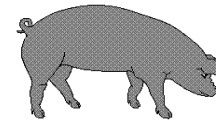




# Hog Statistics at a Glance CANADA



For the Week Ending July 17, 2004

	weekly kill # head	CUMULATIVE TOTALS TO DATE		
		2004	2003	% chg
		'000 head		
West	165,651	4,695.0	4,778.0	-1.7
Ontario	83,388	2,308.0	2,370.0	-2.6
Quebec	161,732	4,513.0	4,401.0	2.5
Atlantic	9,696	275.0	283.0	-2.8
<b>CANADA</b>	<b>420,467</b>	<b>11,791.0</b>	<b>11,832.0</b>	<b>-0.3</b>
<b>Pork Production (t)</b>	<b>36,791</b>	<b>1,031,713</b>	<b>1,031,750</b>	<b>0.0</b>
<b>Estimated Sow Slaughter</b>	<b>2,480</b>	<b>71,747</b>	<b>89,417</b>	<b>-19.8</b>

Weekly Prices \$/kg (index 100)			
	2004	2003	% chg
Ontario 102.5%	1.94	1.61	20.5
Quebec	1.92	1.48	29.7
Alberta	1.85	1.46	26.7
Manitoba*	1.88	1.61	16.8
British Columbia	2.01	1.66	21.1
Saskatchewan	1.74	1.43	21.7
Nova Scotia	1.98	1.61	23.0
Prince Ed. Is.	1.88	1.58	19.0
New Brunswick	1.93	1.57	22.9

\*estimate

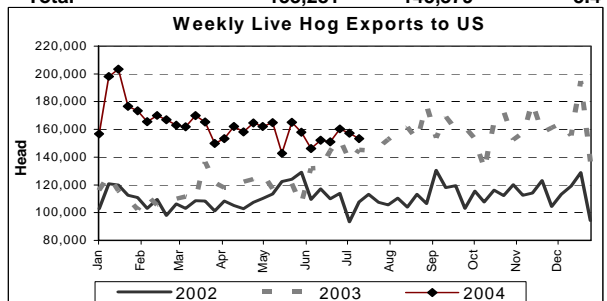
## PORK EXPORTS YTD for the period of January to May

(Metric Tonnes)	2004	2003	% chg
<b>FRESH, FROZEN AND PROCESSED PORK</b>			
United States	163,980	180,850	(9.3)
Japan	89,635	81,160	10.4
Australia	14,005	17,707	(20.9)
Russia	5,442	15,019	(63.8)
Mexico	25,750	19,235	33.9
South Korea	12,408	13,572	(8.6)
China	13,807	10,264	34.5
Taiwan	9,051	6,371	42.1
Cuba	3,897	3,773	3.3
New Zealand	1,746	3,205	(45.5)
Other	41,351	28,686	44.2
<b>Total</b>	<b>381,072</b>	<b>379,842</b>	<b>0.3</b>

Source: STATISTICS CANADA

## LIVE HOG EXPORTS TO U.S.

	YTD 04	YTD 03	% chg
<b>HOGS (head)</b>			
Barrows/Gilts/Sows	1,518,767	952,565	59.4
Feeder Pigs	3,055,089	2,478,886	23.2
<b>Total</b>	<b>4,573,856</b>	<b>3,431,451</b>	<b>33.3</b>
<b>Week Ending 04-07-10</b>			
Barrows/Gilts/Sows	45,241	52,607	-14.0
Feeder Pigs	108,040	92,772	16.5
<b>Total</b>	<b>153,281</b>	<b>145,379</b>	<b>5.4</b>



Source: USDA-APHIS

## IMPORTS YTD for the week ending July 10, 2004

(Metric Tonnes) preliminary	2004	2003	% chg
<b>FRESH &amp; FROZEN PORK</b>			
United States	37,661	30,433	23.8
Denmark	331	1,417	-76.6
Other	3	634	-99.5

