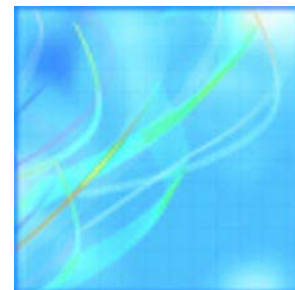


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Highlights

- The number of sheep on Canadian farms increased to 813,600 head as of January 1, 2011, an increase of 1.0% from the same period in 2010.
- Total slaughter in Canada declined 4.9% in the second half of 2010 from the same period a year ago falling to 379,800 head.
- Sheep imports were reported at 16,200 head for the period of July 1, 2010 to December 31, 2010, a 1.8% decline from the same date a year ago.

Analysis

Sheep Estimates

January 1, 2011

The number of sheep on Canadian farms increased to 813,600 head as of January 1, 2011, an increase of 1.0% from the same period in 2010. The Atlantic region, Ontario, Saskatchewan and Alberta saw inventory increases, while the remaining provinces experienced decreases.

[Text table 1](#)
[Sheep inventories](#)

| | Sheep | | | | |
|------------------|-----------------------------|--------------------------|----------------|------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| | January 1 2010 ^r | July 1 2010 ^r | January 1 2011 | July 2010 to January 2011 | January 2010 to January 2011 |
| | thousands of head | | | percentage change | |
| Canada | 805.5 | 1,047.1 | 813.6 | -22.3 | 1.0 |
| East | 487.0 | 633.6 | 493.4 | -22.1 | 1.3 |
| Atlantic | 30.0 | 43.6 | 35.4 | -18.8 | 18.0 |
| Quebec | 238.5 | 274.5 | 226.0 | -17.7 | -5.2 |
| Ontario | 218.5 | 315.5 | 232.0 | -26.5 | 6.2 |
| West | 318.5 | 413.5 | 320.2 | -22.6 | 0.5 |
| Manitoba | 59.0 | 65.0 | 53.0 | -18.5 | -10.2 |
| Saskatchewan | 87.5 | 114.0 | 90.0 | -21.1 | 2.9 |
| Alberta | 127.0 | 179.0 | 132.7 | -25.9 | 4.5 |
| British Columbia | 45.0 | 55.5 | 44.5 | -19.8 | -1.1 |

Note(s): ^r revised

The Canadian sheep flock is showing signs of rebuilding in parts of the country with the number of ewes and lambs kept for breeding increasing in Canada by 1.1% and 7.6% respectively from a year ago. The Atlantic region, Ontario, Saskatchewan and Alberta reported increases in the ewe inventory and lambs kept for breeding flock.

Total slaughter in Canada declined 4.9% in the second half of 2010 from the same period a year ago falling to 379,800 head. Sheep imports were reported at 16,200 head for the period of July 1, 2010 to December 31, 2010, a 1.8% decline from the same date a year ago.

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| 003-0084 | Cattle prices, steers, monthly |
| 003-0085 | Cattle and calves, number by class and calf crop, United States, annual |
| 003-0086 | Cattle, weighted average prices, steers, annual |

| | |
|----------|--|
| 003-0087 | Hogs statistics, sows farrowed, pigs born and sows bred to farrow, quarterly |
| 003-0088 | Hogs statistics, supply and disposition of hogs, quarterly |
| 003-0089 | Hogs statistics, number of farms reporting and average number of hogs per farm, quarterly |
| 003-0090 | Hogs statistics, prices, monthly |
| 003-0091 | Hogs statistics, weighted average prices, annual |
| 003-0092 | Hogs and pigs statistics, inventory number by class and quarter, United States and Canada, quarterly |
| 003-0093 | Hogs and pigs statistics, inventory number by class and quarter, United States, quarterly |
| 003-0094 | Sheep statistics, supply and disposition of sheep and lambs, annual |
| 003-0095 | Sheep statistics, prices of lambs, monthly |
| 003-0096 | Sheep statistics, weighted average prices, lambs, annual |
| 003-0097 | Sheep statistics, quantity of wool purchased, used on farms, price and farm value, annual |

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| | |
|------|------------------|
| 3460 | Livestock Survey |
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Selected summary tables from Statistics Canada

- *Cattle inventories, by province*
- *Pig inventories, by province (quarterly)*
- *Sheep inventories, by province*

Statistical tables

Table 1-1
Sheep and lambs on farms — Canada

| | Rams | Ewes | Replacement lambs | Market lambs | Total |
|--------------------------------------|------|-------|----------------------|-----------------|---------|
| thousands of head | | | | | |
| At January 1 | | | | | |
| 2005 | 26.6 | 606.2 | 93.9 | 250.9 | 977.6 |
| 2006 | 25.7 | 563.2 | 87.1 | 217.8 | 893.8 |
| 2007 | 26.0 | 558.1 | 88.2 | 206.8 | 879.1 |
| 2008 | 24.2 | 532.5 | 81.8 | 186.8 | 825.3 |
| 2009 | 23.8 | 522.1 | 77.9 | 184.4 | 808.2 |
| 2010 | 22.9 | 515.7 | 74.0 | 192.9 | 805.5 |
| 2011 | 22.8 | 521.6 | 79.6 | 189.6 | 813.6 |
| At July 1 | | | | | |
| 2005 | 26.9 | 603.2 | 104.8 | 455.6 | 1,190.5 |
| 2006 | 25.8 | 589.6 | 97.9 | 437.9 | 1,151.2 |
| 2007 | 25.7 | 558.2 | 96.3 | 415.5 | 1,095.7 |
| 2008 | 24.3 | 546.6 | 94.2 | 396.9 | 1,062.0 |
| 2009 | 23.1 | 549.3 | 93.3 | 396.9 | 1,062.6 |
| 2010 | 23.1 | 537.4 | 95.8 | 390.8 | 1,047.1 |
| 2011 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| percentage change from previous year | | | | | |
| At January 1 | | | | | |
| 2005 | -2.6 | -1.2 | -0.2 | -3.3 | -1.7 |
| 2006 | -3.4 | -7.1 | -7.2 | -13.2 | -8.6 |
| 2007 | 1.2 | -0.9 | 1.3 | -5.1 | -1.6 |
| 2008 | -6.9 | -4.6 | -7.3 | -9.7 | -6.1 |
| 2009 | -1.7 | -2.0 | -4.8 | -1.3 | -2.1 |
| 2010 | -3.8 | -1.2 | -5.0 | 4.6 | -0.3 |
| 2011 | -0.4 | 1.1 | 7.6 | -1.7 | 1.0 |
| At July 1 | | | | | |
| 2005 | -3.6 | -0.6 | -8.7 | -7.2 | -4.0 |
| 2006 | -4.1 | -2.3 | -6.6 | -3.9 | -3.3 |
| 2007 | -0.4 | -5.3 | -1.6 | -5.1 | -4.8 |
| 2008 | -5.4 | -2.1 | -2.2 | -4.5 | -3.1 |
| 2009 | -4.9 | 0.5 | -1.0 | 0.0 | 0.1 |
| 2010 | 0.0 | -2.2 | 2.7 | -1.5 | -1.5 |
| 2011 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |

Table 1-2
Sheep and lambs on farms — Newfoundland and Labrador

| | Rams | Ewes | Replacement lambs | Market lambs | Total |
|---------------------|------|------|----------------------|-----------------|-------|
| thousands of head | | | | | |
| At January 1 | | | | | |
| 2005 | 0.1 | 2.6 | 0.4 | 0.9 | 4.0 |
| 2006 | 0.1 | 2.2 | 0.4 | 0.9 | 3.6 |
| 2007 | 0.1 | 1.9 | 0.4 | 0.8 | 3.2 |
| 2008 | 0.1 | 2.0 | 0.3 | 0.7 | 3.1 |
| 2009 | 0.1 | 2.1 | 0.3 | 0.8 | 3.3 |
| 2010 | 0.1 | 1.6 | 0.3 | 0.8 | 2.8 |
| 2011 | 0.1 | 1.8 | 0.3 | 1.0 | 3.2 |
| At July 1 | | | | | |
| 2005 | 0.2 | 2.5 | 0.6 | 2.4 | 5.7 |
| 2006 | 0.1 | 2.1 | 0.5 | 2.0 | 4.7 |
| 2007 | 0.1 | 1.9 | 0.5 | 1.7 | 4.2 |
| 2008 | 0.1 | 2.0 | 0.3 | 1.8 | 4.2 |
| 2009 | 0.1 | 1.8 | 0.5 | 1.6 | 4.0 |
| 2010 | 0.1 | 1.7 | 0.3 | 1.4 | 3.5 |
| 2011 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |

Table 1-3
Sheep and lambs on farms — Prince Edward Island

| | Rams | Ewes | Replacement lambs | Market lambs | Total |
|---------------------|------|------|----------------------|-----------------|-------|
| thousands of head | | | | | |
| At January 1 | | | | | |
| 2005 | 0.2 | 1.8 | 0.3 | 0.6 | 2.9 |
| 2006 | 0.1 | 1.9 | 0.3 | 1.1 | 3.4 |
| 2007 | 0.2 | 2.0 | 0.3 | 0.9 | 3.4 |
| 2008 | 0.1 | 2.0 | 0.2 | 0.8 | 3.1 |
| 2009 | 0.1 | 2.0 | 0.5 | 0.8 | 3.4 |
| 2010 | 0.1 | 2.5 | 0.5 | 1.1 | 4.2 |
| 2011 | 0.1 | 3.4 | 0.5 | 2.0 | 6.0 |
| At July 1 | | | | | |
| 2005 | 0.1 | 1.8 | 0.3 | 1.8 | 4.0 |
| 2006 | 0.1 | 1.9 | 0.4 | 1.6 | 4.0 |
| 2007 | 0.1 | 1.9 | 0.2 | 1.4 | 3.6 |
| 2008 | 0.1 | 1.7 | 0.2 | 1.5 | 3.5 |
| 2009 | 0.1 | 2.0 | 0.2 | 1.8 | 4.1 |
| 2010 | 0.1 | 3.0 | 0.4 | 2.2 | 5.7 |
| 2011 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |

Table 1-4
Sheep and lambs on farms — Nova Scotia

| | Rams | Ewes | Replacement lambs | Market lambs | Total |
|---------------------|------|------|----------------------|-----------------|-------|
| thousands of head | | | | | |
| At January 1 | | | | | |
| 2005 | 0.6 | 12.8 | 2.0 | 3.2 | 18.6 |
| 2006 | 0.6 | 12.2 | 1.9 | 3.8 | 18.5 |
| 2007 | 0.6 | 11.5 | 2.2 | 4.3 | 18.6 |
| 2008 | 0.5 | 11.0 | 2.0 | 4.0 | 17.5 |
| 2009 | 0.6 | 11.5 | 2.2 | 3.5 | 17.8 |
| 2010 | 0.6 | 12.0 | 2.1 | 3.1 | 17.8 |
| 2011 | 0.7 | 12.4 | 2.5 | 4.9 | 20.5 |
| At July 1 | | | | | |
| 2005 | 0.6 | 12.3 | 2.2 | 10.9 | 26.0 |
| 2006 | 0.6 | 11.6 | 2.1 | 10.9 | 25.2 |
| 2007 | 0.6 | 12.5 | 2.5 | 11.2 | 26.8 |
| 2008 | 0.5 | 11.5 | 2.1 | 10.5 | 24.6 |
| 2009 | 0.5 | 12.0 | 2.2 | 11.2 | 25.9 |
| 2010 | 0.5 | 12.0 | 2.2 | 11.7 | 26.4 |
| 2011 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |

