



**WEEKLY MARKET INFORMATION REPORT**

Week Ending: October 04, 2024

Week # 40

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
927	\$1,032.84	\$635.82	102	953	\$1,050.70	\$647.72	102

**ONTARIO BOB CALVES - Live Auction**

	Range this week	Last week's range
X-Bred	\$600-1,350	\$500-1,300
Fancy to Good Calves (>100 lbs.)	\$660-1,000	\$550-900
Medium to Good Calves (80-100 lbs.)	\$260-700	\$360-540
Small, Plain Calves (<80 lbs.)	\$100-680	\$150-600

**BOB CALVES SALES COMMENTS**

SALE	DATE	COMMENTS (H = high, L = low in \$, all wts. in lbs.)
Aylmer	Oct-2	198 replacement calves sold between \$25-1,250 for an average of \$629.31 per head.
Brussels	Oct-3	Drop calves sold from \$275-1,075 per head.
Denfield	Oct-1	Drop calves traded a little easier.
Hoards Station	Oct-1	<125 lbs. 106 head. Avg. \$417.69; Avg. wt. 106
Keady	Oct-1	Dollar calves sold easier with Holstein calves from \$150-700 and and X-bred calves from \$580-1,200 per head. <125 lbs. 35 head. Avg. \$343.29; Avg. wt. 108
Listowel	Oct-1	450 calves on offer. Calves sold slightly lower. Choice calves \$660-800; Good calves \$410-650 Medium calves \$260-400; Plain/small \$100-250 Beef X bulls \$850-1,350; Beef X heifers \$600-1,000
Milverton Parks	Sep-30	Bob calves \$785-845; H-\$870 Small calves \$600-680; H-\$740 xx small calves \$100-365; H-\$400
Temiskaming	Sep-30	<125 lbs. 45 head. Avg. \$722.78; Avg. wt. 104
Vankleek Hill	Sep-30	373 calves. Avg. \$699.66
	Oct-2	261 calves. Avg. \$676.02

**QUEBEC BOB CALVES - Live Auction**

	This week		Last week	
	Volume	Average (\$/cwt)	Volume	Average (\$/cwt)
Holstein good male calves (90-120 lbs.)	695	\$5.80	686	\$6.29
Holstein good male calves (120-140 lbs.)	161	\$5.52	157	\$5.87
Holstein avg. male calves (90-140 lbs.)	304	\$4.64	294	\$5.13
Holstein good + avg. (other weights)	200	\$3.77	199	\$4.25
Holstein - other (all weights)	105	\$2.18	139	\$2.15
Holstein good female (90-120 lbs.)	42	\$5.16	63	\$5.71
Other dairy breeds (all weights)	103	\$4.67	91	\$4.42
Crossed male good + avg. (90-120 lbs.)	834	\$11.19	797	\$10.85
Crossed male - other	394	\$9.89	414	\$9.81
Crossed female good + avg. (90-120 lbs.)	682	\$8.31	701	\$7.88
Crossed female - other	270	\$7.66	254	\$7.23

**FINISHED VEAL**

**ONTARIO DIRECT TO PACKER**

Live weight \$/lb., 54.56% yield

	RAIL	LIVE
Range this week	\$4.55-4.80	\$2.48-2.81
Weighted average (delivered)	\$4.67	\$2.55
Last week's range	\$4.55-4.70	\$2.48-2.56
Last week's weighted average	\$4.62	\$2.52
Last year's weighted average	\$4.19	\$2.29

**BFO WEEKLY ELECTRONIC VEAL SALES**

Prices are per hundred weight (lbs.)

	AVG.	DENFIELD	OSI	OLEX	BRUSSELS
	This week >600 lbs.				
Volume	524	3	12	383	66
Low \$	\$226.49	\$239.00	\$226.00	\$228.00	\$258.00
High \$	\$280.15	\$257.00	\$264.00	\$285.00	\$289.00
Avg. \$	\$254.86		\$236.55	\$259.18	\$273.28
Top \$	\$317.50		\$264.00	\$317.50	\$294.00
Avg. wt.	769		868	761	791
	Last week >600 lbs.				
Volume	490	15		277	134
Avg. \$	\$251.69			\$258.08	\$250.47
Avg. wt.	771			756	791

**WEEKLY ELECTRONIC VEAL SALES COMMENTS**

SALE	DATE	COMMENTS (all wts. in lbs.)
Aylmer	Oct-2	8 head. Avg. \$260.89; Avg. wt. 706
Brussels	Oct-3	Veal sold strong at prices \$10 higher.
Denfield	Oct-1	Too few veal to establish a true market.
Hoards Station	Oct-1	16 head. Avg. \$216.40; Avg. wt. 793
OLEX	Oct-1	Veal sold actively at full steady prices.
OSI	Sep-30	Veal sold stronger.

**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	1,213	\$4.55
Last week	1,003	\$4.52
This week last year	1,418	\$3.95

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

OLD CORN	Cash price per bushel
This week	\$5.28
Last week	\$5.18