



Beef Supply at a Glance - CANADA

Year to Date for the Week Ending December 14, 2019

Federally Inspected Slaughter (head)	West			East			CANADA		
	2019	2018	% chg	2019	2018	% chg	2019	2018	% chg
Steers	1,250,140	1,147,186	9 %	411,425	404,198	2 %	1,661,565	1,551,384	7 %
Heifers	752,340	734,702	2 %	132,408	121,124	9 %	884,748	855,826	3 %
Cows	386,144	374,113	3 %	102,564	111,336	-8 %	488,708	485,449	1 %
Bulls	15,024	16,290	-8 %	474	591	-20 %	15,498	16,881	-8 %
Total	2,403,648	2,272,291	6 %	646,871	637,249	2 %	3,050,519	2,909,540	5 %
Total Jan. - Dec. 2018		2,353,291			657,816			3,011,107	
Carcass Weight (lbs)									
Steers	896	879	2 %	948	941	1 %	909	895	2 %
Heifers	835	824	1 %	845	840	1 %	836	827	1 %
Cows	745	746	0 %	661	671	-1 %	727	729	0 %
Bulls	958	974	-2 %	935	943	-1 %	957	973	-2 %

Source: Canadian Beef Grading Agency (CBGA)

Beef Output (tonnes)									
Fed	792,852	732,107	8 %	227,687	218,733	4 %	1,020,539	950,840	7 %
Non-Fed	137,002	133,808	2 %	30,975	34,118	-9 %	167,977	167,926	0 %
Total	929,854	865,916	7 %	258,662	252,851	2 %	1,188,516	1,118,767	6 %
Total Jan. - Dec. 2018		897,307			261,188			1,158,495	

Imports For the period Jan. 1 - Oct. 31, 2019			
Live Cattle from U.S.			
(head)	2019	2018	% chg
pure bred	4,564	5,117	-11 %
non pure bred	202,385	150,505	34 %
Total	206,949	155,622	33 %

Source: Statistics Canada

Exports For the period Jan. 1 - Dec. 7, 2019			
Live Cattle to U.S.			
(head)	2019	2018	% chg
slaughter steers, heifers, cows	451,318	364,678	24 %
feeder cattle & calves	183,019	191,945	-5 %
bulls	45,290	43,127	5 %
others	10,384	7,860	32 %
Total	690,011	607,610	14 %

Source: USDA - APHIS

Imports For the period Jan. 1 - Dec. 14, 2019			
Beef & Veal Imports			
(tonnes)	2019	2018	% chg
United States	104,028	116,901	-11 %
Australia	14,646	21,738	-33 %
New Zealand	11,592	17,225	-33 %
Uruguay	7,199	8,485	-15 %
Mexico	5,432	3,776	44 %
Others	8,588	8,327	3 %
Total	151,486	176,452	-14 %

Fresh, chilled & frozen (H.S. 0201, 0202)			
Non-CUSMA Beef/Veal total (exc. EU-28)	34,066	48,474	-30 %
EU-28 (Beef/Veal total)	5,640	2,105	168 %

Source: Canadian Food Inspection Agency (CFIA)

Exports For the period Jan. 1 - Oct. 31, 2019							
Beef & Veal Exports to U.S.							
(tonnes)	Fresh Bone-In	Fresh Boneless	Frozen Bone-In	Frozen Boneless	2019	2018	% chg
Carcasses and Half-Carcasses	2,088	N/A	0	N/A	2,088	3,422	-39 %
Primal Cuts	16,455	215,100	1,957	8,543	242,055	222,814	9 %
Chuck	5,463	44,425	72	84	50,044	48,133	4 %
Loin	138	21,371	18	654	22,181	19,313	15 %
Brisket	2	16,498	0	0	16,499	15,143	9 %
Flank and Plate	3,286	10,897	3	259	14,445	14,241	1 %
Hip	272	13,803	3	123	14,200	14,768	-4 %
Rib	4,526	11,075	636	5	16,242	13,108	24 %
Others	2,769	97,030	1,225	7,418	108,442	98,107	11 %
Offals	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	18,029	14,823	22 %
Processed	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	4,889	5,369	-9 %
Total	18,543	215,100	1,957	8,543	267,060	246,427	8 %

