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COMMERCIAL RED MEAT PRODUCTION for the United States in March 1989 totaled 3.33 billion pounds down 1 percent from March 1988, according to the Agricultural Statistics Board. January-March red meat production, at 9.60 billion pounds was down 1 percent from last year. The percentage changes from 1988 accumulated production by individual components were: beef, down 3; veal, down 6; pork up 3; lamb and mutton, up 2. Commercial red meat production includes slaughter in Federally inspected and other plants, but excludes animals slaughtered on farms.

Kill days for March 1989 included 23 weekdays and four Saturdays. Kill days for March 1988 consisted of 23 weekdays and four Saturdays.

## COMPARING MARCH 1989 WITH MARCH 1988

BEEF PRODUCTION, at 1.89 billion pounds was down 2 percent. Head kill totaled 2.82 million, down 3 from last year. The average live weight increased 8 pounds to 1125.

VEAL PRODUCTION, at 31.0 million pounds was down 6 percent. Calf slaughter totaled 200 thousand head, down 10 percent, and the average live weight increased 12 pounds to 260.

PORK PRODUCTION, at 1.37 billion pounds was up 1 percent. Hog kill totaled 7.76 million head, up 1 percent. The average live weight was 247, pounds the same as last year.

LAMB AND MUTTON PRODUCTION, at 33.0 million pounds was down 6 percent from last year. Slaughter totaled 519 thousand head, down 5 percent. The average live weight decreased 3 pounds to 125.

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COMMERCIAL RED MEAT AND LARD PRODUCTION: UNITED STATES 1/

K I N D	: MAR : FEB : MAR			: MAR 89 % OF:		JAN - MAR 2/		
	: 1988	: 1989	: 1989	: MAR : FEB :	: 1988: 1989:	1988	: 1989	: 89 AS %
	MILLION POUNDS			PERCENT		MILLION POUNDS		PERCENT
BEEF	1,925	1,744	1,889	98	108	5,700	5,530	97
VEAL	33	28	31	94	111	97	91	94
PORK	1,362	1,204	1,373	101	114	3,790	3,887	103
LAMB & MUTTON	35	27	33	94	122	85	87	102
TOTAL RED MEAT:	3,356	3,003	3,326	99	111	9,672	9,595	99
LARD 3/	83	71	82	99	115	230	230	100

- 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	: MAR : FEB : MAR			: MAR 89 % OF:		JAN - MAR 2/		
		: 1988	: 1989	: 1989	: MAR : FEB :	: 1988: 1989:	1988	: 1989	: 89 %
		PERCENT			P'CENT				
CATTLE	NUMBER								
FED. INSP.	:THOU:	2,812.4	2,500.1	2,744.1	98	110	8,327.7	7,955.4	96
OTHER	:THOU:	83.8	68.4	78.0	93	114	253.2	224.7	89
COMM'L 3/	:THOU:	2,896.2	2,568.5	2,822.1	97	110	8,580.8	8,180.1	95
LIVE WT/HD:									
FED. INSP.	:LBS :	1,120	1,136	1,128	101	99	1,122	1,139	102
OTHER	:LBS :	1,000	1,020	1,015	102	100	996	1,009	101
COMM'L	:LBS :	1,117	1,132	1,125	101	99	1,118	1,135	102
CALVES	NUMBER								
FED. INSP.	:THOU:	215.8	175.3	194.3	90	111	623.7	565.3	91
OTHER	:THOU:	7.4	5.4	5.6	76	104	23.4	18.0	77
COMM'L 3/	:THOU:	223.1	180.7	199.9	90	111	647.1	583.3	90
LIVE WT/HD:									
FED. INSP.	:LBS :	242	258	255	105	99	243	257	106
OTHER	:LBS :	443	424	432	98	102	440	428	97
COMM'L	:LBS :	248	263	260	105	99	251	262	104
HOGS	NUMBER								
FED. INSP.	:THOU:	7,505.0	6,618.6	7,569.2	101	114	20,826.2	21,303.4	102
OTHER	:THOU:	187.1	172.6	194.1	104	112	533.5	583.0	109
COMM'L 3/	:THOU:	7,692.2	6,791.2	7,763.3	101	114	21,359.7	21,886.3	102
LIVE WT/HD:									
FED. INSP.	:LBS :	247	247	247	100	100	247	248	100
OTHER	:LBS :	231	233	232	100	100	237	234	99
COMM'L	:LBS :	247	247	247	100	100	247	248	100
SHEEP & LAMBS:	NUMBER								
FED. INSP.	:THOU:	535.3	414.8	505.4	94	122	1,322.9	1,338.1	101
OTHER	:THOU:	12.8	10.0	14.0	109	140	31.2	34.5	111
COMM'L 3/	:THOU:	548.1	424.7	519.4	95	122	1,354.1	1,372.6	101
LIVE WT/HD:									
FED. INSP.	:LBS :	129	127	126	98	99	126	126	100
OTHER	:LBS :	102	104	100	98	96	103	103	100
COMM'L	:LBS :	128	126	125	98	99	125	126	101

