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COMMERCIAL RED MEAT PRODUCTION for the United States during September 1981 totaled 3.24 billion pounds (1.47 million metric tons), up 1 percent from September 1980, according to the Crop Reporting Board. January-September red meat production, at 28.6 billion pounds (13.0 million metric tons), was virtually the same as the corresponding period in 1980. The 1981 accumulated production changes from the 1980 period, by individual components, were: Beef, up 4 percent; veal, up 9 percent; pork, down 5 percent; lamb and mutton, up 5 percent. Commercial red meat production includes slaughter in federally inspected and other plants, but excludes animals slaughtered on farms.

Kill days for September included 22 weekdays (one a holiday) and 4 Saturdays, the same as September 1980.

COMPARING SEPTEMBER 1981 WITH SEPTEMBER 1980:

BEEF PRODUCTION, at 1.89 billion pounds (857 thousand metric tons), was up 3 percent. Head kill, at 3.02 million, was up 3 percent and average live weight increased 2 pounds to 1057.

VEAL PRODUCTION, at 37 million pounds (16.8 thousand metric tons), was up 12 percent. Calf slaughter, at 261 thousand head, was up 15 percent, while average live weight declined 5 pounds to 243.

PORK PRODUCTION totaled 1.29 billion pounds (584 thousand metric tons), down 4 percent. The 7.61 million head killed was down 4 percent, while average live weight increased 1 pound to 240. Preliminary lard production was 97 million pounds, down 1 percent.

LAMB AND MUTTON PRODUCTION, at 30 million pounds (13.6 thousand metric tons), was up 15 percent. Head kill, at 570 thousand, was up 17 percent, while average live weight was unchanged at 107 pounds.

