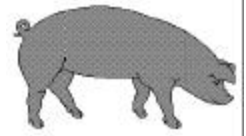




Hog Statistics at a Glance CANADA



For the Week Ending March 2, 2002

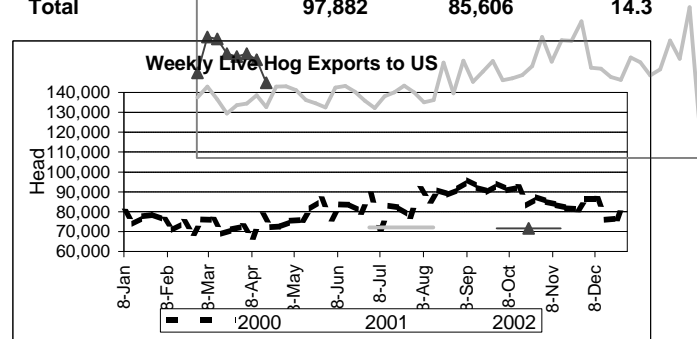
Federal Slaughter	weekly kill # head	CUMULATIVE TOTALS TO DATE		
		2002 '000 head	2001	% chg
West	151,875	1,365.0	1,253.0	8.9
Ontario	73,523	688.0	648.0	6.2
Quebec	159,820	1,442.0	1,351.0	6.7
Atlantic	10,095	91.0	90.0	1.1
CANADA	395,313	3,586.0	3,342.0	7.3
Pork Production (t)	33,740	313,775	289,417	8.4
Estimated Sow Slaughter	3,346	26,407	34,490	-23.4

Weekly Prices \$/kg (index 100)	2002		
	2001	% chg	
Ontario 102.5%	1.64	1.71	-4.1
Quebec	1.68	1.71	-1.8
Alberta	1.50	1.58	-5.1
Manitoba	1.60	1.63	-1.8
British Columbia	1.69	1.66	1.8
Saskatchewan	1.46	1.57	-7.0
Nova Scotia	1.67	1.57	6.4
Prince Ed. Is.	1.63	1.62	0.6
New Brunswick	1.62	1.53	5.9

PORK EXPORTS	YTD for week ending January 5, 2002	LIVE HOG EXPORTS TO U.S.
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(Metric Tonnes)	2002	2001	% chg
FRESH & FROZEN PORK			
United States	3,017	3,739	-19.3
Japan	1,955	1,965	-0.5
Mexico	499	740	-32.6
Korea	235	449	-47.7
Other	1,106	2,149	-48.5
PROCESSED PORK			
United States	499	638	-21.8
Japan	1	1	
Mexico	37	-	
Korea	-	-	
Other	23	63	-63.5
TOTAL PORK EXPORTS	7,372	9,744	-24.3
TOTAL FAT EXPORTS	532	792	-32.8

	YTD 02	YTD 01	% chg
HOGS (head)			
Barrows/Gilts/Sows	332,131	301,914	10.0
Feeder Pigs	545,441	407,332	33.9
Total	877,572	709,246	23.7
Week Ending 02-02-23			
Barrows/Gilts/Sows	34,157	33,243	2.7
Feeder Pigs	63,725	52,363	21.7
Total	97,882	85,606	14.3



Source: CFIA & USDA

Source: USDA-APHIS

IMPORTS	YTD for the week ending February 23		
(Metric Tonnes) preliminary	2002	2001	% chg
FRESH & FROZEN PORK			
United States	9,440	7,945	18.8
Denmark	48	472	-89.8
Other	-	90	

PROCESSED & OTHER PORK	2002	2001	% chg
United States	1,364	1,258	8.4
Denmark	-	2	
Other	20	102	-80.4
TOTAL IMPORTS	10,872	9,869	10.2

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.

	August 1 - March 2		
	2001/02	2000/01	% chg
Utilization (kg)	2,969,459	2,970,000	(0.0)
Balance (kg)	541	-	-
% Utilization	99.8%	100.0%	-



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Canadian Hog Slaughter by Province of Origin

Total Slaughter Year to Date March 2, 2002

Week ending March 2, 2002

	2002	2001	% chg	2002	2001	% chg
British Columbia	42,942	35,369	21.4	4,397	4,054	8.5
Alberta	579,310	504,615	14.8	64,456	51,975	24.0
Saskatchewan	236,807	207,088	14.4	25,907	22,535	15.0
Manitoba	587,891	588,692	-0.1	64,819	68,740	-5.7
Ontario	921,599	863,502	6.7	98,245	98,355	-0.1
Quebec	1,303,421	1,219,884	6.8	140,466	132,819	5.8
New Brunswick	34,883	39,499	-11.7	5,025	4,230	18.8
Nova Scotia	39,327	40,400	-2.7	4,256	4,385	-2.9
Prince Edward Island	37,445	35,300	6.1	4,157	4,027	3.2
CANADA	3,783,625	3,534,349	7.1	411,728	391,120	5.3

UNITED STATES

Year To Date for the Week Ending March 2, 2002

Supply Summary

	2002	2001	% chg
Slaughter ('000 head)	16,368	16,780	-2.5
Slaughter for the week	1,843	1,837	0.3
Avg Dressed Wt (lbs)	199	196	1.5
Pork Produced (mil lbs)	3,232	3,290	-1.8

Source: USDA-APHIS

Weekly US Prices (\$/cwt)

	2002	2001	% chg
South St. Paul	n/a	n/a	-
Sioux Falls	38.33	n/a	-
Lancaster County	38.75	n/a	-
National Cost	53.99	60.70	-11.1

(51-54% Lean Yield Basis)

LEADING MARKETS FOR US PORK PLUS VARIETY MEAT EXPORTS (January-December)

COUNTRY	Year-to-date Quantity (Metric Tons)			COUNTRY	Year-to-date Quantity (Metric Tons)		
	01/01 - 12/01	01/00 - 12/00	% change		01/01 - 12/01	01/00 - 12/00	% change
Japan	256,015	207,551	23.4	Russia	32,148	12,870	149.8
Mexico	190,900	174,720	9.3	Taiwan	11,676	25,895	-54.9
Canada	69,903	52,531	33.1	Caribbean	7,693	5,881	30.8
China	14,054	4,285	228.0	Korea	14,192	13,864	2.4
Hong Kong	33,649	27,140	24.0	United Kingdom	7,680	6,529	17.6
Central & South America	15,380	13,213	16.4	European Union	11,932	9,590	24.4
Eastern Europe	3,109	1,865	66.7	World Total	671,666	557,951	20.4

Source: USMEF

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