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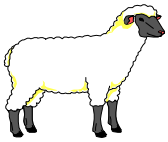

SHEEP SUPPLY CANADA

Year To Date for the Month Ending October, 2005

Fed. & Prov. Slaughter (head)

preliminary	2005	2004	% chg
B.C./Alta/Sask./Man.	89,310	94,252	-5.2
Ontario	253,690	242,613	4.6
Quebec	94,431	104,366	-9.5
Atl. Provinces	10,496	8,422	24.6
Canada	**447,927**	**449,653**	**-0.4**

Monthly Prices

Alberta Average $/cwt		2005	2004
Slaughter lambs	95 - 115	115.00 - 120.00	65.00 - 70.00
	115 +	-	40.00 - 45.00
Feeder lambs		125.00 - 135.00	55.00 - 78.00
Sheep slaughter		15.00 - 32.00	10.00 - 20.00

Source: Sunterra meats Ltd.

Monthly Prices

Ontario Average $/cwt	2005	2004	% chg
A&B -79	162.80	112.75	44.4
A&B 80-94 lbs	152.16	94.70	60.7
New Crop	154.69	92.84	66.6
Sheep	70.84	40.27	75.9

2005	Mkt Lambs	Feeder Lambs	Sheep
Edmonton	n/a	n/a	n/a
Central Alta	115.20		

Source: Alberta Agriculture Food and Rural Development

EXPORTS

For the period of October

(No. head) to U.S.	2005	2004	% chg
Slaughter lambs	659	-	
Feeder Sheep & Lambs	-	-	

(Metric Tonnes) For the period January 1 - October 8

Lamb & Mutton	2005	2004	% chg
- United States	-	-	
- Korea	-	-	
- Other	15	24	-37.5

Source: CFIA

IMPORTS

(No. head) from U.S.	2005	2004	% chg
Slaughter	-	-	-
Feeder	-	-	-

(Metric Tonnes) For the period of October

Mutton & Lamb	2005	2004	% chg
- New Zealand	7,910	8,353	-5.3
- Australia	3,695	3,025	22.1
- Other	248	133	86.5
- Total	**11,853**	**11,511**	**3.0**

UNITED STATES

Year To Date for the Month Ending October

Total Sheep and Lambs

	2005	2004	% chg
Slaughter ('000 head)	2,098	2,218	-5.4
Avg Dressed Wt (lbs)	69	69	0.0
Lamb/Mutton (mil lbs)	147.5	152.9	-3.5

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

Year to date for Month Ending September

	2005	2004	% chg
Canada	281	210	25.3
Mexico	2,075	1,784	14.0
Central & South America	10	43	-330.0
Caribbean	321	216	32.7
Bahamas	234	144	38.5
World Total	**2,896**	**2,341**	**19.2**

U.S Price Summary

October

	2005	2004
	$/cwt	
Choice Lambs - San Angelo	93.00	91.20

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

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