



# SHEEP SUPPLY CANADA

Year To Date for the Month Ending October, 2006

## Fed. & Prov. Slaughter (head)

preliminary	2006	2005	% chg
B.C./Alta/Sask./Man.	80,529	89,861	-10.4
Ontario	231,199	253,690	-8.9
Quebec	75,960	125,450	-39.4
Atl. Provinces	6,717	10,536	-36.2
Canada	<b>394,405</b>	<b>479,537</b>	<b>-17.8</b>

## Monthly Prices

	2006	2005
<b>Alberta Average \$/cwt</b>		
Slaughter lambs 95 - 115	117.00 - 125.00	115.00 - 120.00
115 +	-	-
Feeder lambs	110.00 - 140.00	125.00 - 135.00
Sheep slaughter	15.00 - 35.00	15.00 - 32.00

Source: Sunterra meats Ltd.

## Monthly Prices

	2006	2005	% chg
<b>Ontario Average \$/cwt</b>			
A&B -79	167.89	162.80	3.1
A&B 80-94 lbs	146.64	152.16	-3.6
New Crop	171.58	154.69	10.9
Sheep	83.74	70.84	18.2

## 2006 Mkt Lambs Feeder Lambs Sheep

Edmonton	n/a	n/a	n/a
Central Alta	121.20		

Source: Alberta Agriculture Food and Rural Development

## EXPORTS

For the period January - October

(No. head) to U.S.	2006	2005	% chg
Slaughter lambs	3,111	659	
Feeder Sheep & Lambs	-	-	

(Metric Tonnes)

For the period January - October

Lamb & Mutton	2006	2005	% chg
- United States	-	-	
- Korea	-	-	
- Other	34	18	88.9

Source: CFIA

## IMPORTS

(No. head) from U.S.	2006	2005	% chg
Slaughter	-	54	-
Feeder	-	-	-

(Metric Tonnes)

For the period of January - October

Mutton & Lamb	2006	2005	% chg
- New Zealand	8,059	8,184	-1.5
- Australia	4,915	3,849	27.7
- Other	393	286	37.4
- Total	<b>13,367</b>	<b>12,319</b>	<b>8.5</b>

# UNITED STATES

Year To Date for the Month Ending October

## Total Sheep and Lambs

	2006	2005	% chg
Slaughter ('000 head)	2,098	2,111	-0.6
Avg Dressed Wt (lbs)	66	71	-7.0
Lamb/Mutton (mil lbs)	146.1	147.5	-0.9

## U.S Price Summary

October

	2006	2005
	\$/cwt	
Choice Lambs - San Angelo	97.67	93.00

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

Year to date for Month Ending September

	2006	2005	% chg
Canada	522	281	46.2
Mexico	4,559	2,075	54.5
Central & South America	38	10	73.7
Caribbean	1,004	321	68.0
Bahamas	204	234	-14.7
<b>World Total</b>	<b>6,399</b>	<b>2,896</b>	<b>54.7</b>

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

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