

China beef imports *

Monthly trade summary

December 2018

12-months ending December

Volume (tonnes swt)	Chilled		Frozen		Total	
	12-months ending December	Y-O-Y % chg.	12-months ending December	Y-O-Y % chg.	12-months ending December	Y-O-Y % chg.
Total	15,990	144	1,023,399	49	1,039,388	50
Australia	12,575	113	160,513	46	173,088	50
Brazil	-		322,693	63	322,693	63
Uruguay	-		218,553	12	218,553	12
Argentina	-		180,377	109	180,377	109
NZ	3,172	742	107,634	36	110,805	39
Other	243	-9	33,630	70	33,872	69

Calendar year-to-December

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2,353	12	142	102,281	-	39	104,635	-	40
1,779	-1	163	11,833	-25	-1	13,612	-22	8
-	-	-	31,759	-10	41	31,759	-10	41
-	-	-	19,631	-9	6	19,631	-9	6
-	-	-	24,699	27	107	24,699	27	107
542	89	127	9,502	44	78	10,044	46	80
32	25	-42	4,857	38	39	4,890	38	38

Value (Million RMB)	Chilled		Frozen		Total	
	12-months ending December	Y-O-Y % chg.	12-months ending December	Y-O-Y % chg.	12-months ending December	Y-O-Y % chg.
Total	912	84	30,983	53	31,895	54
Australia	756	70	5,870	47	6,625	49
Brazil	-		10,142	72	10,142	72
Uruguay	-		5,007	16	5,007	16
Argentina	-		5,252	111	5,252	111
NZ	128	660	3,355	30	3,483	34
Other	28	-15	1,358	51	1,386	49

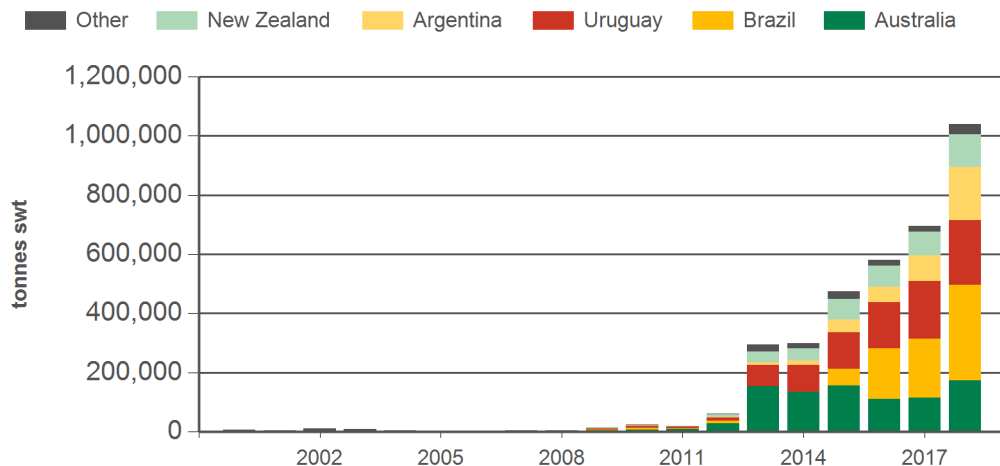
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130	15	102	3,129	-	40	3,260	-	42
104	5	113	432	-27	1	536	-23	13
-	-	-	1,014	-11	48	1,014	-11	48
-	-	-	468	-9	8	468	-9	8
-	-	-	716	28	101	716	28	101
23	91	124	304	59	75	327	61	77
4	28	-33	194	44	29	198	44	27

Source: Global Trade Atlas, China Customs. SWT = Shipped weight. YTD = Calendar year-to-December. Y-O-Y = Year-on-year. M-O-M = Month-on-month. For further information email marketinfo@mla.com.au.

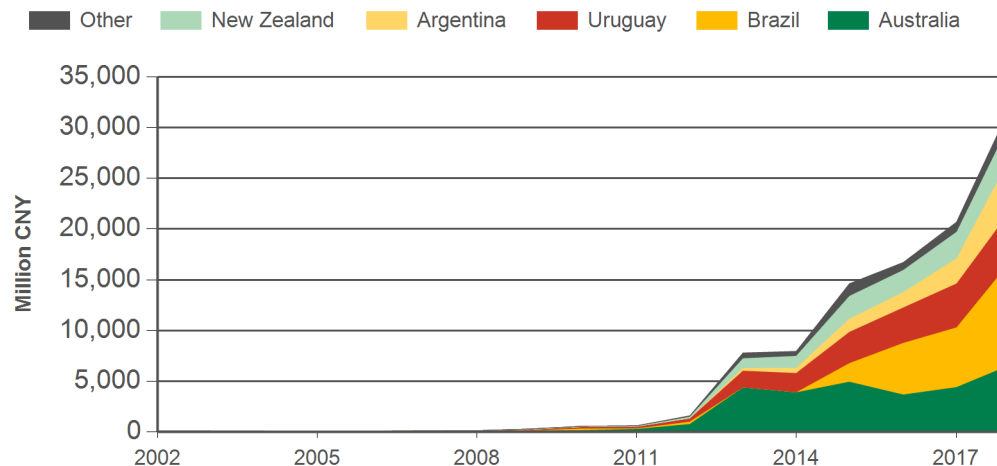
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Year-to-December China beef imports - volume



