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COMMERCIAL RED MEAT PRODUCTION for the United States in May 1984 totaled 3.41 billion pounds (1.55 million metric tons), up 8 percent from May 1983, according to the Crop Reporting Board. January-May red meat production, at 16.1 billion pounds (7.32 million metric tons), was up 5 percent from last year. The 1984 accumulated production percent changes by individual components were: beef, up 5 percent; veal, up 14 percent; pork, up 4 percent; lamb and mutton, up 7 percent. Commercial red meat production includes slaughter in federally inspected and other plants, but excludes animals slaughtered on farms.

Kill days for May 1984 included 23 weekdays (one a holiday) and 4 Saturdays.

COMPARING MAY 1984 WITH MAY 1983

BEEF PRODUCTION, at 2.06 billion pounds (934 thousand metric tons), was up 11 percent. Head kill was 3.30 million, up 12 percent, while average live weight declined 3 pounds to 1063.

VEAL PRODUCTION, at 39 million pounds (17.7 thousand metric tons), increased 22 percent. Calf slaughter of 255 thousand head was up 19 percent and average live weight increased 3 pounds to 257.

PORK PRODUCTION totaled 1.28 billion pounds (581 thousand metric tons), up 3 percent. The 7.37 million head killed was up 3 percent, however, the average live weight remained unchanged at 245.

LAMB AND MUTTON PRODUCTION increased 3 percent to 31 million pounds (14.1 thousand metric tons). Slaughter totaled 574 thousand head, an increase of 9 percent. The average live weight declined 3 pounds to 110.

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COMMERCIAL RED MEAT AND LARD PRODUCTION: UNITED STATES 1/

K I N D	MAY 1984 AS % OF					JAN - MAY		2/
	MAY 1983	APR 1984	MAY 1984	MAY 1983	APR 1984	1983	1984	
	MILLION POUNDS			PERCENT		MILLION POUNDS		PERCENT
BEEF	1,859	1,776	2,059	111	116	9,112	9,544	105
YEAL	32	36	39	122	108	167	191	114
PORK	1,243	1,233	1,281	103	104	5,989	6,251	104
LAMB & MUTTON	30	34	31	103	91	153	163	107
TOTAL RED MEAT	3,163	3,079	3,409	108	111	15,420	16,148	105
LARD 3/	79	79	81	103	103	385	400	104

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			MAY 84 AS % OF		JAN - MAY		2/
		1983	1984	1984	MAY 1983	APR 1984	1983	1984	
					PERCENT				PERCENT
CATTLE									
NUMBER									
FED. INSP.	: THOU:	2,820.3	2,728.2	3,169.2	112	116	13,710.5	14,638.8	107
OTHER	: THOU:	136.4	126.1	130.9	96	104	733.5	683.4	93
COMMERCIAL 3/	: THOU:	2,956.7	2,854.3	3,300.1	112	116	14,444.0	15,322.2	106
LIVE WEIGHT/HD:									
FED. INSP.	: LBS:	1,071	1,073	1,068	100	100	1,082	1,074	99
OTHER	: LBS:	961	954	948	99	99	957	954	100
COMMERCIAL	: LBS:	1,066	1,067	1,063	100	100	1,075	1,069	99
CALVES									
NUMBER									
FED. INSP.	: THOU:	193.5	226.2	233.3	121	103	1,066.0	1,212.3	114
OTHER	: THOU:	20.5	22.4	21.4	104	96	105.8	108.3	102
COMMERCIAL 3/	: THOU:	214.0	248.6	254.7	119	102	1,171.8	1,320.6	113
LIVE WEIGHT/HD:									
FED. INSP.	: LBS:	231	225	237	103	105	218	224	103
OTHER	: LBS:	476	455	468	98	103	484	462	95
COMMERCIAL	: LBS:	254	246	257	101	104	242	244	101
HOGS									
NUMBER									
FED. INSP.	: THOU:	6,905.3	6,952.7	7,152.8	104	103	33,525.3	35,221.7	105
OTHER	: THOU:	212.6	207.8	212.9	100	102	1,102.2	1,106.9	100
COMMERCIAL 3/	: THOU:	7,117.9	7,160.6	7,365.7	103	103	34,627.4	36,328.6	105
LIVE WEIGHT/HD:									
FED. INSP.	: LBS:	246	243	245	100	101	243	242	100
OTHER	: LBS:	228	229	228	100	100	232	231	100
COMMERCIAL	: LBS:	245	242	245	100	101	243	242	100
SHEEP AND LAMBS:									
NUMBER									
FED. INSP.	: THOU:	508.3	591.8	557.6	110	94	2,600.1	2,823.7	109
OTHER	: THOU:	18.6	23.9	16.0	86	67	74.0	80.7	109
COMMERCIAL 3/	: THOU:	526.8	615.7	573.6	109	93	2,674.1	2,904.4	109
LIVE WEIGHT/HD:									
FED. INSP.	: LBS:	114	113	110	96	97	115	113	98
OTHER	: LBS:	89	85	96	108	113	92	94	102
COMMERCIAL	: LBS:	113	112	110	97	98	114	113	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	MAY 1984 AS % OF					JAN - MAY 2/		1984 AS % OF 1983
	MAY 1983	APR 1984	MAY 1984	MAY 1983	APR 1984	1983	1984	
	MILLION POUNDS			PERCENT		MILLION POUNDS		PERCENT
BEEF	1,783	1,708	1,989	112	116	8,710	9,176	105
VEAL	27	31	33	122	106	139	163	117
PORK	1,208	1,200	1,246	103	104	5,808	6,069	104
LAMB & MUTTON	29	33	31	107	94	149	159	107
TOTAL RED MEAT:	3,047	2,971	3,299	108	111	14,806	15,568	105

