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COMMERCIAL RED MEAT PRODUCTION for the United States in May 1981 totaled 3.07 billion pounds (1.39 million metric tons), down 7 percent from May 1980, according to the Crop Reporting Board. January-May red meat production, at 16.2 billion pounds (7.34 million metric tons), was virtually unchanged from last year. The January-May 1981 accumulated production changes from January-May 1980 by individual components were: beef, up 4 percent; veal, up 8 percent; pork, down 5 percent; lamb and mutton, up 1 percent. Commercial red meat production includes slaughter in federally inspected and other plants, but excludes animals slaughtered on farms.

Kill days for May included 21 weekdays (one a holiday) and 5 Saturdays, compared with 22 weekdays (one a holiday) and 5 Saturdays for May 1980.

## COMPARING MAY 1981 WITH MAY 1980:

BEEF PRODUCTION at 1.76 billion pounds (799 thousand metric tons) was down 1 percent. Head kill at 2.75 million was down 1 percent, while average live weight increased 3 pounds to 1080.

VEAL PRODUCTION at 30 million pounds (13.6 thousand metric tons) was up 3 percent. Calf slaughter at 182 thousand head was down 1 percent, while average live weight increased 10 pounds to 174.

PORK PRODUCTION totaled 1.25 billion pounds (569 thousand metric tons), down 15 percent. The 7.30 million head killed was down 14 percent, and the average live weight was unchanged at 243 pounds. Preliminary lard production was 95 million pounds (43.1 thousand metric tons), down 11 percent.

LAMB AND MUTTON PRODUCTION decreased 11 percent to 24 million pounds (10.9 thousand metric tons). Head kill at 442 thousand was down 6 percent, and average live weight declined 5 pounds to 109.

COMMERCIAL RED MEAT AND LARD PRODUCTION: UNITED STATES 1/

K I N D	MAY 1981 AS % OF						JAN - MAY 2/	
	MAY : 1980	APR : 1981	MAY : 1981	MAY : 1980	APR : 1981	PERCENT	MILLION POUNDS	PERCENT
	MILLION POUNDS		PERCENT		MILLION POUNDS		PERCENT	
BEEF	1,784	1,811	1,761	99	97	8,775	9,125	104
VEAL	29	32	30	103	94	150	162	108
PORK	1,471	1,424	1,254	85	88	7,113	6,751	95
LAMB & MUTTON	27	29	24	89	83	135	137	101
TOTAL RED MEAT	3,310	3,296	3,069	93	93	16,172	16,175	100
LARD 3/	107	104	95	89	91	516	489	95

1/ BASED ON PACKERS DRESS WEIGHTS AND EXCLUDES FARM SLAUGHTER. 2/ACCUMULATED TOTALS BASED ON UNROUNDED DATA. 3/PRELIMINARY LARD PRODUCTION INCLUDES RENDERED PORK FAT.

LIVESTOCK SLAUGHTER: NUMBER AND AVERAGE WEIGHTS, UNITED STATES 1/

SPECIES	UNIT	MAY 81 AS % OF						JAN - MAY 2/	
		MAY : 1980	APR : 1981	MAY : 1981	MAY : 1980	APR : 1981	PERCENT	MILLION POUNDS	PERCENT
		MILLION POUNDS		PERCENT		MILLION POUNDS		PERCENT	
CATTLE	NUMBER								
FED. INSP.	:THOU:	2,616.4	2,625.4	2,592.9	99	99	12,783.3	13,229.8	103
OTHER	:THOU:	163.6	181.6	158.2	97	87	856.9	904.5	106
COMMERCIAL 3/	:THOU:	2,780.0	2,807.0	2,751.1	99	98	13,640.3	14,134.3	104
LIVE WEIGHT/HD:									
FED. INSP.	:LBS :	1,084	1,097	1,087	100	99	1,091	1,098	101
OTHER	:LBS :	956	964	956	100	99	961	958	100
COMMERCIAL	:LBS :	1,077	1,088	1,080	100	99	1,083	1,089	101
CALVES	NUMBER								
FED. INSP.	:THOU:	161.2	189.6	158.5	98	84	945.8	965.6	102
OTHER	:THOU:	22.6	22.7	23.4	104	103	103.9	114.7	110
COMMERCIAL 3/	:THOU:	183.7	212.3	181.9	99	86	1,049.7	1,080.4	103
LIVE WEIGHT/HD:									
FED. INSP.	:LBS :	230	223	242	105	109	210	223	106
OTHER	:LBS :	508	492	495	97	101	498	489	98
COMMERCIAL	:LBS :	264	252	274	104	109	238	251	105
HOGS	NUMBER								
FED. INSP.	:THOU:	8,166.8	7,992.9	7,003.6	86	88	39,793.8	37,625.8	95
OTHER	:THOU:	368.8	331.0	294.7	80	89	1,864.1	1,653.2	89
COMMERCIAL 3/	:THOU:	8,535.7	8,323.9	7,298.3	86	88	41,657.8	39,279.0	94
LIVE WEIGHT/HD:									
FED. INSP.	:LBS :	244	242	243	100	100	241	243	101
OTHER	:LBS :	233	230	227	97	99	233	232	100
COMMERCIAL	:LBS :	243	241	243	100	101	241	242	100
SHEEP AND LAMBS:	NUMBER								
FED. INSP.	:THOU:	454.1	512.3	425.3	94	83	2,257.0	2,340.6	104
OTHER	:THOU:	15.1	24.3	16.3	108	67	77.3	87.2	113
COMMERCIAL 3/	:THOU:	469.2	536.6	441.6	94	82	2,334.3	2,427.8	104
LIVE WEIGHT/HD:									
FED. INSP.	:LBS :	114	110	109	96	99	116	113	97
OTHER	:LBS :	100	96	100	100	104	101	100	99
COMMERCIAL	:LBS :	114	109	109	96	100	115	113	98

