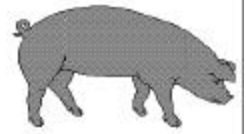




Hog Statistics at a Glance CANADA



For the Week Ending January 25, 2003

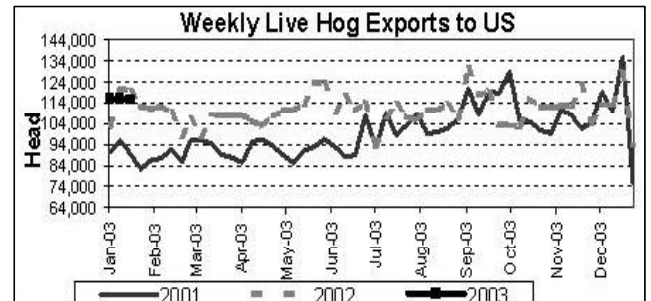
Federal Slaughter	weekly kill # head	CUMULATIVE TOTALS TO DATE		
		2003 '000 head	2002 '000 head	% chg
West	173,666	671.0	603.0	11.3
Ontario	92,130	312.0	314.0	-0.6
Quebec	170,436	611.0	627.0	-2.6
Atlantic	10,124	41.0	41.0	0.0
CANADA	446,356	1,635.0	1,585.0	3.2
Pork Production (t)	39,056	143,063	137,737	3.9
Estimated Sow Slaughter	3,377	12,419	13,043	-4.8

Weekly Prices \$/kg (index 100)	2003			2002			% chg
	2003	2002	% chg	2003	2002	% chg	
Ontario 102.5%	1.39	1.69	-17.8				
Quebec	1.37	1.60	-14.4				
Alberta	1.29	1.57	-17.8				
Manitoba*	1.37	1.57	-12.7				
British Columbia	1.37	1.65	-17.0				
Saskatchewan	1.26	1.55	-18.7				
Nova Scotia	1.32	1.59	-17.0				
Prince Ed. Is.	1.33	1.60	-16.9				
New Brunswick	1.28	1.55	-17.4				

*estimate

PORK EXPORTS	YTD for week ending November 30, 2002		
(Metric Tonnes)	2002	2001	% chg
FRESH & FROZEN PORK			
United States	n/a	305,255	
Japan	177,805	160,786	10.6
Mexico	39,637	48,918	-19.0
Korea	29,685	28,538	4.0
Other	145,229	142,597	1.8
PROCESSED PORK			
United States	n/a	57,876	
Japan	1,868	1,088	71.7
Mexico	1,148	517	122.1
Korea	6	2	200.0
Other	6,903	6,600	4.6
TOTAL FAT EXPORTS	n/a	56,311	

LIVE HOG EXPORTS TO U.S.	YTD 03			YTD 02			% chg
	YTD 03	YTD 02	% chg	YTD 03	YTD 02	% chg	
HOGS (head)							
Barrows/Gilts/Sows	112,345	137,042	-18.0				
Feeder Pigs	246,138	206,625	19.1				
Total	358,483	343,667	4.3				
Week Ending 03-01-18							
Barrows/Gilts/Sows	39,868	45,332	-12.1				
Feeder Pigs	76,030	74,621	1.9				
Total	115,898	119,953	-3.4				



Source: CFIA & USDA

Source: USDA-APHIS

IMPORTS	YTD for the week ending January 18, 2003		
(Metric Tonnes) preliminary	2003	2002	% chg
FRESH & FROZEN PORK			
United States	2,495	2,823	-11.6
Denmark	25	23	8.7
Other	90	-	

PROCESSED & OTHER PORK	2003	2002	% chg
United States	271	381	-28.9
Denmark	-	-	
Other	-	-	
TOTAL IMPORTS	2,881	3,227	-10.7

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. 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. In 2001/02 the Tariff Rate Quota was reached on October 2, 2002.

	Permits issued as of January 27, 2003		
	2003/04	2002/03	% chg
Utilization (kg)	1,427,167	2,969,839	-51.9
Balance (kg)	1,542,833	541	
% Utilization	48.1%	100.0%	(51.9)

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