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 84 AS % OF					JAN - MAY 3/		1984 AS % OF 1983
	MAY 1983	APR 1984	MAY 1984	MAY 1983	APR 1984	1983	1984	
	THOUSAND POUNDS			PERCENT		THOUSAND POUNDS		PERCENT
ALA	22,299	18,975	21,553	97	114	99,620	98,627	99
ARIZ	23,800	28,400	32,236	135	114	100,255	142,871	143
ARK	7,755	8,084	7,822	101	97	38,863	41,663	107
CALIF	122,856	123,427	135,336	110	110	593,897	630,881	106
COLO	108,168	116,839	126,136	117	108	626,986	633,083	101
DEL-MD	8,360	4,883	5,344	64	109	44,771	27,095	61
FLA	19,541	18,503	19,942	102	108	94,223	95,860	102
GA	38,459	37,523	40,920	106	109	189,739	196,765	104
HAW	3,299	3,091	2,999	91	97	16,579	15,968	96
IDAHO	38,188	41,175	43,063	113	105	199,149	214,791	108
ILL	167,125	163,211	187,388	112	115	811,857	840,026	103
IND	56,528	61,388	61,492	109	100	294,600	321,944	109
IOWA	490,966	458,471	459,486	94	100	2,362,350	2,410,959	102
KANS	285,662	289,876	337,124	118	116	1,336,954	1,539,715	115
KY	43,631	42,079	44,966	103	107	213,407	218,805	103
LA	5,290	6,684	6,855	130	103	25,281	33,946	134
MICH	102,497	101,186	112,714	110	111	491,676	530,371	108
MINN	142,378	142,028	157,431	111	111	702,845	703,051	100
MISS	43,100	40,988	45,086	105	110	206,614	198,758	96
MO	96,440	77,621	81,537	85	105	468,719	413,143	88
MONT	9,366	3,027	4,015	43	133	54,144	17,346	32
NEBR	330,026	323,026	387,701	117	120	1,641,132	1,594,700	97
NEV	437	482	531	121	110	1,806	2,364	131
N ENG 2/	5,871	5,488	5,670	97	103	29,393	29,309	100
N J	14,719	12,644	16,911	115	134	69,894	71,688	103
N MEX	8,461	7,066	7,604	90	108	41,978	37,105	88
N Y	16,014	15,710	17,127	107	109	84,839	84,986	100
N C	38,451	37,248	39,091	102	105	194,194	192,631	99
N DAK	7,136	7,015	8,715	122	124	38,226	42,125	110
OHIO	88,468	79,513	84,669	96	106	412,557	419,529	102
OKLA	29,068	26,249	30,852	106	118	141,071	148,630	105
OREG	7,528	8,175	8,870	118	109	37,044	41,112	111
PA	80,181	78,639	79,627	99	101	380,675	450,366	118
S C	13,591	13,314	14,681	108	110	64,521	70,239	109
S DAK	85,199	79,890	89,960	106	113	409,524	430,384	105
TENN	39,618	56,014	56,607	143	101	194,042	271,730	140
TEX	332,895	315,895	387,603	116	123	1,556,969	1,741,558	112
UTAH	16,073	18,324	19,792	123	108	81,360	93,943	115
VA	53,625	61,678	62,524	117	101	286,460	298,632	104
WASH	54,290	54,269	56,761	105	105	282,077	293,401	104
W VA	1,822	1,708	1,782	98	104	10,055	9,506	95
WISC	103,375	88,862	98,268	95	111	486,745	494,979	102
WYO	705	599	751	107	125	3,559	3,378	95
U.S.	3,163,259	3,079,266	3,409,542	108	111	15,420,652	16,147,965	105

