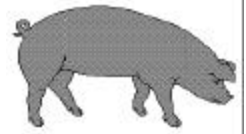




Hog Statistics at a Glance CANADA



For the Week Ending February 8, 2003

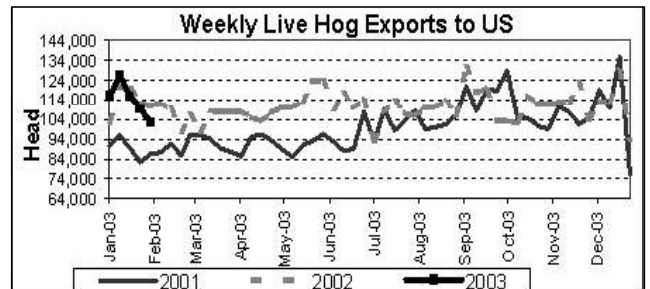
Federal Slaughter	weekly kill # head	CUMULATIVE TOTALS TO DATE		
		2003 '000 head	2002 '000 head	% chg
West	174,974	1,021.0	906.0	12.7
Ontario	83,908	482.0	464.0	3.9
Quebec	162,597	940.0	962.0	-2.3
Atlantic	10,170	61.0	61.0	0.0
CANADA	431,649	2,504.0	2,393.0	4.6
Pork Production (t)	37,769	219,100	207,952	5.4
Estimated Sow Slaughter	3,279	18,819	19,653	-4.2

Weekly Prices \$/kg (index 100)	2003			2002			% chg
	2003	2002	% chg	2003	2002	% chg	
Ontario	102.5%	1.39	1.70	-18.2			
Quebec	1.43	1.67	-14.4				
Alberta	1.28	1.56	-17.9				
Manitoba*	1.40	1.64	-14.6				
British Columbia	1.45	1.79	-19.0				
Saskatchewan	1.25	1.54	-18.8				
Nova Scotia	1.46	1.74	-16.1				
Prince Ed. Is.	1.42	1.70	-16.5				
New Brunswick	1.39	1.69	-17.8				

*estimate

PORK EXPORTS	YTD for week ending December 14, 2002		
(Metric Tonnes)	2002	2001	% chg
FRESH & FROZEN PORK			
United States	n/a	318,452	
Japan	183,940	169,460	8.5
Mexico	41,510	50,777	-18.3
Korea	31,215	29,801	4.7
Other	151,973	148,000	2.7
PROCESSED PORK			
United States	n/a	60,827	
Japan	1,986	1,116	78.0
Mexico	1,161	594	95.5
Korea	7	2	250.0
Other	7,137	6,750	5.7
TOTAL FAT EXPORTS	n/a	58,328	

LIVE HOG EXPORTS TO U.S.	YTD 03			YTD 02			% chg
	YTD 03	YTD 02	% chg	YTD 03	YTD 02	% chg	
HOGS (head)							
Barrows/Gilts/Sows	174,759	215,745	-19.0				
Feeder Pigs	395,735	351,431	12.6				
Total	570,494	567,176	0.6				
Week Ending 03-02-01							
Barrows/Gilts/Sows	30,685	37,961	-19.2				
Feeder Pigs	71,616	73,055	-2.0				
Total	102,301	111,016	-7.9				



Source: CFIA & USDA

Source: USDA-APHIS

IMPORTS	YTD for the week ending February 1, 2003		
(Metric Tonnes) preliminary	2003	2002	% chg
FRESH & FROZEN PORK			
United States	4,459	4,761	-6.3
Denmark	48	48	0.0
Other	199	-	

PROCESSED & OTHER PORK	2003	2002	% chg
United States	621	703	-11.7
Denmark	-	-	
Other	-	4	
TOTAL IMPORTS	5,327	5,516	-3.4

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 February 10, 2003		
	2003/04	2002/03	% chg
Utilization (kg)	1,645,232	2,969,839	-44.6
Balance (kg)	1,324,768	2,970,000	-55.4
% Utilization	55.4%	100.0%	(44.6)

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