Table 1-5
Sheep and lambs on farms — New Brunswick

| | Rams | Ewes | Replacement lambs | Market lambs | Total |
|---------------------|------|------|----------------------|-----------------|-------|
| thousands of head | | | | | |
| At January 1 | | | | | |
| 2005 | 0.2 | 4.1 | 0.6 | 1.7 | 6.6 |
| 2006 | 0.2 | 3.8 | 0.6 | 1.7 | 6.3 |
| 2007 | 0.2 | 3.6 | 0.5 | 1.6 | 5.9 |
| 2008 | 0.2 | 4.0 | 0.6 | 1.8 | 6.6 |
| 2009 | 0.2 | 3.6 | 0.4 | 1.5 | 5.7 |
| 2010 | 0.2 | 3.4 | 0.5 | 1.1 | 5.2 |
| 2011 | 0.2 | 3.8 | 0.6 | 1.1 | 5.7 |
| At July 1 | | | | | |
| 2005 | 0.2 | 4.0 | 0.6 | 3.0 | 7.8 |
| 2006 | 0.2 | 3.6 | 0.7 | 2.8 | 7.3 |
| 2007 | 0.2 | 4.0 | 0.8 | 3.1 | 8.1 |
| 2008 | 0.2 | 4.0 | 0.9 | 3.6 | 8.7 |
| 2009 | 0.2 | 3.5 | 0.6 | 3.8 | 8.1 |
| 2010 | 0.2 | 3.5 | 0.7 | 3.6 | 8.0 |
| 2011 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |

Table 1-6
Sheep and lambs on farms — Quebec

| | Rams | Ewes | Replacement lambs | Market lambs | Total |
|---------------------|------|-------|----------------------|-----------------|-------|
| thousands of head | | | | | |
| At January 1 | | | | | |
| 2005 | 6.0 | 167.7 | 23.9 | 49.9 | 247.5 |
| 2006 | 6.0 | 170.6 | 23.0 | 52.4 | 252.0 |
| 2007 | 6.1 | 167.8 | 22.1 | 52.0 | 248.0 |
| 2008 | 6.0 | 166.0 | 22.0 | 51.0 | 245.0 |
| 2009 | 6.0 | 163.2 | 23.0 | 51.8 | 244.0 |
| 2010 | 5.8 | 158.5 | 20.5 | 53.7 | 238.5 |
| 2011 | 5.5 | 152.5 | 19.0 | 49.0 | 226.0 |
| At July 1 | | | | | |
| 2005 | 6.0 | 179.1 | 28.0 | 88.9 | 302.0 |
| 2006 | 6.1 | 181.5 | 25.5 | 93.9 | 307.0 |
| 2007 | 5.9 | 171.6 | 26.6 | 90.9 | 295.0 |
| 2008 | 5.9 | 170.0 | 26.6 | 87.5 | 290.0 |
| 2009 | 5.8 | 171.6 | 24.3 | 83.8 | 285.5 |
| 2010 | 5.7 | 165.5 | 22.8 | 80.5 | 274.5 |
| 2011 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |

Table 1-7
Sheep and lambs on farms — Ontario

| | Rams | Ewes | Replacement lambs | Market lambs | Total |
|---------------------|------|-------|----------------------|-----------------|-------|
| thousands of head | | | | | |
| At January 1 | | | | | |
| 2005 | 7.2 | 177.8 | 24.0 | 56.0 | 265.0 |
| 2006 | 7.0 | 158.9 | 21.5 | 37.6 | 225.0 |
| 2007 | 7.0 | 159.5 | 23.3 | 45.2 | 235.0 |
| 2008 | 7.2 | 159.2 | 23.5 | 40.1 | 230.0 |
| 2009 | 6.9 | 150.9 | 20.0 | 37.2 | 215.0 |
| 2010 | 7.0 | 152.0 | 21.5 | 38.0 | 218.5 |
| 2011 | 7.1 | 160.0 | 24.0 | 40.9 | 232.0 |
| At July 1 | | | | | |
| 2005 | 7.7 | 166.0 | 26.1 | 110.2 | 310.0 |
| 2006 | 7.2 | 158.6 | 26.8 | 118.4 | 311.0 |
| 2007 | 7.8 | 159.2 | 27.9 | 110.1 | 305.0 |
| 2008 | 7.3 | 154.1 | 28.6 | 105.0 | 295.0 |
| 2009 | 7.0 | 160.1 | 28.4 | 119.5 | 315.0 |
| 2010 | 7.1 | 160.1 | 33.3 | 115.0 | 315.5 |
| 2011 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |

Table 1-8
Sheep and lambs on farms — Eastern provinces

| | Rams | Ewes | Replacement lambs | Market lambs | Total |
|---------------------|------|-------|----------------------|-----------------|-------|
| thousands of head | | | | | |
| At January 1 | | | | | |
| 2005 | 14.3 | 366.8 | 51.2 | 112.3 | 544.6 |
| 2006 | 14.0 | 349.6 | 47.7 | 97.5 | 508.8 |
| 2007 | 14.2 | 346.3 | 48.8 | 104.8 | 514.1 |
| 2008 | 14.1 | 344.2 | 48.6 | 98.4 | 505.3 |
| 2009 | 13.9 | 333.3 | 46.4 | 95.6 | 489.2 |
| 2010 | 13.8 | 330.0 | 45.4 | 97.8 | 487.0 |
| 2011 | 13.7 | 333.9 | 46.9 | 98.9 | 493.4 |
| At July 1 | | | | | |
| 2005 | 14.8 | 365.7 | 57.8 | 217.2 | 655.5 |
| 2006 | 14.3 | 359.3 | 56.0 | 229.6 | 659.2 |
| 2007 | 14.7 | 351.1 | 58.5 | 218.4 | 642.7 |
| 2008 | 14.1 | 343.3 | 58.7 | 209.9 | 626.0 |
| 2009 | 13.7 | 351.0 | 56.2 | 221.7 | 642.6 |
| 2010 | 13.7 | 345.8 | 59.7 | 214.4 | 633.6 |
| 2011 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |

Table 1-9
Sheep and lambs on farms — Manitoba

| | Rams | Ewes | Replacement lambs | Market lambs | Total |
|---------------------|------|------|----------------------|-----------------|-------|
| thousands of head | | | | | |
| At January 1 | | | | | |
| 2005 | 1.8 | 39.9 | 5.0 | 23.3 | 70.0 |
| 2006 | 1.6 | 34.5 | 4.5 | 24.4 | 65.0 |
| 2007 | 1.5 | 33.9 | 4.2 | 24.4 | 64.0 |
| 2008 | 1.5 | 33.2 | 4.0 | 23.3 | 62.0 |
| 2009 | 1.4 | 31.5 | 4.0 | 24.1 | 61.0 |
| 2010 | 1.4 | 30.6 | 3.9 | 23.1 | 59.0 |
| 2011 | 1.3 | 28.0 | 3.7 | 20.0 | 53.0 |
| At July 1 | | | | | |
| 2005 | 1.7 | 35.5 | 6.0 | 34.8 | 78.0 |
| 2006 | 1.5 | 34.1 | 5.0 | 27.9 | 68.5 |
| 2007 | 1.6 | 33.4 | 5.5 | 29.5 | 70.0 |
| 2008 | 1.5 | 31.9 | 4.8 | 27.8 | 66.0 |
| 2009 | 1.4 | 34.5 | 5.5 | 29.6 | 71.0 |
| 2010 | 1.4 | 32.4 | 5.1 | 26.1 | 65.0 |
| 2011 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |

Table 1-10
Sheep and lambs on farms — Saskatchewan

| | Rams | Ewes | Replacement lambs | Market lambs | Total |
|---------------------|------|------|----------------------|-----------------|-------|
| thousands of head | | | | | |
| At January 1 | | | | | |
| 2005 | 3.0 | 65.2 | 14.1 | 47.7 | 130.0 |
| 2006 | 2.8 | 51.0 | 13.7 | 37.5 | 105.0 |
| 2007 | 3.0 | 51.7 | 13.9 | 26.4 | 95.0 |
| 2008 | 2.8 | 49.4 | 12.6 | 23.2 | 88.0 |
| 2009 | 2.5 | 46.1 | 9.4 | 24.0 | 82.0 |
| 2010 | 2.5 | 48.0 | 10.4 | 26.6 | 87.5 |
| 2011 | 2.4 | 49.8 | 11.5 | 26.3 | 90.0 |
| At July 1 | | | | | |
| 2005 | 3.0 | 66.5 | 14.0 | 58.5 | 142.0 |
| 2006 | 2.7 | 64.2 | 13.8 | 52.3 | 133.0 |
| 2007 | 2.8 | 55.0 | 10.0 | 52.2 | 120.0 |
| 2008 | 2.8 | 55.5 | 12.4 | 54.3 | 125.0 |
| 2009 | 2.4 | 52.9 | 13.9 | 44.8 | 114.0 |
| 2010 | 2.5 | 50.0 | 12.5 | 49.0 | 114.0 |
| 2011 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |

Table 1-11
Sheep and lambs on farms — Alberta

| | Rams | Ewes | Replacement lambs | Market lambs | Total |
|---------------------|------|-------|----------------------|-----------------|-------|
| thousands of head | | | | | |
| At January 1 | | | | | |
| 2005 | 5.4 | 101.5 | 14.7 | 49.4 | 171.0 |
| 2006 | 5.2 | 96.1 | 12.5 | 37.2 | 151.0 |
| 2007 | 5.2 | 96.3 | 12.8 | 37.7 | 152.0 |
| 2008 | 4.2 | 80.1 | 10.2 | 30.5 | 125.0 |
| 2009 | 4.3 | 83.7 | 10.9 | 28.1 | 127.0 |
| 2010 | 3.7 | 81.0 | 8.9 | 33.4 | 127.0 |
| 2011 | 3.9 | 84.2 | 12.1 | 32.5 | 132.7 |
| At July 1 | | | | | |
| 2005 | 5.3 | 103.5 | 19.0 | 111.2 | 239.0 |
| 2006 | 5.2 | 103.6 | 16.0 | 103.2 | 228.0 |
| 2007 | 4.8 | 92.0 | 15.8 | 92.4 | 205.0 |
| 2008 | 4.0 | 88.2 | 11.5 | 81.3 | 185.0 |
| 2009 | 4.0 | 84.6 | 12.0 | 76.4 | 177.0 |
| 2010 | 4.0 | 84.1 | 13.1 | 77.8 | 179.0 |
| 2011 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |

Table 1-12
Sheep and lambs on farms — British Columbia

| | Rams | Ewes | Replacement lambs | Market lambs | Total |
|---------------------|------|------|----------------------|-----------------|-------|
| thousands of head | | | | | |
| At January 1 | | | | | |
| 2005 | 2.1 | 32.8 | 8.9 | 18.2 | 62.0 |
| 2006 | 2.1 | 32.0 | 8.7 | 21.2 | 64.0 |
| 2007 | 2.1 | 29.9 | 8.5 | 13.5 | 54.0 |
| 2008 | 1.6 | 25.6 | 6.4 | 11.4 | 45.0 |
| 2009 | 1.7 | 27.5 | 7.2 | 12.6 | 49.0 |
| 2010 | 1.5 | 26.1 | 5.4 | 12.0 | 45.0 |
| 2011 | 1.5 | 25.7 | 5.4 | 11.9 | 44.5 |
| At July 1 | | | | | |
| 2005 | 2.1 | 32.0 | 8.0 | 33.9 | 76.0 |
| 2006 | 2.1 | 28.4 | 7.1 | 24.9 | 62.5 |
| 2007 | 1.8 | 26.7 | 6.5 | 23.0 | 58.0 |
| 2008 | 1.9 | 27.7 | 6.8 | 23.6 | 60.0 |
| 2009 | 1.6 | 26.3 | 5.7 | 24.4 | 58.0 |
| 2010 | 1.5 | 25.1 | 5.4 | 23.5 | 55.5 |
| 2011 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |

