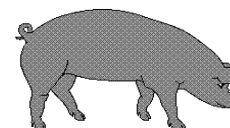




Hog Statistics at a Glance CANADA



For the Week Ending October 1, 2005

Federal Slaughter

	weekly kill # head	CUMULATIVE TOTALS TO DATE		
		2005 '000 head	2004 '000 head	% chg
West	169,153	6,486.0	6,320.0	2.6
Ontario	85,092	3,116.0	3,155.0	-1.2
Quebec	148,762	6,025.0	6,142.0	-1.9
Atlantic	8,024	323.0	364.0	-11.3
CANADA	411,031	15,950.0	15,981.0	-0.2
Pork Production (t)	35,965	1,395,625	1,393,543	0.1
Estimated Sow Slaughter	2,080	90,320	92,936	-2.8

Weekly Prices \$/kg (index 100)

	2005	2004	% chg
Ontario*	138.94	163.82	-15.2
Quebec	145.91	173.73	-16.0
Alberta	140.80	180.90	-22.2
Manitoba*	147.00	175.00	-16.0
British Columbia	156.20	187.10	-16.5
Saskatchewan	142.90	174.40	-18.1
Nova Scotia	143.34	172.36	-16.8
Prince Ed. Is.	138.95	176.65	-21.3
New Brunswick	138.84	167.86	-17.3

*estimate

PORK EXPORTS

YTD for the period of January to July, 2005

(Metric Tonnes)

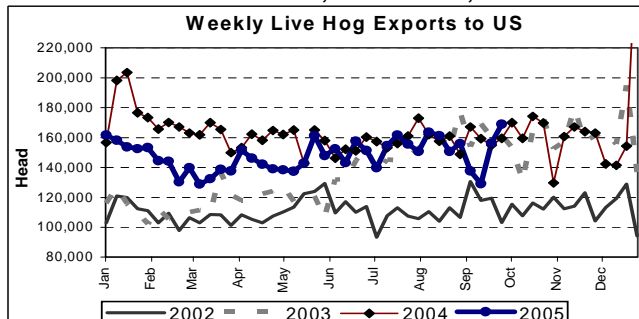
FRESH, FROZEN AND PROCESSED PORK

	2005	2004	% chg
United States	216,726	234,998	(7.8)
Japan	162,383	130,887	24.1
Australia	22,967	20,699	11.0
Russia	15,237	6,904	120.7
Mexico	36,521	39,327	(7.1)
South Korea	34,254	18,011	90.2
China	26,465	20,797	27.3
Taiwan	11,369	12,397	(8.3)
Cuba	3,319	4,674	(29.0)
New Zealand	3,566	3,527	1.1
Other	58,099	48,826	19.0
Total	590,906	541,047	9.2

Source: STATISTICS CANADA

LIVE HOG EXPORTS TO U.S.

	YTD 05	YTD 04	% chg
HOGS (head)			
Barrows/Gilts/Sows	1,953,085	2,096,550	-6.8
Feeder Pigs	3,820,993	4,237,273	-9.8
Total	5,774,078	6,333,823	-8.8
Week Ending 05-10-01			
Barrows/Gilts/Sows	60,042	55,284	8.6
Feeder Pigs	108,932	104,233	4.5
Total	168,974	159,517	5.9



IMPORTS

YTD for the week ending 05-09-24

(Metric Tonnes) preliminary	2005	2004	% chg
FRESH & FROZEN PORK			
United States	60,470	50,761	19.1
Denmark	1,650	687	140.2
Other	27	53	-49.1

PROCESSED & OTHER PORK

	2005	2004	% chg
United States	11,574	10,114	14.4
Denmark	-	-	-
Other	124	132	-6.1
TOTAL IMPORTS	73,845	61,747	19.6

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, 2006. 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 October 1, 2005		
	2005/2006	2004/2005	% chg
Utilization (kg)	840,265	441,951	90.1
Balance (kg)	2,129,735	2,528,049	-15.8
% Utilization	28.3%	14.9%	90.1

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