



A View of the Veal Industry - Coup d'oeil sur le secteur du veau CANADA

Quebec Live Auction \$/100 lb / Encan vivant du Québec \$/100 lb

Week / semaine: 2004/10/23

Dairy calves / Veaux laitiers

| | This year / Cette année | | | | Last year / L'année précédente | | | | Volume (To date / à ce jour) | | | |
|---|-------------------------|----------------------|---------------|--------|--------------------------------|----------------------|---------------|--------|---------------------------------|--------|-------|--|
| | Volume | Average / Moyenne | Range / Marge | | Volume | Average / Moyenne | Range / Marge | | 2004 | 2003 | % chg | |
| Male - Mâle | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Good / Bon 90 - 120 | 999 | 150.00 | 132.00 | 170.00 | 1,153 | 193.00 | 175.00 | 213.00 | 41,171 | 42,500 | -3.1 | |
| Good / Bon 121 - 140 | 196 | 144.00 | 125.00 | 169.00 | 251 | 182.00 | 158.00 | 206.00 | 8,894 | 9,015 | -1.3 | |
| Average / Moyen 90 - 140 lb | 557 | 122.00 | 100.00 | 146.00 | 723 | 159.00 | 130.00 | 182.00 | 27,649 | 28,669 | -3.6 | |
| Miscellaneous - All weights / Divers - Tous poids | 608 | 38.00 | 10.00 | 80.00 | 388 | 63.00 | 20.00 | 120.00 | 19,025 | 12,202 | 55.9 | |
| Female - Femelle | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Good / Bonne 90 - 120 lb | 37 | 117.00 | 90.00 | 148.00 | 98 | 208.00 | 165.00 | 250.00 | 3,244 | 4,132 | -21.5 | |
| A2 Grain fed veal calves / Veaux de grain A2 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| (\$/100 lb Hide off / sans peau) 596 lb live (325-353 lb hide off) / 596 lb vivant (325-353 lb sans peau) | 1445 | 195.00 | 185.00 | 200.50 | 1718 | 181.09 | 180.00 | 183.50 | 70,907 | 72,658 | -2.4 | |

Ontario Live Auction \$/100 lb/ Encan vivant de l'Ontario \$/100 lb

Week / semaine: 2004/10/23

| | This year / Cette année | | | | Last year / L'année précédente | | | | Volume (To date / à ce jour) | | |
|---------------|-------------------------|----------------------|---------------|--------|--------------------------------|----------------------|---------------|--------|---------------------------------|--------|-------|
| | Volume | Average / Moyenne | Range / Marge | | Volume | Average / Moyenne | Range / Marge | | 2004 | 2003 | % chg |
| + 600 lbs | 643 | 89.77 | 66.81 | 107.38 | 535 | 85.61 | 62.13 | 103.03 | 27,087 | 19,688 | 37.6 |
| 451 - 600 lbs | 240 | 76.90 | 62.75 | 95.62 | 126 | 79.00 | 63.65 | 94.67 | 4,593 | 2,632 | 74.5 |
| 301 - 450 lbs | 116 | 65.13 | 45.65 | 83.53 | 47 | 85.58 | 65.94 | 103.21 | 1,836 | 1,198 | 53.3 |
| 126 - 300 lbs | 195 | 89.03 | 51.09 | 125.68 | 220 | 111.51 | 72.29 | 145.51 | 7,011 | 6,337 | 10.6 |
| - 125 lbs | 1,023 | 133.12 | 85.27 | 160.16 | 1,020 | 148.37 | 87.69 | 182.92 | 40,293 | 31,161 | 29.3 |

Week / semaine: 2004/10/23

Federally Inspected / Inspection fédérale

Slaughter / Abattage

| | (week / semaine) | | | (To date / à ce jour) | | | Carcass Weight / Poids de carcasse | | |
|--------------------------|------------------|--------------|-------------|-----------------------|----------------|-------------|---------------------------------------|--------------|-------------|
| | 2004 | 2003 | % chg | 2004 | 2003 | % chg | 2004 | 2003 | % chg |
| Western Prov. de l'Ouest | 100 | 111 | -9.9 | 4,130 | 4,743 | -12.9 | 311.1 | 334.3 | -6.9 |
| Ontario | 436 | 939 | -53.6 | 34,040 | 23,327 | 45.9 | 329.8 | 365.7 | -9.8 |
| Québec | 5,229 | 4,002 | 30.7 | 191,466 | 173,361 | 10.4 | 298.2 | 302.2 | -1.3 |
| Canada | 5,765 | 5,052 | 14.1 | 229,636 | 201,431 | 14.0 | 303.9 | 309.1 | -1.7 |

