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LIVESTOCK SLAUGHTER, MEAT, AND LARD PRODUCTION, 1973

Production of red meat in the United States during 1973 was 6 percent less than in 1972. The 1973 total of 34.9 billion pounds of beef, veal, pork, lamb and mutton includes estimated slaughter on farms in addition to slaughter in commercial plants. Beef production decreased 5 percent to 21.3 billion pounds. Veal production continued to decline, dropping 22 percent in 1973 to 357 million pounds. Pork production was off 6 percent to 12.8 billion pounds. Production of lamb and mutton totaled 514 million pounds, down 5 percent from a year earlier. In 1973, beef accounted for about 61 percent of the red meat total, pork 37 percent, lamb and mutton 1 percent, and veal 1 percent. Lard production, at 1,253 million pounds, was down 20 percent from last year. Commercial production of chicken and turkey meat totaled 10.6 billion pounds in 1973, down 2 percent from a year ago.

Cattle slaughter totaled 33.7 million head in 1973, of which 90.6 percent were slaughtered in Federally inspected plants and 9.4 percent in other plants. Calf slaughter totaled 2.2 million head, with 80.4 percent in Federally inspected plants and 19.6 percent in other plants. The hog slaughter of 76.8 million head consisted of 94.1 percent slaughtered under Federal inspection and 5.9 percent in other plants. Of the 9.6 million sheep and lambs slaughtered in 1973, 96.2 percent were in Federally inspected plants and 3.8 percent in other plants.

The average live weight of all cattle slaughtered in 1973 was 1,042 pounds, up 5 pounds from 1972. For calves slaughtered in 1973, the average live weight was 264 pounds, an increase of 7 pounds from the previous year. The average live weight of hogs slaughtered was 241 pounds for 1973, up 2 pounds from 1972. Sheep and lambs averaged 107 pounds, 2 pounds more than in 1972.

Quarterly United States totals are shown in tables 3-6 for slaughter in Federally inspected plants, other plants, and for farm slaughter. Monthly commercial slaughter by States in tables 7-18 does not include farm slaughter.

The number of livestock slaughtering plants --Federally inspected and other--on March 1, 1972, 1973, and 1974 is shown by States in table 21.

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Table 1. Commercial meat and lard production, by months, farm meat and lard production annual, United States 1973

Month	Beef	Veal	Pork 2/	Lamb & mutton	Total meat 2/	Lard 3/	Poultry 4/
Million pounds							
Commercial 1/							
January	1,945	36	1,149	46	3,176	116	844
February	1,675	29	979	39	2,722	96	708
March	1,774	31	1,134	40	2,979	113	775
April	1,483	24	1,033	39	2,579	100	717
May	1,826	27	1,150	48	3,051	120	878
June	1,740	25	995	39	2,799	110	909
July	1,695	24	889	43	2,651	87	946
August	1,662	25	973	44	2,704	86	1,025
September	1,641	24	929	41	2,635	84	905
October	1,996	28	1,152	49	3,225	111	1,105
November	1,874	28	1,137	40	3,079	113	990
December	1,778	24	1,058	34	2,894	100	847
Total commercial 5/	21,088	325	12,578	504	34,495	1,235	10,649
Farm	189	32	173	10	404	18	
Total	21,277	357	12,751	514	34,899	1,253	

1/ Excludes animals slaughtered on farms. 2/ Excludes lard and rendered pork fat. 3/ Includes rendered pork fat. 4/ Chicken and turkey meat ready-to-cook basis, excludes slaughter on farms for home use. 5/ Totals based on unrounded data.