COMMERCIAL RED MEAT AND LARD PRODUCTION: UNITED STATES 1/

K I N D	: SEP 1981 AS % OF :						JAN - SEP 2/		: 1981 AS % OF 1980
	: SEP : 1980	: AUG : 1981	: SEP : 1981	: SEP : 1980	: AUG : 1981	: SEP : 1981	: 1980	: 1981	
	: MILLION POUNDS			PERCENT		MILLION POUNDS		PERCENT	
BEEF	: 1,827	1,825	1,889	103	104	15,884	16,513	104	
VEAL	: 33	33	37	112	112	275	300	109	
PORK	: 1,335	1,158	1,288	96	111	12,180	11,559	95	
LAMB & MUTTON	: 26	25	30	115	120	229	240	105	
TOTAL RED MEAT:	3,221	3,041	3,243	101	107	28,567	28,612	100	
LARD 3/	: 98	86	97	99	113	894	852	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 :	: SEP 81 AS % OF :						JAN - SEP 2/		: 1981 AS % OF 1980
		: SEP : 1980	: AUG : 1981	: SEP : 1981	: SEP : 1980	: AUG : 1981	: SEP : 1981	: 1980	: 1981	
		PERCENT			PERCENT					
CATTLE										
NUMBER										
FED. INSP.	: THOU :	2,739.4	2,767.8	2,840.3	104	103	23,407.1	24,367.0	104	
OTHER	: THOU :	185.9	160.9	177.4	95	110	1,546.4	1,550.6	100	
COMMERCIAL 3/	: THOU :	2,925.4	2,928.7	3,017.7	103	103	24,953.5	25,917.6	104	
LIVE WEIGHT/HD:										
FED. INSP.	: LBS :	1,061	1,057	1,064	100	101	1,060	1,083	100	
OTHER	: LBS :	956	961	952	100	99	960	958	100	
COMMERCIAL	: LBS :	1,055	1,052	1,057	100	100	1,072	1,075	100	
CALVES										
NUMBER										
FED. INSP.	: THOU :	198.0	196.6	227.4	115	116	1,666.3	1,768.0	106	
OTHER	: THOU :	28.9	28.3	33.1	115	117	210.1	225.7	107	
COMMERCIAL 3/	: THOU :	226.9	224.9	260.5	115	116	1,876.4	1,993.7	106	
LIVE WEIGHT/HD:										
FED. INSP.	: LBS :	212	215	206	97	96	214	221	103	
OTHER	: LBS :	489	498	498	102	100	490	494	101	
COMMERCIAL	: LBS :	248	250	243	98	97	245	252	103	
HOGS										
NUMBER										
FED. INSP.	: THOU :	7,600.7	6,580.3	7,319.7	96	111	68,329.0	64,747.4	95	
OTHER	: THOU :	307.6	274.4	292.4	95	107	3,104.5	2,775.3	89	
COMMERCIAL 3/	: THOU :	7,908.4	6,854.7	7,612.1	96	111	71,433.5	67,522.6	95	
LIVE WEIGHT/HD:										
FED. INSP.	: LBS :	239	239	240	100	100	241	242	100	
OTHER	: LBS :	230	232	230	100	99	232	231	100	
COMMERCIAL	: LBS :	239	239	240	100	100	241	242	100	
SHEEP AND LAMBS:										
NUMBER										
FED. INSP.	: THOU :	465.6	467.3	545.9	117	117	3,970.0	4,233.3	107	
OTHER	: THOU :	22.9	23.1	23.8	104	103	157.7	172.9	110	
COMMERCIAL 3/	: THOU :	488.5	490.4	569.7	117	116	4,127.7	4,406.2	107	
LIVE WEIGHT/HD:										
FED. INSP.	: LBS :	107	106	107	100	101	112	110	98	
OTHER	: LBS :	102	97	101	99	104	99	99	100	
COMMERCIAL	: LBS :	107	105	107	100	102	112	110	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	: SEP 1981 AS % OF :						JAN - SEP 2/		: 1981 AS % OF 1980
	SEP	AUG	SEP	SEP	AUG	1980	1981		
	: 1980	: 1981	: 1981	: 1980	: 1981	: 1980	: 1981		
	: MILLION POUNDS			PERCENT		MILLION POUNDS		PERCENT	
BEEF	1,724	1,736	1,792	104	103	15,022	15,657	104	
VEAL	25	25	28	112	112	216	236	109	
PORK	1,285	1,113	1,241	97	112	11,673	11,110	95	
LAMB & MUTTON	24	24	29	121	121	221	232	105	
TOTAL RED MEAT	3,059	2,898	3,089	101	107	27,132	27,235	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	: SEP 81 AS % OF :						JAN - SEP 3/		: 1981 AS % OF 1980
	SEP	AUG	SEP	SEP	AUG	1980	1981		
	: 1980	: 1981	: 1981	: 1980	: 1981	: 1980	: 1981		
	: THOUSAND POUNDS		PERCENT		THOUSAND POUNDS		PERCENT		
ALA	20,529	22,752	23,418	114	103	192,671	205,666	107	
ARIZ	27,917	25,338	21,154	76	83	189,816	235,601	124	
ARK	10,969	11,563	12,242	112	106	87,794	99,757	114	
CALIF	137,494	132,918	135,350	98	102	1,252,669	1,178,259	94	
COLO	111,836	91,572	94,080	84	103	951,493	840,418	88	
DEL-MD	10,171	7,990	9,740	96	122	87,165	87,609	101	
FLA	18,032	19,060	20,407	113	107	158,653	162,278	102	
GA	36,793	34,946	38,243	104	109	339,925	324,341	95	
HAW	2,847	3,124	3,318	117	106	26,980	25,545	95	
IDAHO	46,438	44,162	47,992	103	109	399,140	413,603	104	
ILL	186,412	135,123	152,988	82	113	1,664,451	1,335,204	80	
IND	62,023	54,780	59,148	95	108	572,992	524,705	92	
IOWA	524,230	495,790	518,541	99	105	4,841,285	4,867,921	101	
KANS	190,805	224,149	235,155	123	105	1,626,625	2,030,770	125	
KY	43,504	41,699	44,912	103	102	390,016	384,038	98	
LA	11,917	10,349	10,472	88	101	96,872	93,177	96	
MICH	80,264	97,264	104,978	131	108	795,166	946,077	119	