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	
	1983	1984	1983	1984	1983	1984	1983	1984
	1,000 HEAD		1,000 POUNDS		1,000 HEAD		1,000 POUNDS	
ALA	23.0	21.4	23,599	22,006	100.4	94.6	102,909	95,798
ARIZ	34.7	44.9	35,407	46,944	143.8	197.2	148,164	206,516
ARK	6.9	6.3	6,040	5,596	33.5	33.6	29,436	29,944
CALIF	140.7	155.8	155,091	171,631	679.8	715.4	751,221	799,327
COLO	156.5	178.0	164,143	189,575	878.5	897.2	941,608	951,944
DEL-MD	5.1	5.3	5,748	6,253	27.1	26.0	29,954	29,726
FLA	32.3	32.7	31,851	32,248	152.4	158.7	150,281	157,924
GA	18.6	22.2	16,990	20,311	87.6	102.7	80,043	92,814
HAW	4.8	4.4	4,849	4,368	23.9	23.1	24,196	23,355
IDAHO	54.6	63.4	63,585	71,538	290.6	321.7	333,933	360,282
ILL	93.6	110.7	97,524	117,630	395.1	445.9	412,402	470,774
IND	19.2	18.2	18,975	18,082	112.8	117.7	112,802	121,102
IOWA	263.1	220.3	286,296	237,345	1,311.0	1,228.2	1,432,013	1,329,006
KANS	395.4	471.7	421,942	507,962	1,888.5	2,131.6	2,048,648	2,308,024
KY	13.0	11.6	13,195	10,993	67.4	58.6	65,915	54,706
LA	6.0	6.6	4,525	5,700	25.2	33.3	19,547	27,010
MICH	43.1	50.5	50,728	55,763	215.2	235.9	256,293	258,695
MINN	85.4	98.6	98,656	112,675	443.2	456.8	509,594	518,810
MISS	18.8	23.6	17,175	20,256	94.5	98.9	87,404	88,366
MO	57.9	42.0	61,385	42,094	290.3	235.3	309,261	237,471
MONT	6.5	6.3	6,513	6,500	36.7	27.3	39,291	27,861
NEBR	417.9	506.8	451,279	548,201	2,069.6	2,096.0	2,258,399	2,276,102
NEV	.5	.7	602	776	2.3	3.3	2,694	3,739
N ENG 2/	7.5	6.8	8,210	7,258	37.2	36.0	41,234	38,393
N J	12.7	13.9	16,440	17,581	61.5	57.0	77,587	71,962
N MEX	14.0	13.0	13,715	12,770	63.5	63.6	61,892	62,562
N Y	21.2	21.6	24,205	25,413	110.5	105.8	126,972	123,413
N C	10.4	12.3	10,072	11,471	54.1	61.0	52,109	56,760
N DAK	10.6	13.7	11,878	14,778	58.7	66.9	64,930	72,053
OHIO	49.5	50.0	52,840	54,892	248.2	258.7	265,958	282,914
OKLA	45.1	49.1	44,580	48,743	216.4	229.3	213,607	228,612
OREG	8.2	9.9	9,550	11,185	40.7	45.7	47,219	51,868
PA	79.1	83.7	90,091	94,460	366.9	407.6	424,489	476,292
S C	10.5	11.3	10,613	11,234	46.9	50.0	47,591	50,544
S DAK	55.0	57.7	61,303	63,406	266.2	295.0	299,100	326,588
TENN	22.8	25.2	22,233	24,131	121.1	126.3	118,385	121,677
TEX	516.4	610.6	511,373	606,303	2,378.9	2,674.9	2,368,561	2,670,350
UTAH	19.5	24.7	21,450	27,033	99.5	116.8	110,800	127,507
VA	6.1	11.6	6,203	11,656	44.2	49.6	45,897	50,252
WASH	70.5	78.8	80,635	89,940	364.7	400.1	420,942	455,921
W VA	2.3	2.2	2,237	2,252	12.5	11.6	12,128	11,447
WISC	96.7	100.8	116,457	118,306	477.8	522.8	578,803	620,404
WYO	1.1	1.0	1,150	1,059	5.2	4.6	5,475	4,621
U S	2,956.7	3,300.1	3,151,330	3,508,320	14,444.0	15,322.2	15,529,685	16,373,436

