.)	570	\$9.89	608	\$9.76
Holstein good male calves (120-140 lbs.)	175	\$8.76	147	\$8.67
Holstein avg. male calves (90-140 lbs.)	249	\$8.11	260	\$7.88
Holstein good + avg. (other weights)	193	\$6.56	188	\$5.40
Holstein - other (all weights)	74	\$3.22	79	\$3.44
Holstein good female (90-120 lbs.)	55	\$9.15	62	\$9.16
Other dairy breeds (all weights)	26	\$4.05	25	\$5.83
Crossed male good + avg. (90-120 lbs.)	632	\$11.78	636	\$11.96
Crossed male - other	341	\$10.57	358	\$10.90
Crossed female good + avg. (90-120 lbs.)	572	\$10.39	564	\$10.23
Crossed female - other	187	\$9.46	216	\$9.31

FINISHED VEAL

ONTARIO DIRECT TO PACKER

Live weight \$/lb., 54.56% yield

	RAIL	LIVE
Range this week	\$4.00-4.20	\$2.18-2.29
Weighted average (delivered)	\$4.11	\$2.24
Last week's range	\$4.00-4.25	\$2.18-2.32
Last week's weighted average	\$4.12	\$2.25
Last year's weighted average	\$3.60	\$1.96

BFO WEEKLY ELECTRONIC VEAL SALES

Prices are per hundred weight (lbs.)

	AVG.	DENFIELD	OSI	OLEX	BRUSSELS
This week >600 lbs.					
Volume	645	10	14	445	116
Low \$	\$202.50	\$184.00	\$192.00	\$209.00	\$189.00
High \$	\$241.32	\$192.00	\$219.00	\$248.00	\$226.00
Avg. \$	\$218.12	\$187.25	\$206.17	\$224.01	\$207.56
Top \$	\$285.00	\$200.00	\$219.00	\$285.00	\$261.00
Avg. wt.	756	802	806	746	769

WEEKLY ELECTRONIC VEAL SALES COMMENTS

SALE	DATE	COMMENTS (all wts. in lbs.)
Aylmer	May-15	19 head. Avg. \$216.50; Avg. wt. 748
Brussels	May-16	Veal sold steady.
Denfield	May-14	Veal sold lower.
Hoards Station	May-14	6 head. Avg. \$195.79; Avg. wt. 775
OLEX	May-14	Veal sold on a stronger market.
OSI	May-13	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 (head)	AVERAGE (\$/lb. carcass)
This week	1,644	\$4.15
Last week	1,624	\$4.15
This week last year	1,356	\$3.55

ONTARIO AVERAGE CORN PRICES (Chatham-Kent)

OLD CORN	Cash price per bushel
This week	\$5.29
Last week	\$5.27