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COMMERCIAL RED MEAT PRODUCTION for the United States during October 1981 totaled 3.43 billion pounds (1.55 million metric tons), 4 percent less than October 1980, according to the Crop Reporting Board. January-October red meat production at 32.0 billion pounds (14.5 million metric tons) was down less than 1 percent from the corresponding period in 1980. The 1981 accumulated production changes from the 1980 period by individual components were: beef, up 3 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 October included 22 weekdays (one a holiday) and 5 Saturdays compared with 23 weekdays (one a holiday) and 4 Saturdays a year ago.

## COMPARING OCTOBER 1981 WITH OCTOBER 1980:

BEEF PRODUCTION at 1.97 billion pounds (892 thousand metric tons) was down 3 percent. Head kill at 3.12 million was down 3 percent, while average live weight increased 4 pounds to 1068.

VEAL PRODUCTION at 40 million pounds (18.1 thousand metric tons) was up 5 percent. Calf slaughter at 271 thousand head was up 5 percent and average live weight increased 5 pounds to 249.

PORK PRODUCTION totaled 1.39 billion pounds (631 thousand metric tons), down 6 percent. The 8.14 million head killed was down 7 percent, while average live weight increased 1 pound to 242. Preliminary lard production was 104 million pounds (47.2 thousand metric tons), down 6 percent.

LAMB AND MUTTON PRODUCTION increased 7 percent to 31 million pounds (14.1 thousand metric tons). Head kill at 574 thousand was up 8 percent, while average live weight declined 1 pound to 108.

COMMERCIAL RED MEAT AND LARD PRODUCTION: UNITED STATES 1/

K I N D	: OCT 1981 AS % OF :						JAN - OCT 2/		
	: OCT :	: SEP :	: OCT :	: OCT :	: SEP :	:	:	: 1981 AS %	
:	: 1980 :	: 1981 :	: 1981 :	: 1980 :	: 1981 :	: 1980 :	: 1981 :	: OF 1980	
:	MILLION POUNDS			PERCENT		MILLION POUNDS		PERCENT	
BEEF	: 2,026	1,889	1,966	97	104	17,910	18,479	103	
VEAL	: 38	37	40	105	108	312	339	109	
PORK	: 1,485	1,288	1,391	94	108	13,665	12,950	95	
LAMB & MUTTON	: 29	30	31	107	103	257	271	105	
TOTAL RED MEAT	: 3,576	3,243	3,428	96	106	32,144	32,040	100	
LARD 3/	: 111	97	104	94	107	1,005	956	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 :	: OCT 81 AS % OF :						JAN - OCT 2/		
		: OCT :	: SEP :	: OCT :	: OCT :	: SEP :	:	:	: 1981 AS %	
:	:	: 1980 :	: 1981 :	: 1981 :	: 1980 :	: 1981 :	: 1980 :	: 1981 :	: OF 1980	
:	:	PERCENT			PERCENT			PERCENT		
CATTLE	:	PERCENT			PERCENT			PERCENT		
NUMBER	:	PERCENT			PERCENT			PERCENT		
FED. INSP.	: THOU :	3,002.5	2,840.3	2,934.8	98	103	26,409.6	27,301.8	103	
OTHER	: THOU :	217.2	177.4	182.0	84	103	1,763.7	1,732.6	98	
COMMERCIAL 3/	: THOU :	3,219.7	3,017.7	3,116.8	97	103	28,173.2	29,034.4	103	
LIVE WEIGHT/HD:	:	PERCENT			PERCENT			PERCENT		
FED. INSP.	: LBS :	1,072	1,064	1,076	100	101	1,079	1,082	100	
OTHER	: LBS :	952	952	940	99	99	959	956	100	
COMMERCIAL	: LBS :	1,064	1,057	1,068	100	101	1,071	1,075	100	
CALVES	:	PERCENT			PERCENT			PERCENT		
NUMBER	:	PERCENT			PERCENT			PERCENT		
FED. INSP.	: THOU :	228.5	227.4	236.0	103	104	1,894.7	2,004.0	106	
OTHER	: THOU :	29.3	33.1	34.9	119	105	239.4	260.6	109	
COMMERCIAL 3/	: THOU :	257.7	260.5	270.9	105	104	2,134.2	2,264.7	106	
LIVE WEIGHT/HD:	:	PERCENT			PERCENT			PERCENT		
FED. INSP.	: LBS :	214	206	211	99	102	214	220	103	
OTHER	: LBS :	481	498	501	104	101	489	495	101	
COMMERCIAL	: LBS :	244	243	249	102	102	245	252	103	
HOGS	:	PERCENT			PERCENT			PERCENT		
NUMBER	:	PERCENT			PERCENT			PERCENT		
FED. INSP.	: THOU :	8,403.7	7,319.7	7,871.6	94	108	76,732.7	72,619.0	95	
OTHER	: THOU :	333.5	292.4	271.3	81	93	3,438.0	3,046.6	89	
COMMERCIAL 3/	: THOU :	8,737.2	7,612.1	8,142.9	93	107	80,170.7	75,665.5	94	
LIVE WEIGHT/HD:	:	PERCENT			PERCENT			PERCENT		
FED. INSP.	: LBS :	241	240	242	100	101	241	242	100	
OTHER	: LBS :	236	230	232	98	101	233	231	99	
COMMERCIAL	: LBS :	241	240	242	100	101	241	242	100	
SHEEP AND LAMBS:	:	PERCENT			PERCENT			PERCENT		
NUMBER	:	PERCENT			PERCENT			PERCENT		
FED. INSP	: THOU :	510.3	545.9	557.6	109	102	4,480.3	4,790.9	107	
OTHER	: THOU :	23.2	23.8	16.8	72	71	180.9	189.7	105	
COMMERCIAL 3/	: THOU :	533.5	569.7	574.4	108	101	4,661.2	4,980.6	107	
LIVE WEIGHT/HD:	:	PERCENT			PERCENT			PERCENT		
FED. INSP.	: LBS :	110	107	109	99	102	112	110	98	
OTHER	: LBS :	101	101	96	95	95	100	99	99	
COMMERCIAL	: LBS :	109	107	108	99	101	111	110	99	