1/ EXCLUDES SLAUGHTER ON FARMS.  
2/ ACCUMULATED TOTALS AND PERCENTAGES BASED ON UNROUNDED DATA.  
3/ TOTALS MAY NOT EQUAL SUM OF THE PARTS DUE TO ROUNDING

FEDERALLY INSPECTED RED MEAT PRODUCTION: UNITED STATES 1/

K I N D	MAY 1981 AS % OF				JAN - MAY 2/			
	MAY 1980	APR 1981	MAY 1981	MAY 1980	APR 1981	MAY 1980	APR 1981	MAY 1980
	MILLION POUNDS		PERCENT		MILLION POUNDS		PERCENT	
BEEF	1,692	1,709	1,674	99	98	8,297	8,625	104
VEAL	23	26	23	100	88	120	130	108
PORK	1,411	1,371	1,207	86	88	6,808	6,482	95
LAMB & MUTTON	26	28	23	88	82	131	133	102
TOTAL RED MEAT	3,151	3,134	2,927	93	93	15,356	15,370	100

1/ BASED ON PACKERS DRESS WEIGHTS AND EXCLUDES FARM SLAUGHTER.  
2/ ACCUMULATED TOTALS BASED ON UNROUNDED DATA.

COMMERCIAL RED MEAT PRODUCTION BY STATE AND U.S. 1/

STATE	MAY 81 AS % OF				JAN - MAY 3/			
	MAY 1980	APR 1981	MAY 1981	MAY 1980	APR 1981	MAY 1980	APR 1981	MAY 1980
	THOUSAND POUNDS		PERCENT		THOUSAND POUNDS		PERCENT	
ALA	23,490	23,861	24,595	105	103	107,206	111,091	104
ARIZ	17,297	26,405	27,855	161	105	88,673	129,690	146
ARK	8,722	11,322	10,414	119	92	46,458	52,303	113
CALIF	141,001	127,502	124,301	88	97	701,897	631,020	90
COLO	114,682	95,545	85,173	74	89	526,816	473,839	90
DEL-MD	10,152	10,963	9,368	92	85	51,686	51,977	101
FLA	17,173	16,689	16,942	99	102	87,592	87,031	99
GA	35,067	34,910	34,583	99	99	199,002	183,101	92
HAW	3,089	2,815	2,501	81	89	15,244	13,365	88
IDAMD	44,224	43,998	43,117	97	98	217,986	231,019	106
ILL	188,115	161,221	142,874	76	89	938,853	764,130	81
IND	69,728	62,659	55,212	79	88	324,013	300,364	93
IOWA	595,737	595,079	532,992	89	90	2,815,943	2,820,075	100
KANS	177,859	224,899	219,303	123	98	922,079	1,129,514	122
KY	43,794	46,117	37,291	85	81	224,588	218,688	97
LA	10,350	11,237	9,992	97	89	52,306	53,087	101
MICH	100,120	114,694	103,101	103	90	507,668	546,783	108
MINN	133,838	136,983	124,746	93	91	652,056	669,429	103
MISS	38,969	44,049	41,504	107	94	186,217	204,280	110
MO	92,083	88,826	80,597	88	91	417,217	433,072	104
MONT	15,700	13,892	13,725	87	99	74,673	68,869	92
NEBR	394,165	387,719	369,860	94	95	1,861,839	1,963,681	105
NEV	439	364	361	82	99	1,875	1,782	95
N ENG 2/	5,787	5,596	4,921	85	88	33,470	27,218	81
N J	12,033	12,444	11,620	97	93	59,327	61,497	104
N MEX	27,793	8,280	8,186	29	99	144,016	48,252	34
N Y	20,473	22,657	19,675	96	87	108,542	105,131	97
N C	41,626	42,370	35,822	86	85	208,996	202,482	97
N DAK	7,852	7,010	7,991	102	114	19,560	38,675	198
OHIO	102,959	101,221	92,424	90	91	524,828	486,534	93
OKLA	40,515	30,270	29,076	72	96	208,278	170,110	82
OREG	9,620	9,109	8,860	92	97	46,597	43,391	93
PA	83,044	84,450	80,916	97	96	415,869	417,693	100
S C	11,544	12,911	12,811	111	99	56,923	63,856	112
S DAK	82,626	79,769	68,434	83	86	384,668	381,647	99
TENN	56,956	58,830	49,979	88	85	277,318	276,767	100
TEX	316,798	329,407	326,274	103	99	1,617,873	1,673,536	103
UTAH	13,567	13,517	13,071	96	97	61,639	67,846	110
VA	50,559	53,022	47,517	94	90	250,052	256,580	103
WASH	46,639	44,823	45,434	97	101	232,213	235,824	102
W VA	1,878	2,275	1,724	92	76	10,834	11,079	102
WISC	101,458	95,786	92,905	92	97	485,011	465,027	96
WYO	1,007	816	763	76	94	4,431	4,074	92
U.S.	3,310,531	3,296,310	3,068,808	93	93	16,172,329	16,175,408	100

