



Hog Statistics at a Glance CANADA



For the Week Ending May 24, 2008

Federal Slaughter

	weekly kill # head	CUMULATIVE TOTALS TO DATE		
		2008	2007	% chg
		'000 head		
West	133,673	3,095.0	3,292.0	-6.0
Ontario	68,547	1,894.0	1,731.0	9.4
Quebec	131,989	3,197.0	3,092.0	3.4
Atlantic	2,339	100.0	148.0	-32.4
CANADA	336,548	8,286.0	8,263.0	0.3
Pork Production (t)	29,448	729,168	723,013	0.9
*Est Sow/Boar Slaughter	1,484	37,208	46,192	-19.4

*revised includes fed & prov

Weekly Prices \$/100kg (index 100)

	2008	2007	% chg
Ontario*	147.55	146.27	0.9
Quebec	146.85	146.65	0.1
Alberta	141.50	140.90	0.4
Manitoba*	148.00	153.00	-3.3
British Columbia	153.80	156.50	-1.7
Saskatchewan	144.10	144.00	0.1
Nova Scotia	151.20	151.85	-0.4
Prince Ed. Is.	151.20	145.14	4.2
New Brunswick	146.70	147.35	-0.4

*estimate

PORK EXPORTS

YTD for the period of January 1 - March 31

(Metric Tonnes)

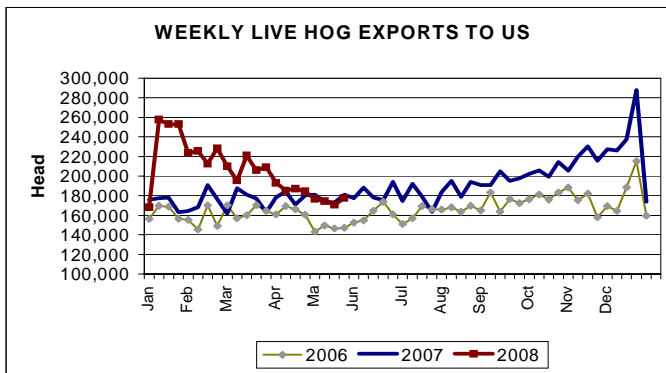
FRESH, FROZEN AND PROCESSED PORK

	2008	2007	% chg
United States	77,514	88,402	(12.3)
Japan	57,030	62,446	(8.7)
Australia	7,910	11,828	(33.1)
Russia	27,052	22,682	19.3
Mexico	10,004	12,796	(21.8)
South Korea	17,900	16,929	5.7
China	7,591	10,555	(28.1)
Taiwan	3,878	3,152	23.0
Cuba	1,595	1,751	(8.9)
New Zealand	1,340	2,260	(40.7)
Other	49,023	23,539	108.3
Total	260,837	256,340	1.8

Source: STATISTICS CANADA

LIVE HOG EXPORTS TO U.S.

	YTD 08	YTD 07	% chg
HOGS (head)			
Barrows/Gilts/Sows	1,227,845	1,135,674	8.1
Feeder Pigs	3,084,586	2,552,476	20.8
Total	4,312,431	3,688,150	16.9
Week Ending 08-05-24			
Barrows/Gilts/Sows	36,986	58,898	-37.2
Feeder Pigs	140,523	122,163	15.0
Total	177,509	181,061	-2.0



Source: USDA-APHIS

IMPORTS

YTD for the week ending May 17, 2008

(Metric Tonnes) preliminary

FRESH & FROZEN PORK

	2008	2007	% chg
United States	36,179	32,111	12.7
Denmark	339	571	-40.6
Other	3	1	200.0

	2008	2007	% chg
Pork Processed			
United States	7,586	7,365	3.0
Denmark	-	-	-
Other	177	100	77.0
TOTAL IMPORTS	44,284	40,148	10.3

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 24, 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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Total Slaughter Year to Date May 24, 2008

Week ending May 24, 2008

	2008	2007	% chg	2008	2007	% chg
British Columbia	95,902	91,578	4.7	4,324	4,039	7.1
Alberta	1,323,716	1,262,785	4.8	62,052	55,973	10.9
Saskatchewan	349,579	336,605	3.9	12,974	16,842	-23.0
Manitoba	1,479,635	1,417,111	4.4	62,524	61,182	2.2
Ontario	2,205,053	2,120,254	4.0	84,799	85,947	-1.3
Quebec	3,065,959	2,941,328	4.2	124,631	107,037	16.4
New Brunswick	31,464	30,189	4.2	1,275	2,335	-45.4
Nova Scotia	33,486	32,240	3.9	1,246	2,875	-56.7
Prince Edward Island	54,580	53,023	2.9	1,557	3,614	-56.9
CANADA	8,639,374	8,285,113	4.3	355,382	339,844	4.6

UNITED STATES

Year To Date for the Week Ending May 24, 2008

Supply Summary

	2008	2007	% chg
Slaughter ('000 head)	46,468	42,283	9.9
Slaughter for the week	2,094	1,989	5.3
Avg Dressed Wt (lbs)	201	202	-0.5
Pork Produced (mil lbs)	9,416	8,557	10.0

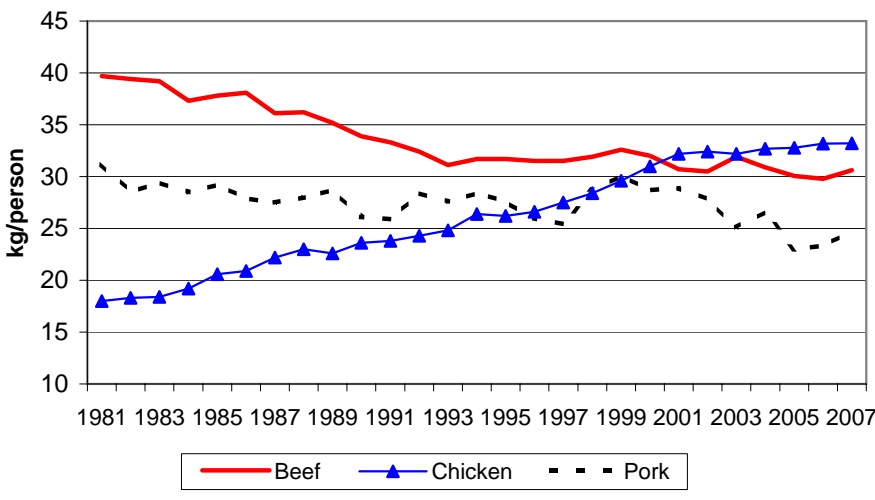
Source: USDA-APHIS

Weekly US Prices (\$/cwt)

	2008	2007	% chg
South St. Joseph	51.25	48.75	5.1
Sioux Falls	53.00	51.00	3.9
Oklahoma City	46.00	46.00	0.0
National Cost	77.91	73.47	6.0

(51-54% Lean Yield Basis)

Canada's Per Capita Meat Disappearance



	2007	2006	% chg
	<i>kg/person</i>		
Pork	24.68	23.33	5.8%
Beef	30.61	29.77	2.8%
Poultry	37.71	37.61	0.3%
Veal	1.07	1.04	2.9%
Lamb	1.24	1.21	2.5%

Source: Statistics Canada