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	OCT 1981 AS % OF :				JAN - OCT 2/			
	OCT : 1980	SEP : 1981	OCT : 1981	OCT : 1980	SEP : 1981	1980	1981	1981 AS % OF 1980
	MILLION POUNDS			PERCENT		MILLION POUNDS		PERCENT
BEEF	1,907	1,792	1,868	98	104	16,929	17,525	104
VEAL	30	28	30	100	107	245	265	108
PORK	1,429	1,241	1,347	94	109	13,103	12,458	95
LAMB & MUTTON	28	29	30	107	103	249	262	105
TOTAL RED MEAT	3,393	3,089	3,275	97	106	30,525	30,510	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	OCT 81 AS % OF :				JAN - OCT 3/			
	OCT : 1980	SEP : 1981	OCT : 1981	OCT : 1980	SEP : 1981	1980	1981	1981 AS % OF 1980
	THOUSAND POUNDS			PERCENT		THOUSAND POUNDS		PERCENT
ALA	23,561	23,418	22,673	96	97	216,233	228,339	106
ARIZ	29,872	21,154	18,421	62	87	219,688	254,022	116
ARK	12,050	12,242	12,524	104	102	99,844	112,282	112
CALIF	143,446	135,350	138,465	97	102	1,396,114	1,316,724	94
COLO	119,635	94,080	102,573	86	109	1,071,128	942,991	88
DEL-MD	10,994	9,740	9,752	89	100	98,159	97,361	99
FLA	20,120	20,407	20,753	103	102	178,772	183,031	102
GA	42,036	38,243	40,684	97	106	381,961	365,025	96
HAW	2,712	3,318	3,336	123	101	29,692	28,881	97
IDAHO	50,850	47,992	50,695	100	106	449,990	464,298	103
ILL	204,259	152,988	177,483	87	116	1,872,711	1,512,687	81
IND	71,537	59,148	63,662	89	108	644,529	588,367	91
IOWA	574,388	518,541	564,647	98	109	5,415,674	5,432,568	100
KANS	222,475	235,155	241,935	109	103	1,849,100	2,272,705	123
KY	50,492	44,912	50,884	101	113	440,508	434,922	99
LA	12,932	10,472	10,302	80	98	109,804	103,479	94
MICH	108,937	104,978	99,697	92	95	904,103	1,045,774	116
MINN	144,111	135,136	145,904	101	108	1,291,118	1,312,556	102
MISS	44,862	45,071	47,567	106	106	380,016	420,010	111
MO	98,457	91,801	108,970	111	119	839,796	872,187	104
MONT	16,885	14,529	15,967	95	110	152,363	138,315	91
NEBR	411,557	382,396	412,301	100	108	3,694,318	3,843,593	104
NEV	381	324	277	73	86	3,608	3,232	90
N ENG 2/	8,074	8,144	7,605	94	124	64,998	56,410	87
N J	14,026	12,932	13,185	94	102	121,744	126,766	104
N MEX	13,562	7,763	8,659	64	112	247,819	87,779	35
N Y	24,358	22,196	22,176	91	100	215,581	215,096	100
N C	45,923	43,427	46,830	102	108	405,566	395,826	98
N DAK	10,376	8,606	11,066	107	129	61,760	82,254	133
OHIO	112,032	105,607	107,217	96	102	1,040,546	979,221	94
OKLA	42,862	29,655	28,952	68	98	404,107	334,293	83
OREG	10,773	10,570	10,710	99	101	97,481	94,718	97
PA	92,301	69,398	74,153	80	107	832,260	771,353	93
S C	14,020	13,289	14,171	101	107	117,218	129,251	110
S DAK	87,121	81,068	88,998	102	110	762,628	765,102	100
TENN	62,941	55,085	59,906	95	109	556,060	543,426	98
TEX	380,443	357,287	342,359	90	96	3,341,432	3,390,323	101
UTAH	13,604	14,223	14,912	110	105	126,570	136,723	108
VA	54,983	49,108	54,224	99	110	500,858	488,529	98
WASH	59,811	56,478	60,301	101	107	488,589	494,884	101
W VA	3,806	2,916	3,802	100	130	23,558	24,119	102
