



Hog Statistics at a Glance CANADA



For the Week Ending March 13, 2010

Federal Slaughter	weekly kill # head	CUMULATIVE TOTALS TO DATE		
		2010	2009	% chg
		'000 head		
West	162,628	1,645.0	1,610.0	2.2
Ontario	78,969	874.0	1,017.0	-14.1
Quebec-Atlantic	165,946	1,683.0	1,715.0	-1.9
CANADA	407,543	4,202.0	4,342.0	-3.2
Pork Production (t)	38,105	394,148	404,240	-2.5
*REVISED Est Sow/Boar Slaughter	1,604	16,088	13,966	15.2

Weekly Prices \$/100kg (index 100)	2010			2009			% chg
	2010	2009	% chg	2010	2009	% chg	
Ontario*	137.96	136.62	1.0				
Quebec	135.69	138.94	-2.3				
Alberta	132.90	141.30	-5.9				
Manitoba*	137.00	145.77	-6.0				
British Columbia	143.60	146.50	-2.0				
Saskatchewan	137.21	142.50	-3.7				
Nova Scotia	136.60	136.02	0.4				
Prince Ed. Is.	136.60	136.02	0.4				
New Brunswick	132.10	131.52	0.4				

*estimate

*includes federal & provincial slaughter

PORK EXPORTS YTD for the period of January 1 to January 31, 2010

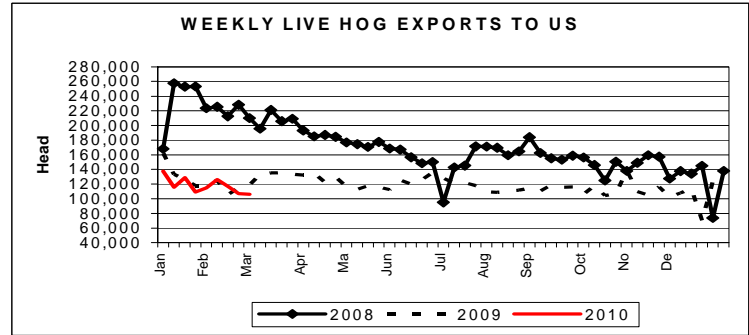
(Metric Tonnes)

FRESH, FROZEN AND PROCESSED PORK	2010	2009	% chg
United States	25,827	27,652	(6.6)
Japan	20,779	18,827	10.4
Australia	3,277	4,516	(27.4)
Russia	5,291	5,302	(0.2)
Mexico	4,447	3,485	27.6
South Korea	4,371	4,748	(7.9)
China	775	1,209	(35.9)
Taiwan	2,511	2,438	3.0
Cuba	387	376	2.9
New Zealand	546	851	(35.8)
Hong Kong	6,553	5,587	17.3
Philippines	4,283	3,056	40.2
Other	7,062	5,761	22.6
Total	86,109	83,808	2.7

Source: STATISTICS CANADA

LIVE HOG EXPORTS TO U.S.

	YTD 10	YTD 09	% chg
HOGS (head)			
Barrows/Gilts/Sows	202,452	223,650	-9.5
Feeder Pigs	859,464	897,303	-4.2
Total	1,061,916	1,120,953	-5.3
Week Ending March 6, 2010			
Barrows/Gilts/Sows	21,380	20,470	4.4
Feeder Pigs	84,490	97,766	-13.6
Total	105,870	118,236	-10.5



Source: USDA-APHIS

IMPORTS YTD for the week ending March 6, 2010

(Metric Tonnes) preliminary	2010	2009	% chg
FRESH & FROZEN PORK			
United States	16,746	18,032	-7.1
Denmark	-	3	
Other	2	-	

PORK PROCESSED	2010	2009	% chg
United States	7,804	5,236	49.0
Denmark	-	-	
Other	77	66	16.7
TOTAL IMPORTS	24,629	23,337	5.5

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 March 13, 2010		
	2009/2010	2008/2009	% chg
Utilization (kg)	2,949,330	2,961,414	-0.4
Balance (kg)	20,670	8,586	140.7
% Utilization	99.3%	99.7%	(0.4)



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Canadian Hog Slaughter by Province of Origin

Total Slaughter Year to Date March 13, 2010

Week ending March 13, 2010

	Total Slaughter Year to Date March 13, 2010			Week ending March 13, 2010		
	2010	2009	% chg	2010	2009	% chg
British Columbia	42,538	41,753	1.9	3,919	3,598	8.9
Alberta	502,827	537,914	-6.5	49,113	49,760	-1.3
Saskatchewan	340,959	197,753	72.4	48,989	23,823	105.6
Manitoba	828,179	832,483	-0.5	67,450	85,862	-21.4
Ontario	988,568	1,055,318	-6.3	89,416	98,714	-9.4
Quebec	1,621,969	1,636,704	-0.9	160,433	158,453	1.2
New Brunswick	10,436	15,207	-31.4	944	1,216	-22.4
Nova Scotia	2,207	7,996	-72.4	226	453	-50.1
Prince Edward Island	18,347	17,014	7.8	2,744	1,689	62.5
CANADA	4,356,030	4,342,142	0.3	423,234	423,568	-0.1

UNITED STATES

Year To Date for the Week Ending March 13, 2010

Supply Summary	2010	2009	% chg	Weekly US Prices (\$/cwt)			
				2010	2009	% chg	
Slaughter ('000 head)	21,736	23,062	-5.7	South St. Joseph	46.00	34.75	32.4
Slaughter for the week	2,132	2,152	-0.9	Sioux Falls	n/a	36.50	
Avg Dressed Wt (lbs)	203	205	-1.0	Oklahoma City	36.00	28.00	28.6
Pork Produced (mil lbs)	4,409	4,709	-6.4	National Cost	71.96	59.33	21.3
Source: USDA-APHIS				(51-54% Lean Yield Basis)			

LEADING MARKETS FOR U.S. PORK PLUS VARIETY MEAT EXPORTS (January - December 2009)

COUNTRY	Year to date (Quantity Tonnes)			COUNTRY	Year to date (Quantity Tonnes)		
	1/09-12/09	1/08-12/08	% chg		1/09-12/09	1/08-12/08	% chg
Japan	421,360	451,853	-6.7%	Philippines	42,052	29,245	43.8%
Mexico	503,503	396,609	27.0%	Taiwan	42,689	31,701	34.7%
Canada	168,915	170,536	-1.0%	Cent. & South America	45,054	40,330	11.7%
China	61,766	165,812	-62.7%	Korea	103,553	133,532	-22.5%
Hong Kong	196,942	233,750	-15.7%	Caribbean	40,531	34,390	17.9%
Russia	139,387	217,767	-36.0%	Eastern Europe	4,635	14,888	-68.9%
European Union	18,067	46,213	-60.9%	World Total	1,865,745	2,052,447	-9.1%

Source: USDA