

livestock slaughter



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JUNE RED MEAT PRODUCTION DOWN 4 PERCENT: Commercial production of red meat in the United States totaled 2.8 billion pounds in June, 4 percent below a year ago, but 1 percent above June 1973 according to the Crop Reporting Board. Commercial meat production includes slaughter in Federally Inspected and other slaughter plants, but excludes animals slaughtered on farms.

June 1975 included 21 weekdays and 4 Saturdays compared with 20 weekdays and 5 Saturdays for June 1974 and 21 weekdays and 5 Saturdays for June 1973.

BEEF PRODUCTION UP 1 PERCENT: Beef production totaled 1.8 billion pounds, 1 percent above June last year and 6 percent above June 1973. Cattle kill totaled 3,193,100 head, 11 percent above last year and 14 percent above June 1973. Live weight per head averaged 988 pounds, 74 pounds less than a year ago and 49 pounds less than 2 years ago.

VEAL PRODUCTION MORE THAN DOUBLE: There were 63 million pounds of veal produced in June, more than double the 27 million pounds produced in June 1974. Calf slaughter at 381,800 head was up 118 percent from a year ago and 153 percent above June 1973. Live weight per head averaged 292 pounds compared with 259 pounds for June 1974 and 286 pounds for June 1973.

PORK PRODUCTION DECREASED 15 PERCENT: Pork production totaled 889 million pounds in June, 15 percent below a year ago and 11 percent below June 1973 and is the lowest June pork production since 1966. Hog kill totaled 5,385,900 head, 14 percent below last year and 11 percent below June 1973. Live weight per head averaged 243 pounds, 5 pounds less than June 1974 and 1 pound below June 1973. Lard rendered per 100 pounds live weight was 5.7 pounds compared with 7.3 pounds in June 1974.

LAMB AND MUTTON PRODUCTION INCREASE 7 PERCENT: There were 31 million pounds of lamb and mutton produced in June, an increase of 7 percent from a year earlier. Sheep and lamb slaughter totaled 636,100 head, 6 percent above a year ago but 16 percent below June 1973. Average live weight was 101 pounds, 1 pound more than last year.

Federally inspected slaughter as a percent of total commercial slaughter in June 1975 and June 1974 is as follows: Cattle, 90.7 and 91.4; calves, 72.4 and 78.4; hogs, 94.3 and 94.0; sheep and lambs, 96.4 and 96.7 percent.

COMMERCIAL MEAT AND LARD PRODUCTION; UNITED STATES, JUN 1975 WITH COMPARISONS 1/

KIND	JUN 1975			AS % OF		JAN-JUN 4/		
	1974	MAY 1975	JUN 1975	JUN 1974	MAY 1975	1974	1975	:1975 AS % OF 1974
	MILLION POUNDS			PERCENT		MILLION POUNDS		PERCENT
BEEF	1,839	1,849	1,849	101	100	11,072	11,425	103
VEAL	27	59	63	233	107	167	347	208
PORK 2/	1,050	925	889	85	96	6,909	5,958	86
LAMB & MUTTON	29	31	31	107	100	228	197	86
TOTAL RED MEAT	2,945	2,864	2,832	96	99	18,376	17,927	98
LARD 3/	113	86	74	65	86	668	540	81

1/ EXCLUDES ANIMALS SLAUGHTERED ON FARMS. 2/ EXCLUDE LARD AND RENDERED PORK FAT. 3/ INCLUDES RENDERED PORK FAT. 4/ ACCUMULATED TOTALS BASED ON UNROUNDED DATA.