- 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	MAR 89 % OF:			JAN - MAR 2/			
	MAR 1988	FEB 1989	MAR 1989	MAR 1988	FEB 1989	MAR 1989	89 AS % OF 88
	MILLION POUNDS			PERCENT			
BEEF	1,878	1,705	1,844	98	108	5,557	5,401 97
VEAL	31	27	30	97	111	91	87 96
PORK	1,332	1,175	1,342	101	114	3,701	3,791 102
LAMB & MUTTON	35	26	32	91	123	84	85 101
TOTAL RED MEAT	3,275	2,933	3,248	99	111	9,433	9,364 99

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	MAR 89 AS % OF					
	MAR 1988	FEB 1989	MAR 1989	MAR 1988	FEB 1989	
	THOUSAND POUNDS			PERCENT		
ALA	19,814	17,398	20,986	106	121	
ARIZ	28,314	16,853	20,051	71	119	
ARK	7,030	5,201	5,823	83	112	
CALIF	109,982	89,293	103,668	94	116	
COLO	153,494	130,391	136,908	89	105	
DEL-MD	7,022	5,780	6,182	88	107	
FLA	11,019	9,419	10,288	93	109	
GA	27,343	27,029	32,625	119	121	
HAW	3,502	3,287	3,876	111	118	
IDAHO	48,143	41,711	43,602	91	105	
ILL	197,763	193,654	224,801	114	116	
IND	76,825	62,461	69,225	90	111	
IOWA	514,829	454,941	502,452	98	110	
KANS	398,652	363,841	385,373	97	106	
KY	49,366	40,691	43,464	88	107	
LA	4,204	3,379	3,483	83	103	
MICH	97,418	85,433	100,948	104	118	
MINN	131,077	113,647	121,013	92	106	
MISS	33,326	28,046	33,399	100	119	
MO	83,304	62,749	78,364	94	125	
MONT	1,362	875	1,042	77	119	
NEBR	383,717	375,480	394,919	103	105	
NEV	112	263	259	230	98	
N ENG 2/	5,334	3,526	4,104	77	116	
N J	9,487	6,822	8,521	90	125	
N MEX	7,092	5,256	5,937	84	113	
N Y	13,766	10,095	9,633	70	95	
N C	49,843	40,082	46,785	94	117	
N DAK	7,624	10,396	11,185	147	108	
OHIO	67,983	58,258	64,474	95	111	
OKLA	9,801	5,409	6,551	67	121	
OREG	5,043	5,062	5,984	119	118	
PA	86,370	77,095	90,527	105	117	
S C	14,726	13,797	15,784	107	114	
S DAK	112,951	83,254	96,360	85	116	
TENN	42,040	34,779	39,913	95	115	
TEX	293,891	306,804	343,352	117	112	
UTAH	32,929	30,690	35,201	107	115	
VA	77,341	62,566	69,001	89	110	
WASH	57,326	48,122	53,623	94	111	
W VA	1,327	985	1,190	90	121	
WISC	72,991	68,239	74,865	103	110	
WYO	340	278	351	103	126	
U.S.	3,355,822	3,003,336	3,326,092	99	111	

1/ INCLUDES TOTAL BEEF, VEAL, PORK, LAMB, AND MUTTON.

