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COMMERCIAL RED MEAT PRODUCTION for the United States in February 1984 totaled 3.09 billion pounds (1.40 million metric tons), up 11 percent from February 1983, according to the Crop Reporting Board. January-February red meat production, at 6.31 billion pounds (2.86 million metric tons), was up 6 percent from last year. The 1984 accumulated production changes by individual components were: beef, up 4 percent; veal, up 15 percent; pork, up 10 percent; lamb and mutton, up 11 percent. Commercial red meat production includes slaughter in federally inspected and other plants, but excludes animals slaughtered on farms.

Kill days for February 1984 included 21 weekdays (one a holiday) and 4 Saturdays.

COMPARING FEBRUARY 1984 WITH FEBRUARY 1983

BEEF PRODUCTION at 1.86 billion pounds (843 thousand metric tons), was up 9 percent. Head kill at 2.97 million was up 10 percent, while average live weight decreased 10 pounds to 1074.

VEAL PRODUCTION at 36 million pounds (16.3 thousand metric tons) increased 13 percent from a year ago. Calf slaughter of 255 thousand head was up 14 percent and average live weight increased 1 pound to 240 pounds.

PORK PRODUCTION totaled 1.17 billion pounds (528 thousand metric tons), up 14 percent from a year ago. The 6.81 million head killed was up 14 percent and average live weight increased 1 pound to 241.

LAMB AND MUTTON PRODUCTION increased 19 percent to 32 million pounds (14.5 thousand metric tons). Head kill at 561 thousand was up 20 percent and average live weight was unchanged at 115 pounds.

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COMMERCIAL RED MEAT AND LARD PRODUCTION: UNITED STATES 1/

K I N D	FEB 1984 AS % OF				JAN - FEB		2/
	FEB 1983	JAN 1984	FEB 1984	FEB 1983	JAN 1984	1983	1984 : OF 1983
	MILLION POUNDS			PERCENT		MILLION POUNDS	PERCENT
BEEF	1,707	1,913	1,858	109	97	3,634	3,772 104
VEAL	32	39	36	113	92	66	76 115
PORK	1,021	1,234	1,165	114	94	2,180	2,399 110
LAMB & MUTTON	27	31	32	119	103	57	63 111
TOTAL RED MEAT	2,787	3,218	3,092	111	96	5,937	6,309 106
LARD 3/	66	79	74	112	94	141	153 109

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	FEB 84 AS % OF				JAN - FEB		2/
		FEB 1983	JAN 1984	FEB 1984	FEB 1983	JAN 1984	1983	1984 : OF 1983
		PERCENT				PERCENT		
CATTLE								
NUMBER								
FED. INSP.	:THOU:	2,553.9	2,951.3	2,835.7	111	96	5,447.7	5,787.0 106
OTHER	:THOU:	137.4	155.9	134.8	98	86	304.5	290.7 95
COMMERCIAL 3/	:THOU:	2,691.3	3,107.2	2,970.5	110	96	5,752.2	6,077.7 106
LIVE WEIGHT/HD:								
FED. INSP.	:LBS:	1,091	1,072	1,079	99	101	1,088	1,076 99
OTHER	:LBS:	953	952	964	101	101	951	958 101
COMMERCIAL	:LBS:	1,084	1,066	1,074	99	101	1,081	1,070 99
CALVES								
NUMBER								
FED. INSP.	:THOU:	203.5	252.7	235.8	116	93	424.4	488.5 115
OTHER	:THOU:	20.0	24.5	19.3	97	79	43.0	43.9 102
COMMERCIAL 3/	:THOU:	223.5	277.3	255.1	114	92	467.4	532.4 114
LIVE WEIGHT/HD:								
FED. INSP.	:LBS:	215	218	223	104	102	213	221 104
OTHER	:LBS:	483	462	453	94	98	486	458 94
COMMERCIAL	:LBS:	239	240	240	100	100	238	240 101
HOGS								
NUMBER								
FED. INSP.	:THOU:	5,762.5	6,946.7	6,591.3	114	95	12,183.7	13,537.9 111
OTHER	:THOU:	201.9	241.4	220.5	109	91	444.8	461.9 104
COMMERCIAL 3/	:THOU:	5,964.4	7,188.1	6,811.8	114	95	12,628.5	13,999.9 111
LIVE WEIGHT/HD:								
FED. INSP.	:LBS:	241	242	241	100	100	242	242 100
OTHER	:LBS:	232	233	234	101	100	232	234 101
COMMERCIAL	:LBS:	240	242	241	100	100	242	241 100
SHEEP AND LAMBS:								
NUMBER								
FED. INSP.	:THOU:	457.4	539.8	548.4	120	102	966.8	1,088.2 113
OTHER	:THOU:	11.1	13.5	12.9	116	96	23.5	26.4 112
COMMERCIAL 3/	:THOU:	468.5	553.3	561.3	120	101	990.3	1,114.6 113
LIVE WEIGHT/HD:								
FED. INSP.	:LBS:	116	113	115	99	102	115	114 99
OTHER	:LBS:	93	97	97	104	100	94	97 103
COMMERCIAL	:LBS:	115	113	115	100	102	114	114 100

