



SHEEP SUPPLY CANADA

Year To Date for the Month Ending April 2018

Fed. & Prov. Slaughter (head)

preliminary	2018	2017	% chg
B.C./Alta/Sask./Man.	38,420	40,030	-4.0
Ontario	80,756	84,087	-4.0
Quebec - Atlantic*	44,670	44,114	1.3
Canada	163,846	168,231	-2.6
Federal Slaughter			
West - Ontario	6,222	10,588	-41.2
Quebec - Atlantic	5,586	6,810	-18.0
West - Ontario YTD	31,837	35,525	-10.4
Quebec - Atlantic YTD	25,855	23,828	8.5
Provincial Slaughter			
preliminary			
West - Ontario	21,358	29,084	-26.6
Quebec - Atlantic*	4,562	4,999	-8.7
West - Ontario YTD	87,339	88,592	-1.4
Quebec - Atlantic YTD *	18,815	20,286	-7.3

Source: CFIA, Provincial Governments
*Includes estimates for 2018

Monthly Prices

Ontario Auctions	2018	2017	% chg
Lambs \$/cwt, live weight, weighted average			
< 65 lbs, new crop	373.15	348.81	7.0
65-79 lbs	367.35	347.15	5.8
80-94 lbs	315.83	294.86	7.1
95-109 lbs	305.20	290.27	5.1
Sheep	139.46	133.39	4.5
Quebec Auctions			
	2018	2017	
Lambs \$/cwt, liveweight, weighted average			
< 65 lbs, new crop	348.77	351.06	-0.7
65-79 lbs	331.04	314.72	5.2
Sheep - Ewes	123.80	120.07	3.1
Sheep - Ram	163.23	133.70	22.1
LEOQ			
	2018		
Quebec Heavy Lambs \$/kg carcass basis (Producer annual contract price)			
March 25 to May 5, 2018	10.25		
May 6 to May 26, 2018	10.80		
May 27 to June 16, 2018	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 April		% chg
Pure-bred & Non Pure-bred	2018	2017	
East	11	18	-38.9
West	0	0	-
Total	11	18	-38.9

Source: Statistics Canada

Exports

(Number of head)	Year to Date April		% chg
Total Live Sheep	2018	2017	
United States	3,826	3,349	14.2
Other	0	0	-
Total	3,826	3,349	14.2

Source: Statistics Canada

Mutton & Lamb (Metric Tonnes)	Year to Date April		% chg
	2018	2017	
New Zealand	3,884	4,596	-15.5
Australia	2,974	2,616	13.7
Other	315	193	63.3
Total	7,173	7,405	-3.1

Source: Statistics Canada

Mutton & Lamb (Metric Tonnes)	Year to Date April		% chg
	2018	2017	
United Arab Emirates	24.1	22.2	8.6
United States	21.6	41.7	-48.1
Saint Pierre and Miquelon	3.7	3.9	-4.7
Other	0.1	2.9	-95.5
Total	49.7	70.7	-29.8

Source: Statistics Canada

UNITED STATES

Total Sheep and Lambs

	Year to Date April		% chg
	2018	2017	
Slaughter ('000 head)	649	640	1.4
Avg Dressed Wt (lbs)	70	67	4.9
Avg Dressed Wt (Kg)	32	30	4.9
Lamb/Mutton (mil lbs)	47	45	3.6
Lamb/Mutton (tonnes)	21,138	20,412	3.6

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

	Year to Date April		% chg
	2018	2017	
Mexico	269	363	-25.9
Caribbean	229	214	7.0
European Union	49	43	14.0
Canada	43	20	-
Japan	40	1	-
Central & South America	36	40	-10.0
ASEAN	18	7	-
Other	22	43	-48.8
Total US Exports	706	731	-3.4

Source: USDA

U.S. Price Summary

San Angelo Auction	April	
	2018	2017
U.S. \$/cwt		
min/max		
Choice and Prime 1		
40-70 lbs	206.75 - 225.46	219.57 - 236.93
70-110 lbs	192.44 - 205.44	203.57 - 221.05
Good 1		
40 - 110 lbs	159.54 - 174.92	173.33 - 184.00

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

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

	Year to Date April		% chg
	2018	2017	
Australia	35,554	33,186	7.1
New Zealand	10,200	12,198	-16.4
Chile	104	148	-29.5
Uruguay	53	0	-
Canada	22	43	-49.3
Other	0	10	-
Total US Imports	45,934	45,585	0.8