2/ NEW ENGLAND INCLUDES CONNECTICUT, MAINE, MASSCHUSETTS, NEW HAMPSHIRE, RHODE ISLAND, AND VERMONT.

COMMERCIAL CATTLE SLAUGHTER 1/

STATE	MARCH					
	NUMBER SLAUGHTERED		TOTAL LIVE WEIGHT		AVERAGE LIVE WEIGHT	
	1988	1989	1988	1989	1988	1989
	1,000 HEAD	1,000 HEAD	1,000 POUNDS	1,000 POUNDS	POUNDS	POUNDS
ALA	22.4	23.0	24,235	25,211	1,082	1,099
ARIZ	43.7	30.3	45,832	32,536	1,048	1,075
ARK	4.0	3.7	3,736	3,421	939	930
CALIF	110.2	97.7	128,552	113,854	1,166	1,165
COLO	196.5	176.8	226,602	204,045	1,153	1,154
DEL-MD	4.7	3.9	5,508	4,569	1,182	1,180
FLA	15.9	14.9	17,039	15,777	1,074	1,061
GA	18.8	18.4	17,348	18,224	921	993
HAW	5.0	5.5	5,086	5,695	1,026	1,031
IDAHO	65.5	60.5	77,449	71,141	1,182	1,176
ILL	107.0	106.3	118,131	118,272	1,104	1,113
IND	13.2	9.7	14,506	10,389	1,095	1,069
IOWA	172.5	143.6	198,146	167,169	1,148	1,164
KANS	540.6	514.2	588,640	565,604	1,089	1,100
KY	10.1	8.7	9,762	7,579	962	872
LA	3.4	3.4	3,273	2,984	950	869
MICH	33.9	35.1	43,898	45,716	1,296	1,304
MINN	87.4	80.1	105,832	96,812	1,211	1,208
MISS	10.0	9.8	9,464	9,927	946	1,009
MO	31.6	34.0	35,137	37,046	1,113	1,088
MONT	1.4	1.2	1,577	1,226	1,095	1,023
NEBR	458.1	461.6	516,332	529,260	1,127	1,146
NEV	.1	.2	145	144	971	896
N ENG 2/	6.6	5.0	7,164	5,392	1,083	1,082
N J	9.7	8.5	12,425	10,742	1,278	1,258
N MEX	11.3	9.5	11,163	9,589	991	1,015
N Y	15.8	9.5	19,587	10,510	1,240	1,102
N C	12.2	11.5	11,951	9,521	980	831
N DAK	10.5	16.5	13,158	20,066	1,248	1,217
OHIO	33.3	27.5	36,476	30,773	1,096	1,121
OKLA	13.2	6.8	13,716	6,898	1,038	1,009
OREG	3.8	5.0	4,235	5,485	1,109	1,099
PA	88.7	88.6	106,999	108,965	1,207	1,229
S C	9.6	9.4	10,287	10,797	1,074	1,144
S DAK	50.8	49.1	62,327	60,672	1,227	1,236
TENN	18.7	9.2	18,653	9,576	998	1,047
TEX	430.7	496.6	443,665	524,280	1,030	1,056
UTAH	40.4	44.6	48,334	51,829	1,197	1,161
VA	4.6	6.0	4,750	6,603	1,030	1,099
WASH	77.0	73.4	90,993	84,437	1,182	1,150
W VA	1.4	1.1	1,356	1,163	1,004	1,042
WISC	101.2	101.2	120,888	120,729	1,195	1,192
WYO	.5	.4	532	443	1,027	1,066
U S	2,896.2	2,822.1	3,234,889	3,175,071	1,117	1,125

1/ INCLUDES SLAUGHTER UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION AND OTHER COMMERCIAL SLAUGHTER, EXCLUDES FARM SLAUGHTER.

