



SHEEP SUPPLY CANADA

Year To Date for the Month Ending August, 2007

Fed. & Prov. Slaughter (head)			
preliminary	2007	2006	% chg
B.C./Alta/Sask./Man.	64,014	63,840	0.3
Ontario	151,628	185,824	-18.4
Quebec	46,600	99,430	-53.1
Atl. Provinces	7,173	6,847	4.8
Canada	269,415	355,941	-24.3

Federal Slaughter			
East for August	6,980	7,067	-1.2
West for August	5,485	3,709	47.9
East YTD	57,712	52,993	8.9
West YTD	45,202	43,259	4.5

Provincial Slaughter			
	preliminary		
East for August	41,861	25,213	66.0
West for August	6,106	3,359	81.8
East YTD	147,689	239,108	-38.2
West YTD	18,812	20,581	-8.6

Source: AAFC-Red Meat Section

Monthly Prices			
	2007		2006
Slaughter Lambs	<i>Alberta Average \$/cwt</i>		
Live	95-115	112.00 - 115.00	115.00 - 125.00
Live	115 +	-	-
Rail Hair	95-115	2.50	n/a
Rail Wool	95-115	2.50	n/a
Feeder lambs		128.00 - 132.00	122.00 - 135.00
Sheep slaughter		20.00 - 30.00	15.00 - 30.00

Source: Sunterra Meats Ltd.

	2007	Mkt Lambs	Feeder Lambs	Sheep
		95-115 lbs	61-80 lbs	all wts
Ontario		150.34	184.01	n/a
Central Alta		125.10		

Source: Alberta Agriculture Food and Rural Development

Monthly Prices			
	2007	2006	% chg
Ontario Average \$/cwt			
A&B - 79	166.62	131.01	27.2
A&B 80-94 lbs	150.23	125.90	19.3
New Crop	161.54	135.42	19.3
Sheep	78.70	85.88	-8.4

Source: AAFC-Red Meat Section

EXPORTS

For the period of January to August

(No. head) to U.S.	2007	2006	% chg
Slaughter lambs	20	3,111	
Feeder Sheep & Lambs	-	-	

Source: Statistics Canada (Metric Tonnes)

For the period of January to August

Lamb & Mutton	2007	2006	% chg
- United States	-	-	
- Korea	-	-	
- Other	3	30	

Source: CFIA

IMPORTS

For the period of January to August

(No. head) from U.S.	2007	2006	% chg
Pure-bred	-	-	
Feeder/Slaughter	-	-	

Source: Statistics Canada (Metric Tonnes)

For the period of January to August

Mutton & Lamb	2007	2006	% chg
- New Zealand	6,649	6,411	3.7
- Australia	3,131	4,148	-24.5
- Other	116	273	-57.5
- Total	9,896	10,832	-8.6

Source: CFIA

UNITED STATES

Year To Date for the Month Ending August

Total Sheep and Lambs

	2007	2006	% chg
Slaughter ('000 head)	1,663	1,705	-2.5
Avg Dressed Wt (lbs)	66	66	
Lamb/Mutton (mil lbs)	116.5	119.9	-2.8

U.S. Lamb & Mutton Exports (metric tons)

Year to date for Month Ending July

	2007	2006	% chg
Canada	334	290	13.2
Mexico	1,650	3,436	-108.2
Central & South America	5	12	-140.0
Caribbean	444	931	-109.7
Bahamas	98	184	-87.8
World Total	2,587	4,862	-87.9

U.S Price Summary

August

	2007	2006
	\$/cwt	
Choice Lambs - San Angelo	91.38	81.25

Last month, the data reported was for lamb plus variety meats instead of lamb exports.

Source: Red Meat Section, Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada

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