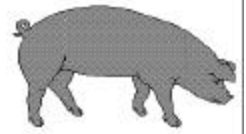




Hog Statistics at a Glance CANADA



For the Week Ending November 16, 2002

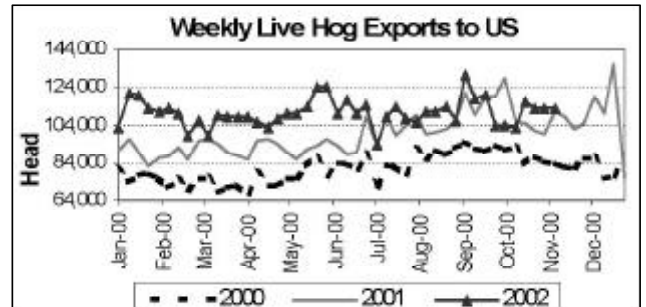
| Federal Slaughter | weekly kill # head | CUMULATIVE TOTALS TO DATE | | |
|--------------------------------|-----------------------|---------------------------|-------------------|--------------|
| | | 2002 '000 head | 2001 '000 head | % chg |
| West | 152,576 | 7,195.0 | 6,535.0 | 10.1 |
| Ontario | 88,558 | 3,521.0 | 3,237.0 | 8.8 |
| Quebec | 177,077 | 7,141.0 | 6,912.0 | 3.3 |
| Atlantic | 10,154 | 463.0 | 455.0 | 1.8 |
| CANADA | 428,365 | 18,320.0 | 17,139.0 | 6.9 |
| Pork Production (t) | 37,482 | 1,603,000 | 1,489,379 | 7.6 |
| Estimated Sow Slaughter | 3,468 | 146,340 | 166,079 | -11.9 |

| Weekly Prices \$/kg (index 100) | 2002 | | | 2001 | | | % chg |
|---------------------------------|--------|------|-------|-------|------|-------|-------|
| | 2002 | 2001 | % chg | 2002 | 2001 | % chg | |
| Ontario | 102.5% | 1.24 | 1.51 | -17.9 | | | |
| Quebec | | 1.18 | 1.52 | -22.4 | | | |
| Alberta | | 1.09 | 1.29 | -15.5 | | | |
| Manitoba* | | 1.20 | 1.41 | -14.9 | | | |
| British Columbia | | 1.21 | 1.61 | -24.8 | | | |
| Saskatchewan | | 1.05 | 1.24 | -15.3 | | | |
| Nova Scotia | | 1.18 | 1.55 | -23.9 | | | |
| Prince Ed. Is. | | 1.18 | 1.52 | -22.4 | | | |
| New Brunswick | | 1.14 | 1.51 | -24.5 | | | |

*estimate

| PORK EXPORTS | YTD for week ending September 21, 2002 | | |
|--------------------------------|--|---------------|-------|
| (Metric Tonnes) | 2002 | 2001 | % chg |
| FRESH & FROZEN PORK | | | |
| United States | n/a | 228,027 | |
| Japan | 141,789 | 123,966 | 14.4 |
| Mexico | 31,008 | 39,368 | -21.2 |
| Korea | 23,133 | 21,976 | 5.3 |
| Other | 107,500 | 112,885 | -4.8 |
| PROCESSED PORK | | | |
| United States | n/a | 43,183 | |
| Japan | 1,355 | 908 | 49.2 |
| Mexico | 955 | 328 | 191.2 |
| Korea | 4 | 2 | 100.0 |
| Other | 5,219 | 5,202 | 0.3 |
| TOTAL FAT EXPORTS | n/a | 46,200 | |

| LIVE HOG EXPORTS TO U.S. | YTD 02 | YTD 01 | % chg |
|-----------------------------|------------------|------------------|-------------|
| HOGS (head) | | | |
| Barrows/Gilts/Sows | 1,609,412 | 1,738,248 | -7.4 |
| Feeder Pigs | 3,359,679 | 2,672,981 | 25.7 |
| Total | 4,969,091 | 4,411,229 | 12.6 |
| Week Ending 02-11-09 | | | |
| Barrows/Gilts/Sows | 37,690 | 42,081 | -10.4 |
| Feeder Pigs | 74,764 | 68,537 | 9.1 |
| Total | 112,454 | 110,618 | 1.7 |



Source: CFIA & USDA

Source: USDA-APHIS

| IMPORTS | YTD for the week ending November 9 | | |
|--------------------------------|------------------------------------|--------|-------|
| (Metric Tonnes) preliminary | 2002 | 2001 | % chg |
| FRESH & FROZEN PORK | | | |
| United States | 57,286 | 44,901 | 27.6 |
| Denmark | 646 | 2,503 | -74.2 |
| Other | 267 | 207 | 29.0 |

| PROCESSED & OTHER PORK | 2002 | 2001 | % chg |
|------------------------|---------------|---------------|-------------|
| United States | 9,033 | 9,524 | -5.2 |
| Denmark | - | 2 | |
| Other | 186 | 317 | -41.3 |
| TOTAL IMPORTS | 67,418 | 57,454 | 17.3 |

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. In 2001/02 the Tariff Rate Quota was reached on October 2, 2002.

| | Permits issued as of November 18, 2002 | | |
|------------------|--|-----------|--------|
| | 2002/03 | 2001/02 | % chg |
| Utilization (kg) | 947,139 | 2,969,839 | -68.1 |
| Balance (kg) | 2,022,861 | 2,970,000 | -31.9 |
| % Utilization | 31.9% | 100.0% | (68.1) |

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