WISC	108,162	95,151	98,801	91	104	986,796	941,845	95
WYO	904	1,124	793	88	71	9,229	8,859	96
U.S.	3,576,627	3,243,422	3,428,295	96	106	32,144,025	32,040,126	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	OCTOBER				JANUARY-OCTOBER 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	19.5	18.3	18,608	17,878	171.4	190.1	166,640	186,995
ARIZ	39.9	28.0	40,942	29,315	293.1	355.2	301,244	368,935
ARK	14.1	14.8	12,563	13,267	110.8	119.4	98,418	109,016
CALIF	174.6	161.7	191,116	177,163	1,695.9	1,559.9	1,841,066	1,711,587
COLO	159.3	135.2	167,921	141,024	1,438.5	1,258.5	1,523,784	1,302,739
DEL-MD	6.4	5.7	7,086	6,221	55.3	52.2	59,487	57,634
FLA	31.0	33.0	30,795	32,117	268.0	279.7	268,135	276,591
GA	19.7	19.2	17,527	17,255	168.3	176.6	151,973	158,905
HAW	4.1	5.1	3,916	4,820	44.6	44.8	43,306	41,880
IDAHO	75.4	75.9	83,532	83,707	668.6	686.5	732,598	765,282
ILL	123.1	96.2	127,903	100,701	1,117.7	906.1	1,180,909	949,093
IND	35.4	30.8	35,513	30,606	304.2	271.1	309,344	273,320
IOWA	265.4	305.8	285,684	330,324	2,485.7	2,751.6	2,719,433	3,017,849
KANS	298.3	312.0	323,197	343,271	2,436.8	3,030.7	2,632,154	3,298,184
KY	20.8	20.6	19,602	18,862	157.1	158.5	153,408	151,437
LA	15.3	11.8	13,332	10,174	115.6	127.6	100,277	107,836
MICH	44.1	33.6	50,998	39,096	389.0	411.4	457,666	495,333
MINN	87.9	92.7	96,792	104,581	752.0	836.8	830,169	953,659
MISS	26.4	28.4	22,926	24,728	166.6	192.7	151,110	174,774
MO	68.8	74.1	71,508	78,160	564.5	647.2	597,908	690,575
MONT	14.9	11.5	16,376	12,360	127.6	107.1	142,316	117,835
NEBR	516.8	522.2	563,822	573,972	4,653.8	4,884.8	5,120,984	5,392,836
NEV	.5	.4	538	393	4.9	4.4	5,067	4,630
N ENG 2/	9.6	9.3	10,728	10,172	81.4	67.4	91,009	75,969
N J	11.5	11.6	14,809	14,255	102.7	111.7	132,710	141,622
N MEX	21.5	13.3	21,129	13,145	392.4	139.1	392,686	136,191
N Y	23.9	27.8	27,284	31,055	199.9	229.5	228,151	263,609
N C	10.5	13.3	10,022	12,218	67.2	64.1	66,436	79,926
N DAK	17.3	17.9	17,644	18,710	101.5	130.4	107,677	139,813
OHIO	59.6	55.7	63,615	59,017	508.1	507.7	545,442	541,361
OKLA	46.1	42.5	46,234	42,351	384.6	389.5	385,329	391,616
OREG	13.3	12.9	14,527	14,154	115.8	106.8	129,283	118,946
PA	72.8	71.3	81,498	79,306	591.0	625.9	673,689	708,406
S C	10.2	12.7	9,881	12,137	71.4	100.0	68,434	97,329
S DAK	53.6	57.3	57,419	61,678	461.7	487.1	498,369	530,283
TENN	30.9	30.5	27,485	27,380	214.4	236.0	200,775	219,582
TEX	558.9	502.2	573,052	511,452	4,863.6	4,990.3	4,973,127	5,078,500
UTAH	17.4	18.7	18,554	20,369	160.2	169.8	175,471	186,402
VA	11.4	13.4	11,534	13,935	86.0	104.6	87,726	108,539
WASH	71.1	74.8	80,742	84,600	567.5	598.5	640,021	679,202
W VA	5.2	5.7	4,685	4,900	27.5	29.1	27,822	28,677
WISC	112.0	88.0	132,225	106,121	974.6	862.1	1,155,481	1,052,641
WYO	1.2	1.1	1,319	1,184	11.9	11.8	12,789	12,746
U S	3,219.7	3,116.8	3,426,580	3,328,131	28,173.2	29,034.4	30,179,822	31,198,289