Source: Statistics Canada

Beef & Veal Exports For the period Jan. 1 - Oct. 31, 2019									
	Exports to All Countries (tonnes)			('000 \$ CDN)			Exports to E.U-28 (tonnes)		
	2019	2018	% chg	2019	2018	% chg	2019	2018	
United States	267,060	246,427	8 %	1,938,960	1,667,624	16 %	United Kingdom	1,118	387
Japan	42,467	26,856	58 %	302,866	179,614	69 %	Netherlands	195	280
Mexico	13,862	12,720	9 %	108,131	91,437	18 %	France	66	11
Hong Kong	12,771	16,909	-24 %	123,331	141,702	-13 %	Belgium	49	16
China	11,475	6,865	67 %	98,412	64,010	54 %	Italy	40	0
South Korea	4,389	2,977	47 %	33,256	19,842	68 %	Germany	31	13
Taiwan	2,522	2,278	11 %	19,810	17,220	15 %	Denmark	0	43
Angola	2,128	2,201	-3 %	2,102	2,184	-4 %	Total	1,500	751
Colombia	1,748	801	118 %	2,093	806	160 %	Total ('000 \$ CDN)	20,611	11,303
Others	11,623	12,235	-5 %	55,780	48,362	15 %			
Total	370,047	330,268	12 %	2,684,740	2,232,802	20 %			
Cattle Hides & Skins Exports (Number '000)	2,949	2,909	1 %	156,879	212,296	-26 %			