MINN	128,152	122,359	135,136	105	110	1,147,007	1,166,651	102	
MISS	40,608	41,312	45,071	111	109	335,154	372,443	111	
MO	84,750	84,316	91,801	108	109	741,339	763,217	103	
MONT	15,087	11,104	14,529	96	131	135,478	122,348	90	
NEBR	358,561	347,052	382,396	107	110	3,282,761	3,431,292	105	
NEV	335	283	324	97	114	3,227	2,955	92	
N ENG 2/	6,248	5,201	6,144	98	118	56,924	48,806	86	
N J	10,850	12,853	12,932	119	101	107,717	113,581	105	
N MEX	20,459	7,525	7,763	38	103	234,257	79,120	34	
N Y	21,644	21,507	22,196	103	103	191,223	192,920	101	
N C	40,486	35,081	43,427	107	124	359,644	346,996	97	
N DAK	7,831	7,283	8,606	110	118	51,384	71,188	139	
OHIO	108,969	96,616	105,607	97	109	928,514	872,004	94	
OKLA	40,488	30,931	29,655	73	96	361,245	305,341	85	
OREG	10,320	10,040	10,570	102	105	86,707	84,007	97	
PA	86,551	64,562	69,398	80	107	739,959	697,199	94	
S C	12,049	12,646	13,249	110	105	103,198	115,079	112	
S DAK	76,696	70,934	81,068	106	114	675,508	676,104	100	
TENN	58,549	48,982	55,045	94	112	493,118	483,520	98	
TEX	349,073	358,463	357,287	102	100	2,960,988	3,047,964	103	
UTAH	13,690	12,885	14,223	104	111	112,966	121,811	108	
VA	49,846	43,405	49,109	99	113	445,875	434,305	97	
WASH	55,777	48,200	56,478	101	117	428,779	434,582	101	
W VA	2,509	2,190	2,916	116	133	19,752	20,316	103	
WISC	94,396	91,590	95,151	97	104	878,634	843,044	96	
WYO	1,035	1,120	1,124	109	100	8,325	8,066	97	
U.S.	33,221,140	3,041,011	3,243,422	101	107	28,567,397	28,611,831	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	SEPTEMBER				JANUARY-SEPTEMBER 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	17.9	20.3	16,941	19,834	151.9	171.7	148,032	169,117
ARIZ	37.9	32.6	38,911	33,663	253.2	327.2	260,302	339,621
ARK	14.4	13.8	12,789	12,664	96.7	104.6	85,855	95,749
CALIF	169.8	164.1	184,643	177,362	1,521.3	1,398.3	1,649,950	1,534,424
COLD	151.6	125.9	157,648	128,184	1,279.3	1,123.3	1,355,863	1,161,715
DEL-MD	5.5	5.3	5,671	5,837	48.9	46.5	52,401	51,413
FLA	28.2	32.8	28,045	31,756	237.0	246.7	237,339	244,474
GA	17.1	18.5	15,393	16,625	148.5	157.4	134,446	141,650
HAW	4.3	5.2	4,140	4,954	40.6	39.7	39,390	37,060
IDAHO	69.5	71.6	76,434	78,994	593.2	610.6	649,065	681,576
ILL	115.2	88.4	117,719	90,642	994.6	809.9	1,053,006	848,392
IND	31.7	29.7	31,510	29,651	268.8	240.4	273,831	242,714
IOWA	245.4	267.2	258,633	285,163	2,220.3	2,445.8	2,433,749	2,687,525
KANS	255.5	310.4	272,194	334,359	2,138.5	2,718.7	2,308,958	2,954,913
KY	17.9	17.9	17,107	16,909	136.3	138.0	133,806	132,575
LA	12.7	12.9	10,702	11,072	100.2	115.8	86,945	97,662
MICH	38.0	44.0	43,691	52,469	344.9	377.8	406,668	456,237
MINN	74.2	83.4	80,960	93,816	684.1	744.1	733,377	849,079
MISS	25.0	26.9	22,230	23,801	140.2	164.4	128,184	150,046
MO	60.5	65.9	62,309	68,760	495.7	573.1	526,401	612,415
MONT	13.0	10.8	14,394	11,827	112.6	95.7	125,940	105,476
NEBR	455.0	493.8	490,013	532,766	4,137.0	4,362.6	4,557,162	4,818,864
NEV	.5	.4	475	450	4.4	4.0	4,529	4,237
N ENG 2/	7.2	7.3	7,961	8,085	71.8	58.1	80,281	65,797
N J	9.3	11.2	11,911	13,789	91.1	100.2	117,901	127,367
N MEX	32.2	12.0	32,319	11,761	370.9	125.8	371,557	123,047
N Y	20.5	26.0	23,058	29,534	176.0	201.7	200,866	232,553
N C	7.3	10.1	7,126	9,446	56.7	70.8	56,415	67,708
N DAK	13.0	13.4	13,158	14,306	84.2	112.5	90,033	121,103
OHIO	57.6	57.1	60,693	60,543	448.5	452.0	481,827	482,344
OKLA	42.7	44.0	42,804	44,294	338.5	347.0	339,095	349,265
OREG	12.7	12.7	13,852	14,038	102.5	93.8	114,755	104,791
PA	63.2	66.8	70,007	74,010	518.1	554.5	592,191	629,100
S C	8.4	11.6	8,021	11,188	61.2	87.2	58,553	85,192
S DAK	46.1	51.3	49,126	54,758	408.2	429.9	440,951	468,606
TENN	26.5	27.1	23,689	24,844	183.6	205.5	173,290	192,202
TEX	517.4	531.6	529,556	535,586	4,304.7	4,488.1	4,400,075	4,567,048
UTAH	17.5	18.0	19,111	19,336	142.9	151.0	156,917	166,033
VA	9.7	11.7	9,874	11,946	74.6	91.2	76,192	94,604
WASH	67.3	72.0	75,551	81,407	496.4	523.8	559,280	594,602
W VA	3.1	3.8	2,960	3,355	22.4	23.4	23,137	23,778
WISC	102.0	86.7	120,114	104,462	862.7	774.1	1,023,256	946,521
WYO	1.4	1.5	1,549	1,627	10.7	10.7	11,470	11,562
U S	2,925.4	3,017.7	3,084,890	3,189,872	24,953.5	25,917.6	26,753,242	27,870,158

