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Salted, in brine, dried or smoked

1991	1 203	11 971
Norway	111	1 706
Poland	41	328
Hong Kong	442	3 673
Mexico	443	3 988
Singapore	89	1 437
1992 (January-September)	368	4 080
Norway	32	356
Hong Kong	183	1 408
Singapore	87	1 352

Market Opportunities for Canadian Pork Products

The only pork products that has been sold to Sweden, and only on a very ad hoc basis, are frozen tenderloins. there seems to be continued opportunities for sales to Sweden for this item, but only at times when traditional sources fail and prices are competitive.

Access

Variable import levies (as of January 29, 1993) SEK per 100 kg

Fresh/chilled/frozen	500, 1250 or 910 depending on kind and/or cut
Salted, in brine, dried	500, 1250 or 910 depending on kind and/or cut
or smoked	Germany Series 188
Canned	1220, 1625 or 2030 depending on meat
	content in %

For imports of fresh, frozen meat, whether processed or not, there are stringent veterinary regulations. The meat must derive from an officially approved establishment where good hygiene is maintained and staff is medically examined at least once a year and certificate to that effect must accompany every shipment. Moreover the meat must be free from salmonella and shigella and accompanied by a veterinary certificate to that effect.

Local food inspection authorities are very strict. Should more than one sample, taken by veterinary inspectors from a container at the port of entry, prove positive for salmonella/shigella, the whole shipment is most likely to be rejected. There have been few incidents of this kind in the past years involving horse meat and one involving a pork shipment in 1992, which eventually was rejected and subsequently re-exported.