



WEEKLY MARKET INFORMATION REPORT

Week Ending: March 21, 2025

Week # 12

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
800	\$1,530.99	\$1,103.90	103	723	\$1,528.80	\$1,064.38	104

ONTARIO BOB CALVES - Live Auction

	Range this week	Last week's range
X-Bred	\$700-1900	\$700-1875
Fancy to Good Calves (>100 lbs.)	\$700-1375	\$800-1325
Medium to Good Calves (80-100 lbs.)	\$810-1030	\$710-990
Small, Plain Calves (<80 lbs.)	\$300-1025	\$250-1080

BOB CALVES SALES COMMENTS

SALE	DATE	COMMENTS (H = high, L = low in \$, all wts. in lbs.)
Aylmer	Mar-19	175 replacement calves sold between \$50-1,900 for an average of \$1,278.91 per head.
Brussels	Mar-20	Drop calves sold strong from \$660-1,775 per head.
Denfield	Mar-18	Started and X-bred \$1000-1,600; Choice calves \$1000-1,200; Good calves \$750-1,000; Plain & newborns \$340-750
Hoard's Station	Mar-18	<125 lbs. 104 head. Avg. \$1177.39; Avg. wt. 105
Keady	Mar-11	Dollar calves sold steady with Holstein calves from \$700-1,050 per head and X-bred calves from \$800-1,500 per head. <125 lbs. 45 head Avg. \$834.02
Listowel	Mar-18	350 calves on offer. Choice calves \$1,250-1,375; Good calves \$1,040-1,240 Medium calves \$810-1030; Plain/small \$300-800 Beef X bulls \$1,000-1,900; Beef X heifers \$700-1,400
Milverton Parks	Mar-17	Bob calves \$1,060-1,170; H - \$1,175 Starter Calves \$1,525 Beef X bulls \$1,250-1,800; Beef X heifers \$1,475-1,500 Sm. calves \$900-1,000 H - \$1,025
Temiskaming	Mar-17	<125 lbs. 25 head. Avg. \$954.50; Avg. wt. 107
Vankleek Hill	Mar-17 Mar-19	352 calves. Avg. \$1,136.65 206 calves. Avg. \$1,133.14

QUEBEC BOB CALVES - Live Auction

	This week		Last week	
	Volume	Average (\$/cwt)	Volume	Average (\$/cwt)
Holstein good male calves (90-120 lbs.)	672	\$10.92	629	\$10.63
Holstein good male calves (120-140 lbs.)	174	\$9.59	195	\$9.37
Holstein avg. male calves (90-140 lbs.)	198	\$9.01	197	\$8.73
Holstein good + avg. (other weights)	173	\$7.84	168	\$7.59
Holstein - other (all weights)	80	\$3.83	71	\$4.70
Holstein good female (90-120 lbs.)	54	\$10.46	62	\$10.20
Other dairy breeds (all weights)	37	\$7.00	46	\$5.64
Crossed male good + avg. (90-120 lbs.)	730	\$14.89	684	\$15.00
Crossed male - other	424	\$12.90	457	\$12.92
Crossed female good + avg. (90-120 lbs.)	686	\$12.47	654	\$12.45
Crossed female - other	230	\$11.30	294	\$11.12

FINISHED VEAL

ONTARIO DIRECT TO PACKER

Live weight \$/lb., 54.56% yield

	RAIL	LIVE
Range this week	\$4.96-5.45	\$2.71-2.97
Weighted average (delivered)	\$5.28	\$2.88
Last week's range	\$5.15-5.35	\$2.81-2.92
Last week's weighted average	\$5.25	\$2.86
Last year's weighted average	\$4.30	\$2.35

BFO WEEKLY ELECTRONIC VEAL SALES

Prices are per hundred weight (lbs.)

	AVG.	DENFIELD	OSI	OLEX	BRUSSELS
This week >600 lbs.					
Volume	555	4	14	376	100
Low \$	\$238.92	\$257.00	\$259.00	\$240.00	\$240.00
High \$	\$299.91	\$275.00	\$289.00	\$296.00	\$294.00
Avg. \$	\$272.61	\$264.00	\$272.17	\$273.19	\$269.95
Top \$	\$397.50	\$275.00	\$307.00	\$357.50	\$325.00
Avg. wt.	767	748	823	763	780
Last week >600 lbs.					
Volume	496	6	4	345	99
Avg. \$	\$276.09	\$239.00	\$271.25	\$282.94	\$263.40
Avg. wt.	772	783	872	761	798

WEEKLY ELECTRONIC VEAL SALES COMMENTS

SALE	DATE	COMMENTS (all wts. in lbs.)
Aylmer	Mar-19	33 head. Avg. \$306.59; Avg. wt. 691
Brussels	Mar-20	Veal sold easier.
Denfield	Mar-18	No comment.
Hoard's Station	Mar-18	No comment.
OLEX	Mar-18	Veal sold at easier prices.
OSI	Mar-17	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	1,316	\$4.98
Last week	1,507	\$4.98
This week last year	1,659	\$4.15

ONTARIO AVERAGE CORN PRICES (Chatham-Kent)

OLD CORN	Cash price per bushel
This week	\$5.90
Last week	\$5.81