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	FEB 1984		AS % OF		JAN - FEB 2/		1984 AS %	
	FEB 1983	JAN 1984	FEB 1984	FEB 1983	JAN 1984	1983	1984	OF 1983
	MILLION POUNDS		PERCENT		MILLION POUNDS		PERCENT	
BEEF	1,632	1,830	1,785	109	98	3,469	3,615	104
VEAL	26	33	32	123	97	54	65	120
PORK	988	1,194	1,129	114	95	2,107	2,323	110
LAMB & MUTTON	26	30	32	123	107	55	62	113
TOTAL RED MEAT	2,673	3,087	2,977	111	96	5,685	6,064	107

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	FEB 1984		AS % OF		JAN - FEB 3/		1984 AS %	
	FEB 1983	JAN 1984	FEB 1984	FEB 1983	JAN 1984	1983	1984	OF 1983
	THOUSAND POUNDS		PERCENT		THOUSAND POUNDS		PERCENT	
ALA	16,911	20,751	17,388	103	84	36,081	38,140	106
ARIZ	17,135	25,813	27,136	158	105	35,636	52,950	149
ARK	7,488	9,192	7,899	105	86	15,616	17,091	109
CALIF	108,433	120,995	120,982	112	100	228,737	241,977	106
COLO	132,604	125,687	127,579	96	102	263,184	253,267	96
DEL-MD	8,288	6,234	5,415	65	87	17,615	11,649	66
FLA	17,481	19,490	18,172	104	93	36,289	37,662	104
GA	33,386	39,130	37,312	112	95	70,072	76,442	109
HAW	3,144	3,390	3,323	106	98	6,304	6,713	106
IDAHO	37,778	42,420	43,918	116	104	82,911	86,338	104
ILL	144,073	164,315	151,838	105	92	294,422	316,153	107
IND	55,732	64,958	62,137	111	96	117,147	127,094	108
IOWA	416,707	506,489	474,148	114	94	905,439	980,637	108
KANS	239,634	287,562	303,334	127	105	507,055	590,897	117
KY	36,840	47,000	38,277	104	81	79,525	85,277	107
LA	4,507	6,242	6,578	146	105	9,949	12,820	129
MICH	86,696	103,591	99,834	115	96	181,056	203,425	112
MINN	121,785	139,092	123,889	102	89	265,984	262,981	99
MISS	36,205	32,915	35,609	98	108	77,734	68,524	88
MO	81,453	95,101	80,848	99	85	178,135	175,949	99
MONT	11,191	4,633	3,432	31	74	23,676	8,065	34
NEBR	314,067	289,547	277,704	88	96	671,346	567,251	84
NEV	379	390	434	114	111	719	824	115
N ENG 2/	5,338	6,566	5,642	106	86	11,320	12,208	108
N J	12,678	13,703	13,577	107	99	26,763	27,280	102
N MEX	7,455	7,680	7,021	94	91	15,536	14,701	95
N Y	15,469	18,103	16,379	106	90	32,497	34,482	106
N C	33,563	41,065	35,741	106	87	74,478	76,806	103
N DAK	7,302	9,914	8,583	118	87	16,280	18,498	114
OHIO	69,076	87,626	79,430	115	91	151,048	167,056	111
OKLA	24,584	32,003	28,542	116	89	54,656	60,545	111
OREG	6,518	8,379	7,674	118	92	14,417	16,054	111
PA	66,235	100,660	93,909	142	93	144,121	194,568	135
S C	11,466	13,509	13,885	121	103	24,195	27,395	113
S DAK	72,851	86,849	84,799	116	98	157,373	171,649	109
TENN	33,535	50,357	52,038	155	103	72,865	102,395	141
TEX	274,049	337,296	339,551	124	101	586,394	676,846	115
UTAH	15,050	18,360	17,652	117	96	31,792	36,011	113
VA	55,053	57,196	56,480	103	99	117,206	113,675	97
WASH	54,668	64,552	62,600	115	97	113,675	127,152	112
W VA	1,976	2,363	1,807	91	76	4,358	4,170	96
WISC	87,243	105,870	98,687	113	93	182,386	204,557	112
WYO	636	723	664	104	92	1,377	1,387	101
U.S.	2,786,659	3,217,714	3,091,847	111	96	5,937,368	6,309,561	106