2/ NEW ENGLAND INCLUDES CONNECTICUT, MAINE, MASSACHUSETTS, NEW HAMPSHIRE, RHODE ISLAND, AND VERMONT.

COMMERCIAL CALF SLAUGHTER 1/

STATE	MARCH					
	NUMBER SLAUGHTERED		TOTAL LIVE WEIGHT		AVERAGE LIVE WEIGHT	
	1988	1989	1988	1989	1988	1989
	1,000 HEAD		1,000 POUNDS		POUNDS	
ALA						
ARIZ						
ARK	.2		66		378	
CALIF	18.5	11.0	3,521	2,201	190	199
COLO						
DEL-MD	1.8	2.5	671	960	376	389
FLA	6.5	7.6	2,355	2,409	365	315
GA	2.1	1.8	765	674	357	368
HAW						
IDAHO						
ILL	13.2	12.5	3,416	3,741	258	298
IND	19.9	18.7	7,750	7,659	390	409
IOWA						
KANS						
KY						
LA	5.3	3.4	2,380	1,537	453	453
MICH	6.1	5.8	2,021	2,147	330	370
MINN	.2	.2	54	48	258	263
MISS	3.3	2.1	1,073	743	327	349
MO	.5	.4	146	115	299	268
MONT						
NEBR						
NEV		.6		273		456
N ENG 2/	10.9	8.8	1,564	1,251	143	143
N J	8.2	8.4	2,650	2,796	325	335
N MEX						
N Y	43.8	40.8	5,975	5,605	136	137
N C	.2	.1	59	38	308	289
N DAK						
OHIO	10.6	9.4	1,902	1,538	179	164
OKLA	.2	.3	62	134	307	469
OREG	1.1	.7	252	261	221	363
PA	24.0	20.7	3,931	4,105	164	198
S C	.8	.7	383	345	480	526
S DAK						
TENN						
TEX	8.9	8.4	4,303	3,852	482	458
UTAH		.2		42		207
VA	.3	.3	89	80	309	314
WASH	4.5	4.5	781	1,312	173	293
W VA						
WISC	30.8	28.8	8,991	7,781	292	270
WYO						
U S 3/	223.1	199.9	55,399	51,914	248	260

- 1/ INCLUDES SLAUGHTER UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION AND OTHER COMMERCIAL SLAUGHTER, EXCLUDES FARM SLAUGHTER.  
 2/ NEW ENGLAND INCLUDES CONNECTICUT, MAINE, MASSACHUSETTS, NEW HAMPSHIRE, RHODE ISLAND, AND VERMONT.  
 3/ STATES WITH NO DATA PRINTED ARE STILL INCLUDED IN THE U.S. TOTAL. DATA NOT PRINTED TO AVOID DISCLOSING INDIVIDUAL OPERATIONS.