COMMERCIAL LIVESTOCK SLAUGHTER; UNITED STATES, JUN 1975 WITH COMPARISONS 1/

SPECIES	UNIT	JUN 1975			AS % OF		JAN- JUN 2/		
		1974	MAY 1975	JUN 1975	JUN 1974	MAY 1975	1974	1975	:1975 AS % OF 1974
		MILLION POUNDS			PERCENT		MILLION POUNDS		
CATTLE									
NUMBER									
FED. INSP.	THOU.	2,620.7	2,851.0	2,897.5	111	102	15,773.9	17,392.7	110
OTHER	THOU.	245.2	297.6	295.6	121	99	1,557.7	1,875.5	120
TOTAL	THOU.	2,865.9	3,148.6	3,193.1	111	101	17,331.6	19,268.2	111
LIVE WEIGHT									
PER HEAD	LB.	1,062	1,005	998	93	98	1,062	1,011	95
TOTAL	MIL. LB.	3,044	3,164	3,153	104	100	18,409	19,489	106
CALVES									
NUMBER									
FED. INSP.	THOU.	137.4	269.9	276.4	201	102	991.9	1,639.6	165
OTHER	THOU.	37.8	100.9	105.4	279	104	207.0	562.4	272
TOTAL	THOU.	175.2	370.8	381.8	218	103	1,198.9	2,202.0	184
LIVE WEIGHT									
PER HEAD	LB.	259	285	292	113	102	240	280	117
TOTAL	MIL. LB.	45	106	112	249	106	288	616	214
HOGS									
NUMBER									
FED. INSP.	THOU.	5,893.9	5,375.8	5,077.3	86	94	38,793.2	34,454.9	89
OTHER	THOU.	374.5	317.2	308.6	82	97	2,370.7	2,110.5	89
TOTAL	THOU.	6,268.4	5,693.0	5,385.9	86	95	41,163.9	36,565.4	89
LIVE WEIGHT									
PER HEAD	LB.	248	240	243	98	101	245	239	98
TOTAL	MIL. LB.	1,552	1,364	1,307	84	96	10,083	8,722	87
SHEEP & LAMBS									
NUMBER									
FED. INSP.	THOU.	580.9	614.9	613.5	106	100	4,166.4	3,735.5	90
OTHER	THOU.	20.1	21.6	22.6	112	105	134.8	132.4	98
TOTAL	THOU.	601.0	636.5	636.1	106	100	4,301.2	3,867.9	90
LIVE WEIGHT									
PER HEAD	LB.	100	101	101	101	100	107	104	97
TOTAL	MIL. LB.	60	64	64	107	100	461	402	87

1/ EXCLUDES ANIMALS SLAUGHTERED ON FARMS. 2/ ACCUMULATED TOTALS BASED ON UNROUNDED DATA.