Table 2. Commercial livestock slaughter: Number of head slaughtered, by months, United States, 1973

Month	Federal inspection	Other commercial	Total commercial	Federal inspection	Other commercial	Total commercial
		: 1,000 head				: 1,000 head
			Cattle			
January	2,809.7	295.0	3,104.7	209.0	44.5	253.5
February	2,424.1	248.7	2,672.8	169.1	37.3	206.4
March	2,619.8	264.3	2,884.1	187.6	37.2	224.8
April	2,169.3	237.9	2,407.2	138.7	32.1	170.8
May	2,694.3	259.2	2,953.5	130.9	36.6	167.5
June	2,562.7	231.7	2,794.4	117.3	33.7	151.0
July	2,441.2	250.5	2,691.7	117.8	36.0	153.8
August	2,366.1	330.5	2,696.6	114.9	43.2	158.1
September	2,362.3	246.6	2,608.9	128.3	35.0	163.3
October	2,865.8	286.2	3,152.0	167.5	38.6	206.1
November	2,687.4	267.9	2,955.3	170.2	36.5	206.7
December	2,518.6	247.0	2,765.6	156.4	30.4	186.8
Total 1/	30,521.2	3,165.6	33,686.8	1,807.5	441.3	2,248.8
			Hogs			
January	6,641.1	458.4	7,099.5	835.3	22.2	857.5
February	5,712.6	376.5	6,089.1	699.8	21.2	721.0
March	6,651.6	384.4	7,036.0	710.1	26.8	736.9
April	5,991.8	369.5	6,361.3	690.0	42.4	732.4
May	6,637.8	405.3	7,043.1	858.2	26.4	884.6
June	5,710.6	363.3	6,073.9	727.3	25.6	752.9
July	4,996.3	331.6	5,327.9	806.8	27.9	834.7
August	5,568.9	321.2	5,890.1	844.0	43.4	887.4
September	5,348.3	308.5	5,656.8	789.0	30.8	819.8
October	6,612.7	382.9	6,995.6	914.9	36.9	951.8
November	6,533.9	399.9	6,933.8	746.8	32.5	779.3
December	5,858.7	429.2	6,287.9	611.5	27.2	638.7
Total 1/	72,264.3	4,530.7	76,795.0	9,233.8	363.2	9,597.0
			Sheep and lambs			

1/ Totals based on unrounded data.

Table 3. Cattle slaughter, by class of slaughter and by quarter, United States, 1972 and 1973

Period and class of slaughter	1972 1/						1973					
	Head		Live weight		Dressed weight 2/		Head		Live weight		Dressed weight 2/	
	1,000 head	Pounds	Average	Total 1/	Average	Total 3/	1,000 head	Pounds	Average	Total 1/	Average	Total 1/
	Million	Pounds	Million	Million	Million	head	Pounds	Pounds	Million	Million	Pounds	Million
January-March												
Fed. inspection	7,718.8	1,057	8,157	4,822	627	7,853.6	1,054	8,280	631	4,936		
Other commercial	979.5	944	925	548	560	808.0	946	764	566	457		
Total commercial	8,698.3	1,044	9,081	5,370	619	8,661.6	1,044	9,044	624	5,393		
Farm	147.0	980	144	82	559	167.0	975	163	561	94		
Total	8,845.3	1,043	9,225	5,452	616	8,828.6	1,043	9,207	622	5,487		
April-June												
Fed. inspection	8,110.8	1,040	8,439	5,055	623	7,426.1	1,043	7,744	627	4,638		
Other commercial	911.1	937	854	512	562	729.0	939	684	564	411		
Total commercial	9,021.9	1,030	9,292	5,566	619	8,155.1	1,033	8,428	621	5,049		
Farm	29.0	965	28	16	536	31.0	960	30	538	17		
Total	9,050.9	1,030	9,320	5,582	617	8,186.1	1,033	8,458	619	5,066		
July-September												
Fed. inspection	8,209.0	1,034	8,492	5,105	624	7,169.6	1,051	7,533	634	4,528		
Other commercial	805.7	936	754	455	564	827.6	942	780	568	470		
Total commercial	9,014.7	1,026	9,246	5,559	618	7,997.2	1,059	8,312	626	4,997		
Farm	20.0	960	19	11	524	20.0	955	19	530	11		
Total	9,034.7	1,025	9,265	5,570	617	8,017.2	1,039	8,331	625	5,008		
October-December												
Fed. inspection	8,227.9	1,062	8,740	5,259	642	8,071.8	1,066	8,606	645	5,192		
Other commercial	815.8	940	767	463	567	801.1	940	753	569	456		
Total commercial	9,043.7	1,051	9,506	5,722	635	8,872.9	1,055	9,359	638	5,648		
Farm	108.0	965	104	60	552	122.0	960	117	552	67		
Total	9,151.7	1,050	9,610	5,782	632	8,994.9	1,053	9,476	635	5,715		
Year												
Fed. inspection	32,266.5	1,048	33,827	20,241	629	30,521.1	1,054	32,162	634	19,294		
Other commercial	3,512.1	939	3,299	1,978	563	3,165.7	942	2,981	567	1,794		
Total commercial	35,778.6	1,038	37,126	22,218	623	33,686.8	1,043	35,143	628	21,088		
Farm	304.0	972	295	169	556	340.0	968	329	556	189		
Total	36,082.6	1,037	37,421	22,387	620	34,026.8	1,042	35,472	625	21,277		

