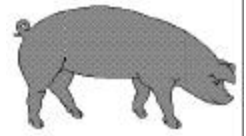




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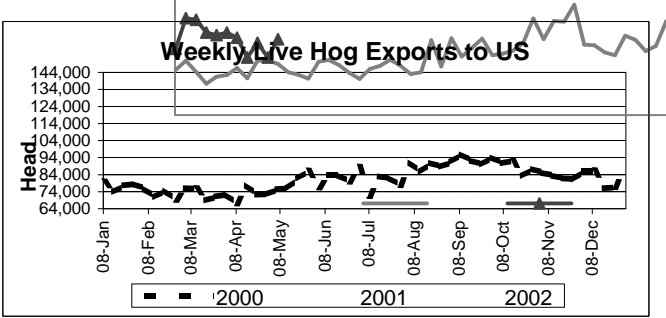
For the Week Ending March 30, 2002

Federal Slaughter	weekly kill # head	CUMULATIVE TOTALS TO DATE			Weekly Prices \$/kg (index 100)			
		2002 '000 head	2001	% chg	2002	2001	% chg	
West	125,862	1,936.0	1,815.0	6.7	Ontario 102.5%	1.44	1.93	-25.4
Ontario	63,941	971.0	933.0	4.1	Quebec	1.47	1.96	-25.0
Quebec	157,509	2,070.0	1,952.0	6.0	Alberta	1.32	1.78	-25.8
Atlantic	9,490	130.0	128.0	1.6	Manitoba	1.48	1.82	-18.7
CANADA	356,802	5,107.0	4,828.0	5.8	British Columbia	1.49	2.08	-28.4
					Saskatchewan	1.28	1.76	-27.3
					Nova Scotia	1.57	1.93	-18.7
Pork Production (t)	30,453	446,863	418,105	6.9	Prince Ed. Is.	1.45	1.96	-26.0
Estimated Sow Slaughter	2,817	42,694	49,605	-13.9	New Brunswick	1.53	1.88	-18.6

PORK EXPORTS	YTD for week ending February 2, 2002	LIVE HOG EXPORTS TO U.S.
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(Metric Tonnes)	2002	2001	% chg
FRESH & FROZEN PORK			
United States	21,706	27,725	-21.7
Japan	13,584	16,546	-17.9
Mexico	3,728	4,534	-17.8
Korea	1,954	2,803	-30.3
Other	8,499	13,993	-39.3
PROCESSED PORK			
United States	4,519	5,222	-13.5
Japan	4	69	-94.2
Mexico	100	33	203.0
Korea	-	-	-
Other	412	644	-36.0
TOTAL PORK EXPORTS	54,506	71,569	-23.8
TOTAL FAT EXPORTS	3,514	5,684	-38.2

	YTD 02	YTD 01	% chg
HOGS (head)			
Barrows/Gilts/Sows	485,622	453,465	7.1
Feeder Pigs	818,277	630,938	29.7
Total	1,303,899	1,084,403	20.2
Week Ending 02-03-23			
Barrows/Gilts/Sows	41,421	39,419	5.1
Feeder Pigs	66,864	49,704	34.5
Total	108,285	89,123	21.5



Source: CFIA & USDA

Source: USDA-APHIS

IMPORTS	YTD for the week ending March 23	PROCESSED & OTHER PORK					
(Metric Tonnes) preliminary	2002	2001	% chg	2002	2001	% chg	
FRESH & FROZEN PORK							
United States	14,903	13,631	9.3	United States	2,993	2,794	7.1
Denmark	48	478	-90.0	Denmark	-	2	-
Other	-	90	-	Other	241	131	84.0
				TOTAL IMPORTS	18,185	17,126	6.2

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 30		
	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 30, 2002

Week ending March 30, 2002

	2002	2001	% chg	2002	2001	% chg
British Columbia	61,955	50,219	23.4	4,749	3,648	30.2
Alberta	810,706	728,126	11.3	52,221	53,639	-2.6
Saskatchewan	347,996	296,919	17.2	26,453	22,104	19.7
Manitoba	831,295	853,727	-2.6	50,783	65,458	-22.4
Ontario	1,308,067	1,245,932	5.0	88,535	93,248	-5.1
Quebec	1,859,112	1,753,068	6.0	140,926	134,508	4.8
New Brunswick	51,837	56,501	-8.3	3,874	4,232	-8.5
Nova Scotia	56,955	57,465	-0.9	4,214	4,346	-3.0
Prince Edward Island	53,116	51,220	3.7	3,678	3,957	-7.1
CANADA	5,381,039	5,093,177	5.7	375,433	385,140	-2.5

UNITED STATES

Year To Date for the Week Ending March 30, 2002

Supply Summary

	2002	2001	% chg
Slaughter ('000 head)	23,857	24,219	-1.5
Slaughter for the week	1,872	1,863	0.5
Avg Dressed Wt (lbs)	199	197	1.0
Pork Produced (mil lbs)	4,724	4,748	-0.5

Source: USDA-APHIS

Weekly US Prices (\$/cwt)

	2002	2001	% chg
South St. Paul	n/a	n/a	-
Sioux Falls	34.81	n/a	-
Lancaster County	39.25	n/a	-
National Cost	48.75	65.76	-25.9

(51-54% Lean Yield Basis)

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

COUNTRY	Year-to-date Quantity (Metric Tons)			COUNTRY	Year-to-date Quantity (Metric Tons)		
	01/02 - 01/02	01/01 - 01/01	% change		01/02 - 01/02	01/01 - 01/01	% change
Japan	23,274	20,228	15.1	Russia	1,520	2,939	-48.3
Mexico	21,489	19,092	12.6	Taiwan	881	967	-8.9
Canada	6,048	4,012	50.7	Caribbean	329	204	61.3
China	1,855	940	97.3	Korea	1,027	735	39.7
Hong Kong	1,685	2,559	-34.2	United Kingdom	182	1,699	-89.3
Central & South America	912	1,177	-22.5	European Union	244	1,864	-86.9
Eastern Europe	154	220	-30.0	World Total	60,206	55,540	8.4

Source: USMEF

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