1/ INCLUDES TOTAL BEEF, VEAL, PORK, AND LAMB AND MUTTON.  
2/ NEW ENGLAND INCLUDES CONNECTICUT, MAINE, MASSACHUSETTS, NEW HAMPSHIRE, RHODE ISLAND, AND VERMONT. 3/ ACCUMULATED TOTALS BASED ON UNROUNDED DATA

COMMERCIAL CATTLE SLAUGHTER 1/

STATE	MAY				JANUARY-MAY 3/			
	NUMBER SLAUGHTERED		TOTAL LIVE WEIGHT		NUMBER SLAUGHTERED		TOTAL LIVE WEIGHT	
	1980	1981	1980	1981	1980	1981	1980	1981
	1,000 HEAD	1,000 POUNDS	1,000 HEAD	1,000 POUND				
ALA	19.0	21.2	18,916	21,038	80.0	86.7	77,879	86,414
ARIZ	22.4	38.5	22,983	39,977	113.7	175.7	117,604	181,861
ARK	7.7	11.0	6,717	9,961	45.9	52.8	40,617	47,590
CALIF	169.1	146.8	182,901	160,384	838.7	734.2	911,706	815,435
COLO	155.4	114.7	164,530	119,173	699.0	621.7	747,964	654,688
DEL-MD	5.1	4.6	5,500	5,138	28.1	27.2	30,084	30,241
FLA	25.5	25.5	25,147	25,527	128.5	127.7	129,352	128,376
GA	15.3	16.7	13,639	15,092	86.4	87.3	78,524	78,689
HAW	4.7	3.7	4,496	3,479	22.9	20.5	22,283	19,395
IDAHO	64.9	63.5	71,719	70,233	321.8	338.2	352,237	380,641
ILL	95.3	82.7	101,568	87,382	531.4	449.8	571,396	479,822
IND	30.9	24.7	31,721	24,590	144.6	130.0	149,177	132,484
IOWA	261.8	265.9	291,789	297,004	1,247.4	1,339.3	1,393,514	1,500,834
KANS	230.2	296.8	249,186	322,477	1,195.0	1,492.2	1,305,995	1,645,607
KY	15.0	11.8	14,661	11,255	72.1	73.6	71,611	71,524
LA	10.8	12.1	9,222	10,179	53.3	64.0	46,562	54,178
MICH	38.7	37.7	45,361	45,344	195.5	201.8	233,277	245,568
MINN	74.3	77.5	82,934	88,635	370.9	416.2	412,798	479,108
MISS	14.2	17.0	12,996	15,700	65.7	77.9	60,583	72,235
MO	58.1	59.5	62,461	64,362	258.6	312.8	277,981	340,124
MONT	11.9	10.9	13,155	12,218	59.7	53.6	67,541	59,271
NEBR	493.2	471.0	546,326	524,797	2,318.0	2,442.2	2,583,992	2,745,837
NEV	.5	.4	517	459	2.6	2.5	2,654	2,625
N ENG 2/	7.5	5.9	8,447	6,851	43.4	32.2	47,988	36,787
N J	9.9	10.6	12,754	13,469	48.9	53.9	63,434	69,325
N MEX	44.6	12.6	44,230	12,304	227.3	76.5	227,816	75,127
N Y	18.2	20.9	20,925	24,332	100.0	105.6	114,093	122,660
N C	5.9	7.0	5,905	6,772	32.3	38.2	32,021	36,575
N DAK	12.9	12.9	14,135	13,998	30.7	61.6	34,144	66,540
OHIO	44.9	45.5	47,903	48,584	249.3	243.2	270,440	261,235
OKLA	35.1	29.9	34,832	29,629	183.4	176.6	183,193	178,307
OREG	11.3	9.5	12,511	10,833	54.3	47.7	61,563	53,437
PA	58.2	58.7	66,662	66,405	282.3	298.2	327,606	344,295
S C	6.4	9.9	6,127	9,573	33.2	45.1	31,555	45,083
S DAK	47.4	45.3	51,413	50,123	222.1	233.4	242,610	259,042
TENN	19.7	20.2	18,314	18,588	93.9	111.0	90,983	105,395
TEX	457.2	483.0	466,463	489,698	2,306.6	2,429.9	2,371,500	2,490,484
UTAH	16.9	15.7	18,714	17,760	76.3	83.7	84,860	93,020
VA	7.2	8.8	7,372	9,049	36.5	50.3	37,632	52,204
WASH	52.2	52.0	59,294	60,049	262.1	273.3	295,994	313,098
W VA	2.1	2.1	2,195	2,144	12.4	12.5	12,840	12,790
WISC	97.1	85.3	114,752	104,978	460.6	427.8	549,956	523,212
WYO	1.2	1.0	1,323	1,093	5.4	5.4	5,841	5,742
U S	2,780.0	2,751.1	2,992,718	2,970,634	13,640.3	14,134.3	14,771,400	15,396,905

