

# Leading Markets for U.S. Beef Exports

January - June 2009

Country/Region	Year-To-Date Quantity (Metric Tons)			Year-To-Date Value (US \$000)			June Quantity (Metric Tons)		June Value (US \$000)	
	1/08 - 6/08	1/09 - 6/09	% Change	1/08 - 6/08	1/09 - 6/09	% Change	2008	2009	2008	2009
Mexico	105,532	88,816	-16%	\$400,672	\$332,941	-17%	19,446	19,464	\$74,515	\$67,518
Canada	72,030	63,874	-11%	\$356,739	\$300,483	-16%	14,478	13,401	\$74,947	\$65,710
Japan	32,039	35,804	12%	\$165,740	\$185,730	12%	9,624	9,966	\$49,337	\$50,248
ASEAN	20,228	28,299	40%	\$62,404	\$95,568	53%	3,645	1,475	\$12,014	\$5,336
Vietnam	17,513	25,904	48%	\$48,428	\$84,473	74%	3,220	1,018	\$10,066	\$3,068
Philippines	1,944	1,634	-16%	\$9,558	\$7,004	-27%	290	227	\$1,309	\$1,222
Singapore	395	379	-4%	\$2,335	\$2,540	9%	86	96	\$420	\$593
Korea, Republic of	244	23,801	9655%	\$999	\$93,332	9243%	49	3,032	\$356	\$13,304
Taiwan	13,685	12,027	-12%	\$66,750	\$59,543	-11%	2,710	2,515	\$13,358	\$12,551
Middle East	4,943	7,648	55%	\$25,225	\$31,714	26%	842	1,548	\$4,485	\$5,395
Egypt	87	2,967	3310%	\$636	\$6,725	957%	26	680	\$148	\$1,399
United Arab Emirates	2,010	1,852	-8%	\$10,285	\$9,160	-11%	337	327	\$1,589	\$1,657
Kuwait	1,021	872	-15%	\$4,488	\$4,166	-7%	150	85	\$582	\$453
Hong Kong/China	4,621	7,285	58%	\$19,204	\$25,132	31%	753	2,649	\$3,931	\$7,909
Hong Kong	4,535	7,282	61%	\$18,904	\$25,103	33%	751	2,648	\$3,908	\$7,902
China	86	3	-97%	\$300	\$30	-90%	2	1	\$22	\$6
Caribbean	6,801	7,218	6%	\$33,602	\$35,530	6%	1,044	1,164	\$5,293	\$5,904
Bahamas, The	1,329	1,662	25%	\$6,447	\$7,589	18%	229	243	\$1,123	\$1,187
Dominican Republic	1,366	1,347	-1%	\$8,807	\$7,148	-19%	190	200	\$1,379	\$1,224
Netherlands Antilles	451	940	108%	\$1,817	\$5,089	180%	50	158	\$247	\$864
European Union	7,761	5,684	-27%	\$48,220	\$36,934	-23%	1,554	1,100	\$10,323	\$7,178
Netherlands	4,179	3,411	-18%	\$22,551	\$22,725	1%	761	652	\$4,988	\$3,924
Belgium-Luxembourg	382	581	52%	\$3,498	\$4,201	20%	118	71	\$873	\$649
Germany	1,091	544	-50%	\$6,373	\$2,857	-55%	240	94	\$1,417	\$836
Central and South America	1,229	1,506	23%	\$6,549	\$7,282	11%	196	222	\$1,068	\$1,133
Guatemala	490	567	16%	\$3,035	\$2,871	-5%	123	49	\$694	\$305
Panama	23	300	1204%	\$281	\$1,325	372%	0	64	\$7	\$261
Chile	60	132	120%	\$411	\$597	45%	0	26	\$0	\$91
Oceania	733	769	5%	\$1,849	\$1,980	7%	128	192	\$302	\$397
Australia	669	726	9%	\$1,626	\$1,670	3%	125	188	\$296	\$389
New Zealand	64	43	-33%	\$224	\$310	38%	3	4	\$6	\$8
Russia	3,102	537	-83%	\$13,113	\$2,112	-84%	902	108	\$4,224	\$420
Eastern Europe	51	326	539%	\$117	\$1,024	775%	5	7	\$9	\$24
Bulgaria	0	279	0%	\$0	\$860	0%	0	0	\$0	\$0
Bosnia-Herzegovina	42	15	-64%	\$90	\$53	-41%	5	0	\$9	\$0
Romania	0	0	0%	\$0	\$0	0%	0	0	\$0	\$0
<b>WORLD TOTAL</b>	<b>273,679</b>	<b>284,388</b>	<b>4%</b>	<b>\$1,206,725</b>	<b>\$1,216,019</b>	<b>1%</b>	<b>55,573</b>	<b>56,991</b>	<b>\$255,455</b>	<b>\$244,372</b>

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