COMMERCIAL CATTLE SLAUGHTER 1/

STATE 2/	JUNE				JANUARY-JUNE			
	NUMBER SLAUGHTERED		TOTAL LIVE WEIGHT		NUMBER SLAUGHTERED		TOTAL LIVE WEIGHT	
	1974	1975	1974	1975	1974	1975	1974	1975
	1,000 HEAD	1,000 HEAD	1,000 POUNDS	1,000 POUNDS	1,000 HEAD	1,000 HEAD	1,000 POUNDS	1,000 POUNDS
ALA.....	16.9	23.7	15,210	17,585	91.0	143.4	82,672	109,167
ARIZ.....	40.0	32.0	40,520	31,264	258.5	236.0	263,784	236,706
ARK.....	14.3	22.6	12,584	18,758	84.2	129.7	76,046	109,772
CALIF....	234.0	229.0	247,104	235,870	1,376.0	1,366.0	1,452,624	1,426,209
COLO.....	191.0	159.0	210,673	167,427	1,163.0	1,027.0	1,292,269	1,106,204
DELA.-MD..	6.5	7.5	7,042	7,581	43.5	46.8	46,864	48,219
FLA.....	28.5	47.5	27,388	42,892	181.5	264.5	178,621	242,657
GA.....	23.0	43.0	20,194	32,465	149.4	246.0	135,430	193,349
HAWAII...	4.0	4.5	3,844	4,230	27.1	25.3	25,200	24,167
IDAMO....	40.5	42.5	44,510	45,900	266.5	255.0	294,745	279,354
ILL.....	102.0	118.0	102,510	116,230	645.5	704.0	659,752	697,380
IND.....	34.0	41.5	34,238	39,218	219.5	256.0	225,096	251,658
IOWA.....	376.0	343.0	410,968	352,261	2,187.0	2,052.0	2,369,282	2,155,355
KANS.....	203.0	221.0	220,255	224,757	1,292.0	1,377.0	1,398,935	1,451,258
KY.....	12.5	29.5	11,450	26,196	87.7	160.7	82,552	142,628
LA.....	12.0	17.1	11,256	14,330	78.1	98.6	76,301	84,637
MICH.....	46.5	59.5	51,429	63,010	293.5	360.5	325,459	386,249
MINN.....	99.5	121.0	112,833	127,292	618.5	722.0	702,848	783,539
MISS.....	22.3	49.0	19,334	40,082	151.0	251.5	137,595	206,858
MO.....	72.0	79.0	76,320	78,526	431.5	485.0	455,111	490,013
MONT.....	12.0	14.6	12,492	14,629	80.3	76.6	84,757	79,222
NEBR.....	408.0	370.0	454,920	381,840	2,342.0	2,377.0	2,584,261	2,529,654
NEV.....	2.2	1.5	2,270	1,510	13.1	8.1	13,628	8,077
N.J.....	17.2	22.2	21,104	26,329	76.2	118.6	94,019	139,441
N.MEX....	33.5	47.5	32,227	42,892	191.0	274.5	187,809	259,913
N.Y.....	20.2	27.0	22,079	28,782	142.3	161.2	159,307	174,546
N.C.....	9.4	15.4	8,808	13,552	64.0	94.5	61,648	83,568
N.DAK....	16.2	22.3	18,338	23,972	91.0	126.6	102,940	138,792
OHIO.....	72.5	88.5	74,820	90,624	450.0	532.5	475,388	545,834
OKLA.....	52.5	65.0	50,558	59,735	320.5	368.0	317,304	343,674
OREG.....	21.4	22.4	22,085	22,109	119.1	140.5	124,291	140,661
PA.....	54.0	75.5	61,722	76,934	358.0	437.0	410,295	476,702
S.C.....	5.4	11.4	4,466	8,014	34.1	60.8	29,587	43,676
S.DAK....	53.0	56.0	58,088	60,032	331.0	315.0	360,398	334,128
TENN.....	36.5	62.5	36,062	56,062	231.0	325.5	233,483	304,124
TEXAS....	307.0	395.0	299,939	346,415	1,789.0	2,384.0	1,706,541	2,114,845
UTAH.....	19.0	22.0	21,128	23,122	119.2	140.3	133,539	150,434
VA.....	8.4	15.1	8,702	14,224	58.5	102.4	61,286	97,115
WASH.....	36.0	40.5	39,816	43,456	215.0	237.0	237,819	257,309
W.VA.....	4.2	4.7	4,280	4,432	24.2	28.2	25,277	26,843
WISC.....	91.0	111.0	101,556	114,996	577.5	673.0	659,216	729,585
WYO.....	1.8	2.3	1,800	2,118	9.9	13.9	10,042	13,692
NEW ENG..	6.0	10.8	6,587	11,603	49.7	66.0	54,564	72,060
U. S.....	2,865.9	3,193.1	3,043,509	3,153,256	17,331.6	19,268.2	18,408,585	19,489,274

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2/ NEW ENGLAND INCLUDES MAINE, NEW HAMPSHIRE, VERMONT, MASSACHUSETTS, RHODE ISLAND AND CONNECTICUT. COMMERCIAL SLAUGHTER NOT ESTIMATED IN ALASKA.