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.

3/ ACCUMULATED TOTALS BASED ON UNROUNDED DATA.

COMMERCIAL CALF SLAUGHTER 1/

STATE	MAY				JANUARY-MAY 3/			
	NUMBER SLAUGHTERED		TOTAL LIVE WEIGHT		NUMBER SLAUGHTERED		TOTAL LIVE WEIGHT	
	1980	1981	1980	1981	1980	1981	1980	1981
	1,000 HEAD		1,000 POUNDS		1,000 HEAD		1,000 POUND	
ALA	.2	.3	107	153	1.3	1.9	555	803
ARIZ	.1	.1	23	7	.8	.5	165	64
ARK	.5	.3	201	120	2.0	1.8	833	712
CALIF	17.3	13.6	3,715	3,489	99.2	84.3	20,703	18,801
COLO					.1	.1	20	27
DEL-MD	1.8	2.8	561	929	9.3	11.1	2,927	3,734
FLA	6.5	6.2	2,347	2,301	34.9	39.2	12,449	13,798
GA	.3	2.2	110	693	2.2	7.9	768	2,571
HAW								
IDAHO					.1	.1	44	42
ILL	10.8	12.3	3,024	3,235	59.3	73.7	15,525	19,276
IND	4.8	5.6	1,632	1,895	23.1	30.9	7,576	10,786
IOWA					.9		227	
KANS					.1	.1	46	47
KY		.1		14	.3	.3	103	93
LA	7.5	6.2	3,728	2,821	38.9	30.1	18,204	13,651
MICH	6.2	6.7	1,607	1,822	33.2	34.2	8,332	9,180
MINN	.4	.5	88	89	2.4	2.3	486	460
MISS	1.2	1.6	690	945	5.4	7.2	3,097	4,167
MO	.8	.7	380	260	3.8	3.4	1,607	1,139
MONT					.1	.1	38	28
NEBR					.2		56	
NEV								
N ENG 2/	10.8	10.6	1,185	1,198	70.4	69.0	8,148	7,632
N J	7.5	6.3	2,444	2,139	36.0	36.1	11,430	12,449
N MEX								
N Y	36.3	39.8	5,712	6,298	241.9	254.3	35,245	37,960
N C	.2	.3	49	89	.7	1.4	220	433
N DAK	.1		28		.2	.1	69	63
OHIO	.4	.4	69	74	2.2	2.0	400	392
OKLA	.6	.6	316	312	3.0	3.2	1,474	1,501
OREG	.7	.4	320	130	2.0	2.3	913	915
PA	14.4	14.6	2,451	2,608	102.4	96.0	15,699	15,260
S C	3.5	2.1	1,579	888	17.2	10.7	7,608	4,655
S DAK					.1	.2	33	61
TENN	1.1	1.3	271	353	6.9	7.4	1,381	1,843
TEX	13.8	18.4	7,359	9,703	65.2	87.4	34,205	45,548
UTAH					.1	.1	28	24
VA	1.0	1.6	327	636	4.0	8.7	1,445	3,532
WASH	2.1	1.4	330	302	12.4	9.9	1,688	1,854
W VA					.2	.1	51	34
WISC	32.8	25.1	7,778	6,323	167.2	162.1	36,448	37,872
WYO					.1		15	
U S	183.7	181.9	48,467	49,880	1,049.7	1,080.4	250,270	271,421

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

3/ ACCUMULATED TOTALS BASED ON UNROUNDED DATA.