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	
	1983	1984	1983	1984	1983	1984	1983	1984
	1,000 HEAD		1,000 POUNDS		1,000 HEAD		1,000 POUNDS	
ALA	.1	.2	37	66	1.1	1.2	465	523
ARIZ	.1	.1	31	42	.9	.7	184	179
ARK	.1	.1	42	38	.8	.8	322	328
CALIF	17.4	22.9	3,597	4,064	94.8	115.7	19,299	18,758
COLO					.1	.1	5	7
DEL-MD	2.9	3.7	1,014	1,316	17.2	22.7	6,072	7,973
FLA	6.5	9.1	1,684	2,874	38.4	45.7	10,311	11,720
GA	1.2	1.2	408	394	6.7	6.6	2,264	2,237
HAW								
IDAHO	.2		99		.8	.2	416	72
ILL	14.6	15.3	3,188	3,313	77.4	81.4	18,490	17,899
IND	7.2	15.3	2,487	5,259	40.6	70.9	14,045	24,420
IOWA								
KANS					.1	.2	34	33
KY	.1	.1	13	27	.3	.4	62	144
LA	7.0	11.7	3,394	5,412	33.9	56.1	16,963	25,039
MICH	5.3	6.5	1,255	1,548	29.6	34.2	7,050	8,297
MINN	.4	.4	79	90	2.1	2.0	441	432
MISS	2.0	1.1	1,104	539	9.5	4.8	5,301	2,397
MO	.6	.7	174	197	3.1	3.8	1,073	1,004
MONT					.1	.1	3	3
NEBR					.1	.1	22	40
NEV								
N ENG 2/	10.3	12.8	1,144	1,610	63.4	71.7	6,867	8,637
N J	9.3	9.5	2,998	3,070	43.1	47.8	13,966	15,429
N MEX								
N Y	38.8	47.4	5,945	6,950	233.0	259.2	33,666	37,853
N C	.4	.2	130	55	2.7	4.1	902	1,045
N DAK	.1		23		.2	.2	71	76
OHIO	2.5	5.5	432	2,015	10.3	20.0	1,759	7,185
OKLA	.5	.4	224	142	1.8	1.7	757	735
OREG	.8	.8	309	305	3.3	3.9	1,248	1,568
PA	21.5	19.8	3,877	3,476	119.7	112.6	20,169	19,196
S C	3.2	3.5	1,349	1,632	17.8	18.2	7,145	8,000
S DAK					.1	.1	13	14
TENN	2.8	2.3	939	737	12.7	14.4	3,763	4,142
TEX	18.4	21.5	8,627	9,623	95.8	108.3	42,763	46,424
UTAH					.1		21	
VA	.2	1.4	55	561	3.5	2.2	1,332	768
WASH	4.6	6.7	735	1,189	23.3	30.0	3,908	5,592
W VA					.2	.2	41	49
WISC	34.7	34.5	8,985	8,793	183.4	178.1	42,539	43,475
WYO								
U S	214.0	254.7	54,403	65,386	1,171.8	1,320.6	283,764	321,721

