



SHEEP SUPPLY CANADA

May 2022

Fed. & Prov. Slaughter (head)

preliminary	2022	2021	% chg
YTD			
B.C./Alta/Sask./Man.	46,020	49,670	-7.3
Ontario	109,211	106,007	3.0
Quebec - Atlantic	51,376	51,706	-0.6
Canada	206,607	207,383	-0.4

Federal Slaughter

Monthly			
West - Ontario	6,379	5,477	16.5
Quebec - Atlantic	3,723	3,431	8.5
West - Ontario YTD	32,313	33,455	-3.4
Quebec - Atlantic YTD	20,303	19,586	3.7

Provincial Slaughter

preliminary			
Monthly			
West - Ontario	23,804	23,711	0.4
Quebec - Atlantic	5,622	6,168	-8.9
West - Ontario YTD	122,918	122,222	0.6
Quebec - Atlantic YTD	31,073	32,120	-3.3

Source: CFIA, Provincial Governments

Monthly Prices

Ontario Auctions	2022	2021	% chg
Lambs	\$/cwt, live weight, weighted average		
< 65 lbs, new crop	382.14	454.60	-15.9
65-79 lbs	346.46	404.63	-14.4
80-94 lbs	335.60	375.75	-10.7
95-109 lbs	319.06	375.88	-15.1
Sheep	198.91	191.00	4.1

Quebec Auctions

2022	2021	
Lambs	\$/cwt, live weight, weighted average	
< 65 lbs, new crop	337.68	420.88
65-79 lbs	353.02	410.18
Sheep - Ewes	125.78	140.39
Sheep - Ram	190.30	172.61

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2022	
Quebec Heavy Lambs	\$/kg carcass basis (Producer annual contract price)
March 27 to April 17 2022	14.37
April 24 to May 15 2022	13.87
May 22 to June 12 2022	13.50

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

Imports

(Number of head from U.S.)	Year to Date May		
Pure-bred & Non Pure-bred	2022	2021	% chg
East	13	24	-
West	11,103	8,736	27.1
Total	11,116	8,760	26.9

Source: Statistics Canada

Exports

(Number of head)	Year to Date May		
Total Live Sheep	2022	2021	% chg
United States	15,299	285	-
Other	0	0	-
Total	15,299	285	-

Source: Statistics Canada

Mutton & Lamb

(Metric Tonnes)	Year to Date May		
	2022	2021	% chg
Australia	5,595	3,889	43.9
New Zealand	5,098	3,957	28.9
Other	1,075	1,010	6.5
Total	11,769	8,855	32.9

Source: Statistics Canada

Mutton & Lamb

(Metric Tonnes)	Year to Date May		
	2022	2021	% chg
United States	23.0	16.4	39.9
Saint Pierre and Miquelon	6.0	3.6	64.6
United Arab Emirates	4.8	9.9	-51.8
Other	0.0	5.1	-
Total	33.7	35.0	-3.8

Source: Statistics Canada

UNITED STATES

Total Sheep and Lambs

	Year to Date May		
	2022	2021	% chg
Slaughter ('000 head)	710	812	-12.5
Avg Dressed Wt (lbs)	65	63	3.6
Avg Dressed Wt (Kg)	30	29	3.6
Lamb/Mutton (mil lbs)	48	54	-10.6
Lamb/Mutton (tonnes)	21,727	24,313	-10.6

Source: United States Department of Agriculture (USDA)

U.S Price Summary

San Angelo Auction	May	
	2022	2021
	U.S. \$/cwt	
Choice and Prime 1-2	average	average
-69 lbs	302.71	259.21
70-79 lbs	283.68	246.30
80-89 lbs	269.19	241.21
90+ lbs	352.49	228.05

Includes woolled and hair breeds

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

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

	Year to Date May		
	2022	2021	% chg
Mexico	282	171	64.9
Dominican Republic	76	34	-
Bahamas	54	43	25.6
Aruba	47	3	-
Netherlands Antilles	46	28	64.3
Turks and Caicos Islands	44	8	-
Bermuda	41	47	-12.8
Other	284	148	-
Total	874	482	81.3

Source: Global Trade Tracker

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

	Year to Date May		
	2022	2021	% chg
Australia	43,813	36,882	18.8
New Zealand	15,776	11,977	31.7
Uruguay	477	77	-
Chile	433	710	-39.0
Mexico	272	45	-
Other	38	16	-
Total	60,809	49,707	22.3

Source: Global Trade Tracker