



# Hog Statistics at a Glance CANADA



For the Week Ending May 3, 2008

## Federal Slaughter

	weekly kill # head	CUMULATIVE TOTALS TO DATE		
		2008	2007	% chg
		'000 head		
West	150,627	2,670.0	2,858.0	-6.6
Ontario	85,942	1,660.0	1,500.0	10.7
Quebec	151,169	2,760.0	2,683.0	2.9
Atlantic	3,004	93.0	129.0	-27.9
<b>CANADA</b>	<b>390,742</b>	<b>7,183.0</b>	<b>7,170.0</b>	<b>0.2</b>
<b>Pork Production (t)</b>	<b>34,190</b>	<b>632,104</b>	<b>627,375</b>	<b>0.8</b>
<b>*Est Sow/Boar Slaughter</b>	<b>2,024</b>	<b>31,545</b>	<b>39,338</b>	<b>-19.8</b>

\*revised includes fed & prov

## Weekly Prices \$/100kg (index 100)

	2008	2007	% chg
	Ontario*	129.65	143.51
Quebec	128.56	147.51	-12.8
Alberta	129.80	139.60	-7.0
Manitoba*	138.00	150.00	-8.0
British Columbia	135.50	153.40	-11.7
Saskatchewan	135.50	143.20	-5.4
Nova Scotia	121.69	143.44	-15.2
Prince Ed. Is.	121.69	136.46	-10.8
New Brunswick	117.19	138.94	-15.7

\*estimate

## PORK EXPORTS

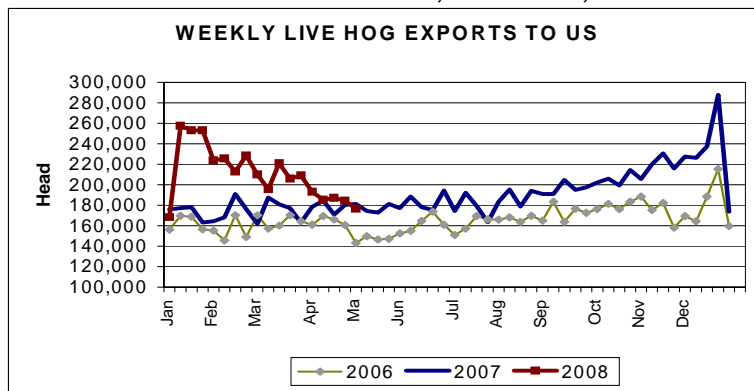
YTD for the period of January 1 - February 29

(Metric Tonnes)	2008	2007	% chg
<b>FRESH, FROZEN AND PROCESSED PORK</b>			
United States	51,957	55,705	(6.7)
Japan	36,229	38,127	(5.0)
Australia	6,144	8,045	(23.6)
Russia	17,005	15,038	13.1
Mexico	6,430	7,599	(15.4)
South Korea	11,700	10,885	7.5
China	4,521	6,826	(33.8)
Taiwan	2,598	1,543	68.4
Cuba	720	1,047	(31.2)
New Zealand	924	1,469	(37.1)
Other	30,432	14,836	105.1
<b>Total</b>	<b>168,660</b>	<b>161,120</b>	<b>4.7</b>

Source: STATISTICS CANADA

## LIVE HOG EXPORTS TO U.S.

	YTD 08	YTD 07	% chg
<b>HOGS (head)</b>			
Barrows/Gilts/Sows	1,116,408	974,686	14.5
Feeder Pigs	2,673,233	2,185,444	22.3
<b>Total</b>	<b>3,789,641</b>	<b>3,160,130</b>	<b>19.9</b>
<b>Week Ending 08-05-03</b>			
Barrows/Gilts/Sows	38,538	49,616	-22.3
Feeder Pigs	138,107	131,447	5.1
<b>Total</b>	<b>176,645</b>	<b>181,063</b>	<b>-2.4</b>



Source: USDA-APHIS

## IMPORTS

YTD for the week ending 08-05-26

(Metric Tonnes) preliminary	2008	2007	% chg	Pork Processed	2008	2007	% chg
<b>FRESH &amp; FROZEN PORK</b>				United States	6,737	6,596	2.1
United States	31,882	27,082	17.7	Denmark	-	-	-
Denmark	339	434	-21.9	Other	149	83	79.5
Other	3	-	-	<b>TOTAL IMPORTS</b>	<b>39,110</b>	<b>34,195</b>	<b>14.4</b>

## 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 May 3, 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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