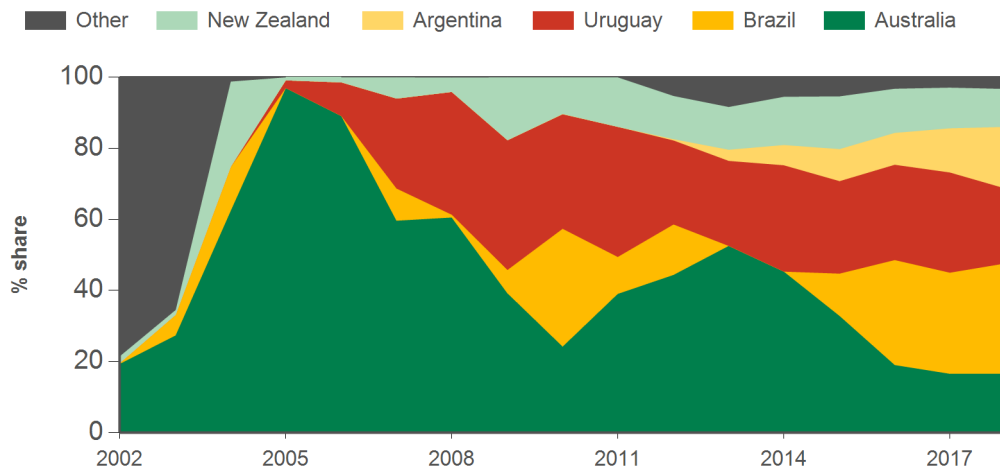
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Year-to-December China beef imports - value



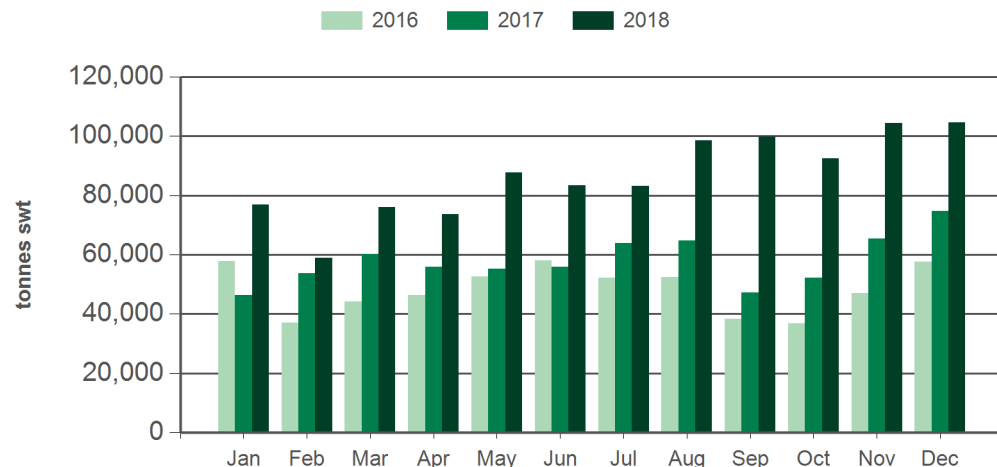
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Year-to-December imported beef market share



Source: Global Trade Atlas, China Customs. Prepared by MLA. % share based off import volume.

Monthly China beef imports



Source: Global Trade Atlas, China Customs. Prepared by MLA.

Historical beef imports - Calendar year totals

Volume (tonnes swt)	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018 YTD	Y-O-Y % chg.
Total	8,135	3,437	1,143	1,161	3,639	4,243	14,158	23,702	20,135	61,386	294,223	297,949	473,835	580,049	695,109	1,039,388	50
Australia	2,230	2,147	1,109	1,034	2,172	2,571	5,558	5,757	7,876	27,293	154,777	135,210	155,938	110,911	115,772	173,088	50
Brazil	467	422	0	0	329	33	932	7,853	2,091	8,705	0	0	56,429	171,157	197,563	322,693	63
Uruguay	0	2	25	110	920	1,464	5,163	7,633	7,364	14,497	70,334	89,080	123,206	155,441	195,868	218,553	12
Argentina	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	16	0	220	9,220	16,983	42,688	51,957	86,330	180,377	109
NZ	112	825	10	17	217	173	2,505	2,442	2,803	7,456	35,375	40,384	70,266	72,052	79,479	110,805	39
Other	5,325	41	0	0	0	2	0	1	0	3,216	24,517	16,292	25,309	18,532	20,097	33,872	69

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