COMMERCIAL CALF SLAUGHTER 1/

STATE 2/	JUNE				JANUARY-JUNE			
	NUMBER SLAUGHTERED		TOTAL LIVE WEIGHT		NUMBER SLAUGHTERED		TOTAL LIVE WEIGHT	
	1974	1975	1974	1975	1974	1975	1974	1975
	1,000 HEAD	1,000 HEAD	1,000 POUNDS	1,000 POUNDS	1,000 HEAD	1,000 HEAD	1,000 POUNDS	1,000 POUNDS
ALA.....	.9	5.4	351	2,581	4.2	22.1	1,708	18,019
ARIZ.....	.1	.3	44	150	.5	1.2	237	539
ARK.....	.2	.4	73	174	1.3	3.0	483	1,285
CALIF....	8.4	29.0	3,772	10,875	46.4	138.3	19,471	55,281
COLO.....	---	.1	---	45	---	.2	---	93
DEL.-MD..	.7	1.0	161	242	5.0	6.0	1,190	1,395
FLA.....	7.5	11.3	2,558	4,520	38.2	71.5	13,537	28,929
GA.....	.6	3.5	291	1,302	5.2	17.4	2,347	5,699
HAWAII...	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
IDAHO....	---	.1	---	35	.2	.6	83	215
ILL.....	6.6	9.7	1,393	1,988	41.2	59.4	9,245	12,362
IND.....	.2	.5	30	76	1.5	2.7	203	445
IOWA.....	5.3	29.0	763	4,785	67.3	157.6	11,765	25,867
KANS.....	.1	.3	32	99	.3	2.4	118	872
KY.....	.1	.4	27	94	.8	2.5	211	748
LA.....	13.7	26.5	7,562	12,508	65.1	134.3	35,483	64,577
MICH.....	4.1	8.8	914	1,549	28.2	52.1	6,092	9,320
MINN.....	.5	1.3	99	252	2.6	8.8	530	1,657
MISS.....	4.1	10.2	2,218	4,967	17.1	61.2	9,410	30,575
MO.....	.8	.8	229	194	5.3	5.8	1,567	1,553
MONT.....	---	.1	---	40	---	.3	---	123
NEBR.....	.2	.1	74	31	1.4	1.3	518	536
NEV.....	.1	.1	35	38	.1	.2	35	80
N.J.....	14.0	21.6	4,018	6,545	88.5	116.1	26,940	33,526
N.MEX....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
N.Y.....	40.0	55.0	4,400	6,875	308.5	403.5	34,257	58,025
N.C.....	.2	.6	51	137	1.2	3.0	264	721
N.DAK....	---	---	---	---	---	.1	---	26
OHIO.....	2.1	3.8	437	760	12.6	18.6	2,581	3,609
OKLA.....	.8	2.0	348	936	4.4	10.9	1,934	5,006
OREG.....	.6	2.8	224	1,308	3.2	15.3	1,265	7,208
PA.....	11.6	26.5	1,554	3,180	82.1	145.1	9,691	17,701
S.C.....	6.7	13.1	3,116	5,777	46.1	73.5	22,785	33,876
S.DAK....	---	---	---	---	---	.1	---	40
TENN.....	.1	.8	31	284	.9	14.7	279	5,666
TEXAS....	9.0	54.0	4,401	27,486	57.6	257.0	31,061	133,325
UTAH.....	---	.2	---	79	.2	1.1	84	402
VA.....	5.3	17.7	1,802	6,160	33.7	93.6	11,281	34,354
WASH.....	.4	1.2	130	438	2.8	7.7	906	2,746
W.VA.....	---	.2	---	54	.2	.7	50	185
WISC.....	19.3	31.5	3,088	3,717	129.4	202.0	20,247	26,223
WYO.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
NEW ENG..	10.9	11.9	1,197	1,290	95.6	90.1	10,059	9,635
U. S.....	175.2	381.8	45,423	111,571	1,198.9	2,202.0	287,837	616,444

1/ INCLUDES SLAUGHTER UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION AND OTHER COMMERCIAL SLAUGHTER; EXCLUDES FARM SLAUGHTER.