COMMERCIAL HOG SLAUGHTER 1/

STATE	MAY				JANUARY-MAY 3/			
	NUMBER SLAUGHTERED		TOTAL LIVE WEIGHT		NUMBER SLAUGHTERED		TOTAL LIVE WEIGHT	
	1980	1981	1980	1981	1980	1981	1980	1981
	1,000 HEAD		1,000 POUNDS		1,000 HEAD		1,000 POUND	
ALA	68.0	66.9	18,464	18,026	336.0	328.6	92,112	90,224
ARIZ	20.3	18.4	4,521	4,070	107.0	104.6	24,027	23,310
ARK	26.8	24.5	6,846	7,012	128.2	129.8	32,154	36,723
CALIF	158.6	154.8	36,899	35,960	769.5	769.7	176,373	179,216
COLO	48.1	46.3	11,375	10,809	236.4	245.1	55,677	57,408
DEL-MD	39.7	34.8	9,008	7,890	196.0	192.4	44,301	43,195
FLA	13.2	14.7	3,077	3,175	64.7	71.0	14,365	16,072
GA	175.9	164.1	39,670	37,001	1,002.6	863.5	225,219	195,452
HAW	3.7	3.5	701	690	17.0	16.6	3,209	3,122
IDAHO	10.0	8.6	2,370	1,981	49.1	43.9	11,592	10,329
ILL	684.4	466.8	173,662	121,632	3,267.9	2,470.5	810,028	638,830
IND	283.6	229.9	68,678	55,783	1,333.0	1,258.1	321,292	303,972
IOWA	2,326.8	1,979.8	583,036	492,531	11,098.4	10,783.3	2,739,322	2,660,158
KANS	131.3	105.6	31,703	25,839	635.8	593.7	155,405	146,255
KY	200.7	174.0	50,414	43,722	1,048.8	998.0	263,704	253,004
LA	16.3	13.1	3,712	2,997	85.9	75.3	19,600	17,477
MICH	441.1	457.6	105,090	109,419	2,245.3	2,439.5	534,407	580,647
MINN	492.3	429.5	116,860	101,938	2,393.7	2,285.0	560,959	541,797
MISS	194.6	199.4	45,902	46,966	942.3	1,002.2	222,264	235,454
MO	299.7	238.8	76,075	60,034	1,397.8	1,292.2	351,025	323,887
MONT	49.0	42.3	11,928	9,909	228.4	214.8	54,995	50,839
NEBR	394.8	335.8	92,348	77,929	1,924.8	1,859.6	446,870	434,180
NEV	.8	.6	167	120	2.6	2.1	564	455
N ENG 2/	4.7	4.7	1,190	1,142	24.7	26.1	6,025	6,464
N J	21.1	18.3	4,657	3,747	104.3	96.0	23,180	20,901
N MEX	4.2	3.5	942	786	18.6	16.3	4,307	3,692
N Y	34.8	20.5	8,159	4,774	166.8	119.8	38,143	27,492
N C	239.6	199.9	53,705	45,421	1,193.3	1,135.0	267,705	257,746
N DAK	4.4	3.9	1,025	909	19.0	21.8	4,492	5,107
OHIO	459.5	387.0	106,248	90,135	2,277.0	2,009.9	528,030	469,798
OKLA	105.3	66.5	26,749	17,460	532.9	349.0	133,654	90,894
OREG	15.9	16.6	3,519	3,835	82.6	81.1	18,136	18,245
PA	284.0	266.6	63,653	60,635	1,450.7	1,376.0	323,898	312,986
S C	44.3	43.8	10,479	10,585	217.5	226.4	51,525	54,559
S DAK	293.8	219.9	72,260	53,799	1,384.4	1,294.9	333,020	315,170
TENN	258.7	218.8	66,530	56,380	1,275.6	1,201.9	326,406	310,907
TEX	128.8	106.0	33,239	26,610	644.6	601.1	166,192	154,574
UTAH	14.0	13.8	3,313	3,269	65.9	70.2	15,565	16,662
VA	280.3	259.7	64,823	59,156	1,380.4	1,385.5	321,180	318,530
WASH	57.5	45.3	13,348	10,710	282.2	233.4	65,717	54,721
W VA	3.0	2.4	1,082	869	17.3	14.9	6,145	5,362
WISC	200.5	190.1	47,648	46,421	1,002.2	975.0	236,605	234,128
WYO	1.6	.9	395	227	6.9	5.1	1,703	1,271
U S	8,535.7	7,298.3	2,075,469	1,772,303	41,657.8	39,279.0	10,031,092	9,521,214

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3/ ACCUMULATED TOTALS BASED ON UNROUNDED DATA.

