



WEEKLY MARKET INFORMATION REPORT

Week Ending: April 11, 2025

Week # 15

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
804	\$1,692.80	\$1,222.11	103	789	\$1,607.42	\$1,123.17	103

ONTARIO BOB CALVES - Live Auction

	Range this week	Last week's range
X-Bred	\$930-2,100	\$1,000-1,950
Fancy to Good Calves (>100 lbs.)	\$1,100-1,590	\$700-1,460
Medium to Good Calves (80-100 lbs.)	\$850-1,095	\$780-1,000
Small, Plain Calves (<80 lbs.)	\$400-1,040	\$200-1,125

BOB CALVES SALES COMMENTS

SALE	DATE	COMMENTS (H = high, L = low in \$, all wts. in lbs.)
Aylmer	Apr-9	204 replacement calves sold between \$115-2,050.00 for an average of \$1,352.22 per head.
Brussels	Apr-10	Drop calves sold from \$1,035-1,600 per head.
Denfield	Apr-8	Started and X-bred \$1,300-1,980; Choice calves \$1,150-1,430; Good calves \$800-1,150; Plain & newborns \$170-700
Hoards Station	Apr-8	<125 lbs. 93 head. Avg. \$1,246; Avg. wt. 104
Keady	Apr-8	Dollar calves sold stronger with Holstein calves from \$950-1,200 and X-bred calves sold steady from \$1,500-2,000 <125 lbs. 32 head. Avg. \$913.49
Listowel	Apr-8	293 calves on offer. Choice calves \$1,260-1,450; Good calves \$1,100-1,250 Medium calves \$850-1,095; Plain/small \$400-840 Beef X bulls \$1,250-2,100; Beef X heifers \$1,000-1,500
Milverton Parks	Apr-7	Bob calves \$1,120-1,400; H-\$1,590 Beef X bulls \$1,670-1,960; Beef X heifers \$930-1,690 Small calves \$940-980; H-\$1,040 XX small calves \$680-725; H-\$890
Temiskaming	Apr-7	<125 lbs. 22 head. Avg. \$1,048.33; Avg. wt. 103
Vankleek Hill	Apr-7	387 calves. Avg. \$1,245.25
	Apr-9	150 calves. Avg. \$1,313.69

QUEBEC BOB CALVES - Live Auction

	This week		Last week	
	Volume	Average (\$/cwt)	Volume	Average (\$/cwt)
Holstein good male calves (90-120 lbs.)	631	\$11.55	594	\$10.83
Holstein good male calves (120-140 lbs.)	167	\$10.16	152	\$9.37
Holstein avg. male calves (90-140 lbs.)	135	\$9.18	189	\$8.65
Holstein good + avg. (other weights)	151	\$7.44	136	\$7.74
Holstein - other (all weights)	83	\$5.95	67	\$3.33
Holstein good female (90-120 lbs.)	65	\$11.29	60	\$10.40
Other dairy breeds (all weights)	33	\$8.73	40	\$7.51
Crossed male good + avg. (90-120 lbs.)	679	\$15.81	690	\$14.55
Crossed male - other	401	\$13.76	326	\$13.05
Crossed female good + avg. (90-120 lbs.)	624	\$13.21	589	\$12.52
Crossed female - other	245	\$12.06	219	\$11.64

FINISHED VEAL

ONTARIO DIRECT TO PACKER

Live weight \$/lb., 54.56% yield

	RAIL	LIVE
Range this week	\$5.05-5.35	\$2.76-2.92
Weighted average (delivered)	\$5.14	\$2.80
Last week's range	\$5.13-5.20	\$2.81-2.84
Last week's weighted average	\$5.15	\$2.81
Last year's weighted average	\$4.31	\$2.00

BFO WEEKLY ELECTRONIC VEAL SALES

Prices are per hundred weight (lbs.)

	AVG.	DENFIELD	OSI	OLEX	BRUSSELS
This week >600 lbs.					
Volume	647	1	19	405	97
Low \$	\$243.67	\$269.00	\$221.00	\$237.50	\$240.00
High \$	\$294.07	\$269.00	\$277.50	\$290.00	\$282.00
Avg. \$	\$268.01	\$269.00	\$247.31	\$266.18	\$259.91
Top \$	\$385.00	\$269.00	\$277.50	\$357.18	\$350.00
Avg. wt.	759	710	839	752	811
Last week >600 lbs.					
Volume	588	1	11	377	128
Avg. \$	\$269.21	\$255.00	\$224.55	\$272.81	\$262.77
Avg. wt.	759	880	948	759	751

WEEKLY ELECTRONIC VEAL SALES COMMENTS

SALE	DATE	COMMENTS (all wts. in lbs.)
Aylmer	Apr-9	33 head. Avg. \$277.00; Avg. wt. 698
Brussels	Apr-10	Veal sold steady.
Denfield	Apr-8	All areas of the market were strong this week.
Hoards Station	Apr-8	No comment.
OLEX	Apr-8	Large volume of veal sold under pressure.
OSI	Apr-7	A run of primarily heavy veal sold slightly easier.

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	1,441	\$5.00
Last week	1,527	\$5.00
This week last year	1,514	\$4.15

ONTARIO AVERAGE CORN PRICES (Chatham-Kent)

OLD CORN	Cash price per bushel
This week	\$6.21
Last week	\$5.91