1/ Totals for 1972 are for 48 States.
 2/ Excludes animals condemned under Federal inspection.
 3/ Totals based on unrounded data.

Table 4. Calf slaughter, by class of slaughter and by quarter, United States, 1972 and 1973

Period and class of slaughter	1972 1/				1973							
	Head		Live weight		Dressed weight 2/		Head		Live weight		Dressed weight 2/	
	1,000 head	Pounds	Average	Total 1/	1,000 head	Pounds	Average	Total 1/	1,000 head	Pounds	Average	Total 1/
	Million	Million	Million	Million	1,000 head	Pounds	Pounds	Pounds	Million	Pounds	Pounds	Million
January-March												
Fed. inspection	698.7	202	141	114	565.7	208	117	118	117	118	66	66
Other commercial	186.3	373	69	209	119.0	441	53	250	53	250	30	30
Total commercial	885.0	238	211	134	684.7	248	170	141	170	141	96	96
Farm	61.0	410	25	230	58.0	410	24	260	24	260	15	15
Total	946.0	249	236	140	742.7	261	194	149	194	149	111	111
April-June												
Fed. inspection	529.9	220	117	124	386.9	221	86	126	86	126	48	48
Other commercial	169.6	404	69	228	102.4	475	49	271	49	271	28	28
Total commercial	699.5	265	185	149	489.3	274	134	157	134	157	76	76
Farm	13.0	395	5	221	13.0	395	5	250	5	250	3	3
Total	712.5	267	190	150	502.3	277	139	157	139	157	79	79
July-September												
Fed. inspection	570.1	214	122	120	361.0	209	75	118	75	118	42	42
Other commercial	147.5	448	66	251	114.2	478	55	270	55	270	31	31
Total commercial	717.6	262	188	147	475.2	273	130	155	130	155	73	73
Farm	13.0	405	5	227	11.0	400	4	257	4	257	3	3
Total	730.6	264	193	148	486.2	276	134	156	134	156	76	76
October-December												
Fed. inspection	622.0	205	127	114	494.1	192	95	108	95	108	53	53
Other commercial	128.8	438	56	241	105.5	446	47	251	47	251	27	27
Total commercial	750.8	245	184	137	599.6	237	142	134	142	134	80	80
Farm	44.0	395	117	221	45.0	400	18	250	18	250	11	11
Total	794.8	253	201	141	644.6	248	160	141	160	141	91	91
Year												
Fed. inspection	2,420.7	210	507	118	1,807.7	207	373	117	373	117	210	210
Other commercial	632.2	412	260	231	441.1	460	203	260	203	260	115	115
Total commercial	3,052.9	251	767	141	2,248.8	256	576	145	576	145	325	325
Farm	131.0	399	52	228	127.0	402	51	252	51	252	32	32
Total	3,183.9	257	819	144	2,375.8	264	627	150	627	150	357	357

1/ Totals for 1972 are for 48 States.
 2/ Excludes animals condemned under Federal inspection.
 3/ Totals based on unrounded data.

