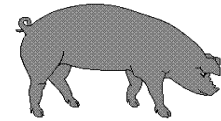




# Hog Statistics at a Glance CANADA



For the Week Ending January 15, 2005

Federal Slaughter	weekly kill # head	CUMULATIVE TOTALS TO DATE		
		2005	2004	% chg
		'000 head		
West	175,571	346.0	318.0	8.8
Ontario	90,074	175.0	152.0	15.1
Quebec	185,675	359.0	277.0	29.6
Atlantic (estimated)	9,211	19.0	21.0	-9.5
<b>CANADA</b>	<b>460,531</b>	<b>899.0</b>	<b>768.0</b>	<b>17.1</b>
<b>Pork Production (t)</b>	<b>40,296</b>	<b>78,663</b>	<b>66,970</b>	<b>17.5</b>
<b>Estimated Sow Slaughter</b>	<b>2,512</b>	<b>5,016</b>	<b>4,435</b>	<b>13.1</b>

Weekly Prices \$/kg (index 100)	2005	2004	% chg
	Ontario 102.5%	1.61	1.22
Quebec	1.58	1.16	36.2
Alberta	1.52	1.15	32.2
Manitoba*	1.58	1.25	26.4
British Columbia	1.71	1.24	37.9
Saskatchewan	1.41	1.12	25.9
Nova Scotia	1.53	1.15	33.0
Prince Ed. Is.	1.56	1.15	35.7
New Brunswick	1.48	1.11	33.3

\*estimate

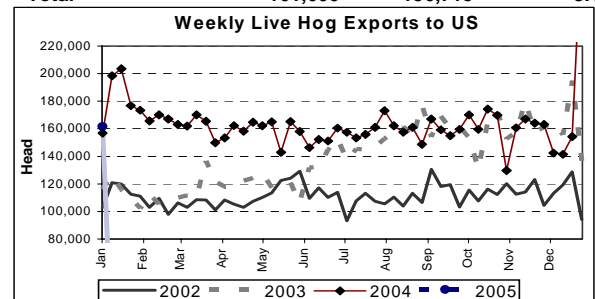
## PORK EXPORTS YTD for the period of January to November

(Metric Tonnes)	2004	2003	% chg
<b>FRESH, FROZEN AND PROCESSED PORK</b>			
United States	376,857	415,149	(9.2)
Japan	187,760	178,470	5.2
Australia	31,400	33,204	(5.4)
Russia	18,600	23,340	(20.3)
Mexico	63,069	51,177	23.2
South Korea	28,874	27,691	4.3
China	33,527	23,643	41.8
Taiwan	21,831	18,811	16.1
Cuba	6,255	6,056	3.3
New Zealand	6,705	7,152	(6.3)
Other	97,438	65,647	48.4
<b>Total</b>	<b>872,316</b>	<b>850,340</b>	<b>2.6</b>

Source: STATISTICS CANADA

## LIVE HOG EXPORTS TO U.S.

	YTD 05	YTD 04	% chg
<b>HOGS (head)</b>			
Barrows/Gilts/Sows	63,670	67,885	-6.2
Feeder Pigs	97,930	88,830	10.2
<b>Total</b>	<b>161,600</b>	<b>156,715</b>	<b>3.1</b>
<b>Week Ending 05-01-08</b>			
Barrows/Gilts/Sows	63,670	67,885	-6.2
Feeder Pigs	97,930	88,830	10.2
<b>Total</b>	<b>161,600</b>	<b>156,715</b>	<b>3.1</b>



Source: USDA-APHIS

## IMPORTS YTD for the week ending 05-01-08

(Metric Tonnes) preliminary	2005	2004	% chg
<b>FRESH &amp; FROZEN PORK</b>			
United States	1,143	546	109.3
Denmark	25	-	
Other	-	-	

## PROCESSED & OTHER PORK

	2005	2004	% chg
United States	189	26	626.9
Denmark	-	-	
Other	-	-	
<b>TOTAL IMPORTS</b>	<b>1,357</b>	<b>572</b>	<b>137.2</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, 2005. 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 January 15, 2005		
	2004/2005	2003/2004	% chg
Utilization (kg)	1,718,587	2,970,000	-42.1
Balance (kg)	1,251,413	-	
% Utilization	57.9%	100.0%	(42.1)

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