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	SEPTEMBER				JANUARY-SEPTEMBER 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 POUNDS	
ALA	.5	.5	207	235	2.6	3.7	1,105	1,584
ARIZ	.1	.3	20	24	1.5	2.1	262	174
ARK	.3	.4	103	205	4.0	4.1	1,508	1,736
CALIF	16.7	18.0	3,284	3,677	172.9	157.1	54,769	34,692
COLO					.1	.1	30	45
DEL-MD	1.9	2.3	591	703	16.7	19.5	5,260	6,451
FLA	9.7	12.1	2,679	3,104	69.4	79.4	22,611	25,828
GA	1.1	3.5	322	526	6.0	20.2	1,941	4,879
HAW								
IDAHO					.3	.2	96	87
ILL	13.2	17.4	3,285	4,445	108.1	136.9	28,214	35,436
IND	5.0	5.9	1,753	2,074	43.9	43.4	14,919	15,134
IOWA					.9		227	
KANS					.2	.2	76	68
KY	.1	.1	17	18	.5	.6	150	148
LA	10.6	8.9	4,902	4,255	75.6	60.3	35,062	27,818
MICH	5.8	6.9	1,511	1,678	57.2	61.1	14,694	15,864
MINN	.4	.4	80	82	4.1	3.8	841	764
MISS	1.7	2.9	926	1,567	11.1	15.4	6,291	8,744
MO	.7	.8	231	286	6.7	6.3	2,643	2,173
MONT					.2	.2	71	46
NERR					.2		69	
NEV						.1		24
N ENG 2/	13.2	15.4	1,739	1,679	115.7	123.3	13,932	13,721
N J	7.7	7.9	2,596	2,516	66.8	64.3	21,732	21,820
N MEX								
N Y	49.6	56.6	7,766	8,300	413.4	457.8	62,391	69,377
N C	.2	.3	58	115	1.4	2.4	420	788
N DAK					.3	.3	114	133
OHIO	.4	.6	70	118	3.6	3.7	651	742
OKLA	.6	.8	304	322	5.3	5.5	2,633	2,508
OREG	.7	.7	307	298	4.4	4.8	1,960	1,922
PA	24.9	25.7	3,566	4,013	183.3	177.5	28,206	29,719
S C	3.8	2.0	1,594	856	34.0	20.0	14,715	8,482
S DAK	.1		23		.2	.2	64	71
TENN	2.1	3.2	460	565	14.3	18.0	2,871	3,986
TEX	18.9	24.6	9,127	12,375	137.6	177.5	68,356	90,540
UTAH					.1	.1	46	43
VA	2.1	1.6	784	590	9.9	16.1	3,604	6,378
WASH	2.8	3.4	410	628	22.9	21.6	3,159	4,076
W VA		.1		20	.2	.2	69	74
WISC	32.1	37.0	7,412	7,883	280.9	285.4	63,828	66,580
WYO					.1		15	
U S	226.9	260.5	56,196	63,262	1,976.4	1,993.7	459,623	502,668