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	FEBRUARY				JANUARY-FEBRUARY 3/			
	NUMBER SLAUGHTERED		TOTAL LIVE WEIGHT		NUMBER SLAUGHTERED		TOTAL LIVE WEIGHT	
	1983	1984	1983	1984	1983	1984	1983	1984
	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	17.2	16.1	17,649	16,122	36.7	36.0	37,597	36,160
ARIZ	24.5	37.8	25,243	39,636	51.5	72.8	53,120	76,602
ARK	6.3	6.4	5,536	5,804	13.7	13.8	11,992	12,357
CALIF	126.1	137.7	138,980	155,576	265.9	275.3	294,178	310,356
COLO	183.7	182.6	199,914	192,559	367.0	364.3	395,935	383,174
DEL-MD	5.0	5.1	5,610	5,725	10.9	10.9	12,061	12,308
FLA	27.4	29.8	27,416	30,119	58.3	62.8	57,520	62,810
GA	15.4	19.1	14,046	17,295	32.3	39.6	29,365	35,708
HAW	4.5	4.8	4,536	4,903	8.9	9.7	9,067	9,860
IDAHO	55.4	65.3	63,274	73,481	123.0	129.4	140,002	145,048
ILL	67.9	73.3	71,196	77,444	134.1	158.5	139,425	166,086
IND	23.7	24.7	23,962	26,004	53.8	53.4	53,757	55,132
IOWA	257.2	256.5	281,838	278,388	564.0	543.4	618,710	586,188
KANS	344.2	419.2	379,096	456,935	724.2	816.8	797,188	887,473
KY	12.8	11.1	12,092	10,341	27.4	24.4	25,755	22,384
LA	4.4	6.8	3,346	5,527	8.8	11.2	6,644	8,860
MICH	39.9	44.4	47,696	48,357	83.7	95.7	99,828	104,287
MINN	82.0	92.3	94,595	104,317	189.2	188.3	214,990	210,951
MISS	17.1	17.7	16,064	16,269	37.7	36.8	35,228	34,139
MO	52.7	53.0	56,048	54,930	115.7	121.7	123,477	124,659
MONT	8.9	5.4	9,810	5,657	18.9	13.4	20,491	13,548
NEBR	404.2	366.7	445,072	397,714	865.9	756.9	950,099	818,142
NEV	.5	.6	598	697	.9	1.2	1,116	1,308
N ENG 2/:	6.9	7.2	7,580	7,786	14.5	15.6	16,088	16,749
N J	11.4	10.9	14,549	13,802	23.9	22.2	30,319	27,901
N MEX	11.4	11.8	11,055	11,908	23.3	24.9	22,698	24,796
N Y	20.0	20.3	23,274	23,674	42.4	43.5	48,787	50,473
N C	9.3	11.1	8,734	10,382	20.9	23.9	19,704	22,109
N DAK	11.4	14.0	12,656	14,921	26.4	30.3	28,531	32,316
OHIO	43.6	51.6	47,014	56,268	97.1	109.2	103,775	119,047
OKLA	37.6	43.8	37,080	44,299	83.8	93.4	82,934	93,811
OREG	6.9	8.7	8,199	10,083	16.4	18.3	18,560	20,951
PA	61.6	82.2	71,778	97,928	136.7	168.8	159,397	200,890
S C	7.7	9.2	7,841	9,524	16.9	18.3	17,050	18,738
S DAK	50.3	61.5	56,516	68,597	110.1	125.6	122,912	138,959
TENN	22.4	24.0	22,519	24,239	49.7	50.7	48,891	50,845
TEX	416.6	514.9	418,317	517,063	889.8	1,029.1	893,307	1,031,062
UTAH	18.8	21.7	20,845	23,987	39.9	45.0	44,347	49,073
VA	10.2	8.5	10,870	8,725	23.0	19.2	24,199	19,644
WASH	70.5	83.6	81,592	95,269	148.2	168.8	170,910	192,414
W VA	2.4	2.1	2,377	2,073	5.5	5.1	5,284	4,960
WISC	90.5	106.1	110,902	125,873	189.0	227.8	230,206	270,572
WYO	.9	.9	938	883	2.0	1.9	2,062	1,914
U S	2,691.3	2,970.5	2,918,256	3,191,084	5,752.2	6,077.7	6,217,504	6,504,763