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	MAY				JANUARY-MAY 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	42.3	45.3	12,515	13,074	195.8	226.4	58,669	65,210
ARIZ	14.9	22.6	3,381	5,054	67.6	109.8	15,502	24,560
ARK	21.8	23.1	6,903	7,415	110.5	121.8	35,227	39,393
CALIF	150.5	170.9	34,967	39,324	718.6	808.8	165,476	184,490
COLO	12.0	12.5	2,700	2,901	75.7	65.6	17,046	15,250
DEL-MD	24.7	4.3	5,883	1,058	131.8	24.9	31,406	6,083
FLA	9.0	6.0	1,960	1,115	47.5	31.4	9,965	6,127
GA	176.6	184.2	40,777	42,606	874.8	894.2	202,689	205,694
HAW	3.6	3.6	688	698	17.3	17.6	3,286	3,319
IDAHO	6.9	8.1	1,630	1,983	33.7	35.6	7,923	8,412
ILL	583.2	626.7	145,980	156,376	3,096.1	3,065.3	760,459	752,578
IND	258.7	282.8	62,250	68,432	1,313.7	1,416.2	312,489	339,460
IOWA	1,759.2	1,746.0	436,387	433,990	8,445.1	9,136.9	2,063,863	2,223,784
KANS	133.1	127.4	32,894	31,805	391.3	639.0	98,046	158,012
KY	202.9	215.9	50,853	54,300	992.7	1,059.4	247,592	263,757
LA	5.6	6.5	1,234	1,408	31.3	35.4	7,221	7,997
MICH	431.5	478.0	104,429	114,379	2,042.5	2,267.4	493,437	544,748
MINN	477.7	526.8	116,214	128,085	2,314.4	2,313.6	557,212	558,546
MISS	200.8	210.0	48,041	49,610	960.7	939.1	227,252	220,233
MO	335.2	334.0	84,888	83,386	1,616.9	1,601.6	402,322	397,087
MONT	31.9	2.4	7,823	582	183.0	11.6	44,386	2,786
NEBR	372.8	378.3	87,274	87,700	1,872.7	1,572.1	433,963	362,563
NEV	.4	.6	99	113	1.4	1.7	315	347
N ENG 2/	5.4	5.6	1,339	1,393	25.9	27.3	6,300	6,717
N J	22.2	31.1	4,683	6,849	105.0	138.2	22,767	30,095
N MEX	.6	.5	131	118	4.7	3.7	1,017	856
N Y	4.6	5.6	1,009	1,299	23.2	25.7	5,221	5,892
N C	197.4	203.5	46,515	46,432	984.8	979.8	233,520	228,356
N DAK	5.8	6.4	1,247	1,365	26.4	30.8	5,929	6,611
OHIO	337.9	307.0	79,493	73,040	1,515.0	1,510.4	358,392	358,992
OKLA	14.7	13.1	4,529	4,141	77.9	72.6	24,265	22,658
OREG	13.8	16.3	3,223	3,897	68.9	74.9	16,044	18,584
PA	172.2	153.4	39,791	35,983	835.6	1,128.8	193,053	263,312
S C	44.8	49.2	10,638	11,529	216.3	245.7	51,764	57,759
S DAK	251.9	285.9	65,565	72,191	1,273.9	1,331.0	314,764	332,098
TENN	142.0	234.4	39,140	62,287	678.8	1,119.1	187,649	296,103
TEX	103.0	93.1	25,923	24,214	530.3	511.8	135,752	133,072
UTAH	16.6	18.9	4,130	4,518	79.7	92.6	19,579	22,169
VA	299.0	339.7	69,909	78,557	1,591.0	1,678.1	367,260	382,512
WASH	26.2	4.6	6,069	1,033	136.7	68.1	31,396	15,884
W VA	1.9	2.1	748	814	11.0	11.2	4,354	4,253
WISC	201.5	178.1	50,439	45,742	904.1	879.2	221,598	207,643
WYO	.6	1.1	155	258	3.4	4.3	834	1,022
U S	7,117.9	7,365.7	1,744,442	1,801,056	34,627.4	36,328.6	8,397,200	8,785,023

