



Ontario Veal Association Weekly Market Report

Week ending June 24, 2004

In reference to the following prices, producers are reminded to check with individual auction markets on current prices and trends.

ONTARIO WEEKLY AVERAGES – weighted average of 14 Ontario computerized auction markets.

	Vol.	Avg Wt.	Range	Top \$	Avg \$	Last Wk Avg \$
Over 600 lbs	672	717	51.15-81.39	134.00	68.06	60.48
451-600 lbs	49	548	56.61-78.68	135.00	66.64	57.13
301-450 lbs	29	387	49.03-74.55	112.00	61.47	69.39
126-300 lbs	137	155	88.82-138.38	165.00	117.03	137.73
125 lbs and under	872	103	90.71-174.91	400.00	140.25	174.36
TOTAL Vol:	1759					Vol: 1931

ONTARIO SALE BARN COMMENTS

Finished Calves

OSI Jun 21 Veal calves traded steady.
 Brussels Jun 24 The veal sold at prices \$2.00 higher.

Bob Calves

Vankleek Hill Jun 21 Calves were down 70 cents with last week to average \$1.30/lb.
 Keady Jun 22 Dollar calves sold at lower prices.

ONTARIO vs. QUEBEC PRICE COMPARISON

	This Week	Last Week	2003
Ontario (weighted average of calves 451lbs and over)	67.96	60.12	63.07
Quebec ¹ (Grade A2 calves – live weight \$/cwt., hide off, 54.56% yield)	73.87	73.60	52.16

1 - Converted Quebec Electronic Auction average weekly price to Ontario live \$

QUEBEC AVERAGE PRICES - Week of June 19, 2004 (\$/cwt)

	Range	Avg \$	2003 Avg \$
Male - Good (90-120 lbs)	200.00-260.00	226.00	178.00
Male - Good (121-140 lbs)	175.00-228.00	205.00	168.00
Male - Average (90-140 lbs)	130.00-222.00	185.00	149.00
Female - Good (90-120 lbs)	205.00-300.00	250.00	324.00
A2 Grain Fed Veal	127.00-138.00	134.90	140.33

↳ 596 lbs (325-353 lb. hide off)

VOLUME OF CALVES SOLD - Week of June 19, 2004

Ontario - to date	2004	2003	% chg	Quebec - to date	2004	2003	% chg
Over 600 lbs	15499	10958	41.4	Male - Good (90-120 lbs)	25474	24493	4.0
451-600 lbs	1985	1447	37.2	Male - Good (121-140 lbs)	5535	5613	-1.4
301-450 lbs	746	723	3.2	Male - Average (90-140 lbs)	15119	16438	-8.0
126-300 lbs	4050	3252	24.5	Female - Good (90-120 lbs)	2346	2646	-11.3
125 lbs and under	23137	16376	41.3	A2 Grain Fed Veal Calves	42861	44782	-4.3

FEDERALLY INSPECTED SLAUGHTER CALVES Week of June 19, 2004

- to date	2004	2003	% chg
Western Canada	2359	2640	-10.6
Ontario	23200	8247	181.3
Quebec/Atlantic Provinces	109936	90961	20.9

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