



# Sheep Supply CANADA

Year To Date for the Month Ending May, 2001

Fed. & Prov. Slaughter (head)			
preliminary	2001	2000	% chg
B.C./Alta/Sask./Man.	28,909	28,973	-0.2
Ontario	46,645	85,886	-45.7
Quebec	37,510	35,153	6.7
Atl. Provinces	3,035	3,333	-8.9
<b>Canada</b>	<b>116,099</b>	<b>153,345</b>	<b>-24.3</b>

Monthly Prices			
	2001	2000	% chg
<b>Ontario Average \$/cwt</b>			
A&B -79	171.18	170.19	0.6
A&B 80-94 lbs	167.33	161.52	3.6
New Crop	166.71	147.43	13.1
Sheep	56.72	58.44	-2.9
<b>2000</b>	<b>Mkt Lambs</b>	<b>Feeder Lambs</b>	<b>Sheep</b>
Edmonton	113.25	123.00	74.25/HD
Central Alta	110.40	n/a	n/a

## EXPORTS

(No. head) to U.S.	2001	2000	% chg
Slaughter lambs	44,862	23,578	90.3
Feeder Sheep & Lambs	291	-	

(Metric Tonnes)	For the period January 1 - April 30		
Lamb & Mutton	2001	2000	% chg
- United States	6	46	-87.0
- France	12	-	
- Other	61	68	-10.3
<b>- Total</b>	<b>79</b>	<b>114</b>	<b>-30.7</b>

## IMPORTS

(No. head) from U.S.	2001	2000	% chg
Slaughter	-	-	-
Feeder	-	-	-

(Metric Tonnes)	2001	2000	% chg
<b>Mutton &amp; Lamb</b>			
- New Zealand	3,482	3,583	-2.8
- Australia	1,407	2,116	-33.5
- Other	61	75	-18.7
<b>- Total</b>	<b>4,950</b>	<b>5,774</b>	<b>-14.3</b>

Source: Statistics Canada

# UNITED STATES

Year To Date for the Month Ending May

## Total Sheep and Lambs

	2001	2000	% chg
Slaughter ('000 head)	1,279	1,440	-11.2
Avg Dressed Wt (lbs)	71	68	4.4
Lamb/Mutton (mil lbs)	91.2	99.3	-8.2

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

Year to date for Month Ending April

	2001	2000	% chg
Canada	1,069	476	55.5
Mexico	1,083	1,136	-4.9
Central & South America	102	80	21.6
Caribbean	225	91	59.6
Japan	27	79	-192.6
<b>World Total</b>	<b>2,859</b>	<b>1,971</b>	<b>31.1</b>

## U.S Price Summary

May

	2001	2000
	\$/cwt	
Choice Lambs - San Angelo	86.31	91.65

## Wholesale Price Record Lamb \$/cwt

	2001	2000
Rack, 8 Rib, 7/Dn	425	620
Lamb, Loin Trmd 4x4	390	620
Leg, Shank-Off	240	215

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