COMMERCIAL HOG SLAUGHTER 1/

STATE	MARCH					
	NUMBER SLAUGHTERED		TOTAL LIVE WEIGHT		AVERAGE LIVE WEIGHT	
	1988	1989	1988	1989	1988	1989
	1,000 HEAD		1,000 POUNDS		POUNDS	
ALA	19.0	21.2	8,105	9,229	426	436
ARIZ	1.5	1.7	336	392	229	227
ARK	23.1	19.4	7,803	6,218	338	321
CALIF	187.0	199.6	42,193	45,029	226	226
COLO	25.2	2.9	5,853	689	232	238
DEL-MD	20.0	16.9	4,419	3,769	221	223
FLA	7.4	7.1	1,299	1,281	175	180
GA	99.6	128.5	24,144	30,891	242	240
HAW	3.7	3.6	798	731	213	204
IDAHO	10.5	10.4	2,507	2,459	239	237
ILL	656.7	829.1	168,847	209,104	257	252
IND	378.2	346.8	91,000	82,690	241	238
IOWA	2,151.5	2,193.5	537,875	544,815	250	248
KANS	155.1	154.2	38,417	39,546	248	257
KY	243.2	212.5	62,506	54,976	257	259
LA	6.1	7.1	1,461	1,743	240	244
MICH	426.5	437.4	100,678	104,631	236	239
MINN	393.2	368.3	94,089	87,385	239	237
MISS	165.5	164.0	39,269	39,350	237	240
MO	371.4	334.3	90,526	82,087	244	246
MONT	2.5	2.1	576	492	234	236
NEBR	430.2	460.9	101,777	111,114	237	241
NEV	.1	.1	35	29	243	294
N ENG 2/	3.9	3.4	937	783	238	232
N J	5.5	5.6	510	578	93	104
N MEX	.4	.5	87	103	211	211
N Y	4.6	4.9	1,067	1,111	232	229
N C	257.2	252.7	61,163	59,066	238	234
N DAK	6.9	7.5	1,495	1,593	217	211
OHIO	252.5	258.8	63,543	64,225	252	248
OKLA	15.2	15.0	4,659	4,866	306	325
OREG	14.9	16.7	3,633	4,016	243	241
PA	142.5	168.6	33,272	39,034	233	231
S C	54.9	61.1	12,809	14,314	233	234
S DAK	412.4	333.7	107,028	86,454	260	259
TENN	168.9	188.0	43,105	50,290	255	268
TEX	82.6	84.4	22,270	22,772	269	270
UTAH	21.3	24.9	5,137	5,871	241	236
VA	447.0	383.3	103,858	90,715	232	237
WASH	1.4	1.6	314	380	230	232
W VA	2.0	1.8	756	707	375	385
WISC	20.2	28.8	7,570	10,871	375	377
WYO	.5	.6	112	147	245	244
U S	7,692.2	7,763.3	1,897,834	1,916,546	247	247

1/ INCLUDES SLAUGHTER UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION AND OTHER COMMERCIAL SLAUGHTER, EXCLUDES FARM SLAUGHTER.

2/ NEW ENGLAND INCLUDES CONNECTICUT, MAINE, MASSACHUSETTS, NEW HAMPSHIRE, RHODE ISLAND, AND VERMONT.

COMMERCIAL SHEEP AND LAMB SLAUGHTER

STATE	MARCH					
	NUMBER SLAUGHTERED		TOTAL LIVE WEIGHT		AVERAGE LIVE WEIGHT	
	1988	1989	1988	1989	1988	1989
	1,000 HEAD		1,000 POUNDS		POUNDS	
ALA						
ARIZ	.2	.2	28	18	119	108
ARK	.1	.1	6	8	103	117
CALIF	86.4	70.3	11,528	8,922	133	127
COLO	134.9	155.0	19,057	21,359	141	138
DEL-MD	1.6	1.6	175	173	110	107
FLA	.2	.2	13	14	74	90
GA		.1		8		91
HAW	.1	.1	6	13	90	96
IDAHO	.3	.3	41	29	128	116
ILL	35.4	23.7	4,645	3,008	131	127
IND	.7	1.1	81	107	113	94
IOWA	50.2	45.9	6,678	6,005	133	131
KANS	40.3	42.2	5,437	5,529	135	131
KY	1.0	.8	129	106	129	131
LA	.9	.6	110	70	121	114
MICH	21.9	19.2	2,667	2,296	122	119
MINN	35.7	31.0	4,553	3,945	128	127
MISS						
MO	1.3	1.3	155	149	118	119
MONT	.1	.1	15	15	127	119
NEBR	.2	.1	23	8	122	114
NEV						
N ENG 2/	4.4	4.2	425	333	97	79
N J	5.0	5.7	461	480	93	84
N MEX	7.1	8.0	876	979	123	122
N Y	15.2	15.2	1,224	1,166	80	76
N C						
N DAK						
OHIO	2.6	2.7	258	278	98	103
OKLA	.2	.3	31	33	127	128
OREG	.3	.5	37	60	115	114
PA	10.8	13.1	1,143	1,421	106	109
S C						
S DAK	.3	.2	42	25	137	120
TENN						
TEX	72.2	55.6	8,005	6,143	111	110
UTAH	1.7	2.2	213	281	123	129
VA	.9	.9	94	81	101	88
WASH	15.2	15.7	1,850	1,899	122	121
W VA						
WISC	.4	1.0	51	121	114	126
WYO	.1	.1	14	11	122	125
U S	548.1	519.4	70,096	65,116	128	125

