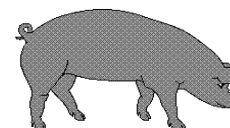




# Hog Statistics at a Glance CANADA



For the Week Ending November 26, 2005

## Federal Slaughter

|                                | weekly kill<br># head | CUMULATIVE TOTALS TO DATE |                   |             |
|--------------------------------|-----------------------|---------------------------|-------------------|-------------|
|                                |                       | 2005<br>'000 head         | 2004<br>'000 head | % chg       |
| West                           | 177,366               | 7,801.0                   | 7,652.0           | 1.9         |
| Ontario                        | 78,344                | 3,768.0                   | 3,760.0           | 0.2         |
| Quebec                         | 165,535               | 7,328.0                   | 7,541.0           | -2.8        |
| Atlantic                       | 7,528                 | 386.0                     | 436.0             | -11.5       |
| <b>CANADA</b>                  | <b>428,773</b>        | <b>19,283.0</b>           | <b>19,389.0</b>   | <b>-0.5</b> |
| <b>Pork Production (t)</b>     | <b>37,518</b>         | <b>1,687,263</b>          | <b>1,690,721</b>  | <b>-0.2</b> |
| <b>Estimated Sow Slaughter</b> | <b>2,723</b>          | <b>109,186</b>            | <b>110,622</b>    | <b>-1.3</b> |

## Weekly Prices \$/kg (index 100)

|                  | 2005   | 2004   | % chg |
|------------------|--------|--------|-------|
| Ontario*         | 130.70 | 146.14 | -10.6 |
| Quebec           | 138.02 | 163.66 | -15.7 |
| Alberta          | 116.10 | 163.73 | -29.1 |
| Manitoba*        | 124.00 | 162.00 | -23.5 |
| British Columbia | 145.10 | 177.50 | -18.3 |
| Saskatchewan     | 114.60 | 155.50 | -26.3 |
| Nova Scotia      | 135.27 | 143.92 | -6.0  |
| Prince Ed. Is.   | 123.87 | 164.70 | -24.8 |
| New Brunswick    | 130.77 | 139.42 | -6.2  |

\*estimate

## PORK EXPORTS

YTD for the period of January to September

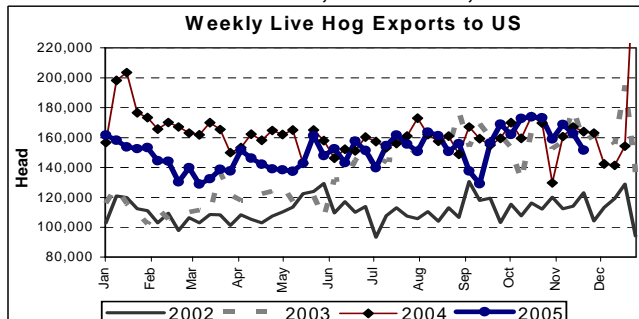
(Metric Tonnes)

| FRESH, FROZEN AND PROCESSED PORK | 2005           | 2004           | % chg      |
|----------------------------------|----------------|----------------|------------|
| United States                    | 281,673        | 309,732        | (9.1)      |
| Japan                            | 210,856        | 159,120        | 32.5       |
| Australia                        | 27,110         | 25,823         | 5.0        |
| Russia                           | 21,480         | 10,232         | 109.9      |
| Mexico                           | 46,642         | 52,858         | (11.8)     |
| South Korea                      | 45,163         | 22,809         | 98.0       |
| China                            | 34,175         | 27,249         | 25.4       |
| Taiwan                           | 14,897         | 17,208         | (13.4)     |
| Cuba                             | 4,344          | 5,439          | (20.1)     |
| New Zealand                      | 5,064          | 5,418          | (6.5)      |
| Other                            | 73,225         | 63,612         | 15.1       |
| <b>Total</b>                     | <b>764,629</b> | <b>699,500</b> | <b>9.3</b> |

Source: STATISTICS CANADA

## LIVE HOG EXPORTS TO U.S.

|                             | YTD 05           | YTD 04           | % chg       |
|-----------------------------|------------------|------------------|-------------|
| <b>HOGS (head)</b>          |                  |                  |             |
| Barrows/Gilts/Sows          | 2,453,568        | 2,583,266        | -5.0        |
| Feeder Pigs                 | 4,644,619        | 5,045,230        | -7.9        |
| <b>Total</b>                | <b>7,098,187</b> | <b>7,628,496</b> | <b>-7.0</b> |
| <b>Week Ending 05-11-26</b> |                  |                  |             |
| Barrows/Gilts/Sows          | 50,966           | 65,876           | -22.6       |
| Feeder Pigs                 | 100,713          | 98,068           | 2.7         |
| <b>Total</b>                | <b>151,679</b>   | <b>163,944</b>   | <b>-7.5</b> |



## IMPORTS

YTD for the week ending 05-11-19

(Metric Tonnes) preliminary

| FRESH & FROZEN PORK | 2005   | 2004   | % chg |
|---------------------|--------|--------|-------|
| United States       | 75,095 | 62,556 | 20.0  |
| Denmark (REVISIONS) | 399    | 906    | -56.0 |
| Other               | 27     | 104    | -74.0 |

## PROCESSED & OTHER PORK

|                      | 2005          | 2004          | % chg       |
|----------------------|---------------|---------------|-------------|
| United States        | 14,759        | 12,319        | 19.8        |
| Denmark              | -             | -             | -           |
| Other                | 218           | 171           | 27.5        |
| <b>TOTAL IMPORTS</b> | <b>90,498</b> | <b>76,056</b> | <b>19.0</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, 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 November 26, 2005 |           |       |
|------------------|--|-----------|-------|
|                  | 2005/2006                              | 2004/2005 | % chg |
| Utilization (kg) | 2,964,738                              | 1,071,472 | 176.7 |
| Balance (kg)     | 5,262                                  | 1,898,528 | -99.7 |
| % Utilization    | 99.8%                                  | 36.1%     | 176.7 |

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