Table 1-13
Sheep and lambs on farms — Western provinces

| | Rams | Ewes | Replacement lambs | Market lambs | Total |
|---------------------|-------------------|-------|----------------------|-----------------|-------|
| | thousands of head | | | | |
| At January 1 | | | | | |
| 2005 | 12.3 | 239.4 | 42.7 | 138.6 | 433.0 |
| 2006 | 11.7 | 213.6 | 39.4 | 120.3 | 385.0 |
| 2007 | 11.8 | 211.8 | 39.4 | 102.0 | 365.0 |
| 2008 | 10.1 | 188.3 | 33.2 | 88.4 | 320.0 |
| 2009 | 9.9 | 188.8 | 31.5 | 88.8 | 319.0 |
| 2010 | 9.1 | 185.7 | 28.6 | 95.1 | 318.5 |
| 2011 | 9.1 | 187.7 | 32.7 | 90.7 | 320.2 |
| At July 1 | | | | | |
| 2005 | 12.1 | 237.5 | 47.0 | 238.4 | 535.0 |
| 2006 | 11.5 | 230.3 | 41.9 | 208.3 | 492.0 |
| 2007 | 11.0 | 207.1 | 37.8 | 197.1 | 453.0 |
| 2008 | 10.2 | 203.3 | 35.5 | 187.0 | 436.0 |
| 2009 | 9.4 | 198.3 | 37.1 | 175.2 | 420.0 |
| 2010 | 9.4 | 191.6 | 36.1 | 176.4 | 413.5 |
| 2011 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |

Table 2-1
Sheep and lambs, supply and demand — 2005

| | N.L. | P.E.I. | N.S. | N.B. | Que. | Ont. | East | Man. | Sask. | Alta. | B.C. | West | Canada |
|--|-------------------|--------|------|------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|---------|
| | thousands of head | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| January to June 2005 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Beginning inventory | 4.0 | 2.9 | 18.6 | 6.6 | 247.5 | 265.0 | 544.6 | 70.0 | 130.0 | 171.0 | 62.0 | 433.0 | 977.6 |
| Lambs born | 3.4 | 2.7 | 17.1 | 4.8 | 165.2 | 203.3 | 396.5 | 42.4 | 66.3 | 146.3 | 40.1 | 295.1 | 691.6 |
| Interprovincial imports (net) ¹ | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 65.7 | 45.4 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 17.3 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| International imports | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.1 |
| Total supply | 7.4 | 5.6 | 35.7 | 11.4 | 412.7 | 534.1 | 986.6 | 112.4 | 196.3 | 317.3 | 119.4 | 728.1 | 1,714.7 |
| Deaths, sheep | 0.2 | 0.1 | 0.3 | 0.1 | 3.0 | 1.1 | 4.8 | 2.2 | 1.2 | 2.7 | 1.7 | 7.8 | 12.6 |
| Deaths, lambs | 0.4 | 0.2 | 1.0 | 0.4 | 18.0 | 23.3 | 43.3 | 4.3 | 6.5 | 12.0 | 3.6 | 26.4 | 69.7 |
| Condemnations | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.4 | 1.2 | 1.6 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.2 | 0.0 | 0.2 | 1.8 |
| Deaths and condemnations | 0.6 | 0.3 | 1.3 | 0.5 | 21.4 | 25.6 | 49.7 | 6.5 | 7.7 | 14.9 | 5.3 | 34.4 | 84.1 |
| Interprovincial exports (net) ² | 0.0 | 1.2 | 1.3 | 1.7 | 16.1 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 17.0 | 35.6 | 10.1 | 0.0 | 45.4 | 0.0 |
| International exports | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Federal Provincial Inspected Slaughter (FPIS) ³ | 0.0 | 0.0 | 6.1 | 0.5 | 70.4 | 157.0 | 234.0 | 3.6 | 0.3 | 47.5 | 4.9 | 56.3 | 290.3 |
| International imports for slaughter ⁴ | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Provincially inspected slaughter ⁵ | 0.0 | 0.1 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.1 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.1 |
| Commercial slaughter, not elsewhere specified ⁶ | 0.3 | 0.0 | 0.3 | 0.8 | 0.0 | 15.0 | 16.4 | 0.0 | 0.3 | 0.0 | 0.4 | 0.7 | 17.1 |
| Consumed on farms ⁷ | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.1 | 0.0 | 0.8 | 1.5 | 2.4 | 1.0 | 1.2 | 0.8 | 3.2 | 6.2 | 8.6 |
| Farm sales to consumers ⁸ | 0.8 | 0.0 | 0.6 | 0.1 | 2.0 | 25.0 | 28.5 | 6.3 | 9.2 | 5.0 | 29.6 | 50.1 | 78.6 |
| Total slaughter | 1.1 | 0.1 | 7.1 | 1.4 | 73.2 | 198.5 | 281.4 | 10.9 | 11.0 | 53.3 | 38.1 | 113.3 | 394.7 |
| Total disposition ⁹ | 1.7 | 1.6 | 9.7 | 3.6 | 110.7 | 224.1 | 331.1 | 34.4 | 54.3 | 78.3 | 43.4 | 193.1 | 524.2 |
| Ending inventory | 5.7 | 4.0 | 26.0 | 7.8 | 302.0 | 310.0 | 655.5 | 78.0 | 142.0 | 239.0 | 76.0 | 535.0 | 1,190.5 |
| July to December 2005 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Beginning inventory | 5.7 | 4.0 | 26.0 | 7.8 | 302.0 | 310.0 | 655.5 | 78.0 | 142.0 | 239.0 | 76.0 | 535.0 | 1,190.5 |
| Lambs born | 0.2 | 0.3 | 2.0 | 1.0 | 71.7 | 64.0 | 139.2 | 3.0 | 4.3 | 14.0 | 12.0 | 33.3 | 172.5 |
| Interprovincial imports (net) ¹ | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 41.7 | 0.0 | 8.3 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 24.3 | 3.2 | 0.0 |
| International imports | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Total supply | 5.9 | 4.3 | 28.0 | 8.8 | 373.7 | 415.7 | 794.7 | 89.3 | 146.3 | 253.0 | 112.3 | 571.5 | 1,366.2 |
| Deaths, sheep | 0.1 | 0.0 | 0.3 | 0.1 | 4.8 | 5.0 | 10.3 | 2.3 | 6.4 | 7.7 | 4.2 | 20.6 | 30.9 |
| Deaths, lambs | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.2 | 0.1 | 3.5 | 5.0 | 9.0 | 1.7 | 2.7 | 2.6 | 1.8 | 8.8 | 17.8 |
| Condemnations | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.4 | 1.2 | 1.6 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.2 | 0.0 | 0.2 | 1.8 |
| Deaths and condemnations | 0.2 | 0.1 | 0.5 | 0.2 | 8.7 | 11.2 | 20.9 | 4.0 | 9.1 | 10.5 | 6.0 | 29.6 | 50.5 |
| Interprovincial exports (net) ² | 0.0 | 0.6 | 1.2 | 1.4 | 41.7 | 0.0 | 3.2 | 0.0 | 8.6 | 20.8 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| International exports | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.7 | 0.7 | 0.0 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.0 | 0.2 | 0.9 |
| Federal Provincial Inspected Slaughter (FPIS) ³ | 0.0 | 0.0 | 7.3 | 0.0 | 66.8 | 151.7 | 225.8 | 5.3 | 0.5 | 51.3 | 8.7 | 65.8 | 291.6 |
| International imports for slaughter ⁴ | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Provincially inspected slaughter ⁵ | 0.0 | 0.2 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.2 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.2 |
| Commercial slaughter, not elsewhere specified ⁶ | 0.6 | 0.0 | 0.1 | 0.7 | 0.0 | 15.3 | 16.7 | 0.0 | 0.6 | 0.0 | 1.9 | 2.5 | 19.2 |
| Consumed on farms ⁷ | 0.2 | 0.0 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 1.2 | 1.8 | 3.4 | 0.9 | 1.2 | 4.3 | 7.0 | 13.4 | 16.8 |
| Farm sales to consumers ⁸ | 1.3 | 0.0 | 0.3 | 0.1 | 3.3 | 10.0 | 15.0 | 14.1 | 21.2 | 15.0 | 24.7 | 75.0 | 90.0 |
| Total slaughter | 2.1 | 0.2 | 7.8 | 0.9 | 71.3 | 178.8 | 261.1 | 20.3 | 23.5 | 70.6 | 42.3 | 156.7 | 417.8 |
| Total disposition ⁹ | 2.3 | 0.9 | 9.5 | 2.5 | 121.7 | 190.7 | 285.9 | 24.3 | 41.3 | 102.0 | 48.3 | 186.5 | 472.4 |
| Ending inventory | 3.6 | 3.4 | 18.5 | 6.3 | 252.0 | 225.0 | 508.8 | 65.0 | 105.0 | 151.0 | 64.0 | 385.0 | 893.8 |

1. A residual. It is arrived at by taking the number of animals coming to farms within that province minus the number of animals leaving for farming operations outside that province.
2. A residual. It is arrived at by taking the number of animals leaving for farming operations outside that province minus the number of animals coming to farms within that province.
3. Slaughtering at federally and / or provincially inspected packing plants.
4. Imports of live animals from the United States slaughtered in Canada.
5. All provincially inspected slaughter not included in F.P.I.S.
6. Other provincial slaughter not included above and not usually inspected.
7. Killed and eaten on the farm.
8. Killed and sold at the farm gate.
9. The sum of all deaths, condemnations, exports and slaughter.

Note(s): Inventory at January 1 or July 1 refers to the number of animals on the farm or feedlot at January 1 or July 1. All other balance sheet items represent activity that occurred within the six month reporting period.