1/ INCLUDES SLAUGHTER UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION AND OTHER COMMERCIAL SLAUGHTER, EXCLUDES FARM SLAUGHTER.  
 2/ NEW ENGLAND INCLUDES CONNECTICUT, MAINE, MASSACHUSETTS, NEW HAMPSHIRE, RHODE ISLAND, AND VERMONT.

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

SPECIES	JAN - MAR				
	MAR 1988	FEB 1989	MAR 1989	1988	1989
	PERCENT				
CATTLE	97.1	97.3	97.2	97.0	97.3
CALVES	96.7	97.0	97.2	96.4	96.9
HOGS	97.6	97.5	97.5	97.5	97.3
SHEEP	97.7	97.7	97.3	97.7	97.5

CLASSIFICATION OF LIVESTOCK SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, U.S.

ITEM	JAN - MAR 1/									
	MAR 1988	FEB 1989	MAR 1989	1988	1989	MAR 1988	FEB 1989	MAR 1989	1988	1989
	1,000 HEAD					PERCENT OF TOTAL				
CLASS 2/										
CATTLE										
STEERS	1,394	1,228	1,361	4,172	3,878	49.6	49.1	49.5	50.1	48.7
HEIFERS	868	786	817	2,524	2,430	30.8	31.5	29.8	30.3	30.5
DAIRY COWS	250	243	271	735	794	8.9	9.7	9.9	8.8	10.0
OTHER COWS	248	202	247	749	714	8.8	8.1	9.0	9.0	9.0
BULLS & STAGS	53	41	49	147	139	1.9	1.6	1.8	1.8	1.8
TOTAL 1/	2,812	2,500	2,744	8,328	7,955	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
HOGS										
BARROW & GILTS	7,137	6,294	7,182	19,774	20,196	95.1	95.1	94.9	94.9	94.8
SOWS	299	270	317	868	918	4.0	4.1	4.2	4.2	4.3
STAGS & BOARS	69	55	70	184	189	.9	.8	.9	.9	.9
TOTAL 1/	7,505	6,619	7,569	20,826	21,303	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
SHEEP										
MATURE SHEEP	23	19	26	60	64	4.2	4.5	5.2	4.6	4.8
LAMBS & YRLNGS	513	396	479	1,262	1,274	95.8	95.5	94.8	95.4	95.2
TOTAL 1/	535	415	505	1,323	1,338	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
AVERAGE DRESSED WEIGHT: 3/	-----POUNDS-----									
CATTLE	670	684	675	670	682					
STEERS 4/	720	739	725	720	738					
HEIFERS 4/	650	667	658	650	667					
ALL COWS 4/	544	553	549	545	549					
BULLS & STAGS 4/	846	853	854	846	855					
CALVES & VEALERS	147	157	155	148	156					
HOGS	178	178	178	178	179					
BARROWS & GLTS 5/	173	173	173	173	173					
SOWS 5/	296	297	291	303	297					
STAGS & BOARS 5/	210	224	221	204	225					
SHEEP	66	64	64	64	64					
MATURE SHEEP 6/	63	60	61	61	60					
LAMBS & YRLNGS 6/	66	65	64	64	65					

