



WEEKLY VEAL MARKET SUMMARY

~ Livestock, Meat, Feed Ingredients & Skin Markets ~

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Carlot Veal Carcass Report

Northeast and North Central Basis - 1/3/2020 - 1/9/2021

Compared to last week: The special fed veal carcass market was steady to firm on comparable sales of veal calves. Demand was light to moderate on light to moderate offerings. Harvest numbers were 5.9 percent lower compared to last week's total. Dressed weights were up 3.3 pounds.

Represents calves harvested Sunday through Saturday of last week. VEAL CARCASS, SPECIAL FED, HOT BASIS-PAID TO PRODUCER - FOB BASIS Includes previously committed contract and open market calves.

	Head	Range	Wtd Avg
Hide-Off, 255-315 Lbs. Hot Basis	2677	285.00-300.00	293.38

Special Fed Veal Slaughter for:	Year Ago	YTD	YTD
Week ending:	01/02/21	01/11/20	2020
Total NE & NC	2,677	2,845	3,757
			5,522
			7,219

Special Fed Veal Dressed Weights	Year Ago	YTD	YTD
Week ending:	01/09/21	01/02/21	01/11/20
Total NE & NC	299.3	296.0	276.8

* North Central = OH, IN, IL, MI, & WI
 * Northeast = MA, MD, PA, NY, NJ, DE, CT, & VT
 ** The calves represented in this report include both Packer Owned and Non-Packer Owned calves. Packer Owned calves are defined as having ownership, harvesting, and processing controlled by the same party.

Special Fed Percentage of Total Calf Kill W/E 1/2/2021 ... 37.16
 Actual Calf Slaughter Reported by NASS W/E 1/2/2021 7,657
 Calves Slaughter W/E 1/9/2021 8,000

Week Ending Saturday, 1/2/2021

Meat Production and Actual Live Weight and Dressed Weight

Production	Species and Class		Live Wt	Dressed Wt
	Million lbs.		lbs.	lbs.
Beef	432.9	Cattle	1,397	842
Calves and veal	1.1	Calves	246	143
Pork	473.2	Hogs	294	220
Lamb and mutton	2.0	Sheep	127	63
Total meat production	909.1			

Total Pounds of Calf and Veal Meat Available

Domestic Production	1,100,000	% of Total	81.67%
Imported	246,848	% of Total	18.33%
Total	1,346,848		100.00%

Federally Inspected Slaughter Head & Percentages by Species, U.S.

Species	Class & Total	# of Head	% of Total
Cattle	Total	515,038	
	Dairy cows	52,085	10.1
Calves	Total	7,657	
Hogs	Total	2,149,092	
Sheep	Total	30,835	

Monthly Boxed & Distributive/LCL Veal Cuts Trade

Northeast and North Central Basis
 FOB Major Production Points

For the month of December: Special fed veal cut prices were steady for all classes. In the Veal complex, Ground Veal and Leg Cutlets were the most commonly advertised items as retail prices trended unevenly steady to throughout the month.

Item:	Wt. Range	lbs	Range
Carcass, hide off	200-275	lbs	405.00- 405.00
Foresaddles	86-147	lbs	335.00- 395.00
Forequarters	43-74	lbs	345.00- 495.00
Necks, bone-in	24-28	lbs	295.00- 300.00
Breast	10-18	lbs	140.00- 225.00
Foreshank	3-5	lbs	450.00- 650.00
Osso Bucco, foreshank	2-8	lbs	695.00- 825.00
Shoulder, full	49-85	lbs	395.00- 425.00
Chuck, square cut	39-68	lbs	285.00- 350.00
Chuck rolls, skinned	5-10	lbs	525.00- 650.00
Chuck, Shoulder Clod	4-9	lbs	525.00- 695.00
Hotel Racks, 8 rib	15-26	lbs	845.00- 975.00
Hotel Racks, 7 rib	14-25	lbs	850.00-1025.00
Hotel Racks, Chop Ready, 7 rib	5-9	lbs	1225.00-1450.00
Hotel Racks, Chop Ready, 6 rib	4-8	lbs	1275.00-1550.00
Rack, Ribeye	3-9	lbs	-
Hindsaddles	89-153	lbs	515.00- 625.00
Hindquarters	45-76	lbs	525.00- 625.00
Loins, regular	18-36	lbs	395.00- 450.00
Loins, 4x4, trimmed	18-30	lbs	525.00- 695.00
Strip Loins, bnls, 0x0	1-up	lbs	1300.00-1375.00
Loin, Short Tenderloin	0.5-up	lbs	1125.00-1295.00
Legs, double	68-117	lbs	505.00- 545.00
Legs, single	34-59	lbs	515.00- 600.00
Legs, slices, retail			825.00- 925.00
Legs, TBS 4-piece	27-47	lbs	850.00- 850.00
Legs, TBS 3-piece	24-39	lbs	850.00-1015.00
Legs, BHS heel-out	27-42	lbs	550.00- 625.00
Legs, Sknd, butt tenderloin	0.5-up	lbs	1125.00-1225.00
Top Rnd, Sknd, cap-off	10-15	lbs	1225.00-1400.00
Hindshank	5-8	lbs	725.00- 775.00
Osso Bucco, Hindshank	2-8	lbs	925.00-1025.00
Stew Meat, regular			425.00- 575.00
Bnls Veal Trimmings 75-80% Lean			250.00- 325.00
Bnls Veal Trimmings 80-90% Lean			250.00- 400.00
Hvy Nature Green Hides(per piece)			-

