



## WEEKLY MARKET INFORMATION REPORT

Week Ending: May 16, 2025

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
791	\$2,008.11	\$1,449.25	102	931	\$1,935.66	\$1,392.18	102

#### ONTARIO BOB CALVES - Live Auction

	Range this week	Last week's range
X-Bred	\$1,310-2,400	\$1,200-2,300
Fancy to Good Calves (>100 lbs.)	\$800-1,625	\$700-1,600
Medium to Good Calves (80-100 lbs.)	\$1,100-1,290	\$1,000-1,240
Small, Plain Calves (<80 lbs.)	\$400-1,375	\$250-1,280

#### BOB CALVES SALES COMMENTS

SALE	DATE	COMMENTS (H = high, L = low in \$, all wts. in lbs.)
Aylmer	May-14	176 replacement calves sold between \$100-2,100 for an average of \$1,470.99 per head.
Brussels	May-15	Drop calves sold \$885-2,000.
Denfield	May-13	Started and X-bred \$1,310-2,270 ; Choice \$1,300-1,550; Good \$800-1,300; Plain & newborns \$460-800
Hoards Station	May-13	<125 lbs. 111 head. Avg. \$1,358.79; Avg. wt. 104
Keady	May-13	Dollar calves sold steady with Holstein calves from \$1,000-1,500 and X-bred calves sold steady from \$1,200-2,300. <125 lbs. 14 head. Avg. \$1,176.75
Listowel	May-13	409 calves on offer. Sold on good demand. Choice calves \$1,450-1,625; Good calves \$1,300-1,440 Medium calves \$1,100-1,290; Plain/small \$600-1,090 Beef X bulls \$1,600-2,400; Beef X heifers \$1,200-2,000
Milverton Parks	May-12	Bob \$1,380-1,480; H-\$1,485; Started \$1,650-1,750 H-2,100 Beef X bulls \$1,675-2,000; Beef X heifers \$1,325-1,400 Small calves \$1,300-1,360; H-\$1,375 XXsm \$1,075-1,100 H-Regular auction Monday May 19
Temiskaming	May-12	<125 lbs. 27 head. Avg. \$1,503.64; Avg. wt. 109
Vankleek Hill	May-12 May-14	395 calves. Avg. \$1,480.47 139 calves. Avg. \$1,501.64

#### QUEBEC BOB CALVES - Live Auction

	This week		Last week	
	Volume	Average (\$/cwt)	Volume	Average (\$/cwt)
Holstein good male calves (90-120 lbs.)	608	\$13.39	685	\$13.13
Holstein good male calves (120-140 lbs.)	155	\$11.80	157	\$11.71
Holstein avg. male calves (90-140 lbs.)	125	\$9.57	136	\$9.78
Holstein good + avg. (other weights)	151	\$8.67	151	\$8.11
Holstein - other (all weights)	74	\$7.89	67	\$6.00
Holstein good female (90-120 lbs.)	69	\$12.75	66	\$12.54
Other dairy breeds (all weights)	36	\$9.34	31	\$9.95
Crossed male good + avg. (90-120 lbs.)	681	\$19.01	752	\$19.04
Crossed male - other	352	\$16.76	425	\$16.58
Crossed female good + avg. (90-120 lbs.)	614	\$16.20	618	\$16.11
Crossed female - other	241	\$14.24	267	\$14.25

### FINISHED VEAL

#### ONTARIO DIRECT TO PACKER

Live weight \$/lb., 54.56% yield

	RAIL	LIVE
Range this week	\$5.01-5.30	\$2.73-2.89
Weighted average (delivered)	\$5.23	\$2.85
Last week's range	\$5.05-5.25	\$2.76-2.86
Last week's weighted average	\$5.16	\$2.82
Last year's weighted average	\$4.11	\$2.24

#### BFO WEEKLY ELECTRONIC VEAL SALES

Prices are per hundred weight (lbs.)

	AVG.	DENFIELD	OSI	OLEX	BRUSSELS
This week >600 lbs.					
Volume	446	2	4	322	66
Low \$	\$263.44	\$230.00	\$235.00	\$270.00	\$269.00
High \$	\$313.41	\$285.00	\$280.00	\$317.50	\$316.00
Avg. \$	\$286.39	\$257.50	\$254.00	\$291.57	\$287.50
Top \$	\$395.00	\$285.00	\$280.00	\$362.50	\$316.00
Avg. wt.	766	948	718	757	795
Last week >600 lbs.					
Volume	595	9	28	406	95
Avg. \$	\$268.97	\$248.00	\$258.65	\$271.86	\$265.57
Avg. wt.	766	853	906	756	765

#### WEEKLY ELECTRONIC VEAL SALES COMMENTS

SALE	DATE	COMMENTS (all wts. in lbs.)
Aylmer	May-14	23 head. Avg. \$265.89; Avg. wt. 722
Brussels	May-15	105 head of veal. Veal sold \$3-5.00 higher.
Denfield	May-13	no comment
Hoards Station	May-13	9 head. Avg. \$232.60; Avg wt. 823
OLEX	May-13	Veal sold actively at stronger prices.
OSI	May-12	All classes of SLG sold steady with quality considered.

#### 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	1,270	\$5.01
Last week	1,171	\$5.01
This week last year	1,644	\$4.15

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

OLD CORN	Cash price per bushel
This week	\$5.82
Last week	\$5.78