



SHEEP SUPPLY CANADA

Year To Date for the Month Ending November, 2002

Fed. & Prov. Slaughter (head)

preliminary	2002	2001	% chg
B.C./Alta/Sask./Man.	81,592	76,192	7.1
Ontario	196,748	193,269	1.8
Quebec	99,531	85,074	17.0
Atl. Provinces	8,452	8,885	-4.9
Canada	386,323	363,420	6.3

Monthly Prices

	2002	2001	% chg
Alberta Average \$/cwt			
Slaughter lambs 95 - 115	80.00 - 100.00	n/a	for now
115 +	65.00 - 85.00	n/a	for now
Feeder lambs	70.00 - 85.00	n/a	for now
Sheep slaughter	6.00 - 10.00		

Source: Canada West Foods

Monthly Prices	2002	2001	% chg
Ontario Average \$/cwt			
A&B -79	146.03	135.55	7.7
A&B 80-94 lbs	123.22	109.24	12.8
New Crop	120.91	141.08	-14.3
Sheep	47.67	53.84	-11.5

2002	Mkt Lambs	Feeder Lambs	Sheep
Edmonton	n/a	n/a	n/a/HD
Central Alta	94.08	n/a	n/a

Source: Alberta Agriculture Food and Rural Development

EXPORTS

For the period January - November

(No. head) to U.S.	2002	2001	% chg
Slaughter lambs	95,793	71,995	33.1
Feeder Sheep & Lambs	10,079	1,678	500.7

(Metric Tonnes) For the period January - October 26

Lamb & Mutton	2002	2001	% chg
- United States	n/a	270	
- Korea	21	100	-79.0
- Other	81	52	55.8

Source: CFIA

IMPORTS

(No. head) from U.S.	2002	2001	% chg
Slaughter	-	-	-
Feeder	-	-	-

(Metric Tonnes) For the period January - November

Mutton & Lamb	2002	2001	% chg
- New Zealand	8,623	9,047	-4.7
- Australia	3,020	3,825	-21.0
- Other	217	251	-13.5
- Total	11,860	13,123	-9.6

UNITED STATES

Year To Date for the Month Ending November

Total Sheep and Lambs

	2002	2001	% chg
Slaughter ('000 head)	2,841	2,797	1.6
Avg Dressed Wt (lbs)	67	71	-5.6
Lamb/Mutton (mil lbs)	190.6	197.7	-3.6

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

Year to date for Month Ending October

	2002	2001	% chg
Canada	130	95	26.9
Mexico	1,739	1,810	-4.1
Central & South America	47	91	-93.6

U.S Price Summary

November

	2002	2001
	\$/cwt	
Choice Lambs - San Angelo	82.31	57.83

Wholesale Price Record Lamb \$/cwt

	2002	2001
Rack, 8 Rib, 7/Dn	640	325

Caribbean	336	116	65.5	Lamb, Loin Trmd 4x4	370	310
Bahamas	127	66	48.0	Leg, Shank-Off	190	210
World Total	2,352	2,372	-0.9			

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

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