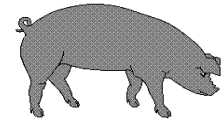




# Hog Statistics at a Glance CANADA



For the Week Ending May 28, 2005

Federal Slaughter	weekly kill # head	CUMULATIVE TOTALS TO DATE		
		2005	2004	% chg
		'000 head		
West	145,234	3,576.0	3,435.0	4.1
Ontario	67,098	1,696.0	1,687.0	0.5
Quebec	124,728	3,371.0	3,323.0	1.4
Atlantic	8,193	180.0	202.0	-10.9
<b>CANADA</b>	<b>345,253</b>	<b>8,823.0</b>	<b>8,647.0</b>	<b>2.0</b>
<b>Pork Production (t)</b>	<b>30,210</b>	<b>772,013</b>	<b>754,018</b>	<b>2.4</b>
<b>Estimated Sow Slaughter</b>	<b>1,848</b>	<b>49,354</b>	<b>53,077</b>	<b>-7.0</b>

Weekly Prices \$/c/kg (index 100)	2005			2004			% chg
	2005	2004	% chg	2005	2004	% chg	
Ontario*	169.11	190.35	-11.2				
Quebec	168.46	210.60	-20.0				
Alberta	157.30	202.40	-22.3				
Manitoba*	170.00	202.00	-15.8				
British Columbia	171.70	221.50	-22.5				
Saskatchewan	145.50	192.40	-24.4				
Nova Scotia	180.19	199.92	-9.9				
Prince Ed. Is.	165.90	201.68	-17.7				
New Brunswick	175.69	195.42	-10.1				

\*estimate

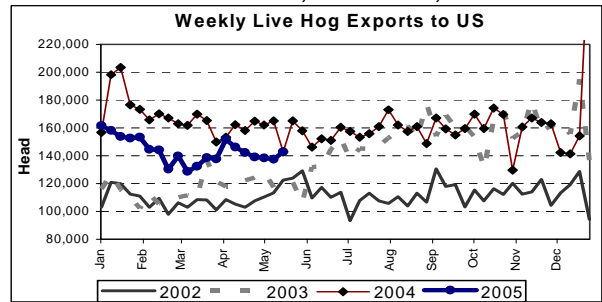
## PORK EXPORTS YTD for the period of January to March 31, 2005

(Metric Tonnes)	2005	2004	% chg
<b>FRESH, FROZEN AND PROCESSED PORK</b>			
United States	91,697	102,441	(10.5)
Japan	61,696	54,296	13.6
Australia	13,098	8,699	50.6
Russia	6,128	3,787	61.8
Mexico	15,477	14,277	8.4
South Korea	16,003	7,391	116.5
China	8,557	7,342	16.5
Taiwan	5,281	6,298	(16.1)
Cuba	368	2,536	(85.5)
New Zealand	1,312	1,160	13.1
Other	24,119	22,653	6.5
<b>Total</b>	<b>243,736</b>	<b>230,880</b>	<b>5.6</b>

Source: STATISTICS CANADA

## LIVE HOG EXPORTS TO U.S.

	YTD 05	YTD 04	% chg
<b>HOGS (head)</b>			
Barrows/Gilts/Sows	934,099	1,131,676	-17.5
Feeder Pigs	1,939,678	2,198,549	-11.8
<b>Total</b>	<b>2,873,777</b>	<b>3,330,225</b>	<b>-13.7</b>
<b>Week Ending 05-05-21</b>			
Barrows/Gilts/Sows	46,024	45,062	2.1
Feeder Pigs	96,748	97,796	-1.1
<b>Total</b>	<b>142,772</b>	<b>142,858</b>	<b>-0.1</b>



Source: USDA-APHIS

## IMPORTS YTD for the week ending 05-05-21

(Metric Tonnes) preliminary	2005	2004	% chg
<b>FRESH &amp; FROZEN PORK</b>			
United States	30,407	28,519	6.6
Denmark	224	233	-3.9
Other	27	3	

PROCESSED & OTHER PORK	2005	2004	% chg
United States	5,848	5,718	2.3
Denmark	-	-	
Other	39	51	-23.5
<b>TOTAL IMPORTS</b>	<b>36,545</b>	<b>34,524</b>	<b>5.9</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, 2005. 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 May 28, 2005		
	2004/2005	2003/2004	% chg
Utilization (kg)	2,969,899	2,970,000	0.0
Balance (kg)	101	-	
% Utilization	100.0%	100.0%	(0.0)

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