



# SHEEP SUPPLY CANADA

April 2019

## Fed. & Prov. Slaughter (head)

preliminary	2019	2018	% chg
B.C./Alta/Sask./Man.	41,791	38,420	8.8
Ontario	86,208	80,778	6.7
Quebec - Atlantic*	44,166	44,337	-0.4
<b>Canada</b>	<b>172,165</b>	<b>163,535</b>	<b>5.3</b>

## Federal Slaughter

Monthly			
West - Ontario	10,627	6,222	70.8
Quebec - Atlantic	6,489	5,586	16.2
West - Ontario YTD	34,534	31,837	8.5
Quebec - Atlantic YTD	23,918	25,855	-7.5

## Provincial Slaughter

preliminary			
Monthly			
West - Ontario	34,874	21,358	63.3
Quebec - Atlantic*	6,894	4,615	49.4
West - Ontario YTD	93,465	87,361	7.0
Quebec - Atlantic YTD*	20,248	18,482	9.6

\*Includes estimates for 2019

Source: CFIA, Provincial Governments

## Imports

(Number of head from U.S.)	Year to Date April		
Pure-bred & Non Pure-bred	2019	2018	% chg
East	0	11	-
West	0	0	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>-</b>

Source: Statistics Canada

## Mutton & Lamb

(Metric Tonnes)	Year to Date April		
	2019	2018	% chg
New Zealand	4,294	3,884	10.6
Australia	3,276	2,974	10.2
Other	795	315	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>8,366</b>	<b>7,173</b>	<b>16.6</b>

Source: Statistics Canada

## Monthly Prices

Ontario Auctions	2019	2018	% chg
<b>Lambs</b>	\$/cwt, live weight, weighted average		
< 65 lbs, new crop	378.20	373.15	1.4
65-79 lbs	361.53	367.35	-1.6
80-94 lbs	297.50	315.83	-5.8
95-109 lbs	285.94	305.20	-6.3
<b>Sheep</b>	120.54	139.46	-13.6

## Quebec Auctions

	2019	2018	
<b>Lambs</b>	\$/cwt, live weight, weighted average		
< 65 lbs, new crop	383.98	348.77	10.1
65-79 lbs	343.16	331.04	3.7
<b>Sheep - Ewes</b>	100.89	123.80	-18.5
<b>Sheep - Ram</b>	142.03	163.23	-13.0

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Quebec Heavy Lambs	2019
March 24 to April 13, 2019	10.95
April 14 to May 25, 2019	12.00
May 26 to July 27, 2019	12.00

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

## Exports

(Number of head)	Year to Date April		
Total Live Sheep	2019	2018	% chg
United States	4,294	3,826	12.2
Other	0	0	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>4,294</b>	<b>3,826</b>	<b>12.2</b>

Source: Statistics Canada

## Mutton & Lamb

(Metric Tonnes)	Year to Date April		
	2019	2018	% chg
United Arab Emirates	23.4	24.1	-3.2
United States	18.6	21.6	-14.0
Saint Pierre and Miquelon	1.6	3.7	-58.4
Other	0.4	0.1	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>43.9</b>	<b>49.7</b>	<b>-11.5</b>

Source: Statistics Canada

# UNITED STATES

## Total Sheep and Lambs

	Year to Date April		
	2019	2018	% chg
Slaughter ('000 head)	674	649	4.0
Avg Dressed Wt (lbs)	71	71	-0.7
Avg Dressed Wt (Kg)	32	32	-0.7
Lamb/Mutton (mil lbs)	46	47	-3.0
Lamb/Mutton (tonnes)	20,639	21,274	-3.0

## U.S Price Summary

San Angelo Auction	April	
	2019	2018
Choice and Prime 1	U.S. \$/cwt	
	min/max	
40-70 lbs	164.50 - 184.25	206.75 - 225.46
70-110 lbs	135.71 - 152.42	192.44 - 205.44
Good 1	50-85 lbs	127.33 - 129.33 159.54 - 174.92

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

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

	Year to Date April		
	2019	2018	% chg
Caribbean	338	229	47.6
Mexico	206	269	-23.4
Middle East	96	0	-
Central & South America	67	36	86.1
European Union	55	49	12.2
Canada	36	43	-16.3
ASEAN	13	18	-27.8
Other	17	62	-72.6
<b>Total US Exports</b>	<b>828</b>	<b>706</b>	<b>17.3</b>

Source: United States Department of Agriculture (USDA)

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

	Year to Date April		
	2019	2018	% chg
Australia	38,110	35,554	7.2
New Zealand	11,857	10,200	16.2
Chile	161	104	54.6
Uruguay	52	53	-2.1
Mexico	39	0	-
Other	19	43	-55.0
<b>Total US Imports</b>	<b>50,239</b>	<b>45,955</b>	<b>9.3</b>

Source: USDA