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	FEBRUARY				JANUARY-FEBRUARY 3/			
	NUMBER SLAUGHTERED		TOTAL LIVE WEIGHT		NUMBER SLAUGHTERED		TOTAL LIVE WEIGHT	
	1983	1984	1983	1984	1983	1984	1983	1984
	1,000 HEAD		1,000 POUNDS		1,000 HEAD		1,000 POUNDS	
ALA	.2	.3	109	128	.6	.6	263	269
ARIZ	.2	.1	37	42	.4	.3	74	75
ARK	.2	.2	90	73	.4	.5	157	186
CALIF	19.5	23.7	3,762	3,649	38.9	46.4	7,606	7,199
COLO								
DEL-MD	3.0	5.1	1,075	1,791	6.6	10.7	2,331	3,753
FLA	8.8	8.7	2,270	1,959	18.3	20.3	4,605	4,287
GA	.9	1.3	311	452	2.3	2.5	781	872
HAW								
IDAHO	.1		49		.3	.1	167	36
ILL	14.6	16.0	3,675	3,561	31.3	33.4	7,960	7,398
IND	7.9	13.9	2,752	4,809	17.2	27.2	5,999	9,410
IOWA								
KANS						.1		11
KY	.1	.1	21	21	.1	.1	27	61
LA	5.6	9.6	2,802	4,297	12.6	22.0	6,348	9,868
MICH	6.1	6.0	1,424	1,491	11.8	13.0	2,532	3,172
MINN	.5	.4	92	87	.9	.8	178	171
MISS	1.8	1.0	984	468	3.7	2.1	2,061	1,061
MO	.6	.9	207	215	1.2	1.7	431	452
MONT						.1		2
NEBR								
NEV								
N ENG 2/	11.2	13.1	1,192	1,545	23.1	27.1	2,465	3,126
N J	7.9	9.5	2,580	3,013	16.8	19.1	5,392	6,042
N MEX								
N Y	42.6	48.6	6,087	7,499	90.0	101.4	12,796	15,282
N C	.9	1.2	313	266	1.3	2.3	469	621
N DAK		.1		21		.1		38
OHIO	1.5	2.3	257	752	4.0	5.9	671	1,985
OKLA	.3	.3	168	149	.8	.7	351	309
OREG	.7	.8	228	315	1.5	1.6	570	627
PA	23.0	22.2	3,704	3,820	45.9	47.5	7,471	8,098
S C	3.6	4.0	1,491	1,713	7.6	8.0	2,816	3,422
S DAK								
TENN	1.8	3.2	376	903	4.1	6.7	903	1,757
TEX	19.7	21.1	8,299	8,517	41.1	45.7	17,001	18,336
UTAH								
VA	1.2	.2	529	47	2.8	.4	1,148	102
WASH	4.5	5.6	984	1,050	9.6	12.3	1,645	2,290
W VA					.1	.1	13	29
WISC	34.6	35.5	7,535	8,531	72.0	71.5	15,837	17,414
WYO								
U S	223.5	255.1	53,439	61,244	467.4	532.4	111,125	127,811

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3/ ACCUMULATED TOTALS BASED ON UNROUNDED DATA.