- 1/ TOTALS AND PERCENTAGES BASED ON UNROUNDED DATA.  
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3/ BASED ON PACKER REPORTS.  
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STANDARD :		CATTLE					: CALVES	
FEDERAL :								
REGIONS	TOTAL :	:	:	DAIRY :	OTHER :	BULLS :	TOTAL	
1/	2/ :	STEERS :	HEIFERS :	COWS :	COWS :	& STAGS :	2/	
T H O U S A N D H E A D								
1 3/	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	
2	: 22.6	6.7	.8	13.8	.3	1.0	57.8	
3	: 95.8	35.5	7.0	39.7	10.9	2.8	23.1	
4	: 94.7	10.2	16.8	30.1	30.7	7.0	12.6	
5	: 334.1	135.6	75.3	92.0	22.1	9.1	75.1	
6	: 508.1	303.0	125.2	13.4	56.8	9.6	7.8	
7	: 1136.6	617.4	407.2	23.0	79.6	9.5	.3	
8	: 282.0	112.9	131.8	12.1	20.6	4.7	.2	
9	: 132.0	74.2	10.3	34.3	10.3	2.9	12.1	
10	: 138.1	65.5	42.3	12.6	15.4	2.3	5.2	
U.S. 2/	: 2744.1	1360.9	816.8	270.9	246.7	48.8	194.3	

STANDARD :		HOGS				: SHEEP	
FEDERAL :							
REGIONS	TOTAL :	BARROWS :	:	STAGS & :	TOTAL :	MATURE :	LAMBS &
1/	2/ :	& GILTS :	SOWS :	BOARS :	2/ :	SHEEP :	YEARLING
T H O U S A N D H E A D							
1 3/	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
2	: 13.1	12.6	.4	.0	24.5	4.3	20.2
3	: 566.5	545.6	19.1	1.8	15.1	.5	14.6
4	: 971.5	906.7	62.9	1.9	.9	.4	.4
5	: 2197.3	2070.6	97.5	29.2	71.9	4.8	67.0
6	: 100.8	82.6	18.0	.2	60.9	7.0	53.9
7	: 3127.1	3019.3	71.9	36.0	88.7	5.7	82.9
8	: 366.7	320.8	45.8	.1	157.0	2.0	155.0
9	: 198.1	196.7	1.0	.4 4/			
10	: 28.2	27.4	.7	.1	86.5	1.7	84.8
U.S. 2/	: 7569.2	7182.3	317.3	69.6	505.4	26.4	478.9

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STANDARD FEDERAL REGIONS	CATTLE						CALVES
	TOTAL	STEERS	HEIFERS	DAIRY COWS	OTHER COWS	BULLS & STAGS	TOTAL
1/ 3/	2/						2/
T H O U S A N D H E A D							
1 3/							
2	67.4	17.9	2.8	42.6	1.3	2.9	154.1
3	265.2	97.1	19.6	110.1	30.3	8.0	69.4
4	263.9	28.7	46.4	80.0	88.8	20.1	39.7
5	948.6	371.5	211.8	274.8	66.4	24.1	218.9
6	1449.1	809.0	414.8	38.6	159.6	27.1	27.0
7	3341.3	1813.6	1202.3	74.1	222.9	28.4	.8
8	833.6	336.0	379.2	37.7	66.9	13.9	.6
9	385.2	208.6	38.6	100.9	28.6	8.4	37.8
10	401.1	196.0	114.6	35.1	48.8	6.5	17.0
U.S. 2/	7955.4	3878.5	2430.0	793.9	713.6	139.5	565.3

STANDARD FEDERAL REGIONS	HOGS				SHEEP		
	TOTAL	BARROWS & GILTS	SOWS	STAGS & BOARS	TOTAL	MATURE SHEEP	LAMBS & YEARLING
1/ 3/	2/				2/		
T H O U S A N D H E A D							
1 3/							
2	38.7	37.3	1.2	.2	47.9	11.5	36.4
3	1659.3	1597.2	57.0	5.2	34.8	1.5	33.4
4	2727.7	2548.3	172.7	6.7	2.2	1.1	1.1
5	6168.9	5808.8	281.2	79.0	203.5	11.7	191.8
6	288.9	232.2	56.1	.6	166.6	18.4	148.2
7	8790.4	8471.1	223.6	95.7	241.8	10.7	231.1
8	995.7	873.6	121.8	.2	415.8	4.8	411.0
9	554.8	551.2	2.4	1.2 4/			
10	79.0	76.3	2.4	.3	225.4	4.3	221.2
U.S. 2/	21303.4	20195.9	918.4	189.1	1338.1	64.0	1274.1

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