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	OCTOBER				JANUARY-OCTOBER 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	.8	.6	312	268	3.4	4.4	1,418	1,853
ARIZ	.1	.3	27	26	1.6	2.4	289	201
ARK	1.0	.5	388	209	4.9	4.6	1,897	1,945
CALIF	15.6	17.1	3,179	3,780	188.5	174.2	37,947	38,472
COLO					.1	.2	32	54
DEL-MD	2.1	2.2	690	724	18.8	21.7	5,950	7,175
FLA	10.5	12.3	2,897	3,204	79.9	91.9	25,508	29,032
GA	1.5	4.1	454	707	7.5	24.3	2,395	5,586
HAW								
IDAHO	.1	.1	23	27	.3	.3	119	114
ILL	16.3	17.6	4,239	4,395	124.3	154.5	32,454	39,831
IND	5.8	6.1	2,014	2,221	49.8	49.5	16,933	17,355
IOWA					.9		227	
KANS					.3	.2	93	76
KY	.1	.1	26	31	.6	.7	176	179
LA	8.8	9.8	3,755	4,820	84.3	70.1	38,817	32,638
MICH	6.8	6.4	1,736	1,555	64.0	67.6	16,432	17,419
MINN	.5	.5	105	88	4.6	4.2	946	852
MISS	2.5	2.9	1,369	1,519	13.7	18.3	7,660	10,267
MO	.9	.9	316	325	7.6	7.2	2,960	2,498
MONT					.2	.2	73	53
NEBR					.2		78	
NEV						.1		27
N ENG 2/	14.4	16.8	1,727	1,821	130.1	140.1	15,659	15,542
N J	10.6	7.2	3,585	2,255	77.3	71.6	25,317	24,075
N MEX								
N Y	57.4	60.6	8,835	9,053	470.7	518.4	71,226	78,430
N C	.3	.4	100	122	1.7	2.7	520	910
N DAK					.3	.3	132	148
OHIO	.4	1.7	94	649	4.0	5.4	745	1,391
OKLA	.7	1.0	346	489	6.0	6.5	2,980	2,996
OREG	.8	.9	336	395	5.2	5.7	2,296	2,317
PA	26.0	25.5	3,815	4,249	209.3	203.0	32,021	33,968
S C	3.6	2.5	1,473	1,036	37.6	22.5	16,189	9,518
S DAK					.2	.3	69	73
TENN	3.0	3.4	674	696	17.3	21.4	3,545	4,682
TEX	19.6	27.3	9,780	13,304	157.2	204.8	78,136	103,843
UTAH					.1	.1	50	47
VA	2.8	2.1	1,099	791	12.7	18.2	4,704	7,170
WASH	3.5	3.5	475	570	26.4	25.1	3,634	4,646
W VA	.1	.1	42	45	.4	.4	111	118
WISC	40.9	36.2	9,001	7,970	321.8	321.6	72,829	74,550
WYO					.1		16	
U S	257.7	270.9	62,976	67,398	2,134.2	2,264.7	522,599	570,065

