



# Sheep Supply CANADA

Year To Date for the Month Ending April, 2001

Fed. & Prov. Slaughter (head)			
preliminary	2001	2000	% chg
B.C./Alta/Sask./Man.	22,394	24,362	-8.1
Ontario	46,195	68,464	-32.5
Quebec	31,670	29,680	6.7
Atl. Provinces	2,313	2,761	-16.2
<b>Canada</b>	<b>102,572</b>	<b>125,267</b>	<b>-18.1</b>

Monthly Prices			
	2001	2000	% chg
<b>Ontario Average \$/cwt</b>			
A&B -79	206.15	159.59	29.2
A&B 80-94 lbs	179.06	148.16	20.9
New Crop	199.09	160.29	24.2
Sheep	55.06	52.30	5.3
<b>2000</b>	<b>Mkt Lambs</b>	<b>Feeder Lambs</b>	<b>Sheep</b>
Edmonton	115.13	125.75	74.25/HD
Central Alta	108.00	n/a	n/a

## EXPORTS

(No. head) to U.S.	2001	2000	% chg
Slaughter lambs	35,384	19,555	80.9
Feeder Sheep & Lambs	177	-	

(Metric Tonnes)	For the period January 1 - March 31		
Lamb & Mutton	2001	2000	% chg
- United States	3	6	-50.0
- France	9	-	
- Other	57	12	375.0
<b>- Total</b>	<b>69</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>283.3</b>

## IMPORTS

(No. head) from U.S.	2001	2000	% chg
Slaughter	-	-	-
Feeder	-	-	-

(Metric Tonnes)	2001	2000	% chg
<b>Mutton &amp; Lamb</b>			
- New Zealand	1,845	2,123	-13.1
- Australia	728	1,190	-38.8
- Other	36	38	-5.3
<b>- Total</b>	<b>2,609</b>	<b>3,351</b>	<b>-22.1</b>

Source: Statistics Canada

# UNITED STATES

Year To Date for the Month Ending April

## Total Sheep and Lambs

	2001	2000	% chg
Slaughter ('000 head)	1,083	1,219	-11.2
Avg Dressed Wt (lbs)	71	66	7.6
Lamb/Mutton (mil lbs)	76.9	84.2	-8.7

## U.S Price Summary

April

	2001	2000
	\$/cwt	
Choice Lambs - San Angelo	83.50	77.88

## U.S. Lamb & Mutton Exports (metric tons)

Year to date for Month Ending February

	2001	2000	% chg
Canada	436	335	23.2
Mexico	559	530	5.2
Central & South America	93	55	40.9
Caribbean	205	43	79.0
Japan	19	14	26.3
<b>World Total</b>	<b>1,446</b>	<b>1,039</b>	<b>28.1</b>

## Wholesale Price Record Lamb \$/cwt

	2001	2000
Rack, 8 Rib, 7/Dn	425	580
Lamb, Loin Trmd 4x4	375	390
Leg, Shank-Off	270	250

Source: Red Meat Section, Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada  
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