2/ NEW ENGLAND INCLUDES MAINE, NEW HAMPSHIRE, VERMONT, MASSACHUSETTS, RHODE ISLAND AND CONNECTICUT. COMMERCIAL SLAUGHTER NOT ESTIMATED IN ALASKA.

COMMERCIAL SHEEP AND LAMB SLAUGHTER 1/

STATE 2/	JUNE				JANUARY-JUNE			
	NUMBER SLAUGHTERED		TOTAL LIVE WEIGHT		NUMBER SLAUGHTERED		TOTAL LIVE WEIGHT	
	1974	1975	1974	1975	1974	1975	1974	1975
	1,000 HEAD	1,000 HEAD	1,000 POUNDS	1,000 POUNDS	1,000 HEAD	1,000 HEAD	1,000 POUNDS	1,000 POUNDS
ALA.....	.1	---	10	---	.3	.1	27	7
ARIZ.....	.1	.1	10	9	.9	.9	83	83
ARK.....	---	.2	---	26	.2	.4	19	45
CALIF....	125.0	132.0	12,750	13,992	850.0	775.0	91,711	82,928
COLO.....	72.5	96.0	7,685	10,176	727.5	667.0	84,119	72,307
DEL.-MD..	3.3	3.0	340	309	25.0	18.1	2,501	1,809
FLA.....	---	.1	---	8	.1	.1	8	8
GA.....	---	---	---	---	---	.1	---	10
HAWAII...	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
IDAMO....	.8	.8	88	85	4.2	3.5	454	379
ILL.....	26.5	31.5	2,676	3,118	192.5	185.0	20,695	19,997
IND.....	.7	.8	59	68	3.9	3.7	321	296
IOWA.....	21.4	20.1	2,140	2,070	184.9	103.9	19,673	10,829
KANS.....	.2	.5	28	58	1.5	3.0	159	367
KY.....	20.6	17.7	2,204	1,982	95.7	73.6	10,589	8,309
LA.....	.3	.2	26	18	1.7	1.6	160	151
MICH.....	28.5	28.5	2,878	2,992	185.0	177.0	19,509	18,404
MINN.....	14.1	15.8	1,466	1,691	94.2	83.2	10,293	8,959
MISS.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
MO.....	1.4	1.4	134	134	8.2	8.5	826	849
MONT.....	.1	.1	10	10	.6	.8	62	80
NEBR.....	41.5	18.2	4,233	1,966	329.5	206.7	35,786	22,243
NEV.....	.2	.2	22	22	1.0	.8	114	90
N.J.....	30.0	32.5	2,820	3,282	175.5	199.5	17,585	20,450
N.MEX....	8.3	8.7	896	914	52.3	49.7	5,736	5,339
N.Y.....	4.2	4.0	420	360	36.8	36.0	3,625	3,292
N.C.....	.2	---	18	---	.4	.2	38	17
N.DAK....	---	.1	---	10	.4	.5	50	50
OHIO.....	4.1	4.3	312	430	23.1	22.2	2,119	2,057
OKLA.....	.1	.1	10	10	1.1	.7	109	70
OREG.....	4.4	4.4	462	440	24.2	19.7	2,624	2,041
PA.....	14.0	13.2	1,386	1,280	89.9	79.5	9,093	7,915
S.C.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
S.DAK....	29.0	25.0	3,103	2,550	212.0	154.8	23,377	16,251
TENN.....	.1	.1	13	7	.3	.3	36	25
TEXAS....	109.0	144.0	9,701	12,816	722.5	779.5	72,188	74,205
UTAM.....	22.3	11.2	2,364	1,176	149.5	103.0	16,347	10,868
VA.....	.2	.2	20	19	1.1	1.1	110	108
WASH.....	16.8	20.0	1,781	2,040	96.3	98.9	10,471	10,398
W.VA.....	.1	.1	11	15	.5	.4	95	47
WISC.....	.2	.3	20	29	1.5	1.7	149	163
WYO.....	.2	.2	22	22	1.2	1.0	129	112
NEW ENG..	.5	.5	41	44	5.7	6.2	453	510
U. S.....	601.0	636.1	60,159	64,178	4,301.2	3,867.9	461,323	402,068