Table 2-2
Sheep and lambs, supply and demand — 2006

| | N.L. | P.E.I. | N.S. | N.B. | Que. | Ont. | East | Man. | Sask. | Alta. | B.C. | West | Canada |
|--|-------------------|--------|------|------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|---------|
| | thousands of head | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| January to June 2006 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Beginning inventory | 3.6 | 3.4 | 18.5 | 6.3 | 252.0 | 225.0 | 508.8 | 65.0 | 105.0 | 151.0 | 64.0 | 385.0 | 893.8 |
| Lambs born | 2.8 | 2.6 | 16.2 | 4.4 | 168.4 | 214.4 | 408.8 | 44.1 | 64.8 | 149.0 | 37.4 | 295.3 | 704.1 |
| Interprovincial imports (net) ¹ | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 68.9 | 43.3 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 7.7 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| International imports | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 3.1 | 2.8 | 5.9 | 5.9 |
| Total supply | 6.4 | 6.0 | 34.7 | 10.7 | 420.4 | 508.3 | 960.9 | 109.1 | 169.8 | 303.1 | 111.9 | 686.2 | 1,647.1 |
| Deaths, sheep | 0.2 | 0.1 | 0.4 | 0.1 | 2.9 | 0.8 | 4.5 | 2.1 | 0.8 | 2.5 | 1.9 | 7.3 | 11.8 |
| Deaths, lambs | 0.4 | 0.2 | 1.1 | 0.4 | 18.2 | 22.0 | 42.3 | 4.0 | 5.3 | 11.5 | 3.8 | 24.6 | 66.9 |
| Condemnations | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.4 | 1.1 | 1.5 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.2 | 0.0 | 0.2 | 1.7 |
| Deaths and condemnations | 0.6 | 0.3 | 1.5 | 0.5 | 21.5 | 23.9 | 48.3 | 6.1 | 6.1 | 14.2 | 5.7 | 32.1 | 80.4 |
| Interprovincial exports (net) ² | 0.0 | 1.6 | 1.7 | 1.6 | 20.7 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 24.4 | 17.6 | 9.0 | 0.0 | 43.3 | 0.0 |
| International exports | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.1 | 3.1 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 3.2 | 3.2 |
| Federal Provincial Inspected Slaughter (FPIS) ³ | 0.0 | 0.0 | 5.3 | 0.5 | 69.4 | 142.1 | 217.3 | 2.9 | 0.3 | 44.2 | 4.7 | 52.1 | 269.4 |
| International imports for slaughter ⁴ | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Provincially inspected slaughter ⁵ | 0.0 | 0.1 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.1 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.1 |
| Commercial slaughter, not elsewhere specified ⁶ | 0.3 | 0.0 | 0.3 | 0.7 | 0.0 | 13.5 | 14.8 | 0.0 | 0.4 | 0.0 | 0.4 | 0.8 | 15.6 |
| Consumed on farms ⁷ | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.1 | 0.0 | 0.8 | 1.5 | 2.4 | 1.0 | 1.2 | 0.8 | 3.2 | 6.2 | 8.6 |
| Farm sales to consumers ⁸ | 0.8 | 0.0 | 0.6 | 0.1 | 1.0 | 16.3 | 18.8 | 6.1 | 8.1 | 6.9 | 35.4 | 56.5 | 75.3 |
| Total slaughter | 1.1 | 0.1 | 6.3 | 1.3 | 71.2 | 173.4 | 253.4 | 10.0 | 10.0 | 51.9 | 43.7 | 115.6 | 369.0 |
| Total disposition ⁹ | 1.7 | 2.0 | 9.5 | 3.4 | 113.4 | 197.3 | 301.7 | 40.6 | 36.8 | 75.1 | 49.4 | 194.2 | 495.9 |
| Ending inventory | 4.7 | 4.0 | 25.2 | 7.3 | 307.0 | 311.0 | 659.2 | 68.5 | 133.0 | 228.0 | 62.5 | 492.0 | 1,151.2 |
| July to December 2006 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Beginning inventory | 4.7 | 4.0 | 25.2 | 7.3 | 307.0 | 311.0 | 659.2 | 68.5 | 133.0 | 228.0 | 62.5 | 492.0 | 1,151.2 |
| Lambs born | 0.2 | 0.3 | 1.9 | 1.0 | 67.0 | 63.6 | 134.0 | 3.2 | 3.8 | 13.5 | 11.4 | 31.9 | 165.9 |
| Interprovincial imports (net) ¹ | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 36.0 | 0.0 | 10.4 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 30.5 | 9.9 | 0.0 |
| International imports | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 9.1 | 0.9 | 10.0 | 10.0 |
| Total supply | 4.9 | 4.3 | 27.1 | 8.3 | 374.0 | 410.6 | 793.2 | 82.1 | 136.8 | 250.6 | 105.3 | 543.8 | 1,337.0 |
| Deaths, sheep | 0.1 | 0.0 | 0.3 | 0.1 | 5.0 | 4.8 | 10.3 | 1.7 | 5.8 | 8.0 | 4.2 | 19.7 | 30.0 |
| Deaths, lambs | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.4 | 0.1 | 4.0 | 4.8 | 9.5 | 0.9 | 1.9 | 2.8 | 1.8 | 7.4 | 16.9 |
| Condemnations | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.4 | 1.1 | 1.5 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.2 | 0.0 | 0.2 | 1.7 |
| Deaths and condemnations | 0.2 | 0.1 | 0.7 | 0.2 | 9.4 | 10.7 | 21.3 | 2.6 | 7.7 | 11.0 | 6.0 | 27.3 | 48.6 |
| Interprovincial exports (net) ² | 0.0 | 0.6 | 1.0 | 1.2 | 43.1 | 0.0 | 9.9 | 0.0 | 9.0 | 22.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| International exports | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Federal Provincial Inspected Slaughter (FPIS) ³ | 0.0 | 0.0 | 6.2 | 0.0 | 69.1 | 144.5 | 219.8 | 5.1 | 0.4 | 45.5 | 8.1 | 59.1 | 278.9 |
| International imports for slaughter ⁴ | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Provincially inspected slaughter ⁵ | 0.0 | 0.2 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.2 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.2 |
| Commercial slaughter, not elsewhere specified ⁶ | 0.4 | 0.0 | 0.1 | 0.8 | 0.0 | 14.2 | 15.5 | 0.0 | 0.5 | 0.0 | 1.7 | 2.2 | 17.7 |
| Consumed on farms ⁷ | 0.1 | 0.0 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 1.2 | 1.8 | 3.3 | 0.9 | 1.2 | 4.3 | 7.0 | 13.4 | 16.7 |
| Farm sales to consumers ⁸ | 1.0 | 0.0 | 0.4 | 0.1 | 3.2 | 4.4 | 9.1 | 9.5 | 23.0 | 15.8 | 28.5 | 76.8 | 85.9 |
| Total slaughter | 1.5 | 0.2 | 6.8 | 1.0 | 73.5 | 164.9 | 247.9 | 15.5 | 25.1 | 65.6 | 45.3 | 151.5 | 399.4 |
| Total disposition ⁹ | 1.7 | 0.9 | 8.5 | 2.4 | 126.0 | 175.6 | 279.1 | 18.1 | 41.8 | 98.6 | 51.3 | 178.8 | 457.9 |
| Ending inventory | 3.2 | 3.4 | 18.6 | 5.9 | 248.0 | 235.0 | 514.1 | 64.0 | 95.0 | 152.0 | 54.0 | 365.0 | 879.1 |

1. A residual. It is arrived at by taking the number of animals coming to farms within that province minus the number of animals leaving for farming operations outside that province.

2. A residual. It is arrived at by taking the number of animals leaving for farming operations outside that province minus the number of animals coming to farms within that province.

3. Slaughtering at federally and / or provincially inspected packing plants.

4. Imports of live animals from the United States slaughtered in Canada.

5. All provincially inspected slaughter not included in F.P.I.S.

6. Other provincial slaughter not included above and not usually inspected.

7. Killed and eaten on the farm.

8. Killed and sold at the farm gate.

9. The sum of all deaths, condemnations, exports and slaughter.

Note(s): Inventory at January 1 or July 1 refers to the number of animals on the farm or feedlot at January 1 or July 1. All other balance sheet items represent activity that occurred within the six month reporting period.

Table 2-3
Sheep and lambs, supply and demand — 2007

| | N.L. | P.E.I. | N.S. | N.B. | Que. | Ont. | East | Man. | Sask. | Alta. | B.C. | West | Canada |
|--|-------------------|--------|------|------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|---------|
| | thousands of head | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| January to June 2007 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Beginning inventory | 3.2 | 3.4 | 18.6 | 5.9 | 248.0 | 235.0 | 514.1 | 64.0 | 95.0 | 152.0 | 54.0 | 365.0 | 879.1 |
| Lambs born | 2.7 | 2.3 | 16.9 | 4.5 | 155.2 | 194.8 | 376.4 | 42.3 | 60.6 | 131.3 | 35.8 | 270.0 | 646.4 |
| Interprovincial imports (net) ¹ | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 69.1 | 51.1 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 12.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| International imports | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 6.9 | 1.0 | 7.9 | 8.0 |
| Total supply | 5.9 | 5.7 | 35.5 | 10.4 | 403.2 | 499.0 | 941.7 | 106.3 | 155.6 | 290.2 | 102.8 | 642.9 | 1,584.6 |
| Deaths, sheep | 0.2 | 0.1 | 0.3 | 0.1 | 3.0 | 1.1 | 4.8 | 2.0 | 1.0 | 2.7 | 2.0 | 7.7 | 12.5 |
| Deaths, lambs | 0.3 | 0.2 | 1.1 | 0.3 | 19.0 | 23.6 | 44.5 | 3.6 | 5.5 | 12.2 | 4.0 | 25.3 | 69.8 |
| Condemnations | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.4 | 1.0 | 1.4 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.2 | 0.0 | 0.2 | 1.6 |
| Deaths and condemnations | 0.5 | 0.3 | 1.4 | 0.4 | 22.4 | 25.7 | 50.7 | 5.6 | 6.5 | 15.1 | 6.0 | 33.2 | 83.9 |
| Interprovincial exports (net) ² | 0.0 | 1.7 | 1.1 | 0.7 | 14.5 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 21.3 | 21.1 | 20.7 | 0.0 | 51.1 | 0.0 |
| International exports | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Federal Provincial Inspected Slaughter (FPIS) ³ | 0.0 | 0.0 | 5.4 | 0.4 | 68.3 | 131.7 | 205.8 | 2.2 | 0.2 | 42.0 | 4.9 | 49.3 | 255.1 |
| International imports for slaughter ⁴ | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Provincially inspected slaughter ⁵ | 0.0 | 0.1 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.1 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.1 |
| Commercial slaughter, not elsewhere specified ⁶ | 0.4 | 0.0 | 0.3 | 0.7 | 0.0 | 12.2 | 13.6 | 0.0 | 0.4 | 0.0 | 0.5 | 0.9 | 14.5 |
| Consumed on farms ⁷ | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.1 | 0.0 | 1.0 | 1.5 | 2.6 | 1.0 | 1.2 | 0.8 | 3.2 | 6.2 | 8.8 |
| Farm sales to consumers ⁸ | 0.8 | 0.0 | 0.4 | 0.1 | 2.0 | 22.9 | 26.2 | 6.2 | 6.2 | 6.6 | 30.2 | 49.2 | 75.4 |
| Total slaughter | 1.2 | 0.1 | 6.2 | 1.2 | 71.3 | 168.3 | 248.3 | 9.4 | 8.0 | 49.4 | 38.8 | 105.6 | 353.9 |
| Total disposition ⁹ | 1.7 | 2.1 | 8.7 | 2.3 | 108.2 | 194.0 | 299.0 | 36.3 | 35.6 | 85.2 | 44.8 | 189.9 | 488.9 |
| Ending inventory | 4.2 | 3.6 | 26.8 | 8.1 | 295.0 | 305.0 | 642.7 | 70.0 | 120.0 | 205.0 | 58.0 | 453.0 | 1,095.7 |
| July to December 2007 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Beginning inventory | 4.2 | 3.6 | 26.8 | 8.1 | 295.0 | 305.0 | 642.7 | 70.0 | 120.0 | 205.0 | 58.0 | 453.0 | 1,095.7 |
| Lambs born | 0.3 | 0.3 | 1.8 | 1.0 | 63.0 | 58.9 | 125.3 | 3.1 | 3.9 | 13.0 | 10.9 | 30.9 | 156.2 |
| Interprovincial imports (net) ¹ | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 38.5 | 0.0 | 7.5 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 22.9 | 0.1 | 0.0 |
| International imports | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 2.2 | 2.2 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 13.8 | 2.2 | 16.0 | 18.2 |
| Total supply | 4.5 | 3.9 | 28.6 | 9.1 | 358.0 | 404.6 | 770.2 | 80.6 | 123.9 | 231.8 | 94.0 | 500.0 | 1,270.2 |
| Deaths, sheep | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.4 | 0.1 | 5.0 | 5.0 | 10.5 | 1.7 | 5.2 | 7.5 | 4.0 | 18.4 | 28.9 |
| Deaths, lambs | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.6 | 0.1 | 4.0 | 5.2 | 10.1 | 0.9 | 1.5 | 1.9 | 1.6 | 5.9 | 16.0 |
| Condemnations | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.4 | 1.1 | 1.5 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.3 | 0.0 | 0.3 | 1.8 |
| Deaths and condemnations | 0.1 | 0.1 | 1.0 | 0.2 | 9.4 | 11.3 | 22.1 | 2.6 | 6.7 | 9.7 | 5.6 | 24.6 | 46.7 |
| Interprovincial exports (net) ² | 0.0 | 0.5 | 2.7 | 1.3 | 34.1 | 0.0 | 0.1 | 0.0 | 5.8 | 24.5 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| International exports | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.1 |
| Federal Provincial Inspected Slaughter (FPIS) ³ | 0.0 | 0.0 | 6.5 | 0.0 | 63.7 | 137.3 | 207.5 | 4.6 | 0.4 | 56.2 | 10.3 | 71.5 | 279.0 |
| International imports for slaughter ⁴ | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Provincially inspected slaughter ⁵ | 0.0 | 0.2 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.2 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.2 |
| Commercial slaughter, not elsewhere specified ⁶ | 0.3 | 0.0 | 0.2 | 0.8 | 0.0 | 13.1 | 14.4 | 0.0 | 0.8 | 0.0 | 0.9 | 1.7 | 16.1 |
| Consumed on farms ⁷ | 0.1 | 0.0 | 0.2 | 0.1 | 1.3 | 1.8 | 3.5 | 0.9 | 1.2 | 4.3 | 7.0 | 13.4 | 16.9 |
| Farm sales to consumers ⁸ | 0.9 | 0.0 | 0.5 | 0.1 | 4.5 | 11.0 | 17.0 | 10.5 | 21.0 | 12.1 | 25.2 | 68.8 | 85.8 |
| Total slaughter | 1.3 | 0.2 | 7.4 | 1.0 | 69.5 | 163.2 | 242.6 | 16.0 | 23.4 | 72.6 | 43.4 | 155.4 | 398.0 |
| Total disposition ⁹ | 1.4 | 0.8 | 11.1 | 2.5 | 113.0 | 174.6 | 264.9 | 18.6 | 35.9 | 106.8 | 49.0 | 180.0 | 444.9 |
| Ending inventory | 3.1 | 3.1 | 17.5 | 6.6 | 245.0 | 230.0 | 505.3 | 62.0 | 88.0 | 125.0 | 45.0 | 320.0 | 825.3 |

