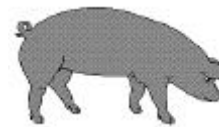




## Hog Statistics at a Glance CANADA



For the Week Ending March 23, 2002

Federal Slaughter	weekly kill # head	CUMULATIVE TOTALS TO DATE		
		2002 '000 head	2001	% chg
West	153,048	1,810.0	1,678.0	7.9
Ontario	74,221	907.0	864.0	5.0
Quebec	158,028	1,912.0	1,801.0	6.2
Atlantic	9,733	121.0	119.0	1.7
<b>CANADA</b>	<b>395,030</b>	<b>4,750.0</b>	<b>4,462.0</b>	<b>6.5</b>
<b>Pork Production (t)</b>	<b>33,716</b>	<b>415,625</b>	<b>386,409</b>	<b>7.6</b>
<b>Estimated Sow Slaughter</b>	<b>3,270</b>	<b>39,877</b>	<b>46,215</b>	<b>-13.7</b>

Weekly Prices \$/kg (index 100)		2002	2001	% chg
Quebec		1.57	1.94	-19.1
Alberta		1.34	1.81	-26.0
Manitoba		1.50	1.85	-18.9
British Columbia		1.58	2.00	-21.0
Saskatchewan		1.30	1.80	-27.8
Nova Scotia		1.64	1.93	-15.0
Prince Ed. Is.		1.53	1.88	-18.6
New Brunswick		1.59	1.88	-15.4

### PORK EXPORTS

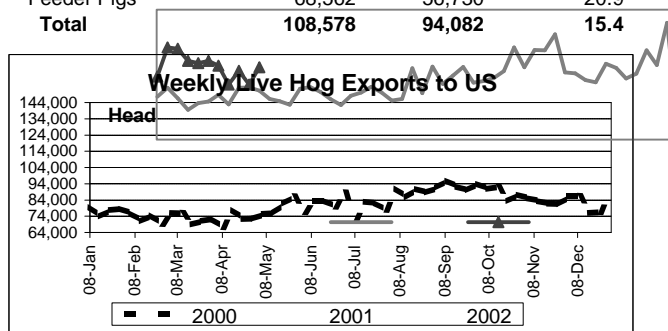
YTD for week ending January 26, 2002

(Metric Tonnes)	2002	2001	% chg
<b>FRESH &amp; FROZEN PORK</b>			
United States	21,706	21,646	0.3
Japan	11,561	12,691	-8.9
Mexico	3,412	3,716	-8.2
Korea	1,676	2,165	-22.6
Other	7,286	10,898	-33.1
<b>PROCESSED PORK</b>			
United States	4,519	4,007	12.8
Japan	3	11	-72.7
Mexico	81	33	145.5
Korea	-	-	
Other	335	484	-30.8
<b>TOTAL PORK EXPORTS</b>	<b>50,579</b>	<b>55,651</b>	<b>-9.1</b>
<b>TOTAL FAT EXPORTS</b>	<b>2,952</b>	<b>4,290</b>	<b>-31.2</b>

Source: CFIA & USDA

### LIVE HOG EXPORTS TO U.S.

	YTD 02	YTD 01	% chg
<b>HOGS (head)</b>			
Barrows/Gilts/Sows	444,299	413,402	7.5
Feeder Pigs	751,572	581,234	29.3
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,195,871</b>	<b>994,636</b>	<b>20.2</b>
<b>Week Ending 02-03-16</b>			
Barrows/Gilts/Sows	40,016	37,352	7.1
Feeder Pigs	68,562	56,730	20.9
<b>Total</b>	<b>108,578</b>	<b>94,082</b>	<b>15.4</b>



Source: USDA-APHIS

### IMPORTS

YTD for the week ending March 16, 2002

(Metric Tonnes) preliminary	2002	2001	% chg
<b>FRESH &amp; FROZEN PORK</b>			
United States	13,515	12,218	10.6
Denmark	48	478	-90.0
Other	-	90	

### PROCESSED & OTHER PORK

	2002	2001	% chg
United States	2,596	2,122	22.3
Denmark	-	2	
Other	241	115	109.6
<b>TOTAL IMPORTS</b>	<b>16,400</b>	<b>15,025</b>	<b>9.2</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. 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.

	August 1 - March 23		
	2001/02	2000/01	% chg
Utilization (kg)	2,969,459	2,970,000	(0.0)
Balance (kg)	541	-	-
% Utilization	99.8%	100.0%	-

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