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2/ NEW ENGLAND INCLUDES MAINE; NEW HAMPSHIRE, VERMONT, MASSACHUSETTS, RHODE ISLAND AND CONNECTICUT. COMMERCIAL SLAUGHTER NOT ESTIMATED IN ALASKA.

COMMERCIAL HOG SLAUGHTER 1/

STATE 2/	JUNE				JANUARY-JUNE			
	NUMBER SLAUGHTERED		TOTAL LIVE WEIGHT		NUMBER SLAUGHTERED		TOTAL LIVE WEIGHT	
	1974	1975	1974	1975	1974	1975	1974	1975
	1,000 HEAD	1,000 HEAD	1,000 POUNDS	1,000 POUNDS	1,000 HEAD	1,000 HEAD	1,000 POUNDS	1,000 POUNDS
ALA.....	66.0	47.0	15,708	11,186	421.0	329.0	100,892	78,306
ARIZ.....	14.7	13.8	3,322	3,064	90.4	89.3	20,947	19,889
ARK.....	22.7	12.6	5,289	2,772	140.4	86.3	33,133	19,669
CALIF....	119.0	111.0	27,846	26,529	731.0	742.0	172,150	176,289
COLO.....	49.0	54.0	11,466	12,690	268.5	323.5	62,381	75,332
DEL.-MD..	39.7	34.9	9,014	7,957	254.3	227.9	57,569	51,621
FLA.....	27.5	20.9	5,362	4,076	182.0	140.2	34,392	27,203
GA.....	123.0	110.0	27,675	24,530	870.0	796.0	199,833	178,953
HAWAII...	4.0	4.0	760	700	23.6	24.0	4,350	4,378
IDAMO....	9.6	7.3	2,218	1,694	55.3	48.2	12,813	10,938
ILL.....	416.0	363.0	111,488	94,380	2,769.0	2,376.0	719,301	600,244
IND.....	262.0	228.0	68,906	57,000	1,815.0	1,505.0	467,852	370,436
IOWA.....	1,505.0	1,191.0	380,765	291,795	9,989.0	8,254.0	2,472,371	1,968,398
KANS.....	169.0	112.0	40,560	26,768	1,126.0	878.0	274,979	208,645
KY.....	118.0	116.0	29,736	27,260	848.0	752.0	218,060	181,684
LA.....	13.9	15.7	3,128	3,611	87.2	99.2	20,187	22,878
MICH.....	347.0	326.0	82,933	80,848	1,884.0	2,065.0	446,066	493,394
MINN.....	425.0	339.0	108,375	84,750	3,041.0	2,273.0	747,707	546,330
MISS.....	110.0	83.5	24,970	18,370	682.0	562.5	155,226	125,308
MO.....	189.0	175.0	47,628	45,675	1,316.0	1,245.0	345,594	318,835
MONT.....	64.5	25.5	15,158	5,942	321.5	154.4	75,647	35,934
NEBR.....	227.0	227.0	57,885	53,799	1,445.0	1,468.0	359,527	345,440
NEV.....	.3	.3	72	69	1.9	1.7	454	391
N.J.....	66.0	76.5	13,992	16,600	324.5	401.0	72,371	87,762
N.MEX....	11.0	14.6	2,607	3,373	63.5	89.5	15,095	20,600
N.Y.....	33.5	23.2	7,772	5,313	260.0	177.3	60,642	40,573
N.C.....	151.0	136.0	34,126	30,192	959.0	861.0	219,504	192,770
N.DAK....	2.6	1.6	624	355	16.9	10.6	3,931	2,395
OHIO.....	302.0	253.0	71,272	60,467	1,858.0	1,886.0	433,191	441,546
OKLA.....	40.0	50.5	10,800	13,080	303.5	312.5	81,624	80,703
OREG.....	14.0	14.5	3,430	3,408	93.8	90.6	22,683	21,040
PA.....	215.0	193.0	49,665	43,618	1,471.0	1,378.0	339,174	313,453
S.C.....	30.0	28.5	7,110	6,840	189.0	179.0	45,512	42,039
S.DAK....	194.0	131.0	50,440	33,798	1,264.0	1,050.0	318,486	253,078
TENN.....	224.0	238.0	58,912	59,024	1,482.0	1,512.0	379,226	382,191
TEXAS....	112.0	83.5	28,560	21,042	715.0	616.0	181,292	151,988
UTAM.....	6.6	6.1	1,419	1,305	39.2	39.1	8,354	8,322
VA.....	232.0	207.0	52,896	46,989	1,604.0	1,522.0	366,336	342,633
WASH.....	59.0	51.0	13,865	12,036	346.5	350.5	81,910	81,403
W.VA.....	3.0	3.0	939	780	20.0	20.1	6,302	5,373
WISC.....	247.0	253.0	61,997	62,238	1,768.0	1,601.0	440,224	386,234
WYO.....	1.3	1.0	303	233	8.1	6.1	1,879	1,426
NEW ENG..	2.5	3.4	636	881	15.8	22.9	4,195	5,781
U. S.....	6,268.4	5,385.9	1,551,629	1,307,037	41,163.9	36,565.4	10,083,362	8,721,805