Meat Exports / Exportations de viande

| (To date / à ce jour): 2004/08 | 2004 | 2003 | % chg | |
|--------------------------------|-------|------|-------|--|
| (Tonnes) | | | | |
| United States / Etats-Unis | 4,977 | 906 | 449.3 | |
| Japan / Japon | - | - | | |
| Mexico / Mexique | - | 22 | | |
| Korea / Corée | - | - | | |
| Other / Autre | 3 | 2 | 50.0 | |

Meat Imports / Importations de viande

| Week / Semaine: 2004/10/16 | 2004 | 2003 | % chg | |
|--------------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--|
| (Tonnes) | | | | |
| United States / Etats-Unis | 619 | 1,269 | -51.2 | |
| Australia / Australie | 567 | 1,041 | -45.5 | |
| New Zealand / Nouvelle Zélande | 91 | 116 | -21.6 | |
| Total | 1,277 | 2,426 | -47.4 | |

Source: Statistics Canada

UNITED STATES / ETATS-UNIS

Week / semaine: 2004/10/23

Special-fed (Nature, Milk-fed) /
Nourris au lait ou nature

| | Number Slaughter / Nombre d'abattage (week / semaine) | | | Number Slaughter / Nombre d'abattage (To date / à ce jour) | | |
|------------------------------|--|---------------|--------------|---|----------------|--------------|
| | 2004 | 2003 | % chg | 2004 | 2003 | % chg |
| North East / Nord Est | 4,269 | 3,995 | 6.9 | 178,546 | 194,983 | -8.4 |
| North Central / Nord Central | 5,025 | 6,180 | -18.7 | 248,299 | 262,054 | -5.2 |
| Total | 9,294 | 10,175 | -8.7 | 426,845 | 457,037 | -6.6 |
| Other Calf / Autre veau | 5,706 | 8,369 | -31.8 | 258,489 | 339,195 | -23.8 |
| Total | 15,000 | 18,544 | -19.1 | 685,334 | 796,232 | -13.9 |

Production (000 lb)

| | | | | | | |
|--------------------------------|-----|-----|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| Calves & Veal / Veau | 3.0 | 3.6 | -16.7 | 132.7 | 149.2 | -11.1 |
| Liveweight / Poids sur pied | 329 | 316 | 4.1 | | | |
| Dressed Weight / Poids habillé | 202 | 196 | 3.1 | | | |

U.S. Wholesale Price / Prix de gros Américain

| \$/cwt / \$ par 100 livres | Simple avg/ Moy. simple | | |
|--|----------------------------|---------------|---------------|
| | Range / Marge | Range / Marge | Range / Marge |
| 307 Rack, Ribeye, Boneless / Carré, Faux filet, Désossé | 1,400.00 | 1,400.00 | 1,400.00 |
| 332 Loin, Trimmed 4 x 4 / Longe parée 4 X 4 | 490.00 | 455.00 | 525.00 |
| 1336 Leg Slice, Retail / Cuisseau tranché | 572.50 | 550.00 | 595.00 |
| 1312 Osso Buco, Fore Shank / Jarret avant | 512.50 | 475.00 | 550.00 |
| Shoulder Clod, drop / Pointe d'épaule | 347.50 | 310.00 | 385.00 |

Replacement Holstein Bull calves / Bouvillons de remplacement Holstein

| Madison, Wisconsin | Range / Marge | |
|--------------------|---------------|--------|
| 90 - 100 lbs | 140.00 | 170.00 |
| 100 - 120 lbs | 145.00 | 185.00 |
| 120 - 140 lbs | 125.00 | 165.00 |

Veal carcass, Special Fed (Hide off, 215- 275 lbs) /
Carcasse de veau, nourris spécial (sans peau, 215-275 lb)

| | Average/Moyenne | Range / Marge | |
|------------------------------|-----------------|---------------|--------|
| North East / Nord Est | 238.72 | 235.00 | 245.00 |
| North Central / Nord Central | - | - | - |

Source: Fédération des producteurs de bovins du Québec, Ontario Cattlemen's Association, USDA

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