



# Ontario Veal Association WEEKLY MARKET INFORMATION REPORT

Week Ending June 4, 2010  
Week#22

## FINISHED VEAL PRICES

This report is a collection of reports from sales barns and direct sales. The OVA is not responsible for the accuracy of these numbers.

**Ontario Direct To Packer** - Live weight \$/lb., 54.56% yield

	Rail	Live
Range	\$1.50-1.791	.82-.98
Last week	\$1.38-1.79	.75-.98

	Weekly Average	OSI	OLEX	Brussels
<b>&gt;600 lbs</b>				
Volume	802	180	275	274
Low \$	63.26	63.50	67.00	61.00
High \$	83.52	80.00	79.00	91.00
Avg.\$	73.61	72.47	73.08	75.63
Top \$	120.00	109.00	120.00	119.00
Avg. Weight	725	728	723	724
<b>451-600lbs</b>				
Volume	67	5	24	11
Low \$	54.93	65.00	53.00	49.00
High \$	79.28	86.00	79.00	75.00
Avg.\$	66.97	75.91	66.30	60.44
Top \$	108.00	86.00	95.00	80.00
Avg. Weight	542	531	557	551
<b>LAST WEEK &gt;600 lbs</b>				
Volume	662	84	252	285
Avg. \$	75.19	79.69	72.23	77.70
Avg. Weight	711	703	707	718

	Date	Comments
OSI	May 31	Veal sold on a lower market.
OLEX	June 1	Veal sold on a steady market with heavy weights under pressure.
Brussels	June 3	Holstein veal calves sold steady while beef veal calves traded \$5.00 softer.
Denfield	June 1	Veal remained steady.

**Quebec Electronic Auction** - A2 Grain Fed (\$/lb. Rail)

	Vol.	Avg
This week	1,617	1.791
Last Week	1,778	1.791

## FEDERALLY INSPECTED VEAL

WEEKLY	2010	2009	% CHANGE	YTD	2010	2009	% CHANGE
Western Cdn.	43	33	30.3	Western Cdn.	642	766	-16.2
Ontario	716	126	468.3	Ontario	12,764	5,019	154.3
Quebec	3,583	4,589	-21.9	Quebec	86,626	94,423	-8.3
Canada	4,342	4,748	-8.6	Canada	100,032	100,208	-0.2

For the full version of Federally inspected veal visit [www.ontarioveal.on.ca](http://www.ontarioveal.on.ca) under Producer Info/Market Info/view-of-the veal industry

MONTH	2010	2009
JANUARY	2,537	1,088
FEBRUARY	2,478	1,116
MARCH	2,481	982
APRIL	2,298	724
MAY	1,781	1,109
JUNE		924
JULY		1,230
AUGUST		2,301
SEPTEMBER		2,134
OCTOBER		2,808
NOVEMBER		2,246
DECEMBER		2,219

## PROVINCIALY INSPECTED VEAL

MONTH	2010	2009	2008	2007
JANUARY	2,013	2,096	2,664	3,650
FEBRUARY	1,939	1,934	2,135	3,184
MARCH	2,122	2,206	2,228	3,286
APRIL	2,374	2,142	2,859	3,321
MAY		2,194	2,370	3,919
JUNE		2,320	2,436	2,715
JULY		2,267	2,669	2,484
AUGUST		1,803	2,557	3,192
SEPTEMBER		1,669	3,063	3,025
OCTOBER		2,381	2,936	2,980
NOVEMBER		2,320	2,453	2,931
DECEMBER		2,494	2,345	2,725

## BOB CALF PRICES

**Ontario Live Auction Report** – price range from non-computerized southwestern Ontario salesbarns (\$/head).

	Range	Last Week
Fancy to Good (> 100 lbs)	\$160-225.00	\$160-210.00
Medium to Good (80 - 100 lbs)	\$100-170.00	\$110-175.00
Small, Plain to Poor (< 80 lbs)	\$5-125.00	\$5-110.00

	Date	Comments
Milverton Park	May 31	78 head of Holstein bull calves
Listowel	June 1	256 calves on offer Good Calves \$160-220.00 Medium Calves \$120-155.00 Plain and Small \$25-110.00  Precons \$360-420.00 Calves sold on a good demand at steady prices.
Keady	June 1	dollar calves sold sharply
Denfield	June 1	Calves remained steady

### **OCA Computerized Auction Report**

weighted average of 13 computerized salesbarns (\$/cwt)

	Vol.	Low	High	Avg. \$	Avg. weight	Avg. weight	Avg. \$	Vol.
< 125 lbs	634	90.91	134.98	117.37	104	105	100.96	528

Quebec Live Auction(\$/cwt)	Last Week			
	Volume	Average	Volume	Average
Good Calves (90-120 lbs)	937	1.38	722	1.14
Good Calves (121-140 lbs)	218	1.33	198	1.07
Average Calves (90-140 lbs)	231	.90	247	.80

The above information is collected from various sources and disseminated by the Ontario Veal Association.  
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