



Ontario Veal Association
WEEKLY MARKET INFORMATION
REPORT

Week Ending April 1, 2011
 Week#13

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ONTARIO DIRECT TO PACKER
 Live weight \$/lb., 54.56%yield

	Rail	Live
Range	\$1.55-1.93	.85-1.05
Last Week	\$1.72-1.93	.94-1.05

WEEKLY ELECTRONIC VEAL SALES

	Average	OSI	OLEX	BRUSSELS
>600 lbs				
Volume	632	98	288	188
Low \$	79.21	80.00	81.50	77.00
High \$	102.08	100.00	101.00	110.00
Avg. \$	90.31	90.29	92.43	90.19
Top \$	140.00	107.00	131.00	140.00
Avg. Weight	721	711	720	728
451-600 lbs				
Volume	47	18	13	5
Avg. \$	84.32	86.32	86.00	79.60
Avg. Weight	555	560	563	575
Last Week >600 lbs				
Volume	638	135	265	194
Avg. \$	91.24	92.12	92.10	90.99
Avg. Weight	724	723	723	727

SALES ARENA	DATE	COMMENTS
OSI	March 28	Good calves sold on a dull demand with prices \$3-5.00 lower. Heavy calves are still selling under extreme pressure.
OLEX	March 29	Veal traded barely steady.
BRUSSELS	March 31	Veal traded under pressure.
DENFIELD	March 29	Veal sold a little easier at prices \$4-5.00 lower.

FEDERALLY INSPECTED VEAL: March 26

WEEKLY	2011	2010	% CHANGE	YTD	2011	2010	% CHANGE
Western Cdn.	-	32		Western Cdn.	-	360	
Ontario	755	575	31.3	Ontario	8,957	7,496	19.5
Quebec	3,947	4,034	-2.2	Quebec	47,256	48,976	-3.5
Canada	4,702	4,641	1.3	Canada	56,213	56,832	-1.1

ONTARIO FEDERAL GRAIN-FED VEAL TOTALS

MONTH	2011	2010	2009
January	2,038	2,537	1,088
February		2,610	1,116
March		2,481	982
April		1,998	724
May		2,422	1,109
June		3,135	924
July		2,958	1,230
August		2,854	2,301
September		5,904	2,134
October		3,792	2,808
November		3,250	2,246
December		3,568	2,219
YEARLY		34,358	18,881

ONTARIO PROVINCIAL GRAIN-FED VEAL TOTALS

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	2,349	2,194	2,370	3,919
June	2,374	2,320	2,436	2,715
July	2,799	2,267	2,669	2,484
August	2,083	1,803	2,557	3,192
September	1,943	1,669	3,063	3,025
October	1,886	2,381	2,936	2,980
November	1,923	2,320	2,453	2,931
December	2,038	2,494	2,345	2,725
YEARLY	26,428	25,826	30,715	37,412

QUEBEC VEAL MARKET
Quebec Electronic Auction

A2 Grain-Fed (\$/lb. rail) This price is the average of what is sold on the electronic auction.

	Volume	Average
This Week	1,604	1.931
Last Week	1,809	1.931

BOB CALVES

	This week	Last Week		This week	Last Week		
Ontario Live Auction Report	Range		Quebec Live Auction (\$/cwt)	Volume	Average	Volume	Average
Fancy to Good Calves (> 100 lbs)	\$150-285.00	\$150-260.00	Good 90-120 lb	816	1.40	1,015	1.52
Medium to Good Calves (80 - 100 lbs)	\$90-195.00	\$90-175.00	Good 121-140 lb	174	1.43	193	1.47
Small, Plain Calves (< 80 lbs)	\$5-100.00	\$0-120.00	Average 90-140 lb	309	1.09	265	1.15

Sales Arena	Date	Comments
Milverton Park	March 28	Avg. pricing of calves, \$125.00-210.00 for a high a \$285.00
Listowel	March 29	210 calves on offer Good calves \$150-220.00 Medium calves \$90-145.00 Plain and small \$35-85.00 Calves sold steady
Keady	March 29	Dollar calves sold barely steady
Denfield	March 29	Drop calves sold strong with prices steady to last week's market.

OCA Auction Report	Volume	High	Avg. \$	Avg. Weight	Last week Avg.	Last week Volume
<125 lbs	756	143.88	126.77	104	152.25	790