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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	OCTOBER				JANUARY-OCTOBER 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	69.1	61.7	19,119	17,248	645.5	633.3	177,142	174,608
ARIZ	27.5	2.1	6,246	509	215.8	155.2	48,273	34,516
ARK	27.2	26.5	7,559	7,817	246.9	257.0	63,378	74,909
CALIF	165.0	175.3	37,733	40,372	1,538.2	1,584.4	351,761	365,563
COLO	52.7	55.7	12,260	13,161	472.8	500.5	110,147	116,746
DEL-MD	39.7	34.8	8,991	7,833	366.0	358.9	82,222	80,696
FLA	14.2	14.3	3,165	3,293	125.3	136.1	27,471	30,683
GA	206.2	194.6	47,073	44,697	1,919.6	1,739.9	431,245	391,284
HAW	3.5	3.7	650	726	34.8	34.6	6,503	6,548
IDAHO	9.7	9.1	2,272	2,127	95.0	84.4	22,416	19,815
ILL	689.7	627.6	172,921	156,867	6,327.6	4,913.6	1,583,302	1,260,342
IND	290.5	266.4	69,411	63,465	2,624.6	2,459.3	629,833	589,059
IOWA	2,312.3	2,069.5	560,383	508,136	21,303.5	20,405.4	5,244,884	5,020,143
KANS	123.9	150.4	30,538	36,402	1,227.9	1,217.4	298,428	297,400
KY	227.5	231.1	56,714	57,116	2,023.0	1,978.4	506,093	495,000
LA	16.6	7.2	3,838	1,666	166.3	112.1	37,904	25,746
MICH	471.0	454.0	113,005	109,046	3,786.0	4,541.6	909,688	1,086,272
MINN	516.2	505.2	122,192	119,916	4,701.7	4,468.3	1,109,108	1,055,653
MISS	203.1	210.1	47,480	50,019	1,848.2	1,993.1	432,811	467,075
MO	316.0	358.0	79,009	88,780	2,712.4	2,621.3	677,485	651,852
MONT	46.0	54.0	11,285	13,018	443.2	432.3	107,148	103,478
NEBR	428.3	396.2	100,131	90,527	3,811.0	3,626.3	880,082	832,170
NEV	.6	.3	119	66	4.9	3.6	1,062	793
N ENG 2/	9.4	8.2	2,357	2,056	55.6	55.1	13,668	13,495
N J	22.8	23.3	4,937	5,076	200.9	204.9	43,988	44,624
N MEX	4.1	3.8	986	868	36.0	32.7	8,251	7,397
N Y	28.8	7.5	6,728	1,716	314.0	203.6	72,465	47,007
N C	252.7	244.5	57,202	57,175	2,316.5	2,187.8	517,823	498,267
N DAK	4.8	5.7	1,119	1,390	39.7	45.1	9,263	10,800
OHIO	453.5	437.4	105,563	102,567	4,437.7	4,010.8	1,026,048	934,043
OKLA	81.7	19.4	21,063	5,877	940.9	557.6	236,910	147,574
OREG	16.0	15.5	3,515	3,630	161.7	165.8	35,425	37,770
PA	292.5	181.6	66,407	41,876	2,832.1	2,270.3	634,315	518,141
S C	48.6	44.0	11,720	10,694	436.6	443.7	103,818	106,246
S DAK	300.5	287.0	73,587	71,949	2,669.5	2,514.7	649,736	622,069
TENN	267.5	249.7	68,552	64,477	2,487.6	2,316.9	638,294	602,973
TEX	126.1	120.9	32,992	30,627	1,223.4	1,155.1	314,505	296,217
UTAH	14.4	15.2	3,411	3,621	128.5	143.6	30,294	33,987
VA	296.9	286.4	68,146	65,444	2,741.1	2,626.6	635,110	600,285
WASH	58.6	46.7	13,670	10,981	537.9	417.3	124,736	97,558
W VA	4.0	3.4	1,422	1,284	33.0	28.8	11,919	10,829
WISC	196.9	233.9	46,197	57,196	1,925.8	2,018.5	451,962	487,584
WYO	.9	.8	239	186	11.9	9.7	2,960	2,417
U S	8,737.2	8,142.9	2,101,908	1,971,498	80,170.7	75,665.5	19,299,876	18,299,633