Table 5. Sheep and lamb slaughter, by class of slaughter and by quarter, United States, 1972 and 1973

Period and class of slaughter	1972 1/												1973												
	Head				Live weight				Dressed weight 2/				Head				Live weight				Dressed weight 2/				
	1,000 head	Pounds	Average	Total 1/	1,000 head	Pounds	Average	Total 1/	Million pounds	Pounds	Average	Total 1/	1,000 head	Pounds	Average	Total 1/	Million pounds	Pounds	Average	Total 1/	1,000 head	Pounds	Average	Total 1/	
January-March																									
Fed. inspection	2,550.4	108	276	137	2,245.2	109	246	54	2,275.5	109	248	54	2,275.5	109	248	54	2,275.5	109	248	54	2,275.5	109	248	54	
Other commercial	109.7	94	10	5	70.2	101	7	47	94.4	92	9	46	94.4	92	9	46	94.4	92	9	46	94.4	92	9	46	
Total commercial	2,660.1	108	287	142	2,315.4	109	253	54	2,369.9	108	257	54	2,369.9	108	257	54	2,369.9	108	257	54	2,369.9	108	257	54	
Farm	65.0	97	6	3	56.0	99	6	46	40.0	100	4	45	40.0	100	4	45	40.0	100	4	45	40.0	100	4	45	
Total	2,725.1	108	293	145	2,371.4	109	259	54	2,409.9	108	261	54	2,409.9	108	261	54	2,409.9	108	261	54	2,409.9	108	261	54	
April-June																									
Fed. inspection	2,395.3	106	253	125	2,439.8	104	255	50	2,439.8	104	255	51	2,439.8	104	255	51	2,439.8	104	255	51	2,439.8	104	255	51	
Other commercial	103.7	94	10	5	102.1	97	10	46	94.4	92	9	47	94.4	92	9	47	94.4	92	9	47	94.4	92	9	47	
Total commercial	2,499.0	105	263	129	2,514.9	104	264	49	2,514.9	104	264	49	2,514.9	104	264	49	2,514.9	104	264	49	2,514.9	104	264	49	
Farm	45.0	99	4	2	40.0	100	4	44	40.0	100	4	46	40.0	100	4	46	40.0	100	4	46	40.0	100	4	46	
Total	2,544.0	105	267	131	2,554.9	105	268	49	2,554.9	105	268	49	2,554.9	105	268	49	2,554.9	105	268	49	2,554.9	105	268	49	
July-September																									
Fed. inspection	2,443.4	101	246	120	2,273.2	108	245	53	2,439.8	104	255	51	2,439.8	104	255	51	2,439.8	104	255	51	2,439.8	104	255	51	
Other commercial	88.0	94	8	4	102.1	97	10	46	94.4	92	9	47	94.4	92	9	47	94.4	92	9	47	94.4	92	9	47	
Total commercial	2,531.4	100	254	125	2,514.9	104	264	49	2,514.9	104	264	49	2,514.9	104	264	49	2,514.9	104	264	49	2,514.9	104	264	49	
Farm	45.0	100	5	2	40.0	100	4	44	40.0	100	4	46	40.0	100	4	46	40.0	100	4	46	40.0	100	4	46	
Total	2,576.4	101	259	127	2,554.9	105	268	49	2,554.9	105	268	49	2,554.9	105	268	49	2,554.9	105	268	49	2,554.9	105	268	49	
October-December																									
Fed. inspection	2,516.0	107	268	133	2,273.2	108	245	53	2,273.2	108	245	53	2,273.2	108	245	53	2,273.2	108	245	53	2,273.2	108	245	53	
Other commercial	94.5	100	9	5	96.6	97	9	50	96.6	97	9	47	96.6	97	9	47	96.6	97	9	47	96.6	97	9	47	
Total commercial	2,610.5	106	278	137	2,369.8	107	254	53	2,369.8	107	254	52	2,369.8	107	254	52	2,369.8	107	254	52	2,369.8	107	254	52	
Farm	69.0	98	7	3	65.0	99	6	43	65.0	99	6	45	65.0	99	6	45	65.0	99	6	45	65.0	99	6	45	
Total	2,679.5	106	285	140	2,434.8	107	260	52	2,434.8	107	260	52	2,434.8	107	260	52	2,434.8	107	260	52	2,434.8	107	260	52	
Year																									
Fed. inspection	9,905.1	105	1,043	515	9,233.7	108	993	52	9,233.7	108	993	53	9,233.7	108	993	53	9,233.7	108	993	53	9,233.7	108	993	53	
Other commercial	395.9	95	38	19	363.3	96	35	47	363.3	96	35	47	363.3	96	35	47	363.3	96	35	47	363.3	96	35	47	
Total commercial	10,301.0	105	1,081	533	9,597.0	107	1,028	52	9,597.0	107	1,028	53	9,597.0	107	1,028	53	9,597.0	107	1,028	53	9,597.0	107	1,028	53	
Farm	224.0	98	22	10	201.0	99	20	45	201.0	99	20	50	201.0	99	20	50	201.0	99	20	50	201.0	99	20	50	
Total	10,525.0	105	1,103	543	9,798.0	107	1,048	52	9,798.0	107	1,048	52	9,798.0	107	1,048	52	9,798.0	107	1,048	52	9,798.0	107	1,048	52	