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LIVESTOCK SLAUGHTER, AVERAGE LIVE WEIGHT PER HEAD,
JUNE 1974 AND 1975 1/

STATE 2/	CATTLE		CALVES		HOGS		SHEEP AND LAMBS	
	1974	1975	1974	1975	1974	1975	1974	1975
	POUNDS	POUNDS	POUNDS	POUNDS	POUNDS	POUNDS	POUNDS	POUNDS
ALA.....	900	742	390	478	238	238	100	---
ARIZ.....	1,013	977	443	500	226	222	100	93
ARK.....	880	830	367	436	233	220	---	132
CALIF.....	1,056	1,030	449	975	234	239	102	106
COLO.....	1,103	1,053	---	450	234	235	106	106
DEL.-MD..	1,083	1,011	230	242	227	228	103	103
FLA.....	961	903	341	400	195	195	---	75
GA.....	878	755	485	372	225	223	---	---
HAWAII..	961	940	---	---	190	175	---	---
IDAMO.....	1,099	1,080	---	354	231	232	110	106
ILL.....	1,005	985	211	205	268	260	101	99
IND.....	1,007	945	148	153	263	250	84	85
IOWA.....	1,093	1,027	144	165	253	245	100	103
KANS.....	1,085	1,017	320	330	240	239	139	115
KY.....	916	888	270	234	252	235	107	112
LA.....	938	838	552	472	225	230	87	88
MICH.....	1,106	1,059	223	176	239	248	101	105
MINN.....	1,134	1,052	198	194	255	250	104	107
MISS.....	867	818	541	487	227	220	---	---
MO.....	1,060	994	286	242	252	261	96	96
MONT.....	1,041	1,002	---	400	235	233	102	103
NEBR.....	1,115	1,032	372	312	255	237	102	108
NEV.....	1,032	1,007	350	375	240	230	110	110
N.J.....	1,227	1,186	287	303	212	217	94	101
N.MEX....	962	903	---	---	237	231	108	105
N.Y.....	1,093	1,066	110	125	232	229	100	90
N.C.....	937	880	253	228	226	222	89	---
N.DAK....	1,132	1,075	---	---	240	222	---	100
OHIO.....	1,032	1,024	208	200	236	239	76	100
OKLA.....	963	919	435	468	270	259	99	100
OREG.....	1,032	987	374	467	245	235	105	100
PA.....	1,143	1,019	134	120	231	226	99	97
S.C.....	827	703	465	441	237	240	---	---
S.DAK....	1,096	1,072	---	---	260	258	107	102
TENN.....	988	897	310	355	263	248	133	70
TEXAS....	977	877	489	509	255	252	89	89
UTAM.....	1,112	1,051	---	396	215	214	106	105
VA.....	1,036	942	340	348	228	227	101	95
WASH.....	1,106	1,073	325	365	235	236	106	102
W.VA.....	1,019	943	---	272	313	260	114	150
WISC.....	1,116	1,036	160	118	251	246	100	97
WYO.....	1,000	921	---	---	233	233	112	112
NEW ENG..	1,098	1,074	110	108	254	259	82	88
U. S.....	1,062	988	259	292	248	243	100	101