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 HOG SLAUGHTER 1/

STATE	SEPTEMBER				JANUARY-SEPTEMBER 3/			
	NUMBER SLAUGHTERED		TOTAL LIVE WEIGHT		NUMBER SLAUGHTERED		TOTAL LIVE WEIGHT	
	1980	1981	1980	1981	1980	1981	1980	1981
	1,000 HEAD	1,000 HEAD	1,000 POUNDS	1,000 POUNDS	1,000 HEAD	1,000 POUND	1,000 POUND	1,000 POUND
ALA	56.8	61.2	15,795	16,917	576.4	571.5	158,022	157,360
ARIZ	24.1	1.9	5,412	457	168.3	153.1	42,028	34,007
ARK	23.3	26.3	6,248	7,907	219.7	230.5	55,819	67,092
CALIF	152.3	162.0	34,529	36,860	1,373.2	1,409.1	314,028	325,191
COLO	49.3	49.9	11,296	11,589	420.0	444.7	97,887	103,586
DEL-MD	40.8	36.1	9,021	8,047	326.3	324.1	73,231	72,863
FLA	11.0	13.0	2,200	3,013	111.1	121.8	24,306	27,390
GA	185.1	185.9	41,199	41,644	1,713.4	1,545.3	384,172	346,588
HAW	3.4	3.3	635	622	31.4	30.9	5,853	5,822
IDAHO	9.0	8.4	2,103	1,984	85.3	75.3	20,144	17,628
ILL	628.9	528.2	157,378	131,169	5,638.0	4,286.0	1,410,381	1,103,474
IND	252.2	243.7	59,597	57,329	2,334.1	2,192.9	560,422	525,594
IOWA	2,113.3	1,986.4	513,277	481,741	18,991.2	18,335.8	4,684,501	4,512,006
KANS	127.9	141.0	30,599	33,689	1,104.0	1,067.0	267,890	260,998
KY	196.0	205.0	48,408	50,046	1,795.5	1,747.3	449,378	437,884
LA	15.8	6.5	3,682	1,424	149.7	104.9	34,066	24,080
MICH	316.3	443.8	77,763	107,034	3,314.9	4,087.6	796,683	977,226
MINN	473.4	478.1	111,977	112,164	4,185.5	3,963.1	986,915	935,737
MISS	183.0	201.8	42,220	46,814	1,645.1	1,783.0	385,330	417,056
MO	274.4	295.3	66,852	72,568	2,396.4	2,263.3	598,476	563,072
MONT	42.4	47.3	10,221	11,329	397.2	378.2	95,863	90,460
NEBR	380.5	375.5	88,468	84,148	3,382.7	3,230.1	779,950	741,643
NEV	.4	.3	84	66	4.4	3.3	943	726
NEW ENG 2/	6.7	6.3	1,647	1,531	46.2	46.8	11,311	11,439
N J	17.7	21.7	3,694	4,731	178.0	181.5	39,051	39,548
N MEX	3.3	4.0	726	904	31.8	28.9	7,265	6,529
N Y	28.4	14.6	6,585	3,368	285.2	196.1	65,738	45,291
N C	230.6	234.9	51,441	54,201	2,063.8	1,943.3	460,622	441,091
N DAK	4.0	4.6	935	1,159	35.0	39.4	8,144	9,410
OHIO	449.2	426.2	103,305	99,133	3,984.2	3,573.5	920,485	831,476
OKLA	82.1	18.6	20,555	5,640	859.2	538.2	215,847	141,697
OREG	15.5	15.9	3,406	3,640	145.7	150.3	31,909	34,140
PA	295.6	169.2	66,408	38,938	2,539.6	2,088.7	567,908	476,265
S C	42.5	42.3	10,130	10,182	388.0	399.6	92,098	95,552
S DAK	274.2	268.5	66,116	66,926	2,369.0	2,227.7	576,149	550,120
TENN	255.5	229.4	65,155	59,776	2,220.1	2,067.2	569,742	538,496
TEX	113.3	120.5	29,211	30,658	1,097.3	1,034.2	281,512	265,591
UTAH	12.9	14.9	3,077	3,533	114.1	128.4	26,884	30,367
VA	273.2	264.2	62,400	59,808	2,444.2	2,340.2	566,963	534,841
WASH	53.0	34.3	12,210	8,035	479.2	370.6	111,067	86,576
W VA	3.3	3.1	1,151	1,252	29.1	25.4	10,497	9,545
WISC	181.0	216.9	41,947	51,766	1,728.9	1,784.6	405,765	430,388
WYO	.9	1.1	229	286	11.0	9.0	2,721	2,231
U S	7,408.4	7,612.1	1,889,492	1,824,025	71,433.5	67,522.6	17,197,969	16,328,135

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3/ ACCUMULATED TOTALS BASED ON UNROUNDED DATA.