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Link to current report: [Pennsylvania Weekly Cattle Auction Summary](#)

Canadian Federally Inspected Slaughter

	Current	Week Ago	Year Ago	YTD	YTD	% Change
	01/02/21	12/26/20	01/04/20	2021	2020	
Calves:	2,256	2934	2,316	2,256	2,316	-2.6%
Males:	2,155	2799	2,202	2,155	2,202	
Females:	101	135	114	101	114	

Canadian Monthly Grain Fed Veal Report

		2020		2019		Hd count
		No of Head	Avg Price	No of Head	Avg Price	% Change
W/E	01/09/21	1,708	220.00	1,459	220.09	17.07%
YTD		1,708	220.00	3,000	220.40	-43.07%

AUSTRALIAN VEAL SLAUGHTER STATISTICS
 W/E 1/9/2021

	This Week	2020 YTD	Last Week	Last Year	2019 YTD
Queensland	81	96	15	278	303
New South Wales	1,099	3,061	1,962	2,286	2,309
Victoria	421	421	0	842	1,043
South Australia	0	0	0	1	1
Tasmania	1	1	0	0	0
Total	1,602	3,579	1,977	3,407	3,656

U.S. Department of Agriculture Food Safety and Inspection Service Imported Meat Passed for Entry into the United States by Country in Metric Tons

For Reporting Period: 12/27/2020 to 01/02/2021
 Metric Tons Week Number 1

Country	BNLS	Edible	Other	Primals &	Wkly	2020		
Totals	Trim	Carc	Cuts	Offal	Intact	Subprimals	TTL	YTD
Australia			15				15	15
Canada		47		3		18	68	68
France			3				3	3
Mexico							-	0
Netherlands					7		8	8
New Zealand			18				18	18
Uruguay							-	0
Total	47	36	3	-	25	112	112	112

Fat Products Des Moines, IA W/E 1/9/2021 *Preliminary

CAF CHICAGO EDIBLE TALLOW - Railcar - Simple Average
 CAF CHICAGO LOOSE LARD, PS AND/OR CP - Simple Average

Coconut Oil Crude (Source: USDA/FAS) *Dec 1,480 (US\$/MT) Rotterdam CIF

Dry Products Price Summary

NONFAT DRY MILK

CENTRAL AND EAST LOW/MED HEAT	1.1300- 1.2000	MOSTLY	1.1400 - 1.1850
			(.0200)
CENTRAL AND EAST HIGH HEAT	1.2000- 1.3000		
WEST LOW/MED HEAT	1.1300- 1.2275	MOSTLY	1.1400 - 1.1800
	(.0300) (.0100)		(.0100) (.0200)
WEST HIGH HEAT	1.2100- 1.3550		(.0100)

BUTTERMILK POWDER

CENTRAL AND EAST	1.0400- 1.1000		
	(.0400)		
WEST	1.0300- 1.0700	MOSTLY	1.0400 - 1.0600
	(.0200) (.0200)		(.0100) (.0200)

WHEY POWDER

CENTRAL	.4200 - .5200	MOSTLY	.4700 - .5000
	(.0150) (.0200)		(.0300) (.0375)
WEST	.4300 - .5450	MOSTLY	.4600 - .5000
	(.0200) (.0250)		(.0100) (.0300)
NORTHEAST	.4100 - .4750		(.0050)

ANIMAL FEED WHEY

CENTRAL	.3600 - .4100		(.0200) (.0300)
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LACTOSE

CENTRAL AND WEST	.3100 - .5500	MOSTLY	.3500 - .4600
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WHEY PROTEIN CONCENTRATE 34%

CENTRAL AND WEST	.9100- 1.1025	MOSTLY	.9400 - .9900
	(.0800)		(.0300) (.0200)

WHOLE MILK

NATIONAL	1.4500- 1.6000
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CASEIN

RENNET	3.4600- 3.4900
	(-.0100) (-.0075)
ACID	3.3100- 3.6250
	(-.1900) (-.0750)