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2. A residual. It is arrived at by taking the number of animals leaving for farming operations outside that province minus the number of animals coming to farms within that province.

3. Slaughtering at federally and / or provincially inspected packing plants.

4. Imports of live animals from the United States slaughtered in Canada.

5. All provincially inspected slaughter not included in F.P.I.S.

6. Other provincial slaughter not included above and not usually inspected.

7. Killed and eaten on the farm.

8. Killed and sold at the farm gate.

9. The sum of all deaths, condemnations, exports and slaughter.

Note(s): Inventory at January 1 or July 1 refers to the number of animals on the farm or feedlot at January 1 or July 1. All other balance sheet items represent activity that occurred within the six month reporting period.

Table 2-4
Sheep and lambs, supply and demand — 2008

| | N.L. | P.E.I. | N.S. | N.B. | Que. | Ont. | East | Man. | Sask. | Alta. | B.C. | West | Canada |
|--|-------------------|--------|------|------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|-------|---------|
| | thousands of head | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| January to June 2008 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Beginning inventory | 3.1 | 3.1 | 17.5 | 6.6 | 245.0 | 230.0 | 505.3 | 62.0 | 88.0 | 125.0 | 45.0 | 320.0 | 825.3 |
| Lambs born | 2.5 | 2.5 | 15.7 | 4.8 | 157.2 | 190.3 | 373.0 | 42.2 | 65.4 | 119.2 | 35.3 | 262.1 | 635.1 |
| Interprovincial imports (net) ¹ | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 63.6 | 34.5 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 16.9 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| International imports | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 2.6 | 2.6 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 14.6 | 2.4 | 17.0 | 19.6 |
| Total supply | 5.6 | 5.6 | 33.2 | 11.4 | 402.2 | 486.5 | 915.4 | 104.2 | 153.4 | 258.8 | 99.6 | 599.1 | 1,514.5 |
| Deaths, sheep | 0.2 | 0.1 | 0.3 | 0.1 | 3.0 | 0.9 | 4.6 | 2.0 | 0.8 | 2.0 | 1.7 | 6.5 | 11.1 |
| Deaths, lambs | 0.2 | 0.2 | 1.0 | 0.3 | 18.8 | 21.8 | 42.3 | 3.6 | 5.3 | 11.0 | 3.2 | 23.1 | 65.4 |
| Condemnations | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.4 | 1.0 | 1.4 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.2 | 0.0 | 0.2 | 1.6 |
| Deaths and condemnations | 0.4 | 0.3 | 1.3 | 0.4 | 22.2 | 23.7 | 48.3 | 5.6 | 6.1 | 13.2 | 4.9 | 29.8 | 78.1 |
| Interprovincial exports (net) ² | 0.0 | 1.6 | 1.5 | 1.1 | 24.9 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 23.3 | 14.2 | 13.9 | 0.0 | 34.5 | 0.0 |
| International exports | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Federal Provincial Inspected Slaughter (FPIS) ³ | 0.0 | 0.0 | 5.3 | 0.4 | 63.3 | 130.5 | 199.5 | 2.1 | 0.2 | 42.5 | 6.2 | 51.0 | 250.5 |
| International imports for slaughter ⁴ | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Provincially inspected slaughter ⁵ | 0.0 | 0.2 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.2 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.2 |
| Commercial slaughter, not elsewhere specified ⁶ | 0.3 | 0.0 | 0.2 | 0.7 | 0.0 | 11.3 | 12.5 | 0.0 | 0.5 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.5 | 13.0 |
| Consumed on farms ⁷ | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.1 | 0.0 | 0.6 | 1.5 | 2.2 | 1.0 | 1.2 | 0.6 | 2.5 | 5.3 | 7.5 |
| Farm sales to consumers ⁸ | 0.7 | 0.0 | 0.2 | 0.1 | 1.2 | 24.5 | 26.7 | 6.2 | 6.2 | 3.6 | 26.0 | 42.0 | 68.7 |
| Total slaughter | 1.0 | 0.2 | 5.8 | 1.2 | 65.1 | 167.8 | 241.1 | 9.3 | 8.1 | 46.7 | 34.7 | 98.8 | 339.9 |
| Total disposition ⁹ | 1.4 | 2.1 | 8.6 | 2.7 | 112.2 | 191.5 | 289.4 | 38.2 | 28.4 | 73.8 | 39.6 | 163.1 | 452.5 |
| Ending inventory | 4.2 | 3.5 | 24.6 | 8.7 | 290.0 | 295.0 | 626.0 | 66.0 | 125.0 | 185.0 | 60.0 | 436.0 | 1,062.0 |
| July to December 2008 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Beginning inventory | 4.2 | 3.5 | 24.6 | 8.7 | 290.0 | 295.0 | 626.0 | 66.0 | 125.0 | 185.0 | 60.0 | 436.0 | 1,062.0 |
| Lambs born | 0.3 | 0.5 | 2.7 | 0.5 | 73.5 | 54.3 | 131.8 | 2.8 | 2.9 | 18.7 | 15.9 | 40.3 | 172.1 |
| Interprovincial imports (net) ¹ | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 46.0 | 0.0 | 7.3 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 22.0 | 4.0 | 0.0 |
| International imports | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 3.4 | 3.4 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 14.3 | 1.9 | 16.2 | 19.6 |
| Total supply | 4.5 | 4.0 | 27.3 | 9.2 | 363.5 | 398.7 | 761.2 | 76.1 | 127.9 | 218.0 | 99.8 | 496.5 | 1,257.7 |
| Deaths, sheep | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.3 | 0.1 | 5.0 | 5.2 | 10.6 | 1.3 | 5.6 | 6.9 | 4.0 | 17.8 | 28.4 |
| Deaths, lambs | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.5 | 0.1 | 3.9 | 5.4 | 10.1 | 0.7 | 2.0 | 1.5 | 1.6 | 5.8 | 15.9 |
| Condemnations | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.4 | 1.1 | 1.5 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.3 | 0.1 | 0.4 | 1.9 |
| Deaths and condemnations | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.8 | 0.2 | 9.3 | 11.7 | 22.2 | 2.0 | 7.6 | 8.7 | 5.7 | 24.0 | 46.2 |
| Interprovincial exports (net) ² | 0.0 | 0.2 | 1.0 | 2.0 | 46.8 | 0.0 | 4.0 | 0.0 | 12.8 | 12.5 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| International exports | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Federal Provincial Inspected Slaughter (FPIS) ³ | 0.0 | 0.0 | 7.2 | 0.0 | 57.6 | 145.7 | 210.5 | 4.5 | 0.4 | 55.7 | 12.6 | 73.2 | 283.7 |
| International imports for slaughter ⁴ | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Provincially inspected slaughter ⁵ | 0.0 | 0.3 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.3 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.3 |
| Commercial slaughter, not elsewhere specified ⁶ | 0.3 | 0.0 | 0.2 | 1.2 | 0.0 | 13.5 | 15.2 | 0.0 | 0.9 | 0.0 | 0.3 | 1.2 | 16.4 |
| Consumed on farms ⁷ | 0.1 | 0.0 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 1.3 | 1.8 | 3.4 | 0.6 | 1.2 | 4.0 | 7.0 | 12.8 | 16.2 |
| Farm sales to consumers ⁸ | 0.7 | 0.0 | 0.2 | 0.0 | 4.5 | 11.0 | 16.4 | 8.0 | 23.0 | 10.1 | 25.2 | 66.3 | 82.7 |
| Total slaughter | 1.1 | 0.3 | 7.7 | 1.3 | 63.4 | 172.0 | 245.8 | 13.1 | 25.5 | 69.8 | 45.1 | 153.5 | 399.3 |
| Total disposition ⁹ | 1.2 | 0.6 | 9.5 | 3.5 | 119.5 | 183.7 | 272.0 | 15.1 | 45.9 | 91.0 | 50.8 | 177.5 | 449.5 |
| Ending inventory | 3.3 | 3.4 | 17.8 | 5.7 | 244.0 | 215.0 | 489.2 | 61.0 | 82.0 | 127.0 | 49.0 | 319.0 | 808.2 |

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3. Slaughtering at federally and / or provincially inspected packing plants.

4. Imports of live animals from the United States slaughtered in Canada.

5. All provincially inspected slaughter not included in F.P.I.S.

6. Other provincial slaughter not included above and not usually inspected.

7. Killed and eaten on the farm.

8. Killed and sold at the farm gate.

9. The sum of all deaths, condemnations, exports and slaughter.

Note(s): Inventory at January 1 or July 1 refers to the number of animals on the farm or feedlot at January 1 or July 1. All other balance sheet items represent activity that occurred within the six month reporting period.