COMMERCIAL HOG SLAUGHTER 1/

STATE	FEBRUARY				JANUARY-FEBRUARY 3/			
	NUMBER SLAUGHTERED		TOTAL LIVE WEIGHT		NUMBER SLAUGHTERED		TOTAL LIVE WEIGHT	
	1983	1984	1983	1984	1983	1984	1983	1984
	1,000 HEAD	1,000 POUNDS	1,000 HEAD	1,000 POUNDS	1,000 HEAD	1,000 POUNDS	1,000 HEAD	1,000 POUNDS
ALA	32.7	43.6	9,988	12,298	69.6	91.3	21,144	26,149
ARIZ	12.0	19.9	2,784	4,413	22.4	41.1	5,200	9,137
ARK	20.7	23.2	6,864	7,300	42.5	49.9	14,011	16,074
CALIF	126.4	144.8	28,793	32,859	265.1	302.7	60,944	68,438
COLO	13.9	12.5	3,128	2,914	34.7	27.8	7,874	6,473
DEL-MD	24.6	5.1	5,826	1,227	51.2	11.1	12,210	2,694
FLA	9.0	7.0	1,810	1,400	19.0	13.0	3,724	2,613
GA	155.0	169.8	35,742	39,027	324.2	347.3	75,057	79,601
HAW	3.3	3.3	628	616	6.5	6.7	1,270	1,261
IDAHO	6.0	6.5	1,398	1,497	12.5	12.8	2,935	2,999
ILL	565.1	585.5	136,894	142,866	1,159.0	1,201.6	283,687	293,774
IND	240.8	267.1	56,720	63,334	489.4	538.9	115,964	127,972
IOWA	1,410.9	1,756.8	340,003	424,830	3,004.3	3,604.6	732,796	871,415
KANS	36.4	119.2	9,590	29,373	82.4	245.2	22,068	60,763
KY	170.2	184.3	42,273	45,527	366.2	411.5	91,444	101,928
LA	6.1	7.8	1,432	1,731	12.8	15.0	3,010	3,408
MICH	353.2	430.0	85,381	103,396	736.1	856.9	178,222	206,144
MINN	383.2	365.9	91,370	88,232	808.9	810.0	194,261	195,396
MISS	167.9	167.7	39,567	39,176	355.8	316.0	84,086	73,708
MO	277.2	282.7	68,042	70,137	596.8	596.2	147,920	148,556
MONT	33.4	2.1	8,019	517	72.8	4.5	17,484	1,111
NEBR	322.7	269.8	73,915	61,924	687.2	550.6	158,255	126,295
NEV	.2	.3	52	64	.5	.6	103	128
N ENG 2/	4.8	5.0	1,165	1,198	10.4	11.6	2,509	2,794
N J	18.0	25.7	3,938	5,613	39.7	52.0	8,640	11,128
N MEX	.8	.7	181	169	2.9	1.6	627	362
N Y	4.3	4.5	955	1,042	9.1	10.2	2,038	2,322
N C	171.4	180.9	40,469	42,486	377.1	387.3	89,524	91,304
N DAK	4.5	5.8	954	1,260	9.4	12.3	2,064	2,655
OHIO	244.6	282.1	58,256	66,887	533.2	589.0	126,998	139,799
OKLA	13.9	13.8	4,478	4,259	29.2	29.8	9,342	9,356
OREG	12.5	13.1	2,882	3,023	26.1	27.5	6,034	7,225
PA	152.9	247.6	35,132	57,700	324.3	523.5	75,024	121,452
S C	39.7	48.8	9,442	11,691	83.1	98.3	19,839	22,979
S DAK	221.9	253.9	53,570	62,872	475.0	506.6	116,045	127,327
TENN	114.3	212.4	31,670	58,591	244.7	405.8	68,557	108,912
TEX	97.2	103.5	24,841	26,702	207.8	215.3	53,701	55,920
UTAH	13.6	18.1	3,336	4,342	28.5	35.7	6,946	8,527
VA	301.9	326.3	69,056	73,004	636.1	646.9	146,317	146,010
WASH	27.1	24.1	6,140	5,622	55.9	53.1	12,719	12,510
W VA	2.2	2.2	863	851	4.7	4.7	1,865	1,827
WISC	147.6	167.4	35,591	40,849	310.2	331.5	75,128	80,163
WYO	.6	.9	160	200	1.3	1.6	332	384
U S	5,964.4	6,811.8	1,433,297	1,641,020	12,628.5	13,999.9	3,057,919	3,378,992

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 3/ ACCUMULATED TOTALS BASED ON UNROUNDED DATA.

