



# SHEEP SUPPLY CANADA

Year To Date for the Month Ending May 2018

## Fed. & Prov. Slaughter (head)

preliminary	2018	2017	% chg
B.C./Alta/Sask./Man.	46,269	46,622	-0.8
Ontario	103,069	106,889	-3.6
Quebec - Atlantic*	56,111	55,364	1.3
<b>Canada</b>	<b>205,449</b>	<b>208,875</b>	<b>-1.6</b>
<b>Federal Slaughter</b>			
West - Ontario	5,004	3,500	43.0
Quebec - Atlantic	5,501	5,234	5.1
West - Ontario YTD	36,841	39,025	-5.6
Quebec - Atlantic YTD	31,356	29,062	7.9
<b>Provincial Slaughter</b>			
preliminary			
West - Ontario	25,158	25,894	-2.8
Quebec - Atlantic*	4,964	6,016	-17.5
West - Ontario YTD	112,497	114,486	-1.7
Quebec - Atlantic YTD *	24,755	26,302	-5.9

Source: CFIA, Provincial Governments  
\*Includes estimates for 2018

## Monthly Prices

Ontario Auctions	2018	2017	% chg
<b>Lambs</b> \$/cwt, live weight, weighted average			
< 65 lbs, new crop	328.92	307.00	7.1
65-79 lbs	332.68	314.17	5.9
80-94 lbs	332.33	313.09	6.1
95-109 lbs	326.65	312.88	4.4
<b>Sheep</b>	133.15	128.92	3.3
<b>Quebec Auctions</b>			
	2018	2017	
<b>Lambs</b> \$/cwt, liveweight, weighted average			
< 65 lbs, new crop	341.61	325.32	5.0
65-79 lbs	328.27	294.58	11.4
<b>Sheep - Ewes</b>	120.13	113.50	5.8
<b>Sheep - Ram</b>	139.00	109.58	26.8
<b>LEOQ</b>			
	2018		
<b>Quebec Heavy Lambs</b> \$/kg carcass basis (Producer annual contract price)			
<b>May 6 to May 26, 2018</b>	10.80		
<b>May 27 to June 16, 2018</b>	12.00		
<b>June 17 to July 28, 2018</b>	12.00		

Source: Ontario Cattlemen's Association, Quebec Electronic Auctions and Les Éleveurs d'Ovins du Québec

## Imports

(Number of head from U.S.)	Year to Date May		% chg
Pure-bred & Non Pure-bred	2018	2017	
East	11	53	-79.2
West	52	0	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>63</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>18.9</b>

Source: Statistics Canada

## Exports

(Number of head)	Year to Date May		% chg
Total Live Sheep	2018	2017	
United States	3,826	4,096	-6.6
Other	0	0	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>3,826</b>	<b>4,096</b>	<b>-6.6</b>

Source: Statistics Canada

Mutton & Lamb (Metric Tonnes)	Year to Date May		% chg
	2018	2017	
New Zealand	4,534	5,422	-16.4
Australia	3,674	3,091	18.8
Other	363	224	62.3
<b>Total</b>	<b>8,571</b>	<b>8,737</b>	<b>-1.9</b>

Source: Statistics Canada

Mutton & Lamb (Metric Tonnes)	Year to Date May		% chg
	2018	2017	
United States	27.0	55.4	-51.2
United Arab Emirates	26.5	26.2	1.5
Saint Pierre and Miquelon	5.3	4.3	23.8
Other	0.1	4.9	-97.3
<b>Total</b>	<b>59.1</b>	<b>90.7</b>	<b>-34.9</b>

Source: Statistics Canada

# UNITED STATES

## Total Sheep and Lambs

	Year to Date May		% chg
	2018	2017	
Slaughter ('000 head)	808	779	3.6
Avg Dressed Wt (lbs)	72	68	5.9
Avg Dressed Wt (Kg)	32	31	5.9
Lamb/Mutton (mil lbs)	58	54	5.9
Lamb/Mutton (tonnes)	26,082	24,630	5.9

## U.S. Price Summary

San Angelo Auction	May	
	2018	2017
<b>U.S. \$/cwt</b>		
Choice and Prime 1 min/max		
40-70 lbs	191.56 - 206.47	208.70 - 227.40
70-110 lbs	175.38 - 187.42	192.87 - 208.20
Good 1		
30-110 lbs	149.33 - 166.33	156.40 - 170.90

Note: Monthly price averages are calculated off of daily/weekly price reporting

## U.S. Lamb & Mutton Exports (Metric Tonnes)

	Year to Date May		% chg
	2018	2017	
Mexico	320	430	-25.6
Caribbean	283	249	13.7
Middle East	63	14	-
European Union	54	53	1.9
Canada	47	25	88.0
ASEAN	44	12	-
Japan	40	1	-
Other	65	83	-21.7
<b>Total US Exports</b>	<b>916</b>	<b>867</b>	<b>5.7</b>

Source: USDA

## U.S. Lamb & Mutton Imports (Metric Tonnes)

	Year to Date May		% chg
	2018	2017	
Australia	42,377	39,411	7.5
New Zealand	13,033	15,019	-13.2
Chile	173	256	-32.6
Uruguay	53	0	-
Canada	27	58	-53.2
Other	24	10	-
<b>Total US Imports</b>	<b>55,688</b>	<b>54,754</b>	<b>1.7</b>