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3/ ACCUMULATED TOTALS BASED ON UNROUNDED DATA.

COMMERCIAL SHEEP AND LAMB SLAUGHTER 1/

STATE	OCTOBER				JANUARY-OCTOBER 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	.1	14	8
ARIZ	.2	.3	23	27	1.8	2.0	185	210
ARK	.1	.2	8	15	.6	.9	53	86
CALIF	87.9	117.1	9,779	13,021	914.0	972.8	102,064	107,980
COLO	118.6	121.7	13,211	12,932	884.1	962.6	101,962	105,396
DEL-MD	3.6	3.7	379	368	28.9	33.1	3,097	3,409
FLA	.1	.1	4	4	.5	.3	29	23
GA					.3	.3	25	29
HAW								
IDAH0	.9	1.0	94	114	5.4	6.8	592	748
ILL	31.5	34.6	3,487	3,911	245.8	311.4	26,999	35,105
IND	.7	.8	60	80	6.3	7.9	571	748
IOWA	.3	18.8	28	2,079	1.4	48.8	133	5,323
KANS	.5	.5	50	51	3.7	4.4	406	480
KY	.7	1.0	75	101	7.3	8.8	803	964
LA	.3	.3	31	23	3.7	3.7	334	354
MICH	28.9	25.4	3,136	2,757	244.8	236.7	26,556	26,110
MINN	51.8	48.8	5,719	5,322	426.7	434.5	48,204	49,101
MISS								
MO	1.8	2.0	191	208	15.1	17.6	1,681	1,807
MONT	.4	.4	44	38	2.4	3.0	249	324
NEBR	.2	.3	26	30	1.5	2.4	159	249
NEV	.2	.2	24	26	2.3	2.3	256	247
N ENG 2/	1.7	2.2	153	204	11.4	13.1	1,035	1,175
N J	1.1	3.2	110	305	14.2	21.6	1,145	1,921
N MEX	8.9	10.3	1,084	1,156	76.6	75.6	9,365	8,633
N Y	6.0	5.4	600	565	43.9	49.7	4,209	4,817
N C	.1	.1	11	9	.5	.6	48	48
N DAK	.1	.1	13	12	.7	.8	83	87
OHIO	1.9	2.1	180	207	15.7	18.9	1,496	1,815
OKLA	.4	.3	42	30	2.4	3.4	248	381
OREG	2.6	3.2	282	337	24.3	25.2	2,643	2,755
PA	14.3	14.9	1,426	1,460	126.8	141.5	12,878	14,392
S C						.1		9
W VA	.1	.1	11	8	.7	.7	75	69
WISC	1.0	1.2	95	118	5.4	7.9	540	780
WYO	.1	.1	20	13	1.8	2.2	208	245
U S	533.5	574.4	58,271	62,161	4,661.2	4,980.6	518,671	545,704

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3/ ACCUMULATED TOTALS BASED ON UNROUNDED DATA.