COMMERCIAL SHEEP AND LAMB SLAUGHTER 1/

STATE	FEBRUARY				JANUARY-FEBRUARY 3/			
	NUMBER SLAUGHTERED		TOTAL LIVE WEIGHT		NUMBER SLAUGHTERED		TOTAL LIVE WEIGHT	
	1983	1984	1983	1984	1983	1984	1983	1984
	1,000 HEAD	1,000 POUNDS	1,000 HEAD	1,000 POUNDS	1,000 HEAD	1,000 POUNDS	1,000 HEAD	1,000 POUNDS
ALA								
ARIZ	.1	.1	16	12	.3	.3	36	32
ARK	.1	.1	13	13	.2	.3	25	27
CALIF	104.1	122.2	12,313	14,608	205.6	231.8	24,116	26,967
COLO	120.1	122.3	14,394	14,448	250.3	245.1	29,662	28,764
DEL-MD	3.3	2.8	353	298	7.4	6.5	797	690
FLA						.1		6
GA					.1	.1	6	9
HAW								
IDAHO	.5	.5	53	51	.9	1.0	99	105
ILL	2.8	15.1	231	1,731	20.2	34.2	2,170	3,861
IND	.4	.7	35	72	1.0	1.5	90	163
IOWA	29.4	72.5	3,522	8,608	58.8	137.1	6,940	16,186
KANS	.3	.3	30	29	.6	.6	69	83
KY	.7	.7	82	81	1.4	1.4	159	167
LA	.3	.5	34	58	.6	.7	54	79
MICH	22.4	27.0	2,539	3,096	46.9	54.9	5,314	6,246
MINN	41.6	40.6	4,822	4,753	92.8	82.6	10,641	9,613
MISS								
MO	1.3	2.1	136	197	2.9	5.0	297	487
MONT	.2	.2	18	19	.4	.4	50	45
NEBR	.2	.2	18	23	.3	.4	31	38
NEV	.2	.1	20	11	.4	.2	42	29
N ENG 2/	.8	1.2	77	112	1.9	2.7	181	264
N J	2.7	3.6	260	362	5.6	7.7	560	788
N MEX	20.3	5.9	2,135	621	42.7	12.8	4,571	1,354
N Y	3.6	3.6	366	364	8.1	7.5	848	769
N C					.1	.1	11	13
N DAK	.1	.1	10	7	.2	.2	19	18
OHIO	1.0	1.4	109	143	2.6	3.0	266	297
OKLA	.3	.3	34	32	.7	.5	67	56
OREG	.8	.7	86	74	1.8	1.5	190	154
PA	10.7	12.6	1,143	1,326	23.0	24.4	2,415	2,565
S C								
S DAK	36.4	41.8	4,324	4,922	75.2	86.0	8,836	10,053
TENN								
TEX	48.3	63.9	5,253	6,402	104.9	127.3	11,252	12,813
UTAH	2.7	2.7	298	334	5.1	5.2	566	599
VA	.3	.4	25	35	.5	.7	49	73
WASH	11.6	14.3	1,202	1,545	24.9	28.9	2,468	3,183
W VA	.1	.1	5	7	.2	.2	17	13
WISC	.5	.6	55	55	1.1	1.2	106	115
WYO	.1	.1	12	15	.3	.3	30	32
U S	468.5	561.3	54,032	64,478	990.3	1,114.6	113,058	126,761

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LIVESTOCK SLAUGHTER, AVERAGE LIVE WEIGHT PER HEAD,
FEBRUARY 1983 AND 1984 1/