COMMERCIAL SHEEP AND LAMB SLAUGHTER 1/

STATE	SEPTEMBER				JANUARY-SEPTEMBER 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 POUNDS	
ALA					.1	.1	12	7
ARIZ	.3	.2	30	23	1.6	1.7	162	183
ARK	.2	.1	15	12	.5	.8	45	71
CALIF	89.0	113.1	9,808	12,302	826.2	855.7	92,284	94,960
COLOR	110.8	116.5	11,768	12,045	765.4	841.0	88,751	92,464
DEL-MD	2.5	3.3	245	352	25.3	29.5	2,718	3,042
FLA		.1		4	.4	.3	24	19
GA		.1		0	.2	.3	23	26
HAW								
IDAHO	1.0	1.3	105	139	4.5	5.8	498	634
ILL	28.3	33.3	3,057	3,757	214.3	276.8	23,511	31,194
IND	.7	1.1	63	114	5.6	7.1	511	660
IOWA	.2	15.2	14	1,647	1.1	30.0	106	3,244
KANS	.6	.6	56	65	3.3	3.9	356	429
KY	.9	1.1	100	118	6.6	7.9	728	863
LA	.3	.3	23	28	3.3	3.5	304	331
MICH	26.4	27.2	2,855	3,022	215.2	211.4	23,419	23,353
MINN	44.6	48.3	4,806	5,240	375.0	385.7	42,465	43,779
MISS								
MO	1.9	2.2	197	224	13.3	15.5	1,490	1,599
MONT	.4	.4	36	64	2.0	2.6	205	256
NEBR	.2	.2	18	27	1.3	2.1	134	219
NEV	.3	.3	30	29	2.1	2.0	233	220
N ENG 2/	1.5	1.7	146	164	9.7	10.9	882	971
N J	.8	2.9	77	285	13.1	18.5	1,035	1,616
N MEX	8.8	7.1	1,118	796	67.7	65.3	8,281	7,478
N Y	4.1	5.0	399	498	37.9	44.3	3,609	4,252
N C	.1	.1	5	4	.4	.5	37	39
N DAK	.1	.1	13	12	.6	.7	71	75
OHIO	2.6	2.9	253	287	13.8	16.8	1,317	1,607
OKLA	.3	.3	29	27	2.0	3.2	206	351
OREG	2.6	3.0	274	321	21.7	22.0	2,361	2,419
PA	13.4	14.9	1,374	1,454	112.5	125.6	11,451	12,932
S C						.1		7
S DAK	34.5	36.3	3,741	4,002	299.8	308.4	34,116	34,777
TFNN	.1		12		1.5	1.7	131	139
TEX	83.7	102.1	8,256	10,505	860.8	861.3	93,542	91,236
UTAH	1.9	1.8	219	204	17.7	16.5	2,033	1,855
VA	.6	.5	62	55	3.4	3.4	356	351
WASH	23.2	23.9	2,608	2,726	190.2	213.4	22,273	24,889
W VA	.1	.2	13	23	.6	.6	64	62
WISC	1.0	1.6	95	161	4.4	6.7	445	662
WYO	.2	.3	26	40	1.7	2.1	189	233
U S	488.5	569.7	52,043	60,798	4,127.7	4,406.2	460,399	483,543

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3/ ACCUMULATED TOTALS BASED ON UNROUNDED DATA.

