



SHEEP SUPPLY CANADA

June 2023

Fed. & Prov. Slaughter (head)

preliminary	2023	2022	% chg
YTD			
B.C./Alta/Sask./Man.	67,950	57,816	17.5
Ontario	156,258	132,351	18.1
**Quebec - Atlantic	78,376	63,183	24.0
Canada	302,584	253,350	19.4

Federal Slaughter

Monthly			
West - Ontario	8,673	8,729	-0.6
**Quebec - Atlantic	10,322	4,708	-
West - Ontario YTD	44,251	41,042	7.8
**Quebec - Atlantic YTD	43,092	25,011	72.3

Provincial Slaughter

preliminary			
Monthly			
West - Ontario	40,879	26,180	56.1
**Quebec - Atlantic	9,562	6,750	41.7
West - Ontario YTD	179,957	149,125	20.7
**Quebec - Atlantic YTD	35,284	38,172	-7.6

**2023 June provincial estimate

Source: CFIA, Provincial Governments

Imports

(Number of head from U.S.)	Year to Date June		
Pure-bred & Non Pure-bred	2023	2022	% chg
East	3	13	-76.9
West	6,954	13,308	-47.7
Total	6,957	13,321	-47.8

Source: Statistics Canada

Mutton & Lamb

(Metric Tonnes)	Year to Date June		
	2023	2022	% chg
New Zealand	5,435	6,442	-15.6
Australia	4,619	6,693	-31.0
Other	1,009	1,269	-20.5
Total	11,063	14,404	-23.2

Source: Statistics Canada

Monthly Prices

Ontario Auctions	2023	2022	% chg
Lambs	\$/cwt, live weight, weighted average		
< 65 lbs, new crop	267.21	308.40	-13.4
65-79 lbs	289.12	292.78	-1.3
80-94 lbs	320.40	292.14	9.7
95-109 lbs	314.07	286.88	9.5
Sheep	138.03	141.93	-2.7

Quebec Auctions

	2023	2022	
Lambs	\$/cwt, live weight, weighted average		
< 65 lbs, new crop	239.44	255.49	-6.3
65-79 lbs	290.43	296.64	-2.1
Sheep - Ewes	130.03	140.70	-7.6
Sheep - Ram	210.24	211.60	-0.6

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	2023
Quebec Heavy Lambs	\$/kg carcass basis (Producer annual contract price)
May 21 2023 to June 11 2023	13.00
June 18 2023 to July 9 2023	14.28
July 16 to August 6 2023	14.01

Source: Beef Farmer's of Ontario, Quebec Electronic Auctions and Les Éleveurs d'Ovins du Québec

Exports

(Number of head)	Year to Date June		
Total Live Sheep	2023	2022	% chg
United States	11,485	18,263	-37.1
Other	0	0	-
Total	11,485	18,263	-37.1

Source: Statistics Canada

Mutton & Lamb

(Metric Tonnes)	Year to Date June		
	2023	2022	% chg
United States	23.0	27.3	-15.7
Saint Pierre and Miquelon	5.6	6.0	-6.5
United Arab Emirates	0.0	4.8	-100.0
Other	0.0	0.0	-
Total	28.6	38.0	-24.8

Source: Statistics Canada

UNITED STATES

Total Sheep and Lambs

	Year to Date June		
	2023	2022	% chg
Slaughter ('000 head)	921	874	5.4
Avg Dressed Wt (lbs)	64	69	-7.0
Avg Dressed Wt (Kg)	29	31	-7.0
Lamb/Mutton (mil lbs)	59	59	0.5
Lamb/Mutton (tonnes)	26,853	26,717	0.5

Source: United States Department of Agriculture (USDA)

U.S Price Summary

San Angelo Auction	June	
	2023	2022
	U.S. \$/cwt	
Choice and Prime 1-2	average	average
-69 lbs	220.97	253.79
70-79 lbs	207.28	248.72
80-89 lbs	205.13	239.83
90+ lbs	204.70	232.21

Includes woolled and hair breeds

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

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

	Year to Date June		
	2023	2022	% chg
Australia	41,492	51,534	-19.5
New Zealand	14,099	18,791	-25.0
Chile	599	611	-2.0
Uruguay	193	617	-68.7
Ireland	81	-	-
Other	49	445	-89.0
Total	56,513	71,998	-21.5

Source: Global Trade Tracker

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

	Year to Date June		
	2023	2022	% chg
Mexico	342	339	0.9
Egypt	97	-	-
Bahamas	79	69	14.5
Netherlands Antilles	78	48	62.5
Dominican Republic	73	81	-9.9
Aruba	72	50	44.0
Uruguay	40	-	-
Other	290	534	-45.7
Total	1,071	1,121	-4.5

Source: Global Trade Tracker