



# Ontario Veal Association Weekly Market Report

Week ending June 30, 2005

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

### ONTARIO FINISHED CALF PRICES – weighted average of 13 Ontario computerized auction markets.

	Vol.	Plain/ Heavies	Good Holsteins	Beef-type Veal	Avg \$	Last Wk
Over 600 lbs	469	69.68	93.93	133.00	82.91	83.22
451-600 lbs	70	57.26	86.89	109.50	72.59	78.56
<b>TOTAL Weekly Vol:</b>	<b>1124</b>					<b>1680</b>

**Comments:** **OSI** Jun 27 Veal calves sold at steady prices.  
**Brussels** Jun 30 The veal sold at prices \$2.00 to \$5.00 lower.

### ONTARIO BOB CALF PRICES – weighted average of 13 Ontario computerized auction markets.

	Vol.	Low \$	High \$	Top\$	Avg \$	Last Wk
125 lbs and under	474	126.98	244.64	370.00	199.31	248.81

**Comments:** **Vankleek** Jun 27 Calves were off slightly with last week to average \$2.00/lb.  
**Keady** Jun 28 Dollar calves sold at lower prices.

### ONTARIO vs. QUEBEC PRICE COMPARISON

(1 - Converted Quebec Electronic Auction avg weekly \$ to ON live \$)

	This Week	Last Week	2004
<b>Ontario</b> (weighted average of calves 451lbs and over)	81.57	82.65	78.47
<b>Quebec</b> <sup>1</sup> (Grade A2 calves – live weight \$/cwt., hide off, 54.56% yield)	95.37	95.26	75.84

### QUEBEC WEEKLY PRICES - Week of June 25, 2005

	# Head	Range	Avg \$	Last Wk
Male - Good (90-120 lbs)	951	240.00-301.00	277.00	282.00
Male - Good (121-140 lbs)	180	228.00-275.00	251.00	261.00
Male - Average (90-140 lbs)	721	120.00-262.00	220.00	226.00
Female - Good (90-120 lbs)	160	170.00-292.00	211.00	198.00
<b>A2 Grain Fed Veal</b>	<b>1235</b>	<b>155.00-177.50</b>	<b>174.50</b>	<b>175.10</b>

↳596 lbs (325-353 lb. hide off)

### VOLUME OF CALVES SOLD - Week of June 25, 2005

Ontario - to date	2005	2004	% chg	Quebec - to date	2005	2004	% chg
Over 600 lbs	14028	15499	-9.5	Male - Good (90-120 lbs)	24378	25474	-4.3
451-600 lbs	2198	1985	10.7	Male - Good (121-140 lbs)	5866	5535	6.0
301-450 lbs	999	746	33.9	Male – Average (90-140 lbs)	20466	15119	35.4
126-300 lbs	3756	4050	-7.3	Female – Good (90-120 lbs)	2484	2346	5.9
125 lbs and under	20081	23137	-13.2	A2 Grain Fed Veal Calves	37674	42861	-12.1

### FEDERALLY INSPECTED SLAUGHTER CALVES - Week ending June 25, 2005

	2005	2004	% chg
Western Canada	100	107	-6.5
Ontario	132	950	-86.1
Quebec/Atlantic Provinces	4381	4218	3.9

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