STATE	CATTLE		CALVES		HOGS		SHEEP AND LAMBS	
	1983	1984	1983	1984	1983	1984	1983	1984
	POUNDS		POUNDS		POUNDS		POUNDS	
ALA	1,025	1,000	436	454	305	282		
ARIZ	1,030	1,047	185	291	232	222	119	107
ARK	886	912	421	434	341	315	108	100
CALIF	1,102	1,130	193	154	228	227	118	120
COLO	1,088	1,054			225	233	120	118
DEL-MD	1,123	1,131	357	349	237	241	108	106
FLA	999	1,012	259	225	201	200		
GA	910	904	341	342	231	230		
HAW	1,015	1,028			188	185		
IDAHO	1,142	1,126	572		234	232	106	105
ILL	1,048	1,056	252	223	242	244	82	114
IND	1,011	1,054	347	346	236	237	79	106
IOWA	1,096	1,086			241	242	120	119
KANS	1,101	1,090			263	246	113	111
KY	947	930	329	332	248	247	120	120
LA	757	807	503	447	233	223	107	109
MICH	1,196	1,090	235	247	242	240	114	115
MINN	1,154	1,130	202	207	238	241	116	117
MISS	937	922	561	485	236	234		
MO	1,064	1,037	357	241	245	248	102	94
MONT	1,107	1,043			240	244	102	102
NEBR	1,101	1,085			229	230	114	107
NEV	1,193	1,084			223	214	121	126
N ENG 2/	1,105	1,075	107	118	241	241	97	94
N J	1,281	1,264	327	316	218	218	97	102
N MEX	969	1,007			221	233	105	106
N Y	1,166	1,164	143	154	224	230	102	102
N C	935	939	348	230	236	235		
N DAK	1,113	1,063		416	213	216	116	107
OHIO	1,077	1,091	171	326	238	237	105	99
OKLA	986	1,011	488	437	322	308	109	117
OREG	1,182	1,166	348	416	231	231	106	106
PA	1,165	1,192	161	172	230	233	106	106
S C	1,017	1,040	414	428	238	240		
S DAK	1,124	1,115			241	248	119	118
TENN	1,006	1,008	212	279	277	266		
TEX	1,004	1,004	422	403	255	258	109	100
UTAH	1,110	1,106			245	241	109	122
VA	1,066	1,022	427	268	229	224	97	98
WASH	1,158	1,139	221	187	227	233	104	108
W VA	989	1,001			393	392	95	81
WISC	1,226	1,186	218	241	241	244	100	99
WYO	1,047	992			249	235	118	105
U S	1,084	1,074	239	240	240	241	115	115

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

SPECIES	FEB	JAN	FEB	JAN - FEB	
	1983	1984	1984	1983	1984
	PERCENT				
CATTLE	94.9	95.0	95.5	94.7	95.2
CALVES	91.0	91.1	92.4	90.8	91.8
HOGS	96.6	96.6	96.8	96.5	96.7
SHEEP	97.6	97.6	97.7	97.6	97.6

CLASSIFICATION OF LIVESTOCK SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, UNITED STATES

ITEM	FEB	JAN	FEB	JAN - FEB1/		FEB	JAN	FEB	JAN - FEB1/	
	1983	1984	1984	1983	1984	1983	1984	1984	1983	1984
	1,000 HEAD					PERCENT OF TOTAL				
CLASSIFICATION: 2/										
CATTLE										
STEERS	1,277	1,392	1,367	2,629	2,758	50.0	47.1	48.2	48.2	47.6
HEIFERS	743	777	789	1,613	1,566	29.1	26.3	27.8	29.6	27.1
COWS	480	736	629	1,093	1,365	18.8	25.0	22.2	20.1	23.6
BULLS & STAGS	54	47	51	113	98	2.1	1.6	1.8	2.1	1.7
TOTAL 1/	2,554	2,951	2,836	5,448	5,787	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
HOGS										
BARROW & GILTS	5,455	6,497	6,210	11,505	12,706	94.7	93.5	94.2	94.4	93.9
SOWS	243	373	308	543	681	4.2	5.4	4.7	4.5	5.0
STAGS & BOARS	65	77	73	136	150	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1
TOTAL 1/	5,762	6,947	6,591	12,184	13,538	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
SHEEP										
MATURE SHEEP	28	35	30	56	65	6.1	6.5	5.4	5.8	5.9
LAMBS & YRLNGS	430	505	519	910	1,024	93.9	93.5	94.6	94.2	94.1
TOTAL 1/	457	540	548	967	1,088	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
AVERAGE DRESSED WEIGHT: 3/	-----POUNDS-----									
CATTLE										
STEERS 4/	641	623	632	639	627					
HEIFERS 4/	701	689	691	704	690					
COWS 4/	607	599	607	609	603					
BULLS & STAGS 4/	525	514	522	518	517					
	758	745	782	756	763					
CALVES & VEALERS	132	132	136	129	134					
HOGS										
BARROWS & GLTS5/	172	172	172	174	172					
SOWS 5/	166	166	166	167	166					
STAGS & BOARS 5/	295	288	289	299	288					
	198	206	211	199	208					
SHEEP										
MATURE SHEEP 6/	58	56	58	58	57					
LAMBS & YRLNGS6/	55	53	54	56	54					
	58	57	58	58	57					