1/ Totals for 1972 are for 48 States.
 2/ Excludes animals condemned under Federal inspection.
 3/ Totals based on unrounded data.

Table 6. Hog slaughter, by class of slaughter and by quarter, 48 States 1972

Period and class of slaughter	1972									
	Head		Live weight		Dressed weight 2/		Lard		Per 100 lbs. production 1/	
	Average	Total 1/	Average	Total 1/	Average	Total 1/	Average	Total 1/	live weight	live weight
	Million pounds	Million pounds	Pounds	Million pounds	Pounds	Million pounds	Pounds	Pounds	Pounds	Pounds
<u>January-March</u>										
Fed. inspection	20,481.1	4,857	237	184	3,234	7.8	377			
Other commercial	1,779.4	408	229	151	269	5.7	23			
Total commercial	22,260.5	5,265	237	157	3,503	7.6	400			
Farm	515.0	131	254	164	84	7.6	10			
Total	22,775.5	5,396	237	157	3,587	7.6	410			
<u>April-June</u>										
Fed. inspection	19,837.9	4,796	242	187	3,152	8.4	401			
Other commercial	1,551.0	356	229	151	234	5.9	21			
Total commercial	21,388.9	5,152	241	158	3,385	8.2	422			
Farm	20.0	5	252	162	3	7.6	3/			
Total	21,408.9	5,157	241	158	3,388	8.2	422			
<u>July-September</u>										
Fed. inspection	18,208.0	4,325	238	184	2,875	7.6	330			
Other commercial	1,233.2	286	232	154	190	5.4	15			
Total commercial	19,441.2	4,611	237	158	3,065	7.5	346			
Farm	21.0	5	250	160	3	7.6	3/			
Total	19,462.2	4,616	237	158	3,068	7.5	346			
<u>October-December</u>										
Fed. inspection	20,232.3	4,896	242	188	3,291	7.3	356			
Other commercial	1,384.2	325	235	156	216	5.2	17			
Total commercial	21,616.5	5,220	241	162	3,507	7.1	373			
Farm	494.0	124	251	163	81	7.6	10			
Total	22,110.5	5,344	242	162	3,588	7.2	383			
<u>Year</u>										
Fed. inspection	78,759.3	18,874	240	186	12,551	7.8	1,465			
Other commercial	5,947.8	1,375	231	153	908	5.6	77			
Total commercial	84,707.1	20,249	239	159	13,460	7.6	1,541			
Farm	1,050.0	265	252	163	171	7.6	20			
Total	85,757.1	20,514	239	159	13,631	7.6	1,561			

1/ Totals based on unrounded data.