Table 2-5
Sheep and lambs, supply and demand — 2009

| | N.L. | P.E.I. | N.S. | N.B. | Que. | Ont. | East | Man. | Sask. | Alta. | B.C. | West | Canada |
|--|-------------------|--------|------|------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|-------|---------|
| | thousands of head | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| January to June 2009 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Beginning inventory | 3.3 | 3.4 | 17.8 | 5.7 | 244.0 | 215.0 | 489.2 | 61.0 | 82.0 | 127.0 | 49.0 | 319.0 | 808.2 |
| Lambs born | 2.3 | 2.6 | 17.3 | 4.7 | 154.0 | 212.4 | 393.3 | 45.5 | 61.6 | 121.6 | 35.2 | 263.9 | 657.2 |
| Interprovincial imports (net) ¹ | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 74.8 | 47.5 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 12.5 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| International imports | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 3.8 | 3.8 | 0.0 | 3.0 | 8.5 | 1.8 | 13.3 | 17.1 |
| Total supply | 5.6 | 6.0 | 35.1 | 10.4 | 398.0 | 506.0 | 933.8 | 106.5 | 146.6 | 257.1 | 98.5 | 596.2 | 1,530.0 |
| Deaths, sheep | 0.2 | 0.1 | 0.3 | 0.1 | 3.0 | 0.9 | 4.6 | 2.0 | 0.9 | 2.0 | 1.7 | 6.6 | 11.2 |
| Deaths, lambs | 0.2 | 0.2 | 1.2 | 0.3 | 17.2 | 24.0 | 43.1 | 3.6 | 6.1 | 10.0 | 3.2 | 22.9 | 66.0 |
| Condemnations | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.4 | 1.0 | 1.4 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.2 | 0.0 | 0.2 | 1.6 |
| Deaths and condemnations | 0.4 | 0.3 | 1.5 | 0.4 | 20.6 | 25.9 | 49.1 | 5.6 | 7.0 | 12.2 | 4.9 | 29.7 | 78.8 |
| Interprovincial exports (net) ² | 0.0 | 1.4 | 1.5 | 0.8 | 23.6 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 20.5 | 17.8 | 21.7 | 0.0 | 47.5 | 0.0 |
| International exports | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Federal Provincial Inspected Slaughter (FPIS) ³ | 0.0 | 0.0 | 5.7 | 0.4 | 66.4 | 128.4 | 200.9 | 2.3 | 0.2 | 39.6 | 6.3 | 48.4 | 249.3 |
| International imports for slaughter ⁴ | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Provincially inspected slaughter ⁵ | 0.0 | 0.2 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.2 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.2 |
| Commercial slaughter, not elsewhere specified ⁶ | 0.4 | 0.0 | 0.2 | 0.6 | 0.0 | 11.1 | 12.3 | 0.0 | 0.2 | 0.0 | 0.1 | 0.3 | 12.6 |
| Consumed on farms ⁷ | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.1 | 0.0 | 0.6 | 1.5 | 2.2 | 1.0 | 1.2 | 0.8 | 2.6 | 5.6 | 7.8 |
| Farm sales to consumers ⁸ | 0.8 | 0.0 | 0.2 | 0.1 | 1.3 | 24.1 | 26.5 | 6.1 | 6.2 | 5.8 | 26.6 | 44.7 | 71.2 |
| Total slaughter | 1.2 | 0.2 | 6.2 | 1.1 | 68.3 | 165.1 | 242.1 | 9.4 | 7.8 | 46.2 | 35.6 | 99.0 | 341.1 |
| Total disposition ⁹ | 1.6 | 1.9 | 9.2 | 2.3 | 112.5 | 191.0 | 291.2 | 35.5 | 32.6 | 80.1 | 40.5 | 176.2 | 467.4 |
| Ending inventory | 4.0 | 4.1 | 25.9 | 8.1 | 285.5 | 315.0 | 642.6 | 71.0 | 114.0 | 177.0 | 58.0 | 420.0 | 1,062.6 |
| July to December 2009 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Beginning inventory | 4.0 | 4.1 | 25.9 | 8.1 | 285.5 | 315.0 | 642.6 | 71.0 | 114.0 | 177.0 | 58.0 | 420.0 | 1,062.6 |
| Lambs born | 0.1 | 0.4 | 2.8 | 0.8 | 76.8 | 54.5 | 135.4 | 2.8 | 3.1 | 16.4 | 13.8 | 36.1 | 171.5 |
| Interprovincial imports (net) ¹ | 0.0 | 0.1 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 24.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 5.4 | 20.3 | 20.0 | 0.0 |
| International imports | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.1 | 2.8 | 2.9 | 0.0 | 9.7 | 1.8 | 2.1 | 13.6 | 16.5 |
| Total supply | 4.1 | 4.6 | 28.7 | 8.9 | 362.4 | 396.3 | 780.9 | 73.8 | 126.8 | 200.6 | 94.2 | 489.7 | 1,270.6 |
| Deaths, sheep | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 4.6 | 5.2 | 10.0 | 1.1 | 5.9 | 7.5 | 4.0 | 18.5 | 28.5 |
| Deaths, lambs | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.3 | 0.1 | 3.3 | 5.4 | 9.3 | 0.5 | 2.1 | 1.7 | 1.6 | 5.9 | 15.2 |
| Condemnations | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.1 | 0.0 | 0.4 | 1.1 | 1.6 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.2 | 0.1 | 0.3 | 1.9 |
| Deaths and condemnations | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.5 | 0.2 | 8.3 | 11.7 | 20.9 | 1.6 | 8.0 | 9.4 | 5.7 | 24.7 | 45.6 |
| Interprovincial exports (net) ² | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.8 | 2.2 | 41.1 | 0.0 | 20.0 | 0.0 | 5.7 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| International exports | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Federal Provincial Inspected Slaughter (FPIS) ³ | 0.0 | 0.0 | 9.6 | 0.0 | 68.7 | 140.0 | 218.3 | 5.8 | 0.5 | 50.1 | 12.7 | 69.1 | 287.4 |
| International imports for slaughter ⁴ | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Provincially inspected slaughter ⁵ | 0.0 | 0.3 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.3 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.3 |
| Commercial slaughter, not elsewhere specified ⁶ | 0.4 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 1.2 | 0.0 | 13.4 | 15.0 | 0.0 | 0.9 | 0.0 | 0.2 | 1.1 | 16.1 |
| Consumed on farms ⁷ | 0.1 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.1 | 1.3 | 1.8 | 3.3 | 0.6 | 1.2 | 4.0 | 7.0 | 12.8 | 16.1 |
| Farm sales to consumers ⁸ | 0.7 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 4.5 | 10.9 | 16.1 | 6.8 | 23.0 | 10.1 | 23.6 | 63.5 | 79.6 |
| Total slaughter | 1.2 | 0.3 | 9.6 | 1.3 | 74.5 | 166.1 | 253.0 | 13.2 | 25.6 | 64.2 | 43.5 | 146.5 | 399.5 |
| Total disposition ⁹ | 1.3 | 0.4 | 10.9 | 3.7 | 123.9 | 177.8 | 293.9 | 14.8 | 39.3 | 73.6 | 49.2 | 171.2 | 465.1 |
| Ending inventory | 2.8 | 4.2 | 17.8 | 5.2 | 238.5 | 218.5 | 487.0 | 59.0 | 87.5 | 127.0 | 45.0 | 318.5 | 805.5 |

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3. Slaughtering at federally and / or provincially inspected packing plants.

4. Imports of live animals from the United States slaughtered in Canada.

5. All provincially inspected slaughter not included in F.P.I.S.

6. Other provincial slaughter not included above and not usually inspected.

7. Killed and eaten on the farm.

8. Killed and sold at the farm gate.

9. The sum of all deaths, condemnations, exports and slaughter.

Note(s): Inventory at January 1 or July 1 refers to the number of animals on the farm or feedlot at January 1 or July 1. All other balance sheet items represent activity that occurred within the six month reporting period.

Table 2-6
Sheep and lambs, supply and demand — 2010

| | N.L. | P.E.I. | N.S. | N.B. | Que. | Ont. | East | Man. | Sask. | Alta. | B.C. | West | Canada |
|--|-------------------|--------|------|------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|-------|---------|
| | thousands of head | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| January to June 2010 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Beginning inventory | 2.8 | 4.2 | 17.8 | 5.2 | 238.5 | 218.5 | 487.0 | 59.0 | 87.5 | 127.0 | 45.0 | 318.5 | 805.5 |
| Lambs born | 2.1 | 3.1 | 16.6 | 4.7 | 149.5 | 207.5 | 383.5 | 41.9 | 61.3 | 114.6 | 33.1 | 250.9 | 634.4 |
| Interprovincial imports (net) ¹ | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 71.7 | 43.2 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 13.2 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| International imports | 0.0 | 0.0 | 1.6 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 2.8 | 4.4 | 0.0 | 7.6 | 2.4 | 4.6 | 14.6 | 19.0 |
| Total supply | 4.9 | 7.3 | 36.0 | 9.9 | 388.0 | 500.5 | 918.1 | 100.9 | 156.4 | 244.0 | 95.9 | 584.0 | 1,502.1 |
| Deaths, sheep | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.2 | 0.1 | 2.8 | 1.0 | 4.3 | 1.7 | 1.6 | 1.9 | 1.8 | 7.0 | 11.3 |
| Deaths, lambs | 0.2 | 0.2 | 0.9 | 0.3 | 17.0 | 22.0 | 40.6 | 3.3 | 6.8 | 9.7 | 3.5 | 23.3 | 63.9 |
| Condemnations | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.4 | 1.0 | 1.4 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.2 | 0.0 | 0.2 | 1.6 |
| Deaths and condemnations | 0.3 | 0.3 | 1.1 | 0.4 | 20.2 | 24.0 | 46.3 | 5.0 | 8.4 | 11.8 | 5.3 | 30.5 | 76.8 |
| Interprovincial exports (net) ² | 0.0 | 1.1 | 1.1 | 0.5 | 25.8 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 20.8 | 26.1 | 9.5 | 0.0 | 43.2 | 0.0 |
| International exports | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Federal Provincial Inspected Slaughter (FPIS) ³ | 0.0 | 0.0 | 7.3 | 0.6 | 65.7 | 124.5 | 198.1 | 2.9 | 0.3 | 37.1 | 5.8 | 46.1 | 244.2 |
| International imports for slaughter ⁴ | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Provincially inspected slaughter ⁵ | 0.0 | 0.2 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.2 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.2 |
| Commercial slaughter, not elsewhere specified ⁶ | 0.5 | 0.0 | 0.1 | 0.4 | 0.0 | 11.0 | 12.0 | 0.0 | 0.2 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.2 | 12.2 |
| Consumed on farms ⁷ | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.6 | 1.5 | 2.1 | 1.0 | 1.2 | 0.8 | 2.6 | 5.6 | 7.7 |
| Farm sales to consumers ⁸ | 0.6 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 1.2 | 24.0 | 25.8 | 6.2 | 6.2 | 5.8 | 26.7 | 44.9 | 70.7 |
| Total slaughter | 1.1 | 0.2 | 7.4 | 1.0 | 67.5 | 161.0 | 238.2 | 10.1 | 7.9 | 43.7 | 35.1 | 96.8 | 335.0 |
| Total disposition ⁹ | 1.4 | 1.6 | 9.6 | 1.9 | 113.5 | 185.0 | 284.5 | 35.9 | 42.4 | 65.0 | 40.4 | 170.5 | 455.0 |
| Ending inventory | 3.5 | 5.7 | 26.4 | 8.0 | 274.5 | 315.5 | 633.6 | 65.0 | 114.0 | 179.0 | 55.5 | 413.5 | 1,047.1 |
| July to December 2010 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Beginning inventory | 3.5 | 5.7 | 26.4 | 8.0 | 274.5 | 315.5 | 633.6 | 65.0 | 114.0 | 179.0 | 55.5 | 413.5 | 1,047.1 |
| Lambs born | 0.1 | 2.0 | 2.5 | 0.7 | 77.7 | 57.1 | 140.1 | 3.1 | 3.5 | 16.5 | 13.4 | 36.5 | 176.6 |
| Interprovincial imports (net) ¹ | 0.2 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 36.6 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 20.4 | 14.7 | 0.0 |
| International imports | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.4 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.4 | 0.0 | 8.5 | 5.6 | 1.7 | 15.8 | 16.2 |
| Total supply | 3.8 | 7.7 | 29.3 | 8.7 | 352.2 | 409.2 | 774.1 | 68.1 | 126.0 | 201.1 | 91.0 | 480.5 | 1,254.6 |
| Deaths, sheep | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.2 | 0.1 | 4.6 | 5.1 | 10.0 | 1.0 | 5.8 | 7.8 | 4.0 | 18.6 | 28.6 |
| Deaths, lambs | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.4 | 0.1 | 3.2 | 5.3 | 9.2 | 0.5 | 2.1 | 1.7 | 1.6 | 5.9 | 15.1 |
| Condemnations | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.4 | 1.1 | 1.5 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.2 | 0.0 | 0.2 | 1.7 |
| Deaths and condemnations | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.6 | 0.2 | 8.2 | 11.5 | 20.7 | 1.5 | 7.9 | 9.7 | 5.6 | 24.7 | 45.4 |
| Interprovincial exports (net) ² | 0.0 | 1.2 | 0.9 | 1.6 | 47.8 | 0.0 | 14.7 | 0.0 | 5.7 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| International exports | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 1.1 | 1.1 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 1.1 |
| Federal Provincial Inspected Slaughter (FPIS) ³ | 0.0 | 0.0 | 6.3 | 0.0 | 65.2 | 138.5 | 210.0 | 6.8 | 0.6 | 42.4 | 11.9 | 61.7 | 271.7 |
| International imports for slaughter ⁴ | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Provincially inspected slaughter ⁵ | 0.0 | 0.4 | 1.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 1.4 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 1.4 |
| Commercial slaughter, not elsewhere specified ⁶ | 0.3 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 1.2 | 0.0 | 13.4 | 14.9 | 0.0 | 0.8 | 0.0 | 0.1 | 0.9 | 15.8 |
| Consumed on farms ⁷ | 0.1 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 1.0 | 1.8 | 2.9 | 0.5 | 1.0 | 4.3 | 7.0 | 12.8 | 15.7 |
| Farm sales to consumers ⁸ | 0.1 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 4.0 | 10.9 | 15.0 | 6.3 | 20.0 | 12.0 | 21.9 | 60.2 | 75.2 |
| Total slaughter | 0.5 | 0.4 | 7.3 | 1.2 | 70.2 | 164.6 | 244.2 | 13.6 | 22.4 | 58.7 | 40.9 | 135.6 | 379.8 |
| Total disposition ⁹ | 0.6 | 1.7 | 8.8 | 3.0 | 126.2 | 177.2 | 280.7 | 15.1 | 36.0 | 68.4 | 46.5 | 160.3 | 441.0 |
| Ending inventory | 3.2 | 6.0 | 20.5 | 5.7 | 226.0 | 232.0 | 493.4 | 53.0 | 90.0 | 132.7 | 44.5 | 320.2 | 813.6 |