COMMERCIAL SHEEP AND LAMB SLAUGHTER 1/

STATE	MAY				JANUARY-MAY 3/			
	NUMBER SLAUGHTERED		TOTAL LIVE WEIGHT		NUMBER SLAUGHTERED		TOTAL LIVE WEIGHT	
	1980	1981	1980	1981	1980	1981	1980	1981
	1,000 HEAD		1,000 POUNDS		1,000 HEAD		1,000 POUND	
ALA					.1		10	
ARIZ	.2	.2	20	18	1.0	1.2	103	123
ARK		.1		5	.2	.4	19	34
CALIF	112.1	85.0	12,347	9,395	470.2	427.6	53,474	48,817
COLO	77.3	68.8	9,218	7,418	429.9	474.7	51,861	54,112
DEL-MD	2.5	3.2	251	326	14.8	16.9	1,587	1,756
FLA					.3	.1	17	8
GA					.1	.1	9	8
HAW								
IDAHO	.4	.5	41	53	1.5	2.3	169	249
ILL	21.6	28.8	2,430	3,336	115.2	155.3	12,869	17,728
IND	.6	.6	49	60	2.2	2.7	190	256
IOWA	.1	.4	8	36	.4	1.5	37	154
KANS	.3	.3	34	35	1.4	1.7	160	192
KY	.7	.7	74	77	3.2	3.4	347	377
LA	.4	.4	35	35	1.9	2.1	186	205
MICH	22.4	21.5	2,421	2,391	111.6	111.9	12,510	12,661
MINN	36.9	33.4	4,326	3,914	202.3	207.7	23,744	24,469
MISS								
MO	1.4	1.3	165	132	6.5	7.6	755	794
MONT	.1	.2	12	21	.6	1.0	60	109
NEBR	.1	.2	11	23	.6	1.1	64	118
NEV	.4	.4	43	40	.8	.8	90	82
N ENG 2/	.7	.7	64	69	6.0	6.1	522	520
N J	1.1	1.3	96	133	9.7	9.8	742	779
N MEX	7.4	10.5	905	1,212	39.1	39.2	4,692	4,533
N Y	2.2	3.1	245	314	23.0	27.4	2,124	2,566
N C					.1	.2	13	13
N OAK	.1		6		.3	.4	36	40
OHIO	1.2	1.3	120	126	6.7	7.9	624	735
OKLA	.1	.3	17	36	1.1	2.2	122	246
OREG	2.2	2.0	255	226	10.4	10.6	1,174	1,197
PA	10.2	10.3	1,003	1,043	60.7	72.5	6,317	7,622
S C								
S DAK	35.4	31.0	4,104	3,405	177.2	171.5	20,789	19,770
TENN	.1	.3	8	26	.5	1.0	42	83
TEX	106.9	108.4	12,288	11,089	516.7	519.0	59,381	57,130
UTAH	1.9	1.7	223	188	9.8	9.2	1,189	1,059
VA	.4	.4	39	42	1.3	1.9	130	195
WASH	21.2	23.6	2,567	2,691	104.9	126.1	12,671	14,907
W VA					.1	.2	16	16
WISC	.2	.4	26	41	1.4	2.1	143	207
WYO	.1	.1	15	15	.7	.7	80	87
U S	469.2	441.6	53,488	47,988	2,334.3	2,427.8	269,070	273,965

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3/ ACCUMULATED TOTALS BASED ON UNROUNDED DATA.

LIVESTOCK SLAUGHTER, AVERAGE LIVE WEIGHT PER HEAD,  
MAY 1980 AND 1981 1/

STATE	CATTLE		CALVES		HOGS		SHEEP AND LAMBS	
	1980	1981	1980	1981	1980	1981	1980	1981
	POUNDS		POUNDS		POUNDS		POUNDS	
ALA	998	990	431	450	272	269		
ARIZ	1,024	1,038	250	113	223	222	110	111
ARK	878	903	423	412	255	286		86
CALIF	1,082	1,093	215	257	233	232	110	111
COLO	1,059	1,039			236	234	119	108
DEL-MD	1,081	1,128	308	336	227	227	101	101
FLA	987	1,003	364	374	233	216		
GA	890	904	337	311	225	225		
HAW	961	947			192	195		
IDAHO	1,104	1,107			236	231	110	110
ILL	1,066	1,057	279	263	254	261	112	116
IND	1,028	998	343	337	242	243	83	96
IOWA	1,115	1,117			251	249	105	96
KANS	1,082	1,086			241	245	113	113
KY	978	953		263	251	251	109	112
LA	853	839	499	453	228	229	97	90
MICH	1,173	1,203	257	273	238	239	108	111
MINN	1,116	1,143	220	198	237	237	117	117
MISS	913	924			236	236		
MO	1,075	1,081	475	370	254	251	120	101
MONT	1,101	1,116			244	234	114	118
NEBR	1,108	1,114			234	232	96	104
NEV	1,058	1,080			219	217	112	107
N ENG 2/	1,125	1,153	110	114	255	243	98	98
N J	1,285	1,274	328	342	220	205	84	99
N MEX	992	975			225	226	122	116
N Y	1,151	1,165	157	158	235	233	113	103
N C	1,001	972	301	302	224	227		
N DAK	1,092	1,081	476		231	235	110	
OHIO	1,067	1,067	195	194	231	233	98	95
OKLA	992	989	506	490	254	263	115	116
OREG	1,107	1,135	465	345	221	231	115	113
PA	1,145	1,131	170	179	224	227	98	102
S C	959	964	453	431	236	242		
S DAK	1,086	1,107			246	245	116	110
TENN	929	919	246	268	257	258	99	96
TEX	1,020	1,014	532	527	258	251	115	102
UTAH	1,106	1,135			236	237	114	111
VA	1,022	1,033	326	410	231	228	106	102
WASH	1,135	1,156	157	212	232	236	121	114
W VA	1,043	1,025			359	362		
WISC	1,182	1,231	237	252	238	244	106	100
WYO	1,094	1,056			255	241	116	120
U S	1,077	1,080	264	274	243	243	114	109