Source: Statistics Canada

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UNITED STATES

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	Weekly	2019	2018	% chg		Weekly	2019	2018	% chg
Slaughter ('000 head)					Carcass Weight (lbs)				
Steers	330.8	15,370.3	15,738.6	-2 %	Steers	906	877	879	0 %
Heifers	205.4	9,212.2	8,623.3	7 %	Heifers	840	812	816	0 %
Cows	136.3	6,017.2	5,816.9	3 %	Cows	628	640	647	-1 %
Bulls	9.6	508.3	510.4	0 %	Bulls	851	880	890	-1 %
Total	682.1	31,108.0	30,689.3	1 %					
Total Jan. - Dec. 2018			32,445.3						
Beef Output (tonnes)					National Summary of Beef Graded				
Fed		9,504,751	9,467,052	0 %		November 2019	(Oct'18-Sept'19)	2018	(Oct'17-Sept'18)
Non-Fed		1,949,876	1,912,449	2 %	Prime	10.0 %	8.8 %	7.6 %	
Total		11,454,627	11,379,501	1 %	Choice	72.6 %	73.4 %	73.7 %	
Total Jan. - Dec. 2018			11,103,149		Select	17.2 %	17.5 %	18.5 %	
For the period					Cattle Slaughter for the Week Ending				
	Oct. 2019	2019	2018	% chg		2019	2018	% chg	
U.S. Beef and Veal Imports (carcass weight, tonnes)					Cattle Slaughter Year to Date				
Canada		324,938	300,820	8 %	Canada	57,770	61,825	-7 %	
Australia		271,549	260,896	4 %	US	682,077	668,891	2 %	
Mexico		219,026	191,998	14 %	Total Canada & US	739,847	730,716	1 %	
Others		357,796	411,370	-13 %	US Live Cattle Imports				
Total		1,173,309	1,165,084	1 %	Canada	2,989,280	2,853,273	5 %	
U.S. Beef and Veal Exports (carcass weight, tonnes)					US	31,107,976	30,689,294	1 %	
Japan		304,968	341,258	-11 %	Total Canada & US	34,097,256	33,542,567	2 %	
South Korea		261,256	243,231	7 %	Canada and United States Beef and Veal Tariff Rate Quota Summary				
Mexico		163,793	169,695	-3 %	US Beef and Veal Tariff Rate Quota (TRQ) Summary				
Others		414,070	440,253	-6 %	For the period 1 Jan.-Dec. 14 2019				
Total		1,144,087	1,194,437	-4 %	2019				
					2018				
					% chg in tonnes entered from 2018 to 2019				
	Quota level	Tonnes entered	% filled		Tonnes entered	% filled			
Australia	378,214	228,243	60 %		216,179	57 %		6 %	
New Zealand	213,402	125,816	59 %		181,491	85 %		-31 %	
Argentina	20,000	1,390	7 %		0	0 %		-	
Uruguay	20,000	19,038	95 %		19,076	95 %		0 %	
Japan	200	200	100 %		200	100 %		0 %	
Others	64,805	64,805	100 %		64,805	100 %		0 %	
Total TRQ	696,621	439,492	63 %		481,751	69 %		-9 %	
TRQ (Australia, N. Z.)	591,616	354,059	60 %		397,670	67 %		-11 %	
Canada	no limit								
Mexico	no limit								
Canadian Beef and Veal Import Permits by Country					Canadian Beef and Veal Import Permits by Type of Meat				
For the period 1 Jan.-Dec. 14 2019					For the period 1 Jan.-Dec. 14 2019				
	2019	2018	% chg		2019	(tonnes)		Total	Total (%)
Global quota (tonnes)	76,409	76,409	0 %	Argentina	Grinding Beef	Cuts		33	0 %
Supp. Quota Authorized	-	-	-	Australia	10,765	4,632		15,396	41 %
Total quota	76,409	76,409	0 %	Germany	0	0		0	0 %
				Ireland	0	0		0	0 %
				Japan	0	28		28	0 %
				Netherlands	0	0		0	0 %
				New Zealand	8,524	3,821		12,346	33 %
				United Kingdom	24	0		24	0 %
YTD Permits allocated as of:				Uruguay	7,604	1,885		9,489	25 %
	12/14/2019	12/13/2018	% chg	Total	26,917	10,399		37,316	100 %
Argentina	33	1.5	-	For the period 1 Jan.-Dec. 14 2019					
Australia (35,000 mt)	15,396	22,110	-30 %	Percentage of Total Imports					
Germany	0	0	-	Grinding Beef					
Ireland	0	0	-	2019					
Japan	28	6	387 %	2018					
Netherlands	0	0	-	Argentina	0.0 %	0.0 %		0.1 %	0.0 %
New Zealand (29,600 mt)	12,346	17,333	-29 %	Australia	28.8 %	31.8 %		12.4 %	11.3 %
United Kingdom	24	0	-	Germany	0.0 %	0.0 %		0.0 %	0.0 %
Uruguay	9,489	11,802	-20 %	Ireland	0.0 %	0.0 %		0.0 %	0.0 %
Total	37,316	51,252	-27 %	Japan	0.0 %	0.0 %		0.1 %	0.0 %
				Netherlands	0.0 %	0.0 %		0.0 %	0.0 %
				New Zealand	22.8 %	20.7 %		10.2 %	13.1 %
				United Kingdom	0.1 %	0.0 %		0.0 %	0.0 %
				Uruguay	20.4 %	19.4 %		5.1 %	3.6 %
				Total	72.1 %	71.9 %		27.9 %	28.1 %

Over quota tariff rate : 26.5 %

Source: CBGA (Canadian Slaughter), USDA (US Data), GAC (Canadian TRQ Data)