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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	
	1983	1984	1983	1984	1983	1984	1983	1984
	1,000 HEAD		1,000 POUNDS	1,000 HEAD		1,000 POUNDS		
ALA					.1	.1	9	4
ARIZ	.2	.2	21	25	1.2	1.2	138	138
ARK	.1	.1	7	12	.5	.6	53	68
CALIF	139.4	127.8	16,249	14,690	625.7	627.8	73,294	72,760
COLO	106.7	109.2	12,778	12,759	631.3	610.1	75,733	72,705
DEL-MD	3.9	2.6	390	265	19.4	13.4	2,050	1,402
FLA	.1	.1	5	7	.3	.3	19	24
GA		.1		8	.2	.3	15	25
HAW								
IDAHO	.5	.6	57	64	2.6	2.6	273	283
ILL	7.3	19.9	566	2,268	41.3	96.5	3,929	10,585
IND	1.3	1.0	111	101	3.8	4.6	323	450
IOWA	39.3	71.4	4,614	8,393	158.6	344.2	18,700	40,700
KANS	.5	.5	56	58	2.0	2.2	236	265
KY	1.1	1.1	135	118	4.3	4.4	521	499
LA	.3	.4	29	39	1.9	2.2	202	228
MICH	26.4	27.5	2,963	3,060	127.4	140.1	14,451	15,851
MINN	36.4	36.0	4,183	4,154	212.3	199.4	24,646	23,528
MISS								
MO	2.3	1.9	239	186	9.3	12.4	955	1,202
MONT	.2	.3	30	31	1.2	1.2	133	134
NEBR	.2	.1	25	17	.9	.9	102	106
NEV	.4	.4	46	41	1.0	.9	120	102
N ENG 2/	3.4	1.7	288	158	10.3	11.3	831	963
N J	5.0	5.2	409	516	20.3	22.9	1,734	2,135
N MEX	8.5	8.1	987	849	101.0	33.9	11,531	3,595
N Y	4.1	4.7	382	439	22.3	24.9	2,075	2,257
N C	.1	.1	4	4	.4	.4	27	37
N DAK	.1	.1	9	7	.4	.4	43	44
OHIO	3.4	1.8	309	192	13.8	14.0	1,200	1,373
OKLA	.3	.5	37	52	2.3	2.4	257	275
OREG	1.3	1.0	133	108	5.2	4.1	535	438
PA	14.1	14.9	1,379	1,502	67.5	70.7	6,920	7,256
S C					.1	.1	7	6
S DAK	39.1	39.6	4,511	4,549	199.7	211.7	23,462	24,739
TENN	.1	.1	12	5	.6	.2	37	19
TEX	63.6	77.0	6,761	6,285	303.4	347.6	32,665	33,109
UTAH	2.8	2.9	306	311	12.8	13.6	1,404	1,515
VA	.5	.5	47	51	1.8	2.1	162	206
WASH	12.6	13.6	1,453	1,600	62.9	74.7	6,806	8,467
W VA	.1	.1	7	10	.4	.5	35	37
WISC	.8	.5	85	53	3.1	2.8	312	275
WYO	.1	.1	10	12	.7	.7	77	68
U S	526.8	573.6	59,642	63,000	2,674.1	2,904.4	306,024	327,872

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3/ ACCUMULATED TOTALS BASED ON UNROUNDED DATA.