2/ Excludes animals condemned under Federal inspection. Excludes lard and rendered pork fat.

3/ Less than one-half million pounds.

Table 6. Hog slaughter, by class of slaughter and by quarter, United States 1973

Period and class of slaughter	1973										
	Head		Live weight		Dressed weight 2/		Lard		Per 100 lbs.: Production 1/		
	1,000 head	Average	Total 1/	Average	Total 1/	Average	Total 1/	live weight	live weight	Million pounds	
	Pounds	Million pounds	Pounds	Pounds	Million pounds	Pounds	Million pounds	Pounds	Pounds	Million pounds	
<u>January-March</u>											
Fed. inspection	19,005.2	238	4,516	185	3,071	6.9	311	6.9	311		
Other commercial	1,219.4	234	286	156	190	5.2	15	5.2	15		
Total commercial	20,224.6	237	4,802	161	3,261	6.8	326	6.8	326		
Farm	515.0	260	134	166	85	6.7	9	6.7	9		
Total	20,739.6	238	4,936	161	3,346	6.8	335	6.8	335		
<u>April-June</u>											
Fed. inspection	18,340.0	242	4,437	188	3,003	7.1	316	7.1	316		
Other commercial	1,138.3	231	263	154	175	5.2	14	5.2	14		
Total commercial	19,478.3	241	4,699	163	3,178	7.0	329	7.0	329		
Farm	20.0	255	5	164	3	6.7	3/	6.7	3/		
Total	19,498.3	241	4,704	163	3,181	7.0	329	7.0	329		
<u>July-September</u>											
Fed. inspection	15,913.5	242	3,847	188	2,645	6.4	245	6.4	245		
Other commercial	961.3	229	220	152	146	5.3	12	5.3	12		
Total commercial	16,874.8	241	4,068	165	2,792	6.3	256	6.3	256		
Farm	21.0	245	5	162	3	6.7	3/	6.7	3/		
Total	16,895.8	241	4,073	165	2,795	6.3	256	6.3	256		
<u>October-December</u>											
Fed. inspection	19,005.3	246	4,675	189	3,159	6.6	309	6.6	309		
Other commercial	1,212.0	232	281	155	187	5.1	14	5.1	14		
Total commercial	20,217.3	245	4,956	166	3,347	6.5	323	6.5	323		
Farm	495.0	245	121	165	82	6.7	9	6.7	9		
Total	20,712.3	245	5,077	166	3,429	6.5	332	6.5	332		
<u>Year</u>											
Fed. inspection	72,264.0	242	17,475	188	11,879	6.8	1,181	6.8	1,181		
Other commercial	4,531.0	232	1,050	154	699	5.2	54	5.2	54		
Total commercial	76,795.0	241	18,525	164	12,578	6.7	1,235	6.7	1,235		
Farm	1,051.0	252	265	165	173	6.7	18	6.7	18		
Total	77,846.0	241	18,790	164	12,751	6.7	1,253	6.7	1,253		

1/ Totals based on unrounded data.

2/ Excludes animals condemned under Federal inspection. Excludes lard and rendered pork fat.

3/ Less than one-half million pounds.