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

STATE	CATTLE		CALVES		HOGS		SHEEP AND LAMBS	
	1980	1981	1980	1981	1980	1981	1980	1981
	POUNDS		POUNDS		POUNDS		POUNDS	
ALA	946	975	447	427	278	277		
ARIZ	1,026	1,033	168	68	225	236	93	102
ARK	889	917	369	459	268	301	96	92
CALIF	1,087	1,081	197	205	227	228	111	109
COLO	1,040	1,018			229	232	106	103
DEL-MD	1,033	1,096	319	303	221	223	119	106
FLA	993	970	277	260	200	232		70
GA	898	897	296	148	223	224		113
HAW	965	953			185	187		
IDAHO	1,100	1,104			234	237	110	110
ILL	1,022	1,025	243	255	250	248	108	113
IND	994	999	349	354	236	235	87	100
IOWA	1,054	1,067			243	243	86	109
KANS	1,065	1,077			239	239	101	112
KY	957	946	254	261	247	244	109	108
LA	873	857	464	479	232	218	82	87
MICH	1,150	1,192	261	242	246	241	108	111
MINN	1,091	1,125	182	199	237	235	108	109
MISS	890	886	545	508	231	232		
MO	1,031	1,044	346	369	244	246	103	102
MONT	1,106	1,099			241	240	94	109
MERR	1,077	1,079			229	224	107	108
NEV	1,052	1,084			221	224	111	106
N ENG 2/	1,111	1,112	131	109	250	243	95	94
N J	1,275	1,234	339	317	209	218	99	98
N MEX	1,002	978			220	226	128	112
N Y	1,126	1,136	157	147	232	231	98	100
N C	982	933	306	343	223	231	93	74
N DAK	1,009	1,067			234	251	114	116
OHIO	1,053	1,060	159	208	230	233	97	98
OKLA	1,003	1,007	490	398	250	304	99	99
OREG	1,092	1,105	439	441	220	220	107	107
PA	1,107	1,109	143	156	225	230	100	98
S C	957	961	418	421	238	241		
S DAK	1,065	1,068	318		241	249	108	110
TENN	894	916	231	178	255	261	84	
TEX	1,024	1,007	482	504	258	254	99	103
UTAH	1,093	1,077			238	237	113	111
VA	1,015	1,017	380	371	228	226	96	114
WASH	1,123	1,131	149	184	231	234	113	115
W VA	959	886			354	402	100	118
WISC	1,177	1,205	231	213	232	239	99	99
WYO	1,089	1,099			246	253	113	116
U S	1,055	1,057	248	243	239	240	107	107

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

SPECIES	SEP		AUG		JAN - SEP	
	1980	1981	1981	1981	1980	1981
	PERCENT					
CATTLE	93.6	94.5	94.1	93.8	94.0	
CALVES	87.3	87.4	87.3	88.8	88.7	
HOGS	96.1	96.0	96.2	95.7	95.9	
SHEEP	95.3	95.3	95.8	96.2	96.1	

CLASSIFICATION OF LIVESTOCK SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, UNITED STATES

ITEM	SEP		AUG		JAN - SEP 1/		SEP		AUG		JAN - SEP 1/	
	1980	1981	1981	1981	1980	1981	1980	1981	1981	1980	1981	
	1,000 HEAD						PERCENT OF TOTAL					
CLASSIFICATION: 2/												
CATTLE												
STEEPS	1,332	1,336	1,343	12,120	12,364	48.7	48.3	47.2	51.7	50.7		
HEIFERS	819	862	880	6,626	6,990	29.9	31.1	31.0	28.3	28.7		
COWS	524	504	548	4,157	4,462	19.1	18.2	19.3	17.8	18.3		
BULLS & STAGS	64	66	70	504	552	2.3	2.4	2.5	2.2	2.3		
TOTAL 1/	2,739	2,768	2,840	23,407	24,367	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0		
HOGS												
BAPROW & GILTS	7,057	6,096	6,822	63,660	60,541	92.9	92.6	93.2	93.2	93.5		
SOWS	452	400	409	3,860	3,415	5.9	6.1	5.6	5.6	5.3		
STAGS & BOARS	91	85	88	809	791	1.2	1.3	1.2	1.2	1.2		
TOTAL 1/	7,601	6,580	7,320	68,329	64,747	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0		
SHEEP												
MATURE SHEEP	39	41	43	293	305	8.3	8.7	7.9	7.4	7.2		
LAMBS & YRLNGS	427	426	503	3,677	3,929	91.7	91.3	92.1	92.6	92.8		
TOTAL 1/	466	467	546	3,970	4,233	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0		
AVERAGE DRESSED WEIGHT: 3/	-----POUNDS-----											
CATTLE												
STEEPS 4/	632	629	633	644	645							
HEIFERS 4/	700	691	700	706	708							
COWS 4/	600	597	605	601	608							
BULLS & STAGS 4/	497	506	503	518	516							
	734	742	734	755	759							
CALVES & VEALERS	130	130	125	131	135							
HOGS												
BAPROWS & GLTSS/	170	170	170	171	172							
SOWS 5/	161	161	162	164	165							
STAGS & BOARS 5/	287	290	287	291	292							
	225	218	217	213	206							
SHEEP												
MATURE SHEEP 6/	53	52	53	56	55							
LAMBS & YRLNGS 6/	52	50	51	53	53							
	53	52	53	56	55							