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

STATE	CATTLE		CALVES		HOGS		SHEEP AND LAMBS	
	1983	1984	1983	1984	1983	1984	1983	1984
	POUNDS		POUNDS		POUNDS		POUNDS	
ALA	1,028	1,027	337	432	296	288		
ARIZ	1,021	1,046	227	285	227	224	117	122
ARK	871	882	430	408	316	321	104	93
CALIF	1,102	1,102	207	178	232	230	117	115
COLO	1,049	1,065			224	233	120	117
DEL-MD	1,137	1,173	353	352	238	246	100	102
FLA	987	987	260	317	218	186	70	70
GA	913	914	335	324	231	231		84
HAW	1,012	996			192	192		
IDAHO	1,164	1,128	469		236	244	109	109
ILL	1,042	1,063	218	217	250	250	77	114
IND	987	993	344	343	241	242	85	99
IOWA	1,088	1,078			248	249	117	118
KANS	1,067	1,077			247	250	115	115
KY	1,014	948	202	271	251	252	118	104
LA	755	863	484	462	219	218	99	96
MICH	1,178	1,104	236	238	242	239	112	111
MINN	1,155	1,142	216	214	243	243	115	115
MISS	912	857	564	493	239	236		
MO	1,061	1,001	275	301	253	250	103	99
MONT	999	1,025			246	240	121	98
NEBR	1,080	1,082			234	232	112	121
NEV	1,178	1,193			220	202	116	116
N ENG 2/	1,089	1,060	111	126	247	248	84	91
N J	1,293	1,269	321	324	211	220	82	98
N MEX	978	986			230	239	116	105
N Y	1,142	1,179	153	146	218	232	93	94
N C	972	932	320	244	236	228	87	70
N DAK	1,121	1,076	374		214	214	109	118
OHIO	1,068	1,098	172	369	235	238	90	109
OKLA	988	993	437	380	308	316	121	106
OREG	1,169	1,130	400	400	234	239	104	110
PA	1,139	1,128	180	176	231	235	98	101
S C	1,009	993	420	470	237	235		
S DAK	1,115	1,099			260	252	115	115
TENN	974	956	332	318	276	266	107	92
TEX	990	993	469	447	252	260	106	82
UTAH	1,102	1,096			248	239	109	107
VA	1,025	1,006	248	414	234	231	89	93
WASH	1,144	1,141	158	178	232	223	115	117
W VA	982	1,017			404	379	76	75
WISC	1,205	1,174	259	255	250	257	105	102
WYO	1,038	1,048			240	239	111	107
U S	1,066	1,063	254	257	245	245	113	110

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

SPECIES	MAY		APR		MAY		JAN - MAY	
	1983	1984	1984	1984	1984	1983	1984	
	PERCENT							
CATTLE	95.4	95.6	95.6	96.0	96.0	94.9	95.5	
CALVES	90.4	91.0	91.0	91.6	91.6	91.0	91.8	
HOGS	97.0	97.1	97.1	97.1	97.1	96.8	97.0	
SHEEP	96.5	96.1	96.1	97.2	97.2	97.2	97.2	

CLASSIFICATION OF LIVESTOCK SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, UNITED STATES

ITEM	MAY		APR		MAY		JAN - MAY		JAN - MAY	
	1983	1984	1984	1984	1983	1984	1983	1984	1983	1984
	1,000 HEAD					PERCENT OF TOTAL				
CLASSIFICATION: 2/										
CATTLE										
STEERS	1,405	1,338	1,565	6,768	7,108	49.8	49.1	49.3	49.4	48.6
HEIFERS	808	729	861	3,979	3,986	28.6	26.7	27.2	29.0	27.2
COWS	541	600	674	2,658	3,257	19.2	22.0	21.3	19.4	22.2
BULLS & STAGS	67	61	70	307	287	2.4	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.0
TOTAL 1/	2,820	2,728	3,169	13,710	14,639	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
HOGS										
BARROW & GILTS	6,497	6,575	6,749	31,723	33,222	94.1	94.6	94.3	94.6	94.3
SOWS	333	302	321	1,438	1,614	4.8	4.3	4.5	4.3	4.6
STAGS & BOARS	75	76	83	363	386	1.1	1.1	1.2	1.1	1.1
TOTAL 1/	6,905	6,953	7,153	33,525	35,222	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
SHEEP										
MATURE SHEEP	46	44	61	174	206	9.1	7.4	11.0	6.7	7.3
LAMBS & YRLNGS	462	548	496	2,427	2,618	90.9	92.6	89.0	93.3	92.7
TOTAL 1/	508	592	558	2,600	2,824	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
AVERAGE DRESSED WEIGHT: 3/	-----POUNDS-----									
CATTLE										
STEERS 4/	635	628	630	637	629					
HEIFERS 4/	694	689	693	699	691					
COWS 4/	603	608	609	605	607					
BULLS & STAGS 4/	511	504	495	519	510					
	763	780	774	760	773					
CALVES & VEALERS	140	136	145	132	136					
HOGS										
BARROWS & GLTS 5/	176	173	175	174	173					
SOWS 5/	170	168	169	168	167					
STAGS & BOARS 5/	294	284	286	295	287					
	192	212	210	195	209					
SHEEP										
MATURE SHEEP 6/	57	57	55	58	57					
LAMBS & YRLNGS 6/	54	54	53	55	54					
	58	57	55	58	57					