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FEDERALLY INSPECTED SLAUGHTER AS PERCENT OF TOTAL COMMERCIAL SLAUGHTER  
BY SPECIES, U.S.

SPECIES	MAY		APR		MAY		JAN - MAY	
	1980	1981	1981	1981	1981	1980	1981	
	PERCENT							
CATTLE	94.1		93.5		94.2		93.7	93.6
CALVES	87.7		89.3		87.1		90.1	89.4
HOGS	95.7		96.0		96.0		95.5	95.8
SHEEP	96.8		95.5		96.3		96.7	96.4

CLASSIFICATION OF LIVESTOCK SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, UNITED STATES

ITEM	MAY		APR		MAY		JAN - MAY		JAN - MAY	
	1980	1981	1981	1981	1980	1981	1980	1981	1980	1981
	1,000 HEAD					PERCENT OF TOTAL				
CLASSIFICATION: 2/										
CATTLE										
STEERS	1,392	1,334	1,373	6,844	6,865	53.1	50.8	52.9	53.5	51.9
HEIFERS	740	745	698	3,464	3,664	28.3	28.4	26.9	27.1	27.7
COWS	431	485	461	2,219	2,418	16.5	18.5	17.8	17.4	18.3
BULLS & STAGS	54	62	61	257	283	2.1	2.3	2.4	2.0	2.1
TOTAL 1/	2,616	2,625	2,593	12,783	13,230	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
HOGS										
BARROW & GILTS	7,637	7,540	6,574	37,388	35,400	93.5	94.3	93.9	93.9	94.1
SOWS	435	360	344	1,972	1,794	5.3	4.5	4.9	5.0	4.8
STAGS & BOARS	95	93	85	434	432	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.1	1.1
TOTAL 1/	8,167	7,993	7,004	39,794	37,626	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
SHEEP										
MATURE SHEEP	34	32	41	131	136	7.6	6.2	9.7	5.8	5.8
LAMBS & YRLNGS	420	481	384	2,126	2,204	92.4	93.8	90.3	94.2	94.2
TOTAL 1/	454	512	425	2,257	2,341	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
AVERAGE DRESSED WEIGHT: 3/	-----POUNDS-----									
CATTLE										
STEERS 4/	649	653	648	651	654					
HEIFERS 4/	709	716	711	711	717					
COWS 4/	604	614	607	604	616					
BULLS & STAGS 4/	519	523	514	528	523					
	755	775	763	758	768					
CALVES & VEALERS	142	137	148	129	136					
HOGS										
BARROWS & GLTSS 5/	173	172	173	171	173					
SOWS 5/	166	166	166	165	166					
STAGS & BOARS 5/	292	291	293	290	292					
	201	201	199	207	200					
SHEEP										
MATURE SHEEP 6/	57	55	54	58	57					
LAMBS & YRLNGS 6/	54	57	53	56	55					
	58	55	54	59	57					

1/ TOTALS AND PERCENTAGES BASED ON UNROUNDED DATA. 2/ SPECIES TOTALS AND CLASSIFICATION REPORTED BY MEAT INSPECTORS, FOD, F90S. 3/ BASED ON PACKER REPORTS. 4/ INCLUDED IN CATTLE AVERAGE DRESSED WEIGHT. 5/ INCLUDED IN HOGS AVERAGE DRESSED WEIGHT 6/ INCLUDED IN SHEEP AVERAGE DRESSED WEIGHT.