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

STATE	CATTLE		CALVES		HOGS		SHEEP AND LAMBS	
	1980	1981	1980	1981	1980	1981	1980	1981
	POUNDS		POUNDS		POUNDS		POUNDS	
ALA	955	975	392	429	277	279		
ARIZ	1,026	1,047	231	79	227	245	111	100
ARK	890	898	391	422	278	295	93	92
CALIF	1,095	1,096	204	221	229	230	111	111
COLO	1,054	1,043			232	236	111	106
DEL-MD	1,107	1,095	328	332	226	225	105	101
FLA	992	974	277	261	223	231	70	70
GA	887	897	307	173	228	230		
HAW	961	947			188	196		
IDAHO	1,107	1,103	354	404	235	234	110	114
ILL	1,039	1,047	261	250	251	250	111	113
IND	1,002	995	346	362	239	238	89	99
IOWA	1,076	1,080			242	246	107	111
KANS	1,084	1,100			246	242	107	109
KY	942	917	291	367	249	247	112	106
LA	869	866	429	490	231	230	90	87
MICH	1,156	1,164	255	241	240	240	109	109
MINN	1,102	1,128	196	192	237	237	110	109
MISS	867	871	543	528	234	238		
MO	1,039	1,055	346	360	250	248	106	102
MONT	1,096	1,079			245	241	105	107
NEBR	1,091	1,099			234	228	103	114
NEV	1,027	1,036			213	222	110	113
N ENG 2/	1,115	1,088	120	109	251	250	88	91
N J	1,284	1,234	340	312	216	217	96	97
N MEX	985	985			238	229	122	112
N Y	1,139	1,119	154	149	234	230	101	105
N C	956	916	336	344	226	234	90	85
N DAK	1,019	1,046			235	243	120	126
OHIO	1,067	1,060	211	375	233	235	96	97
OKLA	1,003	996	494	473	258	303	107	110
OREG	1,091	1,094	420	442	220	235	109	106
PA	1,119	1,112	147	166	227	231	100	98
S C	968	952	411	412	241	243		
S DAK	1,072	1,077			245	251	110	109
TENN	890	898	224	206	256	258	97	
TEX	1,025	1,018	499	487	262	253	103	105
UTAH	1,068	1,087			237	238	113	115
VA	1,015	1,039	388	374	230	228	104	111
WASH	1,136	1,132	135	161	233	235	119	118
W VA	907	853	374	348	358	381	113	101
WISC	1,181	1,206	220	220	235	245	95	96
WYO	1,087	1,082			256	245	142	104
U S	1,064	1,068	244	249	241	242	109	108

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

SPECIES	OCT	SEP	OCT	JAN - OCT	
	1980	1981	1981	1980	1981
	PERCENT				
CATTLE	93.3	94.1	94.2	93.7	94.0
CALVES	88.6	87.3	87.1	88.8	88.5
HOGS	96.2	96.2	96.7	95.7	96.0
SHEEP	95.7	95.8	97.1	96.1	96.2

CLASSIFICATION OF LIVESTOCK SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, UNITED STATES

ITEM	OCT	SEP	OCT	JAN - OCT 1/		OCT	SEP	OCT	JAN - OCT 1/	
	1980	1981	1981	1980	1981	1980	1981	1981	1980	1981
	1,000 HEAD					PERCENT OF TOTAL				
CLASSIFICATION: 2/										
CATTLE										
STEERS	1,430	1,343	1,391	13,550	13,755	47.6	47.2	47.3	51.3	50.3
HEIFERS	886	880	888	7,512	7,878	29.5	31.0	30.3	28.4	28.9
COWS	620	548	592	4,777	5,054	20.7	19.3	20.2	18.1	18.5
BULLS & STAGS	67	70	63	571	615	2.2	2.5	2.2	2.2	2.3
TOTAL 1/	3,003	2,840	2,935	26,410	27,302	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
HOGS										
BARROW & GILTS	7,869	6,822	7,408	71,529	67,949	93.6	93.2	94.1	93.2	93.6
SOWS	444	409	383	4,304	3,797	5.3	5.6	4.9	5.6	5.2
STAGS & BOARS	91	88	81	900	872	1.1	1.2	1.0	1.2	1.2
TOTAL 1/	8,404	7,320	7,872	76,733	72,619	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
SHEEP										
MATURE SHEEP	41	43	40	334	344	8.0	7.9	7.1	7.5	7.2
LAMBS & YRLNGS	469	503	518	4,146	4,447	92.0	92.1	92.9	92.5	92.8
TOTAL 1/	510	546	558	4,480	4,791	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
AVERAGE DRESSED WEIGHT: 3/	-----POUNDS-----									
CATTLE	638	633	638	643	644					
STEERS 4/	709	700	710	706	708					
HEIFERS 4/	612	605	612	602	608					
COWS 4/	497	503	501	516	514					
BULLS & STAGS 4/	733	734	730	753	757					
CALVES & VEALERS	132	125	129	131	135					
HOGS	171	170	172	171	172					
BARROWS & GLTSS/	164	162	165	164	165					
SOWS 5/	290	287	291	291	292					
STAGS & BOARS 5/	217	217	213	213	207					
SHEEP	55	53	54	56	55					
MATURE SHEEP 6/	51	51	51	53	52					
LAMBS & YRLNGS 6/	55	53	54	56	55					

