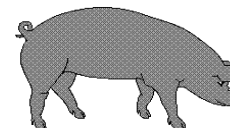




Hog Statistics at a Glance CANADA



For the Week Ending October 15, 2005

Federal Slaughter

	weekly kill # head	CUMULATIVE TOTALS TO DATE		
		2005 '000 head	2004 '000 head	% chg
West	136,509	6,784.0	6,660.0	1.9
Ontario	70,269	3,268.0	3,327.0	-1.8
Quebec	133,784	6,321.0	6,487.0	-2.6
Atlantic	7,933	340.0	383.0	-11.2
CANADA	348,495	16,713.0	16,857.0	-0.9
Pork Production (t)	30,493	1,462,388	1,469,930	-0.5
Estimated Sow Slaughter	2,102	95,110	97,377	-2.3

Weekly Prices \$/kg (index 100)

	2005	2004	% chg
Ontario*	141.13	161.82	-12.8
Quebec	141.36	178.44	-20.8
Alberta	137.30	170.90	-19.7
Manitoba*	145.00	174.00	-16.7
British Columbia	159.10	198.00	-19.6
Saskatchewan	137.80	161.90	-14.9
Nova Scotia	146.81	183.07	-19.8
Prince Ed. Is.	139.27	178.55	-22.0
New Brunswick	142.31	178.57	-20.3

*estimate

PORK EXPORTS

YTD for the period of January to August

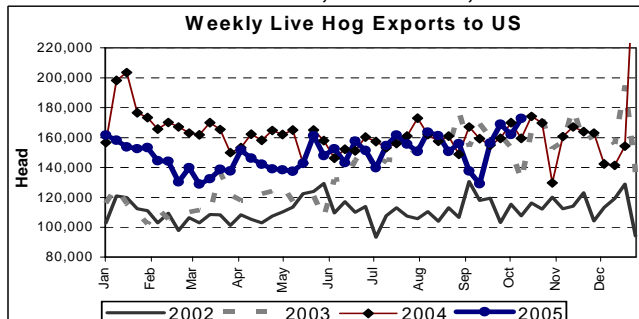
(Metric Tonnes)

FRESH, FROZEN AND PROCESSED PORK	2005	2004	% chg
United States	249,834	274,353	(8.9)
Japan	189,043	142,960	32.2
Australia	24,802	23,553	5.3
Russia	18,956	7,979	137.6
Mexico	41,338	46,155	(10.4)
South Korea	39,884	20,487	94.7
China	29,854	24,510	21.8
Taiwan	12,873	14,158	(9.1)
Cuba	3,773	5,242	(28.0)
New Zealand	4,069	4,108	(0.9)
Other	65,286	55,322	18.0
Total	679,712	618,827	9.8

Source: STATISTICS CANADA

LIVE HOG EXPORTS TO U.S.

	YTD 05	YTD 04	% chg
HOGS (head)			
Barrows/Gilts/Sows	2,092,910	2,208,004	-5.2
Feeder Pigs	4,015,794	4,455,323	-9.9
Total	6,108,704	6,663,327	-8.3
Week Ending 05-10-15			
Barrows/Gilts/Sows	71,744	57,778	24.2
Feeder Pigs	100,917	101,766	-0.8
Total	172,661	159,544	8.2



IMPORTS

YTD for the week ending 05-10-08

(Metric Tonnes) preliminary

FRESH & FROZEN PORK	2005	2004	% chg
United States	62,927	53,418	17.8
Denmark	1,650	793	108.1
Other	27	53	-49.1

PROCESSED & OTHER PORK

	2005	2004	% chg
United States	12,567	11,038	13.9
Denmark	-	-	-
Other	130	147	-11.6
TOTAL IMPORTS	77,301	65,449	18.1

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, 2006. 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.

	Permits issued as of October 15, 2005		
	2005/2006	2004/2005	% chg
Utilization (kg)	1,788,828	602,272	197.0
Balance (kg)	1,181,172	2,367,728	-50.1
% Utilization	60.2%	20.3%	197.0

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