	2004	2003	% chg
<b>PROCESSED &amp; OTHER PORK</b>			
United States	7,539	5,534	36.2
Denmark	-	6	-
Other	49	77	-36.4
<b>TOTAL IMPORTS</b>	<b>45,583</b>	<b>38,101</b>	<b>19.6</b>

## Frozen Pork from the European Union:

The TRQ level has established for frozen meat of pork originating from EU countries, for the twelve month period August 1 to July 31, 2004. Imports in excess of 2,970,000 kg in the twelve month period are subject to a surtax in an amount equal to the value for the duty (100%) determined in accordance with the Customs Act. Effective as of October 3, 2003 the frozen pork TRQ from the EU imported under tariff item No. 0203.29.00 of the Customs Tariff has filled and therefore all frozen pork imports from the EU, until July 31, 2004, will be subject to the European Union Surtax Order.

	Permits issued as of July 17, 2004		
	2003/2004	2002/2003	% chg
Utilization (kg)	2,969,000	2,962,582	0.2
Balance (kg)	1,002	7,418	-
% Utilization	100.0%	99.8%	0.2

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## Hog Statistics at a Glance CANADA

### Canadian Hog Slaughter by Province of Origin

**Total Slaughter Year to Date July 17, 2004**

**Week ending July 17, 2004**

	2004	2003	% chg	2004	2003	% chg
British Columbia	136,920	141,891	-3.5	4,887	4,668	4.7
Alberta	1,912,247	1,975,995	-3.2	66,944	67,943	-1.5
Saskatchewan	738,893	759,739	-2.7	25,765	25,362	1.6
Manitoba	2,149,511	2,162,066	-0.6	76,493	74,374	2.8
Ontario	2,890,201	3,048,127	-5.2	105,545	103,475	2.0
Quebec	4,171,063	4,036,582	3.3	148,301	136,731	8.5
New Brunswick	91,880	101,542	-9.5	3,647	3,784	-3.6
Nova Scotia	110,488	115,414	-4.3	3,971	3,686	7.7
Prince Edward Island	125,083	118,274	5.8	4,142	4,733	-12.5
<b>CANADA</b>	<b>12,326,286</b>	<b>12,459,630</b>	<b>-1.1</b>	<b>439,695</b>	<b>424,756</b>	<b>3.5</b>

## UNITED STATES

Year To Date for the Week Ending July 17, 2004

Supply Summary				Weekly US Prices (\$/cwt)			
	2004	2003	% chg		2004	2003	% chg
Slaughter ('000 head)	53,996	52,625	2.6	South St. Joseph	55.75	40.00	
Slaughter for the week	1,914	1,615	18.5	Sioux Falls	56.45	41.90	
Avg Dressed Wt (lbs)	197	196	0.5	Oklahoma City	52.00	n/a	
Pork Produced (mil lbs)	10,768	10,438	3.2	National Cost	76.97	61.21	25.7
Source: USDA-APHIS				(51-54% Lean Yield Basis)			

### LEADING MARKETS FOR U.S. PORK PLUS PORK VARIETY MEAT EXPORTS (January-May 2004)

COUNTRY	Year to date Quantity (Metric Tons)			COUNTRY	Year to date Quantity (Metric Tons)		
	1/04 - 5/04	1/03 - 5/03	% Chg		1/04 - 5/04	1/03 - 5/03	% Chg
Japan	133,917	124,472	7.6	Taiwan	20,525	9,029	127.3
Mexico	136,334	73,506	85.5	Central & South America	8,584	5,960	44.0
Canada	50,532	35,159	43.7	Korea	11,915	14,063	-15.3
China	16,587	10,936	51.7	Caribbean	3,494	2,111	65.5
Hong Kong	10,973	8,852	24.0	Eastern Europe	2,561	1,290	98.5
Russia	7,291	3,510	107.7				
European Union	4,429	5,488	-19.3	<b>World Total</b>	<b>412,791</b>	<b>298,491</b>	<b>38.3</b>

Source: FAS, USDA