1. A residual. It is arrived at by taking the number of animals coming to farms within that province minus the number of animals leaving for farming operations outside that province.
2. A residual. It is arrived at by taking the number of animals leaving for farming operations outside that province minus the number of animals coming to farms within that province.
3. Slaughterings at federally and / or provincially inspected packing plants.
4. Imports of live animals from the United States slaughtered in Canada.
5. All provincially inspected slaughter not included in F.P.I.S.
6. Other provincial slaughter not included above and not usually inspected.
7. Killed and eaten on the farm.
8. Killed and sold at the farm gate.
9. The sum of all deaths, condemnations, exports and slaughter.

Note(s): Inventory at January 1 or July 1 refers to the number of animals on the farm or feedlot at January 1 or July 1. All other balance sheet items represent activity that occurred within the six month reporting period.

Table 3
Prices, lambs, weighted average, Toronto

| | January | February | March | April | May | June | July | August | September | October | November | December | Annual |
|------|---------------------------|----------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|-----------|---------|----------|----------|--------|
| | dollars per hundredweight | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1983 | 75.07 | 87.76 | 92.42 | 72.04 | 101.49 | 81.09 | 73.89 | 67.95 | 69.23 | 75.73 | 76.99 | 77.01 | 77.28 |
| 1984 | 86.79 | 87.42 | 95.61 | 101.49 | 102.57 | 88.15 | 81.57 | 79.28 | 80.47 | 79.52 | 87.60 | 86.33 | 86.18 |
| 1985 | 105.83 | 97.30 | 109.61 | 118.18 | 110.55 | 95.94 | 88.49 | 86.45 | 91.47 | 90.33 | 97.67 | 98.95 | 96.75 |
| 1986 | 97.03 | 114.14 | 115.78 | 123.92 | 135.04 | 116.57 | 102.65 | 109.97 | 96.33 | 105.41 | 104.07 | 111.63 | 106.73 |
| 1987 | 129.42 | 130.20 | 126.67 | 152.30 | 140.99 | 117.96 | 111.16 | 105.46 | 99.38 | 104.46 | 109.11 | 109.00 | 112.70 |
| 1988 | 129.89 | 137.13 | 121.80 | 132.68 | 125.84 | 105.58 | 103.20 | 97.22 | 88.40 | 95.32 | 94.84 | 97.36 | 104.71 |
| 1989 | 98.80 | 105.94 | 122.41 | 124.27 | 124.53 | 111.51 | 116.53 | 92.15 | 92.67 | 83.68 | 101.91 | 81.36 | 98.63 |
| 1990 | 96.01 | 96.35 | 108.73 | 103.25 | 98.60 | 95.40 | 85.78 | 82.49 | 79.20 | 76.29 | 76.28 | 77.91 | 87.98 |
| 1991 | 83.55 | 83.07 | 85.37 | 86.68 | 88.65 | 89.95 | 87.53 | 75.20 | 69.91 | 67.06 | 76.81 | 68.30 | 78.60 |
| 1992 | 81.98 | 86.19 | 91.78 | 98.92 | 100.68 | 92.84 | 86.88 | 83.82 | 83.90 | 80.06 | 89.22 | 100.12 | 88.81 |
| 1993 | 115.52 | 127.12 | 121.75 | 128.75 | 123.85 | 112.91 | 102.28 | 92.45 | 102.89 | 101.27 | 113.99 | 120.50 | 110.67 |
| 1994 | 119.78 | 114.21 | 121.46 | 110.59 | 123.53 | 124.54 | 115.81 | 108.56 | 110.04 | 114.30 | 122.80 | 114.46 | 116.43 |
| 1995 | 126.37 | 130.81 | 144.95 | 149.50 | 158.48 | 122.39 | 117.27 | 122.42 | 118.95 | 123.52 | 127.93 | 129.62 | 127.17 |
| 1996 | 141.06 | 141.46 | 154.16 | 165.41 | 147.65 | 136.35 | 135.13 | 132.95 | 126.11 | 122.68 | 135.39 | 133.21 | 135.11 |
| 1997 | 152.61 | 161.13 | 173.10 | 181.97 | 175.35 | 149.54 | 141.56 | 124.99 | 130.13 | 130.51 | 134.73 | 131.95 | 140.06 |
| 1998 | 154.29 | 159.53 | 165.49 | 170.53 | 149.66 | 128.73 | 121.65 | 119.25 | 108.19 | 112.96 | 119.33 | 121.90 | 132.10 |
| 1999 | 142.31 | 138.14 | 165.09 | 161.50 | 139.98 | 126.84 | 107.29 | 112.21 | 107.82 | 116.89 | 120.13 | 122.15 | 124.13 |
| 2000 | 136.34 | 140.87 | 148.90 | 148.16 | 161.52 | 131.42 | 123.05 | 120.95 | 120.24 | 120.68 | 138.05 | 139.65 | 132.83 |
| 2001 | 145.17 | 159.07 | 171.00 | 179.06 | 167.33 | 121.87 | 117.15 | 102.02 | 110.01 | 106.69 | 109.24 | 104.98 | 123.00 |
| 2002 | 130.74 | 142.50 | 138.04 | 124.68 | 119.43 | 97.90 | 107.38 | 102.74 | 108.32 | 111.98 | 123.22 | 123.76 | 116.09 |
| 2003 | 152.28 | 153.76 | 150.73 | 163.46 | 166.74 | 140.60 | 119.96 | 100.09 | 91.21 | 100.21 | 102.45 | 93.49 | 120.31 |
| 2004 | 117.18 | 103.25 | 82.30 | 133.31 | 129.84 | 119.19 | 109.91 | 104.85 | 98.27 | 94.70 | 104.24 | 120.20 | 106.44 |
| 2005 | 144.08 | 142.21 | 144.32 | 147.44 | 153.79 | 145.10 | 143.60 | 140.66 | 151.92 | 152.16 | 151.97 | 160.06 | 148.51 |
| 2006 | 179.55 | 174.05 | 168.45 | 179.14 | 177.09 | 160.95 | 147.60 | 146.58 | 156.43 | 146.64 | 157.95 | 165.67 | 160.78 |
| 2007 | 155.02 | 165.03 | 164.45 | 179.75 | 183.27 | 154.92 | 153.89 | 150.23 | 152.90 | 146.58 | 147.64 | 154.47 | 156.30 |
| 2008 | 150.86 | 162.97 | 159.55 | 161.90 | 182.61 | 175.06 | 155.07 | 149.73 | 154.03 | 148.97 | 147.41 | 158.07 | 158.06 |
| 2009 | 170.65 | 167.62 | 174.79 | 197.02 | 195.30 | 167.50 | 166.51 | 157.34 | 159.86 | 159.54 | 172.00 | 163.03 | 168.53 |
| 2010 | 182.35 | 185.45 | 186.74 | 213.39 | 206.89 | 173.77 | 163.59 | 154.16 | 160.39 | 172.19 | 191.33 | 210.10 | 179.27 |

Note(s): From 1976 to 1990, the price is based on a lamb weighing 80 pounds or more. Beginning in 1991, it is based on a lamb weighing 80 to 94 pounds. The price is the Toronto price prior to 1994. Beginning in 1994, it includes 14 markets and the Ontario Public Stockyards.