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CLASSIFICATION OF LIVESTOCK SLAUGHTERED UNDER
FEDERAL INSPECTION 48 STATES, JUNE 1975 WITH COMPARISONS

SPECIES	JUN	MAY	JUN	JAN-JUN		JUN	MAY	JUN	JAN-JUN	
	1974	1975	1975	1974	1975	1974	1975	1975	1974	1975
	1,000 HEAD					PERCENT OF TOTAL				
CLASSIFICATION: 1/										
CATTLE										
STEERS	1,566	1,364	1,304	8,993	8,495	59.8	47.8	45.0	57.0	48.8
HEIFERS	611	684	714	3,665	4,271	23.3	24.0	24.6	23.2	24.6
COWS	386	719	787	2,803	4,192	14.7	25.2	27.2	17.8	24.1
BULLS & STAGS	58	84	92	314	435	2.2	3.0	3.2	2.0	2.5
TOTAL	2,621	2,851	2,897	15,775	17,393	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
CANNERS & CUTTERS										
CUTTERS 2/	186	354	348	1,428	2,051	7.1	12.4	12.0	9.1	11.8
HOGS										
SOWS	382	258	311	2,115	1,723	6.5	4.8	6.1	5.4	5.0
BARROWS & GILTS	5,454	5,065	4,717	36,332	32,426	92.5	94.2	92.9	93.7	94.1
STAGS & BOARS	58	53	49	347	306	1.0	1.0	1.0	.9	.9
TOTAL	5,894	5,376	5,077	38,794	34,455	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
SHEEP AND LAMBS										
LAMBS & YEARLINGS	540	561	556	3,925	3,525	93.0	91.3	90.7	94.2	94.4
SHEEP	41	54	57	241	210	7.0	8.7	9.3	5.8	5.6
TOTAL	581	615	613	4,166	3,735	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
AVERAGE DRESSED										
WEIGHT: 3/										
CATTLE										
STEERS 4/	651	596	587	648	602					
HEIFERS 4/	709	672	665							
COWS 4/	593	564	558							
BULLS & STAGS 4/	499	473	473							
CALVES & VEALERS	701	673	696							
HOGS	123	127	132	117	125					
SHEEP & LAMBS	194	185	186	192	185					
	49	50	49	53	51					

1/ SPECIES TOTALS AND CATTLE CLASSES OF STEERS, HEIFERS, COWS, AND BULLS REPORTED BY MEAT INSPECTORS, FOD, APHIS. CANNERS AND CUTTERS AND CLASSIFICATION OF HOGS AND SHEEP BASED ON PACKER REPORTS. 2/ INCLUDED IN CATTLE CLASSIFICATION. 3/ BASED ON PACKER REPORTS. 4/ INCLUDED IN CATTLE AVERAGE DRESSED WEIGHT.

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