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	Fed Slaughter (head)				Non-fed Slaughter (head)				Total Canada
	West	East	Canada	Weekly Avg.	West	East	Canada	Weekly Avg.	
2019-12-14	37,602	11,519	49,121		10,257	1,861	12,118		61,239
2019-12-07	34,117	11,277	45,394		10,505	1,871	12,376		57,770
2019-11-30	37,157	11,388	48,545		11,231	1,833	13,064		61,609
November 2019	164,661	45,197	209,858	52,465	38,361	7,416	45,777	11,444	255,635
October 2019	172,753	39,596	212,349	53,087	27,985	8,076	36,061	9,015	248,410
September 2019	223,813	50,350	274,163	54,833	33,606	10,640	44,246	8,849	318,409
August 2019	182,658	43,491	226,149	56,537	23,399	8,580	31,979	7,995	258,128
July 2019	174,557	42,548	217,105	54,276	25,434	8,200	33,634	8,409	250,739
June 2019	219,927	55,816	275,743	55,149	34,560	11,084	45,644	9,129	321,387
May 2019	156,931	43,462	200,393	50,098	27,745	8,352	36,097	9,024	236,490
April 2019	149,406	43,948	193,354	48,339	31,458	7,730	39,188	9,797	232,542
March 2019	189,168	57,115	246,283	49,257	46,245	10,279	56,524	11,305	302,807
February 2019	132,781	45,093	177,874	44,469	42,754	8,268	51,022	12,756	228,896
January 2019	126,949	43,033	169,982	42,496	37,628	8,848	46,476	11,619	216,458
December 2018	172,230	49,955	222,185	44,437	47,067	11,869	58,936	11,787	281,121
November 2018	150,982	43,474	194,456	48,614	40,684	10,811	51,495	12,874	245,951
October 2018	158,807	42,117	200,924	50,231	27,819	9,348	37,167	9,292	238,091
September 2018	204,278	53,968	258,246	51,649	36,485	10,856	47,341	9,468	305,587
August 2018	169,509	43,507	213,016	53,254	26,124	7,933	34,057	8,514	247,073
July 2018	162,706	40,213	202,919	50,730	24,724	8,319	33,043	8,261	235,962
June 2018	224,987	50,144	275,131	55,026	31,665	11,443	43,108	8,622	318,239
May 2018	151,646	41,039	192,685	48,171	29,689	8,549	38,238	9,560	230,923
April 2018	148,979	43,495	192,474	48,119	29,905	8,565	38,470	9,618	230,944
March 2018	168,406	52,078	220,484	44,097	42,749	10,699	53,448	10,690	273,932
February 2018	119,618	41,286	160,904	40,226	35,054	8,844	43,898	10,975	204,802
January 2018	113,933	41,194	155,127	38,782	35,245	8,110	43,355	10,839	198,482
YTD Total 2019	2,002,480	543,833	2,546,313	50,926	401,168	103,038	504,206	10,084	3,050,519
Total 2018	1,946,081	542,470	2,488,551	47,857	407,210	115,346	522,556	10,049	3,011,107

Grading

	Weekly Totals		December 14, 2019		Canada 2019		Canada 2018		% chg '18 - '19
	West	% total	East	% total	Canada 2019	% total	Canada 2018	% total	
A - Prime	1,370	3.7 %	606	5.2 %	1,976	4.0 %	1,325	49.1%	
AAA	24,493	65.4 %	7,859	68.0 %	32,352	66.1 %	29,058	11.3%	
AA	10,514	28.1 %	2,752	23.8 %	13,266	27.1 %	12,902	2.8%	
A	598	1.6 %	130	1.1 %	728	1.5 %	544	33.8%	
B1, 2, 3, 4	448	1.2 %	210	1.8 %	658	1.3 %	594	10.8%	
	Year-to-date		Year-to-date		Canada 2019		Canada 2018		% chg '18 - '19
	West	% total	East	% total	Canada 2019	% total	Canada 2018	% total	
A - Prime	54,665	2.8 %	19,940	3.7 %	74,605	2.9 %	57,592	29.5 %	
AAA	1,184,260	59.6 %	345,036	63.3 %	1,529,296	60.4 %	1,479,449	3.4 %	
AA	667,623	33.6 %	160,232	29.4 %	827,855	32.7 %	770,011	7.5 %	
A	44,725	2.3 %	9,114	1.7 %	53,839	2.1 %	40,895	31.7 %	
B1, 2, 3, 4	35,976	1.8 %	11,123	2.0 %	47,099	1.9 %	41,619	13.2 %	

Source: CBGA

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