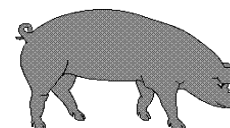




Hog Statistics at a Glance CANADA



For the Week Ending April 15, 2006

Federal Slaughter

	weekly kill # head	CUMULATIVE TOTALS TO DATE		
		2006 '000 head	2005 '000 head	% chg
West	138,561	2,518.0	2,598.0	-3.1
Ontario	65,767	1,195.0	1,231.0	-2.9
Quebec	145,418	2,337.0	2,480.0	-5.8
Atlantic	7,340	121.0	131.0	-7.6
CANADA	357,086	6,171.0	6,440.0	-4.2
Pork Production (t)	31,245	539,963	561,568	-3.8
Estimated Sow Slaughter	2,556	39,412	35,854	9.9

Weekly Prices \$/kg (index 100)

	2006	2005	% chg
Ontario*	111.78	152.31	-26.6
Quebec	112.23	163.32	-31.3
Alberta	102.45	151.20	-32.2
Manitoba*	112.00	156.00	-28.2
British Columbia	130.70	164.30	-20.5
Saskatchewan	102.10	142.20	-28.2
Nova Scotia	120.44	153.05	-21.3
Prince Ed. Is.	114.46	144.74	-20.9
New Brunswick	115.94	148.55	-22.0

*estimate

PORK EXPORTS

YTD for the period of February

(Metric Tonnes)

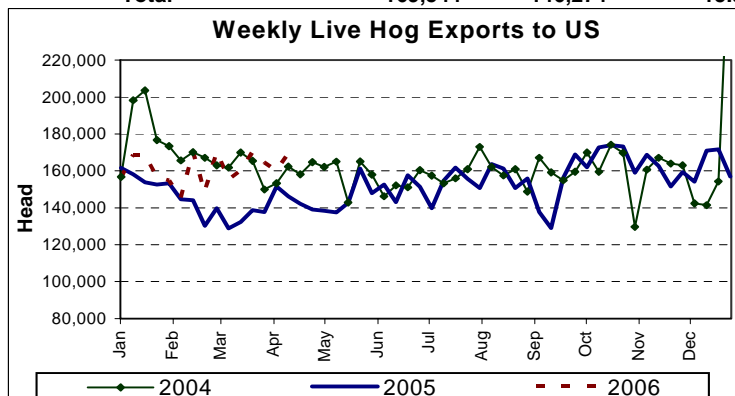
FRESH, FROZEN AND PROCESSED PORK

	2006	2005	% chg
United States	59,989	61,037	(1.7)
Japan	29,579	44,698	(33.8)
Australia	5,921	8,690	(31.9)
Russia	11,563	3,798	204.4
Mexico	7,794	10,730	(27.4)
South Korea	8,272	10,383	(20.3)
China	7,571	6,188	22.3
Taiwan	2,696	2,827	(4.6)
Cuba	1,832	288	536.1
New Zealand	832	690	20.6
Other	16,850	14,446	16.6
Total	152,899	163,775	(6.6)

Source: STATISTICS CANADA

LIVE HOG EXPORTS TO U.S.

	YTD 06	YTD 05	% chg
HOGS (head)			
Barrows/Gilts/Sows	738,529	710,580	3.9
Feeder Pigs	1,681,283	1,463,238	14.9
Total	2,419,812	2,173,818	11.3
Week Ending 06-04-15			
Barrows/Gilts/Sows	50,448	43,700	15.4
Feeder Pigs	119,096	102,574	16.1
Total	169,544	146,274	15.9



Source: USDA-APHIS

IMPORTS

YTD for the week ending 06-04-08

(Metric Tonnes) preliminary

FRESH & FROZEN PORK

	2006	2005	% chg
United States	24,194	21,831	10.8
Denmark (REVISIONS)	-	207	
Other	1	27	-96.3

PROCESSED & OTHER PORK

	2006	2005	% chg
United States	5,127	4,260	20.4
Denmark	-	-	
Other	104	40	160.0
TOTAL IMPORTS	29,426	26,365	11.6

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 April 15, 2006		
	2005/2006	2004/2005	% chg
Utilization (kg)	2,969,900	2,969,899	0.0
Balance (kg)	100	101	-1.0
% Utilization	100.0%	100.0%	0.0

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