1/ TOTALS AND PERCENTAGES BASED ON UNROUNDED DATA. 2/ SPECIES TOTALS AND CLASSIFICATION REPORTED BY MEAT INSPECTORS, FOD, FSIS. 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  
OCTOBER 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 :	46.1	13.8	1.7	27.8	2.8	84.4	
3 :	84.7	26.6	9.4	43.5	5.1	29.5	
4 :	145.0	23.5	18.6	93.0	10.0	21.9	
5 :	330.8	122.5	80.2	117.9	10.2	67.9	
6 :	555.2	266.3	177.1	100.1	11.7	9.8	
7 :	1189.6	673.4	422.0	84.0	10.1	.7	
8 :	232.3	50.6	129.0	46.9	5.9	.1	
9 :	188.5	121.5	18.6	45.2	3.1	17.4	
10 :	162.7	93.0	31.7	33.7	4.4	4.5	
U.S. 2/ :	2934.8	1391.2	888.2	592.1	63.3	236.0	

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 :	33.8	32.7	.9	.2	9.4	1.6	7.8
3 :	499.3	471.8	12.1	15.3	17.4	1.7	15.6
4 :	1143.6	1065.6	71.3	6.7	1.0	.2	.8
5 :	2441.8	2295.8	111.3	34.8	106.0	9.7	96.3
6 :	146.7	121.9	22.9	1.9	99.1	10.2	88.9
7 :	2950.0	2801.2	127.6	21.1	20.4	2.1	18.3
8 :	410.8	376.1	34.2	.6	162.6	5.4	157.2
9 :	175.6	174.3	1.1	.2	4/		
10 :	70.0	68.7	1.3	.1	141.7	8.6	133.2
U.S. 2/ :	7871.6	7408.1	382.5	80.9	557.6	39.5	518.1

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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-OCT, 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 :	394.1	125.1	11.5	229.8	27.9	728.6
3 :	724.4	291.4	73.9	315.3	43.9	239.8
4 :	1175.9	232.8	175.4	688.0	79.7	155.4
5 :	3121.0	1265.4	746.0	1016.1	93.5	587.6
6 :	5450.0	2858.5	1609.2	856.6	125.8	78.8
7 :	11090.2	6450.2	3633.9	895.0	111.1	5.9
8 :	2085.2	513.9	1150.0	362.8	58.6	.5
9 :	1888.1	1236.1	180.3	437.3	34.4	176.6
10 :	1372.8	782.1	297.7	252.7	40.3	30.8
U.S. 2/ :	27301.8	13755.4	7877.8	5053.6	615.1	2004.0

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 :	434.4	424.3	7.7	2.4	79.1	11.2	67.9
3 :	5220.6	4938.8	154.6	127.2	164.6	10.3	154.3
4 :	10327.0	9553.9	704.2	68.9	10.2	3.3	7.0
5 :	21356.7	19891.9	1021.3	443.5	908.3	75.0	833.3
6 :	1715.8	1468.8	228.2	18.8	1008.9	119.8	889.1
7 :	27630.5	26031.9	1396.2	202.5	62.1	6.4	55.8
8 :	3573.2	3306.6	261.4	5.2	1322.8	51.7	1271.1
9 :	1721.9	1707.2	12.2	2.4	4/		
10 :	638.9	625.9	11.8	1.2	1234.8	66.8	1168.1
U.S. 2/ :	72619.0	67949.4	3797.5	872.1	4790.9	344.4	4446.6

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