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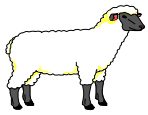
SHEEP SUPPLY CANADA



Year To Date for the Month Ending July, 2008

Fed. & Prov. Slaughter (head)

preliminary	2008	2007	% chg
B.C./Alta/Sask./Man.	59,226	57,304	3.4
Ontario	128,506	149,940	-14.3
Quebec	78,505	85,993	-8.7
Atl. Provinces	7,765	6,221	24.8
Canada	**274,002**	**299,458**	**-8.5**

Federal Slaughter

East for July	7,822	7,058	10.8
West for July	5,277	6,078	-13.2
East YTD	57,179	50,792	12.6
West YTD	38,708	39,717	-2.5

Provincial Slaughter

	preliminary		
East for July	11,203	27,861	-59.8
West for July	3,721	3,164	17.6
East YTD	156,367	191,362	-18.3
West YTD	20,518	17,587	16.7

Source: AAFC-Red Meat Section

Monthly Prices 2008

Slaughter Lambs ***Sunterra Meats Ltd. Alberta***

Base Rail Price		2.60
Index range		92.68 - 108.12
Feeder	50-100 lb	0.95 - 1.35
Price range off of 100	base index	2.42 - 2.82
Sheep 20 - 30	live weight	0.10 - 0.30

Source: Sunterra Meats Ltd.

2008	Mkt Lambs 95-115 lbs	Feeder Lambs 61-80 lbs	Sheep all wts
Ontario	162.23	175.70	41.17
Central Alta	126.12		

Source: Alberta Agriculture Food and Rural Development

Monthly Prices

Ontario Average $/cwt	2008	2007	% chg
Under 79	165.34	163.70	1.0
80-94 lbs	155.07	153.89	0.8
New Crop	162.08	164.81	-1.7
Sheep	61.57	70.97	-13.2

Source: AAFC-Red Meat Section

EXPORTS

For the period of July

(No. head) to U.S.	2008	2007	% chg
Slaughter lambs	-	20	
Feeder Sheep & Lambs	-	-	

Source: AAFC - Red Meat Section

(Metric Tonnes) For the period of June

Lamb & Mutton	**2008**	**2007**	**% chg**
- United States	74	80	-7.5
- St Pierre-Miq.	4	13	-69.2
- Other	3	54	-94.4

Source: Statistics Canada

IMPORTS

For the period of June

(No. head) from U.S.	2008	2007	% chg
Pure-bred & Non Pure-bred Feeder/Slaughter	19,621	7,969	146.2

Source: Statistics Canada

(Metric Tonnes) For the period of July

Mutton & Lamb	**2008**	**2007**	**% chg**
- New Zealand	5,644	6,331	-10.9
- Australia	2,741	2,970	-7.7
- Other	157	103	52.4
- Total	**8,542**	**9,404**	**-9.2**

Source: CFIA

UNITED STATES

Year To Date for the Month Ending July

Total Sheep and Lambs

	2008	2007	% chg
Slaughter ('000 head)	1,348	1,434	-6.0
Avg Dressed Wt (lbs)	67	67	0.0
Lamb/Mutton (mil lbs)	96.4	101.3	-4.8

U.S. Lamb & Mutton Exports (metric tons)

Year to date for Month Ending June

	2008	2007	% chg
Canada	348	293	18.8
Mexico	463	1,595	-71.0
Central & South America	115	4	
Caribbean	837	423	97.9
Bahamas	144	91	58.2
World Total	**2,166**	**2,416**	**-10.3**

U.S Price Summary

July

	2008	2007
	$/cwt	
Choice Lambs - San Angelo	69.44	88.94

Source: Red Meat Section, Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada

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