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
MAY 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 :	41.2	10.3	1.6	26.4	3.0	69.6	
3 :	97.0	40.2	10.4	41.7	4.7	24.8	
4 :	139.2	27.1	19.7	84.0	8.4	16.0	
5 :	383.4	170.2	75.8	125.3	12.1	76.9	
6 :	661.0	297.2	205.5	144.1	14.2	15.3	
7 :	1220.5	715.5	360.1	133.3	11.6	.4	
8 :	274.2	102.4	131.4	33.1	7.3	.0	
9 :	201.7	127.5	16.3	53.1	4.8	23.0	
10 :	151.2	74.7	40.2	32.6	3.7	7.4	
U.S. 2/ :	3169.2	1565.1	861.0	673.6	69.5	233.3	

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 :	41.0	40.2	.6	.2	11.2	2.4	8.7	
3 :	495.7	471.6	13.5	10.6	17.5	1.9	15.6	
4 :	1060.2	988.2	63.4	8.6	1.2	.6	.6	
5 :	2327.1	2186.9	107.8	32.5	79.7	11.8	67.9	
6 :	115.9	93.1	21.2	1.6	81.4	13.0	68.4	
7 :	2569.4	2465.2	74.9	29.2	72.6	11.3	61.3	
8 :	322.4	285.2	36.9	.4	151.2	9.6	141.6	
9 :	192.8	191.2	1.3	.3	4/			
10 :	28.4	27.0	1.2	.1	142.9	10.6	132.3	
U.S. 2/ :	7152.8	6748.6	320.8	83.4	557.6	61.2	496.5	

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 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 :	192.7	40.3	7.3	134.9	10.2	378.2	
3 :	461.6	162.5	47.3	234.2	17.6	136.9	
4 :	640.6	122.7	87.1	396.3	34.5	85.7	
5 :	1792.0	706.3	336.5	700.9	48.3	383.1	
6 :	2908.6	1419.7	880.5	547.0	61.4	75.2	
7 :	5589.6	3221.9	1689.1	629.9	48.7	2.6	
8 :	1372.4	472.0	677.2	193.2	30.0	.3	
9 :	918.9	570.2	77.2	252.9	18.5	116.3	
10 :	762.5	392.8	184.4	167.7	17.7	34.0	
U.S. 2/ :	14638.8	7108.4	3986.5	3257.1	286.8	1212.3	

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 :	183.1	179.7	2.8	.5	55.2	9.2	46.1
3 :	2815.9	2700.2	69.0	46.7	84.4	6.9	77.6
4 :	5057.0	4682.7	337.8	36.5	4.5	1.7	2.9
5 :	11076.6	10408.4	511.5	156.7	421.5	46.5	375.0
6 :	624.2	499.2	117.3	7.7	363.6	36.2	327.4
7 :	12864.4	12327.1	402.8	134.4	353.6	39.2	314.4
8 :	1511.2	1349.5	160.1	1.6	832.7	32.4	800.3
9 :	914.0	906.6	6.4	1.0	4/		
10 :	175.3	168.3	6.4	.6	708.0	34.3	673.8
U.S. 2/ :	35221.7	33221.7	1614.1	385.9	2823.7	206.2	2617.5

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