1/ TOTALS AND PERCENTAGES BASED ON UNROUNDED DATA. 2/ SPECIES TOTALS AND CLASSIFICATION REPORTED BY MEAT INSPECTORS, FOD, FSQS. 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
SEPTEMBER 1981

STANDARD :		C A T T L E					: C A L V E S
FEDERAL :							
REGIONS1/ :	TOTAL 2/ :	STIFERS :	HEIFERS :	COWS :	BULLS & STAGS :	TOTAL 2/ :	
		T H O U S A N D					H E A D
1 3/ :							
2 :	42.8	13.6	1.2	25.2	2.8	79.8	
3 :	79.0	26.9	8.0	39.1	5.0	29.3	
4 :	139.7	24.4	19.1	86.2	10.0	20.6	
5 :	316.9	119.3	80.7	106.6	10.3	66.5	
6 :	583.5	265.9	194.6	102.5	16.4	8.1	
7 :	1114.6	631.3	391.9	40.5	10.8	.6	
8 :	212.7	45.0	130.3	31.3	6.0	.0	
9 :	195.7	124.8	17.1	47.9	3.9	18.4	
10 :	155.4	89.3	32.6	29.0	4.6	4.1	
U.S. 2/ :	2840.3	1342.6	879.6	548.3	69.9	227.4	

STANDARD :		H O G S			: S H E E P		
FEDERAL :							
REGIONS1/ :	TOTAL 2/ :	BAR. & GILTS :	SWMS :	STAGS & BOARS :	TOTAL 2/ :	MATURE SHEEP :	LAMBS & YRLG :
		T H O U S A N D					H E A D
1 3/ :							
2 :	38.9	37.9	.8	.3	8.8	1.7	7.1
3 :	466.2	433.2	17.4	15.7	17.5	1.3	16.2
4 :	1068.6	949.5	72.6	6.4	1.1	.3	.8
5 :	2226.5	2077.0	108.6	40.9	99.3	8.1	91.2
6 :	145.1	119.2	24.0	1.8	107.2	15.8	91.5
7 :	2775.3	2606.3	147.1	21.9	17.0	.8	16.2
8 :	379.5	342.7	36.1	.7	153.9	7.5	146.4
9 :	162.3	160.6	1.4	.2	4/		
10 :	57.2	55.9	1.1	.2	141.0	7.7	133.4
U.S. 2/ :	7319.7	6822.4	409.1	88.1	545.9	43.0	502.8

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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-SEP, 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 :	348.1	111.3	9.8	201.9	25.1	644.3
3 :	639.8	264.7	64.5	271.8	38.8	210.3
4 :	1030.9	209.3	156.9	595.1	69.7	133.5
5 :	2790.2	1142.8	665.8	898.3	83.3	519.7
6 :	4894.3	2592.2	1432.1	756.4	114.1	69.0
7 :	9900.6	5776.7	3211.9	811.0	101.0	5.2
8 :	1853.0	463.3	1021.0	315.9	52.7	.5
9 :	1699.7	1114.6	161.7	392.1	31.2	159.2
10 :	1210.1	689.1	266.0	219.1	35.9	26.3
U.S. 2/ :	24367.0	12364.1	6989.6	4461.5	551.6	1766.0

STANDARD :	H O G S				S H E E P		
FEDERAL :							
REGIONS1/:	TOTAL 2/ :	BAR. & GILTS:	BOARS :	STAGS & BOARS :	TOTAL 2/:	MATURE SHEEP:	LAMBS & YRLG
:	T H O U S A N D H E A D						
1 3/ :							
2 :	400.6	391.6	6.9	2.2	69.6	9.5	60.1
3 :	4721.3	4466.9	142.5	111.9	147.3	8.6	138.7
4 :	9183.4	8488.3	632.9	62.2	9.2	3.1	6.2
5 :	18914.9	17596.2	910.0	408.7	802.3	65.3	737.1
6 :	1569.1	1346.9	205.3	16.8	909.8	109.6	800.2
7 :	24680.5	23230.6	1268.6	181.3	41.7	4.2	37.5
8 :	3162.4	2930.5	227.2	4.7	1160.2	46.3	1113.9
9 :	1546.2	1532.9	11.1	2.2	4/		
10 :	568.9	557.2	10.6	1.1	1093.2	58.3	1034.9
U.S. 2/ :	64747.4	60541.3	3415.0	791.1	4233.3	304.8	3928.5

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