U.S. FEDERALLY INSPECTED SLAUGHTER BY REGIONS  
MAY 1981

STANDARD :		C A T T L E					: C A L V E S
FEDERAL :							
REGIONS1/ :	TOTAL 2/ :	STEERS :	HEIFERS :	COWS :	BULLS & STAGS:	TOTAL 2/ :	
: T H O U S A N D H E A D							
1 3/ :							
2 :	36.2	12.2	1.0	19.7	3.3	56.5	
3 :	66.7	30.6	6.9	24.6	4.6	18.6	
4 :	106.9	24.0	16.9	58.0	8.0	11.3	
5 :	294.6	132.7	64.6	87.8	9.5	48.9	
6 :	516.8	275.1	149.5	80.2	12.0	7.2	
7 :	1073.0	650.9	318.2	93.0	10.9	.6	
8 :	193.1	54.5	94.4	38.1	6.1	.0	
9 :	183.0	120.9	18.1	40.6	3.4	13.6	
10 :	122.5	71.7	27.9	19.5	3.5	1.8	
U.S. 2/ :	2592.9	1372.7	697.5	461.5	61.2	158.5	

STANDARD :		H O G S				: S H E E P	
FEDERAL :							
REGIONS1/ :	TOTAL 2/ :	:BAR. & GILTS:	SOWS :	STAGS & BOARS :	TOTAL 2/:	MATURE SHEEP:	LAMBS & YRLG
: T H O U S A N D H E A D							
1 3/ :							
2 :	40.9	40.1	.6	.2	4.8	1.2	3.7
3 :	558.5	532.2	14.3	12.1	12.6	1.1	11.5
4 :	975.6	906.4	62.4	6.8	1.0	.4	.5
5 :	2061.3	1918.2	99.0	44.1	77.0	10.1	66.8
6 :	171.4	149.0	20.6	1.8	117.1	15.7	101.4
7 :	2637.3	2491.1	126.5	19.7	1.3	.0	1.3
8 :	320.3	301.1	18.8	.5	100.8	4.7	96.1
9 :	171.6	170.4	1.0	.2	4/		
10 :	66.8	65.6	1.1	.1	110.7	7.9	102.7
U.S. 2/ :	7003.6	6574.1	344.1	85.3	425.3	41.3	384.0

1/ STATES INCLUDED IN REGIONS ARE AS FOLLOWS: 1-ME, NH, VT, MA, CT & RI; 2-NY & NJ; 3-PA, WV, VA & DE-MD; 4-KY, TN, NC, SC, GA, AL, MS & FL; 5-MI, OH, IN, IL, WI & MN; 6-TX, OK, NM, AR & LA; 7-IA, NB, KS & MO; 8-MT, WY, CO, UT, ND & SD; 9-CA, NV, AZ & HA; 10-ID, OR, WA.  
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 4/ REGION 9 AND 10 COMBINED FOR SHEEP TO AVOID DISCLOSING INDIVIDUAL OPERATIONS.

U.S. FEDERALLY INSPECTED SLAUGHTER BY REGIONS  
JAN-MAY, 1981 \*

STANDARD :		C A T T L E					: C A L V E S
FEDERAL :							
REGIONS1/:	TOTAL 2/ :	STEERS :	HEIFERS :	COWS :	BULLS & STAGS:	TOTAL 2/:	
T H O U S A N D H E A D							
1 3/ :							
2 :	184.7	58.6	5.4	108.7	12.0	358.8	
3 :	340.2	142.8	33.1	145.2	19.1	114.3	
4 :	527.7	110.3	80.5	302.3	34.6	62.4	
5 :	1524.0	619.5	353.3	508.5	42.6	296.9	
6 :	2626.5	1479.5	711.9	379.5	55.6	33.0	
7 :	5472.3	3228.8	1709.8	477.7	56.0	3.0	
8 :	1020.6	269.5	538.3	184.4	28.3	.3	
9 :	887.9	578.6	93.7	199.7	15.9	84.8	
10 :	646.1	377.4	138.0	112.1	18.5	12.1	
U.S. 2/ :	13229.8	6865.1	3664.1	2418.0	282.6	965.6	

STANDARD :		H O G S				: S H E E P	
FEDERAL :							
REGIONS1/:	TOTAL 2/ :	BAR. & GILTS:	SOWS :	STAGS & BOARS :	TOTAL 2/:	MATURE SHEEP:	LAMBS & YRLG
T H O U S A N D H E A D							
1 3/ :							
2 :	227.6	222.9	3.6	1.1	41.3	4.4	36.9
3 :	2931.7	2801.1	80.6	50.0	84.5	4.4	80.1
4 :	5236.9	4857.3	344.2	35.5	4.3	1.0	3.3
5 :	10881.8	10172.5	478.0	231.4	438.2	33.8	404.4
6 :	927.7	806.5	111.7	9.5	548.7	50.1	498.6
7 :	14403.2	13627.8	675.7	99.7	7.6	.2	7.4
8 :	1812.8	1721.4	88.3	3.1	652.5	21.1	631.4
9 :	865.0	858.1	5.7	1.3	4/		
10 :	338.9	332.4	6.0	.5	563.4	21.3	542.2
U.S. 2/ :	37625.8	35400.0	1793.9	431.9	2340.6	136.3	2204.4

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