TABLE 7. COMMERCIAL CATTLE SLAUGHTER
NUMBER OF HEAD, BY STATES AND BY MONTHS 1973 1/

STATE 2/	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE
	<u>1000 HEAD</u>					
NEW ENGLAND	12.9	10.9	11.3	9.3	10.5	7.3
NEW YORK	30.0	24.9	27.0	20.6	24.6	20.7
NEW JERSEY	18.5	15.7	17.7	9.7	10.4	9.2
PENNSYLVANIA	61.5	58.0	61.0	48.5	58.0	57.5
OHIO	90.5	73.0	77.0	65.5	77.0	74.5
INDIANA	39.0	33.5	34.5	31.0	35.0	35.5
ILLINOIS	120.0	100.0	106.0	85.0	108.0	112.0
MICHIGAN	58.0	49.0	51.0	42.0	48.0	44.5
WISCONSIN	110.0	101.0	102.0	81.0	97.5	92.0
MINNESOTA	126.0	99.0	103.0	91.0	106.0	101.0
IOWA	422.0	347.0	359.0	285.0	375.0	352.0
MISSOURI	85.0	68.5	73.0	48.0	72.0	61.0
NORTH DAKOTA	17.4	13.9	15.5	10.7	13.3	14.2
SOUTH DAKOTA	54.5	31.5	35.0	38.5	49.5	51.0
NEBRASKA	414.0	373.0	394.0	344.0	408.0	378.0
KANSAS	226.0	201.0	218.0	166.0	215.0	205.0
DELAWARE & MARYLAND	9.7	8.0	8.5	7.5	6.7	6.4
VIRGINIA	10.8	8.3	9.3	7.5	8.9	7.9
WEST VIRGINIA	5.3	4.0	4.2	3.4	3.8	3.6
NORTH CAROLINA	11.1	10.1	10.7	9.6	10.3	9.2
SOUTH CAROLINA	5.5	5.1	6.1	5.3	5.7	5.5
GEORGIA	23.2	21.7	24.6	20.8	24.5	22.1
FLORIDA	31.0	27.0	29.5	26.0	30.0	29.0
KENTUCKY	18.1	14.7	15.9	13.8	14.2	13.6
TENNESSEE	41.5	34.5	37.0	33.5	38.0	36.5
ALABAMA	8.9	8.8	9.9	9.2	13.3	11.5
MISSISSIPPI	25.0	21.7	23.9	20.6	27.0	24.7
ARKANSAS	14.3	12.5	13.7	11.8	14.8	13.0
LOUISIANA	12.9	13.0	13.4	11.5	15.5	13.2
OKLAHOMA	50.5	47.0	52.0	46.0	55.0	54.0
TEXAS	296.0	269.0	300.0	246.0	324.0	299.0
MONTANA	16.5	13.3	16.0	11.7	14.4	14.8
IDAHO	32.5	29.5	33.5	30.0	35.0	36.0
WYOMING	1.6	1.4	1.6	1.4	1.6	1.9
COLORADO	196.0	168.0	199.0	171.0	194.0	184.0
NEW MEXICO	32.5	27.0	30.5	28.5	33.0	33.0
ARIZONA	43.0	39.5	43.0	37.0	45.0	43.5
UTAH	21.6	19.1	20.4	17.9	19.8	19.8
NEVADA	2.4	2.1	2.5	2.3	2.5	2.3
WASHINGTON	46.5	42.0	48.5	39.0	41.5	38.5
OREGON	23.9	19.8	23.1	17.4	23.0	23.0
CALIFORNIA	234.0	201.0	217.0	198.0	239.0	228.0
48 STATES	3,099.6	2,668.0	2,878.8	2,402.5	2,948.3	2,789.4
HAWAII	5.1	4.8	5.3	4.7	5.2	5.0
UNITED STATES	3,104.7	2,672.8	2,884.1	2,407.2	2,953.5	2,794.4

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TABLE 7. COMMERCIAL CATTLE SLAUGHTER
NUMBER OF HEAD, BY STATES AND BY MONTHS 1973 1/

