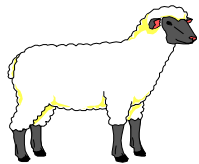




# SHEEP SUPPLY CANADA



Year To Date for the Month Ending April, 2006

Fed. & Prov. Slaughter (head)			
preliminary	2006	2005	% chg
B.C./Alta/Sask./Man.	34,012	33,790	0.7
Ontario	93,136	102,837	-9.4
Quebec	21,789	52,893	-58.8
Atl. Provinces	3,467	3,971	-12.7
Canada	<b>152,404</b>	<b>193,491</b>	<b>-21.2</b>

Monthly Prices		2006	2005
<i>Alberta Average \$/cwt</i>			
Slaughter lambs	95 - 115	115.00 - 127.00	100.00 - 105.00
	115 +	-	-
Feeder lambs		120.00 - 130.00	100.00 - 110.00
Sheep slaughter		15.00 - 34.00	12.00 - 22.00

Source: Sunterra meats Ltd.

Monthly Prices			
Ontario Average \$/cwt	2006	2005	% chg
A&B -79	224.35	161.72	38.7
A&B 80-94 lbs	179.14	147.44	21.5
New Crop	227.20	154.69	46.9
Sheep	82.67	55.96	47.7

2006	Mkt Lambs	Feeder Lambs	Sheep
Edmonton	n/a	n/a	n/a
Central Alta	132.00		

Source: Alberta Agriculture Food and Rural Development

## EXPORTS

For the period of April

(No. head) to U.S.	2006	2005	% chg
Slaughter lambs	2,486	-	
Feeder Sheep & Lambs	-	-	

(Metric Tonnes)			
For the period January 1 - April			
Lamb & Mutton	2006	2005	% chg
- United States	-	-	
- Korea	-	-	
- Other	25	32	-21.9

Source: CFIA

## IMPORTS

(No. head) from U.S.	2006	2005	% chg
Slaughter	-	-	-
Feeder	-	-	-

(Metric Tonnes)			
For the period of April			
Mutton & Lamb	2006	2005	% chg
- New Zealand	3,318	3,838	-13.5
- Australia	2,198	1,549	41.9
- Other	49	57	-14.0
- Total	<b>5,565</b>	<b>5,444</b>	<b>2.2</b>

# UNITED STATES

Year To Date for the Month Ending April

## Total Sheep and Lambs

	2006	2005	% chg
Slaughter ('000 head)	865	875	-1.1
Avg Dressed Wt (lbs)	70	67	4.5
Lamb/Mutton (mil lbs)	62.9	61.9	1.6

## U.S Price Summary

April

	2006	2005
	\$/cwt	
Choice Lambs - San Angelo	97.25	99.38

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

Year to date for Month Ending March

	2006	2005	% cha
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