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

U.S. FEDERALLY INSPECTED SLAUGHTER BY REGIONS
FEBRUARY 1984

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 :	37.2	7.3	1.4	26.8	1.8	71.1	
3 :	91.3	29.4	8.7	50.2	3.0	27.4	
4 :	116.4	22.1	16.2	72.1	6.0	17.9	
5 :	342.8	126.6	60.2	147.2	8.8	73.3	
6 :	559.8	288.9	168.3	91.2	11.4	15.3	
7 :	1075.3	615.4	335.4	115.9	8.5	.6	
8 :	279.5	84.0	145.9	44.1	5.5	.0	
9 :	176.9	110.8	14.1	49.0	3.0	23.8	
10 :	156.5	82.1	38.8	32.5	3.1	6.4	
U.S. 2/ :	2835.7	1366.7	789.1	628.9	51.1	235.8	

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 :	33.7	33.1	.6	.1	7.7	1.5	6.3
3 :	575.5	551.7	13.6	10.2	15.4	1.1	14.3
4 :	926.2	855.9	63.6	6.8	.7	.2	.5
5 :	2023.1	1900.7	92.8	29.5	80.3	5.9	74.4
6 :	125.3	102.4	21.5	1.4	66.5	5.0	61.5
7 :	2412.1	2301.8	85.6	24.6	73.9	5.7	68.2
8 :	288.5	260.1	28.0	.3	166.4	4.3	162.1
9 :	163.8	162.4	1.2	.2	4/		
10 :	43.0	41.5	1.4	.1	137.5	5.9	131.6
U.S. 2/ :	6591.3	6209.6	308.4	73.2	548.4	29.5	518.9

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U.S. FEDERALLY INSPECTED SLAUGHTER BY REGIONS
JAN-FEB 1984 *

STANDARD :		C A T T L E					C A L V E S
FEDERAL :							
REGIONS ^{1/} :	TOTAL 2/ :	STEERS :	HEIFERS :	COWS :	BULLS & STAGS:	TOTAL 2/ :	
T H O U S A N D H E A D							
1 3/ :							
2 :	78.3	15.3	2.9	56.8	3.3	147.3	
3 :	188.7	58.5	18.8	105.5	6.0	58.3	
4 :	247.0	47.1	32.5	155.8	11.6	38.0	
5 :	724.1	258.5	128.9	321.1	15.6	150.4	
6 :	1123.1	562.7	345.2	193.6	21.7	32.6	
7 :	2194.8	1247.6	657.9	271.8	17.5	1.1	
8 :	565.7	184.5	276.1	94.5	10.6	.1	
9 :	350.9	220.4	28.4	96.5	5.6	46.7	
10 :	314.4	163.6	75.1	69.8	5.9	13.9	
U.S. 2/ :	5787.0	2758.3	1565.7	1365.3	97.7	488.5	

STANDARD :		H O G S				S H E E P	
FEDERAL :							
REGIONS ^{1/} :	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 :	70.3	69.0	1.1	.3	16.7	3.2	13.5
3 :	1172.9	1123.5	28.6	20.8	31.0	2.2	28.8
4 :	1890.4	1740.9	135.6	13.9	1.4	.4	1.0
5 :	4169.2	3903.5	206.5	59.1	166.5	15.1	151.4
6 :	261.9	210.3	48.8	2.9	133.8	11.3	122.5
7 :	4961.1	4721.6	187.4	52.1	140.8	12.2	128.6
8 :	578.1	509.9	67.6	.7	335.2	9.0	326.2
9 :	342.0	339.2	2.4	.4	4/		
10 :	92.1	88.5	3.3	.3	262.7	11.0	251.7
U.S. 2/ :	13537.9	12706.2	681.4	150.3	1088.2	64.5	1023.7

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