

## Leading Markets for U.S. Beef and Veal

### 1999 Year-to-date

	Metric		Value	
	Tons	% of 98	(Mil \$)	% of 98
Japan	360,822	98%	1371.707	105%
Mexico	158,058	111%	454.058	114%
Canada	84,938	97%	272.98	96%
Republic of Korea	106,302	199%	331.042	233%
Hong Kong	10,736	91%	38.395	112%
Total Top 5	720,856	109%	2,468	114%

### 2000 Year-to-date

	Metric		Value	
	Tons	% of 99	(Mil \$)	% of 99
Japan	368,013	103%	1466.536	107%
Mexico	178,749	113%	530.769	117%
Republic of Korea	143,457	135%	506.2	153%
Canada	87,480	103%	299.245	110%
Hong Kong	12,758	119%	52.1	136%
Total Top 5	790,457	110%	2,855	116%

### 2001 Year-to-date

	Metric		Value	
	Tons	% of 00	(Mil \$)	% of 00
Japan	333,322	91%	1246.60	85%
Mexico	258,008	149%	820.30	160%
Canada	80,418	92%	273.91	92%
Republic of Korea	130,995	95%	360.70	76%
Hong Kong	11,871	93%	42915.00	82167%
Total Top 5	814,614	105%	45616.51	1629%

### 2002 Year-to-date

	Metric		Value	
	Tons	% of 01	(Mil \$)	% of 01
Japan	251,836	76%	842.94	68%
Mexico	290,488	113%	881.80	108%
Canada	206,666	116%	595.30	109%
Republic of Korea	212,750	162%	609.70	169%
Hong Kong	19,265	162%	57.69	135%
Total Top 5	981,005	108%	2987.43	99%

### 2003 Year-to-date

	Metric		Value	
	Tons	% of 02	(Mil \$)	% of 02
Japan	298,516	119%	1169.42	139%
Mexico	193,044	93%	606.43	102%
Canada	80,891	96%	320.70	112%
Republic of Korea	213,445	100%	750.50	123%
Hong Kong	15,381	80%	68.57	119%
Total Top 5	801,277	103%	2915.62	122%



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### 2004 Year-to-date

	Metric		Value	
	Tons	% of 03	(Mil \$)	% of 03
Japan	243	0%	583.761	50%
Mexico	106,667	55%	372.007	62%
Canada	19,305	24%	94.11	29%
Republic of Korea	215	0%	0.422	0%
Hong Kong	26	0%	0.119	0%
Total Top 5	126,456	16%	1,050	36%

### 2005 Year-to-date

	Metric		Value	
	Tons	% of 04	(Mil \$)	% of 04
Japan	8	26%	63.9	39%
Mexico	146,406	137%	551.915	149%
Canada	41,360	212%	201.713	212%
Republic of Korea	0	0%	0	0%
Hong Kong	5	56%	23.98	64%
Total Top 5	187,779	149%	842	77%

### 2006 Year-to-date

	Metric		Value	
	Tons	% of 05	(Mil \$)	% of 05
Mexico	215,252	144%	781.539	139%
Canada	88,543	213%	424.4	210%
Japan	12,264	1825%	64.2	1284%
Taiwan	21353	300%	101.16	247%
Hong Kong	3,098	65915%	14.44	181%
Total Top 5	340,510	172%	1,386	169%



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### 2007 Year-to-date

	Metric		Value	
	Tons	% of 06	(Mil \$)	% of 06
Mexico	189,401	88%	715.846	100%
Canada	123,770	140%	590.063	100%
Japan	44,721	365%	229.872	100%
Taiwan	22,564	106%	107.145	100%
Hong Kong	9,434	305%	34.8	100%
Total Top 5	389,890	115%	1.678	100%

### 2008 Year-to-date

	Metric		Value	
	Tons	% of 07	(Mil \$)	% of 07
Mexico	210,233	111%	832.763	116%
Canada	141,553	114%	697.197	118%
Japan	69,276	155%	354.405	154%
Taiwan	27,258	121%	127.562	119%
Hong Kong	9,494	101%	40.553	117%
Total Top 5	457,814	117%	2.052	122%

### 2009 Year-to-date

	Metric		Value	
	Tons	% of 07	(Mil \$)	% of 07
Mexico	106,091	84%	392.706	81%
Canada	75,396	86%	355.764	82%
Japan	46,014	111%	236.353	111%
Taiwan	14,717	89%	73.329	94%
Hong Kong	10,038	198%	34.647	163%
Total Top 5	252,256	91%	1,093	88%



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