Table 4
Shorn wool production, disposition and farm value

| | Quantity purchased | Quantity used on farms | Average price paid to producer | Total farm value |
|---------------------------|-----------------------|------------------------------|--------------------------------------|------------------------|
| | thousands of kg | | \$/kg | thousands of \$ |
| 2005 | | | | |
| Newfoundland and Labrador | 10.5 | 0.9 | 0.99 | 11 |
| Prince Edward Island | 4.4 | 0.5 | 1.38 | 7 |
| Nova Scotia | 25.1 | 1.2 | 1.27 | 33 |
| New Brunswick | 14.1 | 0.9 | 0.97 | 15 |
| Quebec | 329.1 | 6.2 | 0.62 | 208 |
| Ontario | 450.1 | 15.6 | 0.79 | 368 |
| Manitoba | 75.3 | 3.3 | 0.84 | 66 |
| Saskatchewan | 112.5 | 4.2 | 1.09 | 127 |
| Alberta | 350.2 | 9.0 | 0.96 | 345 |
| British Columbia | 34.2 | 14.7 | 0.98 | 48 |
| Canada | 1,405.5 | 56.5 | 0.84 | 1,228 |
| 2006 | | | | |
| Newfoundland and Labrador | 3.4 | 0.9 | 1.22 | 5 |
| Prince Edward Island | 4.4 | 0.5 | 1.38 | 7 |
| Nova Scotia | 26.8 | 1.2 | 1.12 | 31 |
| New Brunswick | 14.1 | 0.9 | 0.97 | 14 |
| Quebec | 327.3 | 6.2 | 0.45 | 150 |
| Ontario | 393.9 | 15.6 | 0.56 | 229 |
| Manitoba | 69.9 | 3.3 | 0.65 | 48 |
| Saskatchewan | 105.2 | 4.2 | 0.78 | 85 |
| Alberta | 288.7 | 9.0 | 0.91 | 271 |
| British Columbia | 21.5 | 14.7 | 0.68 | 25 |
| Canada | 1,255.2 | 56.5 | 0.66 | 865 |
| 2007 | | | | |
| Newfoundland and Labrador | 2.0 | 0.8 | 1.43 | 4 |
| Prince Edward Island | 3.9 | 0.4 | 1.43 | 6 |
| Nova Scotia | 24.8 | 1.2 | 1.21 | 31 |
| New Brunswick | 1.5 | 0.8 | 1.43 | 3 |
| Quebec | 266.1 | 5.7 | 0.40 | 109 |
| Ontario | 450.9 | 14.8 | 0.61 | 284 |
| Manitoba | 67.0 | 3.0 | 0.67 | 47 |
| Saskatchewan | 127.9 | 3.7 | 1.05 | 138 |
| Alberta | 303.0 | 8.2 | 0.98 | 305 |
| British Columbia | 21.4 | 14.3 | 0.78 | 28 |
| Canada | 1,268.5 | 52.9 | 0.72 | 955 |
| 2008 | | | | |
| Newfoundland and Labrador | 4.3 | 0.8 | 1.09 | 6 |
| Prince Edward Island | 3.9 | 0.4 | 1.21 | 5 |
| Nova Scotia | 21.6 | 1.2 | 1.07 | 24 |
| New Brunswick | 1.5 | 0.8 | 1.21 | 3 |
| Quebec | 249.9 | 5.7 | 0.41 | 105 |
| Ontario | 386.8 | 14.8 | 0.53 | 213 |
| Manitoba | 51.7 | 3.0 | 0.68 | 37 |
| Saskatchewan | 117.2 | 3.7 | 0.89 | 108 |
| Alberta | 270.5 | 8.2 | 0.89 | 248 |
| British Columbia | 19.7 | 14.3 | 0.78 | 27 |
| Canada | 1,127.1 | 52.9 | 0.66 | 776 |
| 2009 | | | | |
| Newfoundland and Labrador | 3.0 | 0.8 | 1.50 | 6 |
| Prince Edward Island | 4.5 | 0.4 | 1.50 | 7 |
| Nova Scotia | 22.1 | 1.2 | 1.36 | 32 |
| New Brunswick | 1.5 | 0.8 | 1.50 | 3 |
| Quebec | 268.1 | 5.7 | 0.38 | 104 |
| Ontario | 414.2 | 14.8 | 0.53 | 227 |
| Manitoba | 79.1 | 3.0 | 0.77 | 63 |
| Saskatchewan | 80.9 | 3.7 | 0.65 | 55 |
| Alberta | 250.6 | 8.2 | 0.94 | 243 |
| British Columbia | 14.4 | 14.3 | 0.51 | 15 |
| Canada | 1,138.4 | 52.9 | 0.63 | 755 |

Table 5-1
Sheep and lambs: number by class total for United States and Canada, January 1

| | 2006 | 2007 | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 2011 as percentage of 2010 |
|----------------------------------|-------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|----------------------------------|
| | thousands of head | | | | | | percent |
| All sheep and lambs | 7,094 | 6,999 | 6,775 | 6,555 | 6,426 | 6,344 | 99 |
| Breeding sheep and lambs | 5,292 | 5,225 | 5,070 | 4,871 | 4,798 | 4,739 | 98 |
| Replacement lambs, under 1 year | 873 | 823 | 779 | 725 | 729 | 750 | 103 |
| Ewes, 1 year or older | 4,193 | 4,178 | 4,072 | 3,927 | 3,851 | 3,777 | 98 |
| Rams, 1 year or older | 226 | 225 | 219 | 220 | 218 | 213 | 98 |
| Sheep for marketing ¹ | 81 | 93 | 83 | 81 | 80 | 80 | 100 |
| Lambs for marketing ² | 1,721 | 1,681 | 1,623 | 1,603 | 1,548 | 1,525 | 99 |
| Lamb crop ³ | 4,820 | 4,698 | 4,517 | 4,519 | 4,411 | .. | .. |

1. United States Sheep for Marketing only.

2. Canada lamb for marketing includes small amounts of market sheep.

3. January to December lamb crop.

Note(s): Totals may not add due to rounding.

Source(s): United States National Agricultural Statistics Service and Livestock and Food Section, Statistics Canada.

Table 5-2
Sheep and lambs: number by class — United States, January 1

| | 2006 | 2007 | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 2011 as percentage of 2010 |
|---------------------------------|-------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|----------------------------------|
| | thousands of head | | | | | | percent |
| All sheep and lambs | 6,200 | 6,120 | 5,950 | 5,747 | 5,620 | 5,530 | 98 |
| Breeding sheep and lambs | 4,616 | 4,553 | 4,432 | 4,247 | 4,185 | 4,115 | 98 |
| Replacement lambs, under 1 year | 786 | 735 | 697 | 647 | 655 | 670 | 102 |
| Ewes, 1 year or older | 3,630 | 3,620 | 3,540 | 3,405 | 3,335 | 3,255 | 98 |
| Rams, 1 year or older | 200 | 199 | 195 | 196 | 195 | 190 | 97 |
| Sheep for marketing | 81 | 93 | 83 | 81 | 80 | 80 | 100 |
| Lambs for marketing | 1,503 | 1,474 | 1,436 | 1,419 | 1,355 | 1,335 | 99 |
| Lamb crop ¹ | 3,950 | 3,895 | 3,710 | 3,690 | 3,600 | .. | .. |

1. January to December lamb crop.

Note(s): Totals may not add due to rounding.

Source(s): United States National Agricultural Statistics Service

Table 5-3
Sheep and lambs: number by class — Canada, January 1

| | 2006 | 2007 | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 2011 as percentage of 2010 |
|---------------------------------|-------------------|------|------|------|------|------|----------------------------------|
| | thousands of head | | | | | | percent |
| Sheep and lambs, total | 894 | 879 | 825 | 808 | 806 | 814 | 101 |
| Breeding sheep and lambs | 676 | 672 | 638 | 624 | 613 | 624 | 102 |
| Replacement lambs, under 1 year | 87 | 88 | 82 | 78 | 74 | 80 | 108 |
| Ewes, 1 year or older | 563 | 558 | 532 | 522 | 516 | 522 | 101 |
| Rams, 1 year or older | 26 | 26 | 24 | 24 | 23 | 23 | 100 |
| Sheep and Lambs for marketing | 218 | 207 | 187 | 184 | 193 | 190 | 98 |
| Lamb crop ¹ | 870 | 803 | 807 | 829 | 811 | .. | .. |

1. January to December lamb crop.

Note(s): Totals may not add due to rounding.

Source(s): Livestock and Food Section, Statistics Canada.

Concepts and methodology

Concepts

Livestock statistics

Inventory levels of the various types of livestock intended for sale in Canada are measured at specific times throughout the year. Surveyed operations are requested to include all animals located on the farming operation, regardless of ownership. They are also asked to include animals owned but pastured on a community pasture, grazing co-op or public land. Producers are asked to exclude animals owned but kept on a farm, ranch or feedlot operated by someone else. Inventory levels are estimated for cattle, calves, pigs, sheep and lambs. Estimates are also produced for certain categories of animals on the basis of age, sex, weight and/or purpose i.e. breeding or slaughter.

Current information on livestock inventories and related statistics such as supply and disposition enable those active in the agricultural sector to observe and assess changes in the industry, measure performance and keep the agricultural community and general public informed of developments. The primary data users are federal and provincial governments, producer boards, farmers and farm organizations, private business, academic research institutions and students. Livestock data assists governments in formulating agricultural policies and developing programs. Farming organizations use statistics in developing recommendations for producers and governments. Farmers make increasing use of prices, production, and marketing statistics in planning their operations. In addition, these livestock statistics are used in the calculation of farm incomes and in the Canadian System of National Accounts for indicators such as gross domestic product.

Methods

To produce livestock estimates, there are actually 6 different survey occasions. All of the survey occasions collect data primarily using Computer Assisted Telephone Interviews (CATI) although there are special procedures in place for the very large or complex operations.

Two of the occasions are the January Livestock Survey and the July Livestock Survey. These are large-scale general livestock surveys collecting data on cattle, hogs and sheep, referring to inventories at the 1st of the month. The probability samples include about 10,260 operations at January 1, and about 16,260 operations at July 1. These surveys collect data during a three-week period in the western provinces, Ontario and Quebec. Regardless of when operators respond, they are asked to report inventories as of January 1 or July 1. The livestock survey results are released, following processing and analysis, approximately seven weeks after the reference date.

Hog inventories are the focus of two other survey occasions collecting estimates of pig numbers at April 1 and October 1. This survey was initiated in 1998 as estimates from 1978 to 1997 were based solely on analytical tools. For the hog surveys, a sub-sample of the prior livestock survey is used. The probability samples are approximately 2,100 operations and 2,500 operations, respectively, at April 1 and October 1 and, similar to the livestock surveys, these CATI surveys cover the western provinces, Ontario and Quebec. Producers are requested to report their inventories as of the reference date, although the data are collected during a 7-day period near or before that date. The hog survey results are normally released three to four weeks after the reference date.

The June and November Atlantic Surveys are used to produce estimates for that region. These surveys are multi-purpose collecting data, primarily inventories, on livestock including cattle, hogs and sheep in addition to collecting data related to the area, yield and production of the principal field crops. The probability samples are about 1,000 operations in June and 1,100 operations in November. The results are released at the same time as the livestock results. For reference points where surveys do not exist for the Atlantic region, analytical tools are used to produce the estimates.

The total inventories are now distributed to a specific farm type, on the basis of survey results and sector level balance sheets. The two major categories are dairy and beef. The beef sector is then broken down to beef cattle on cow/calf and mixed beef and dairy operations; beef cattle on feeder, stocker/finish operations; and, beef cattle on feeding operations, which include feedlots.

Canadian exports to the United States are obtained from U.S. import custom documents and are officially released by the International Trade Division of Statistics Canada. These data try to register the province of origin of the commodity, but when unknown, will reflect the province of entry into the United States. Information from secondary sources is used by Agriculture Division of Statistics Canada to better estimate the province in which the commodity was raised/grown. Administrative data from the provinces are used to adjust the export numbers by province to better reflect provincial production. Though this methodology will result in different exports by province, the Canadian export totals will equal those released by International Trade Division. At release, some export data are unavailable. The missing data are imputed based on historical and auxiliary data sourced from the United States Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service. The imputed data are replaced with actual International Trade data when it becomes available.

To summarize, the livestock statistics are survey-based estimates. The survey relies on a list frame that is established every five years by the Census of Agriculture and updated to include new entrants, particularly large hog operations. The probability sample surveys are conducted by telephone. The survey results are analysed and corrected before the data are used to analyse the industry and fine-tune the estimates. The survey data are reviewed in a board environment before the commodity analyst works with the data primarily using supply-disposition analysis. The results of the industry analysis are reviewed by the board before being sent to the individual provinces. Once the data are finalised they are released to the public and published. The principal data released include inventories and summarized supply-disposition tables. The data also flow, via farm income estimates, to the Canadian System of National Accounts. In addition the data are used in the calculation of net farm income projections, produced by Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada in co-operation with Statistics Canada and the provinces.