



Hog Statistics at a Glance CANADA



For the Week Ending April 24, 2010

Federal Slaughter	weekly kill # head	CUMULATIVE TOTALS TO DATE		
		2010	2009	% chg
		'000 head		
West	161,336	2,588.0	2,422.0	6.9
Ontario	79,066	1,342.0	1,455.0	-7.8
Quebec-Atlantic	153,140	2,621.0	2,650.0	-1.1
CANADA	393,542	6,551.0	6,527.0	0.4
Pork Production (t)	36,796	614,484	607,664	1.1
*Estimated Sow/Boar Slaughter	1,489	23,673	22,375	5.8

Weekly Prices \$/100kg (index 100)	2010			2009			% chg
	2010	2009	% chg	2010	2009	% chg	
Ontario*	147.09	132.07	11.4				
Quebec	147.94	129.63	14.1				
Alberta	139.40	132.60	5.1				
Manitoba*	148.00	143.00	3.5				
British Columbia	146.80	141.90	3.5				
Saskatchewan	148.51	137.50	8.0				
Nova Scotia	143.16	128.27	11.6				
Prince Ed. Is.	143.16	128.27	11.6				
New Brunswick	138.66	123.77	12.0				

*estimate

*includes federal & provincial slaughter

PORK EXPORTS

YTD for the period of January 1 to February 28, 2010

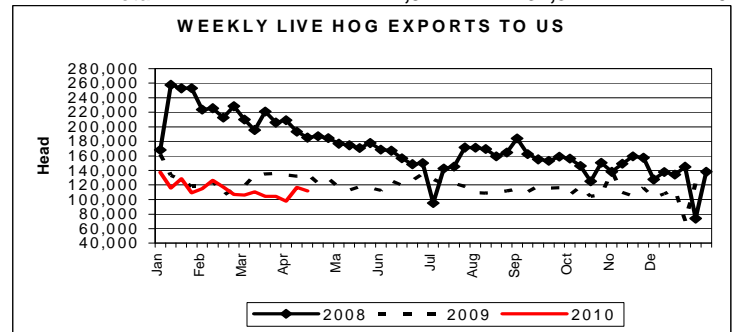
(Metric Tonnes)

FRESH, FROZEN AND PROCESSED PORK	2010	2009	% chg
United States	51,307	51,342	(0.1)
Japan	39,460	38,109	3.5
Australia	7,298	8,288	(11.9)
Russia	13,254	11,353	16.7
Mexico	8,672	6,476	33.9
South Korea	8,882	9,730	(8.7)
China	1,519	3,067	(50.5)
Taiwan	5,083	5,504	(7.6)
Cuba	684	1,006	(32.0)
New Zealand	1,049	1,826	(42.6)
Hong Kong	15,011	12,674	18.4
Philippines	9,457	6,966	35.8
Other	13,706	12,105	13.2
Total	175,382	168,446	4.1

Source: STATISTICS CANADA

LIVE HOG EXPORTS TO U.S.

HOGS (head)	YTD 10	YTD 09	% chg
Barrows/Gilts/Sows	321,759	344,297	-6.5
Feeder Pigs	1,385,770	1,581,745	-12.4
Total	1,707,529	1,926,042	-11.3
Week Ending April 17, 2010			
Barrows/Gilts/Sows	19,521	19,314	1.1
Feeder Pigs	92,391	115,530	-20.0
Total	111,912	134,844	-17.0



Source: USDA-APHIS

IMPORTS

YTD for the week ending April 17, 2010

(Metric Tonnes) preliminary	2010	2009	% chg
FRESH & FROZEN PORK			
United States	28,761	27,778	3.5
Denmark	-	3	
Other	2	-	

PORK PROCESSED	2010	2009	% chg
United States	13,846	10,314	34.2
Denmark	-	-	
Other	154	134	14.9
TOTAL IMPORTS	42,763	38,229	11.9

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, 2009 to July 31, 2010. 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 April 24, 2010		
	2009/2010	2008/2009	% chg
Utilization (kg)	2,969,761	2,961,414	0.3
Balance (kg)	239	8,586	-97.2
% Utilization	100.0%	99.7%	0.3



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Canadian Hog Slaughter by Province of Origin

Total Slaughter Year to Date April 24, 2010

Week ending April 24, 2010

	Total Slaughter Year to Date April 24, 2010			Week ending April 24, 2010		
	2010	2009	% chg	2010	2009	% chg
British Columbia	66,054	63,812	3.5	3,493	3,547	-1.5
Alberta	795,251	817,550	-2.7	48,738	46,934	3.8
Saskatchewan	501,759	325,591	54.1	30,492	23,524	29.6
Manitoba	1,335,160	1,318,782	1.2	85,160	80,810	5.4
Ontario	1,514,555	1,634,347	-7.3	88,836	96,354	-7.8
Quebec	2,527,809	2,546,321	-0.7	148,377	157,784	-6.0
New Brunswick	17,282	24,868	-30.5	1,140	656	73.8
Nova Scotia	2,938	10,493	-72.0	335	404	-17.1
Prince Edward Island	31,198	26,444	18.0	2,215	1,786	24.0
CANADA	6,792,006	6,768,208	0.4	408,786	411,799	-0.7

UNITED STATES

Year To Date for the Week Ending April 24, 2010

Supply Summary	Year To Date for the Week Ending April 24, 2010			Weekly US Prices (\$/cwt)			
	2010	2009	% chg	2010	2009	% chg	
Slaughter ('000 head)	34,370	35,967	-4.4	South St. Joseph	56.25	39.75	41.5
Slaughter for the week	2,073	2,137	-3.0	Sioux Falls	n/a	37.50	
Avg Dressed Wt (lbs)	204	204	0.0	Oklahoma City	47.00	32.50	44.6
Pork Produced (mil lbs)	6,991	7,346	-4.8	National Cost	80.36	60.97	31.8
Source: USDA-APHIS				(51-54% Lean Yield Basis)			

Canadian Hog Inventory at April 1

	2010			2009			
	2010	2009	% chg	2010	2009	% chg	
TOTAL HOGS	11,635	11,885	-2.1%	CANADA	11,635	11,885	-2.1%
Breeding Stock	1,304	1,385	-5.8%	Atlantic	124	150	-17.2%
Boars, 6 months & over	20	24	-15.3%	Quebec	3,900	3,870	0.8%
Sows and bred gilts	1,284	1,361	-5.7%	Ontario	2,735	2,975	-8.1%
All other hogs	10,331	10,550	-2.1%	Manitoba	2,550	2,477	2.9%
Under 20 kg	3,494	3,755	-7.0%	Saskatchewan	740	760	-2.6%
20 to 60 kg	3,429	3,460	-0.9%	Alberta	1,490	1,540	-3.2%
Over 60 kg	3,408	3,285	3.7%	British Columbia	96	113	-15.0%

Source: Statistics Canada