



Hog Statistics at a Glance CANADA



For the Week Ending March 22, 2008

Federal Slaughter

	weekly kill # head	CUMULATIVE TOTALS TO DATE		
		2008	2007	% chg
		'000 head		
West	124,027	1,749.0	1,928.0	-9.3
Ontario	73,993	1,109.0	1,015.0	9.3
Quebec	154,849	1,844.0	1,795.0	2.7
Atlantic	5,994	72.0	88.0	-18.2
CANADA	358,863	4,774.0	4,826.0	-1.1
Pork Production (t)	31,401	420,112	422,275	-0.5
*Est Sow/Boar Slaughter	1,704	21,010	26,739	-21.4

*revised includes fed & prov

Weekly Prices \$/100kg (index 100)

	2008	2007	% chg
Ontario*	85.04	131.26	-35.2
Quebec	96.44	129.62	-25.6
Alberta	96.90	126.80	-23.6
Manitoba*	n/a	130.00	
British Columbia	111.70	147.10	-24.1
Saskatchewan	92.50	121.20	-23.7
Nova Scotia	97.95	136.97	-28.5
Prince Ed. Is.	100.13	133.46	-25.0
New Brunswick	93.45	132.47	-29.5

*estimate

PORK EXPORTS

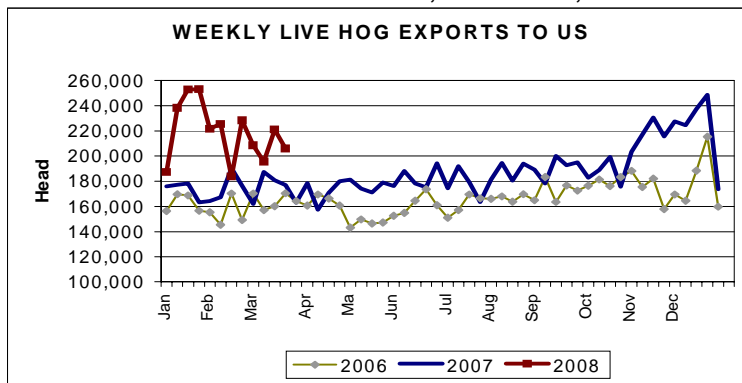
YTD for the period of January 1 - January 31

(Metric Tonnes)	2008	2007	% chg
FRESH, FROZEN AND PROCESSED PORK			
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	825,958	653,007	26.5
Feeder Pigs	1,795,646	1,446,194	24.2
Total	2,621,604	2,099,201	24.9
Week Ending 08-03-22			
Barrows/Gilts/Sows	61,292	56,387	8.7
Feeder Pigs	144,640	120,507	20.0
Total	205,932	176,894	16.4



Source: USDA-APHIS

IMPORTS

YTD for the week ending 08-03-15

(Metric Tonnes) preliminary	2008	2007	% chg	Pork Processed	2008	2007	% chg
FRESH & FROZEN PORK				United States	5,213	3,960	31.6
United States	20,537	17,999	14.1	Denmark	-	-	
Denmark	243	298	-18.5	Other	79	29	172.4
Other	-	-		TOTAL IMPORTS	26,072	22,286	17.0

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 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 22, 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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