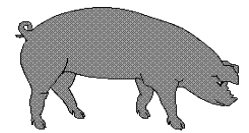




Hog Statistics at a Glance CANADA



For the Week Ending February 28, 2009

Federal Slaughter	weekly kill # head	CUMULATIVE TOTALS TO DATE		
		2009	2008	% chg
		'000 head		
West	158,434	1,230.0	1,160.0	6.0
Ontario	92,207	766.0	761.0	0.7
Quebec-Atlantic	166,178	1,366.0	1,271.0	7.5
CANADA	416,819	3,362.0	3,192.0	5.3
Pork Production (t)	38,973	320,735	300,686	6.7
*Est Sow/Boar Slaughter	1,253	12,845	14,740	-12.9

Weekly Prices \$/100kg (index 100)	2009			2008			% chg
	2009	2008	% chg	2009	2008	% chg	
Ontario*	131.36	106.89	22.9				
Quebec	134.63	100.22	34.3				
Alberta	134.20	109.50	22.6				
Manitoba*	123.00	112.00	9.8				
British Columbia	153.30	121.30	26.4				
Saskatchewan	123.80	109.50	13.1				
Nova Scotia	140.11	104.20	34.5				
Prince Ed. Is.	140.11	101.51	38.0				
New Brunswick	135.61	99.70	36.0				

*estimate

*includes federal & provincial slaughter

PORK EXPORTS YTD for the period of January 1 - December 31

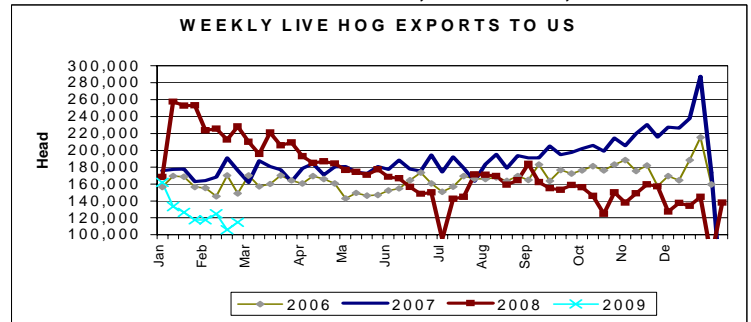
(Metric Tonnes)

FRESH, FROZEN AND PROCESSED PORK	2008	2007	% chg
United States	307,096	353,621	(13.2)
Japan	230,574	218,642	5.5
Australia	36,408	41,341	(11.9)
Russia	129,680	89,254	45.3
Mexico	42,987	52,226	(17.7)
South Korea	64,619	65,734	(1.7)
China	35,523	42,682	(16.8)
Taiwan	24,217	14,436	67.8
Cuba	4,988	4,592	8.6
New Zealand	8,778	9,993	(12.2)
Hong Kong	88,008	20,420	331.0
Philippines	37,243	26,339	41.4
Other	84,424	57,762	46.2
Total	1,094,545	997,042	9.8

Source: STATISTICS CANADA

LIVE HOG EXPORTS TO U.S.

	YTD 09	YTD 08	% chg
HOGS (head)			
Barrows/Gilts/Sows	203,180	603,585	-66.3
Feeder Pigs	799,537	1,218,162	-34.4
Total	1,002,717	1,821,747	-45.0
Week Ending 09-02-28			
Barrows/Gilts/Sows	20,803	65,912	-68.4
Feeder Pigs	93,937	162,427	-42.2
Total	114,740	228,339	-49.8



Source: USDA-APHIS

IMPORTS YTD for the week ending February 21, 2009

(Metric Tonnes) preliminary	2009	2008	% chg
FRESH & FROZEN PORK			
United States	14,326	12,773	12.2
Denmark	3	50	-94.0
Other	-	-	

PORK PROCESSED	2009	2008	% chg
United States	1,876	1,960	-4.3
Denmark	-	-	
Other	412	54	663.0
TOTAL IMPORTS	16,617	14,837	12.0

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, 2008 to July 31, 2009. 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 February 28, 2009		
	2008/2009	2007/2008	% chg
Utilization (kg)	2,963,633	2,969,997	-0.2
Balance (kg)	6,367	3	
% Utilization	99.8%	100.0%	(0.2)