



Hog Statistics at a Glance CANADA



For the Week Ending March 8, 2008

Federal Slaughter

	weekly kill # head	CUMULATIVE TOTALS TO DATE		
		2008	2007	% chg
		'000 head		
West	153,353	1,469.0	1,593.0	-7.8
Ontario	89,916	944.0	845.0	11.7
Quebec	151,188	1,530.0	1,485.0	3.0
Atlantic	6,076	60.0	73.0	-17.8
CANADA	400,533	4,003.0	3,996.0	0.2
Pork Production (t)	35,047	352,264	349,650	0.7
*Est Sow/Boar Slaughter	1,254	17,719	22,570	-21.5

*revised includes fed & prov

Weekly Prices \$/100kg (index 100)

	2008	2007	% chg
Ontario*	96.58	137.08	-29.5
Quebec	101.86	135.86	-25.0
Alberta	102.00	133.40	-23.5
Manitoba*	102.00	139.00	-26.6
British Columbia	120.90	150.80	-19.8
Saskatchewan	n/a	130.00	
Nova Scotia	107.95	141.49	-23.7
Prince Ed. Is.	104.90	138.54	-24.3
New Brunswick	103.45	136.99	-24.5

*estimate

PORK EXPORTS

YTD for the period of January 1 - January 31

(Metric Tonnes)

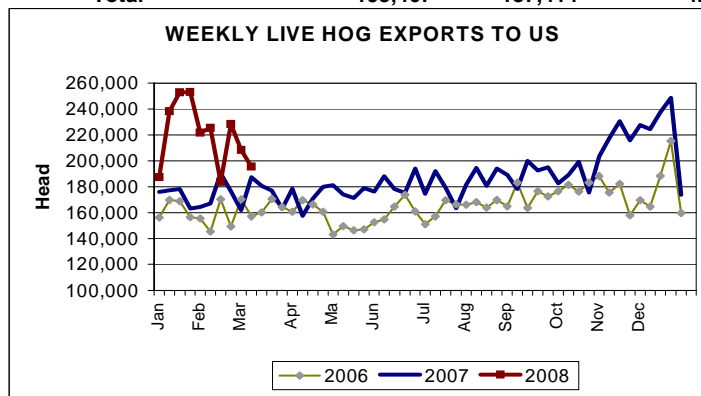
FRESH, FROZEN AND PROCESSED PORK

	2008	2007	% chg
United States	27,065	27,497	(1.6)
Japan	16,520	18,700	(11.7)
Australia	3,350	4,011	(16.5)
Russia	7,296	5,850	24.7
Mexico	2,995	3,174	(5.6)
South Korea	5,965	5,139	16.1
China	1,855	3,517	(47.3)
Taiwan	629	616	2.1
Cuba	280	703	(60.2)
New Zealand	618	546	13.2
Other	13,738	6,761	103.2
Total	80,311	76,514	5.0

Source: STATISTICS CANADA

LIVE HOG EXPORTS TO U.S.

	YTD 08	YTD 07	% chg
HOGS (head)			
Barrows/Gilts/Sows	707,377	541,420	30.7
Feeder Pigs	1,487,177	1,200,052	23.9
Total	2,194,554	1,741,472	26.0
Week Ending 08-03-08			
Barrows/Gilts/Sows	52,908	54,962	-3.7
Feeder Pigs	142,559	132,452	7.6
Total	195,467	187,414	4.3



Source: USDA-APHIS

IMPORTS

YTD for the week ending 08-03-01

(Metric Tonnes) preliminary

FRESH & FROZEN PORK

	2008	2007	% chg
United States	17,345	14,735	17.7
Denmark	121	223	-45.7
Other	-	-	

	2008	2007	% chg
Pork Processed			
United States	3,644	2,698	35.1
Denmark	-	-	
Other	51	16	218.8
TOTAL IMPORTS	21,161	17,672	19.7

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, 2008. 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 March 8, 2008		
	2007/2008	2006/2007	% chg
Utilization (kg)	2,969,997	2,970,000	0.0
Balance (kg)	3	-	
% Utilization	100.0%	100.0%	(0.0)

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