STATE 2/	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER	YEAR
	<u>1000 HEAD</u>						
NEW ENGLAND	7.8	11.3	8.9	11.1	11.3	8.9	121.5
NEW YORK	21.6	29.5	24.6	28.0	27.5	25.0	304.0
NEW JERSEY	9.7	10.8	9.1	9.5	9.6	9.0	138.9
PENNSYLVANIA	56.5	63.5	56.0	63.0	63.0	54.5	701.0
OHIO	79.0	78.5	69.0	82.5	77.5	74.5	918.5
INDIANA	36.5	36.5	34.0	36.0	32.5	34.0	418.0
ILLINOIS	95.5	89.5	95.5	110.0	104.0	109.0	1,234.5
MICHIGAN	48.0	55.0	42.5	50.5	48.0	45.5	582.0
WISCONSIN	90.0	106.0	95.5	109.0	107.0	109.0	1,200.0
MINNESOTA	87.0	103.0	95.0	113.0	108.0	110.0	1,242.0
IOWA	316.0	294.0	346.0	424.0	392.0	372.0	4,284.0
MISSOURI	71.0	56.5	55.5	81.5	75.5	72.5	820.0
NORTH DAKOTA	13.5	14.0	12.5	16.0	15.6	15.8	172.4
SOUTH DAKOTA	47.5	37.5	36.5	58.0	58.0	61.5	559.0
NEBRASKA	311.0	283.0	319.0	387.0	354.0	342.0	4,307.0
KANSAS	202.0	202.0	198.0	236.0	224.0	206.0	2,499.0
DELAWARE & MARYLAND	7.1	7.3	6.3	7.4	7.5	6.5	88.9
VIRGINIA	8.2	10.4	8.2	10.3	9.4	8.1	107.3
WEST VIRGINIA	3.4	5.0	3.9	5.2	5.1	4.4	51.3
NORTH CAROLINA	8.7	9.4	9.3	14.7	13.0	10.6	126.7
SOUTH CAROLINA	5.3	7.8	5.5	6.4	6.5	5.1	69.8
GEORGIA	23.0	25.5	22.3	26.0	25.0	21.7	280.4
FLORIDA	30.0	34.0	27.5	33.0	30.0	28.5	355.5
KENTUCKY	14.8	18.4	14.4	17.5	16.6	15.5	187.5
TENNESSEE	37.5	39.0	35.5	45.0	40.5	37.0	455.5
ALABAMA	13.1	15.6	11.1	14.2	13.1	11.9	140.6
MISSISSIPPI	24.7	33.5	25.5	30.5	28.0	23.6	308.7
ARKANSAS	13.2	17.0	13.0	15.6	14.0	12.6	165.5
LOUISIANA	15.8	15.9	13.2	14.5	13.0	12.1	164.0
OKLAHOMA	54.5	58.5	49.0	57.0	55.0	53.0	631.5
TEXAS	298.0	290.0	268.0	316.0	297.0	268.0	3,471.0
MONTANA	16.8	19.9	14.0	16.6	17.9	16.6	188.5
IDAHO	39.5	37.5	35.5	45.5	49.0	48.5	452.0
WYOMING	1.8	2.6	1.9	1.5	1.6	1.4	20.3
COLORADO	172.0	183.0	179.0	221.0	209.0	192.0	2,268.0
NEW MEXICO	35.5	38.0	27.0	32.5	30.0	29.0	376.5
ARIZONA	43.0	42.0	34.0	48.0	46.5	42.5	507.0
UTAH	21.6	23.1	17.0	20.4	19.5	18.9	239.1
NEVADA	2.1	2.7	2.0	2.2	1.8	2.1	27.0
WASHINGTON	41.5	43.0	36.5	44.0	38.0	35.5	494.5
OREGON	26.5	24.7	22.9	27.0	24.2	21.6	277.1
CALIFORNIA	236.0	216.0	224.0	260.0	232.0	185.0	2,670.0
48 STATES	2,686.2	2,690.4	2,604.1	3,147.1	2,950.7	2,760.9	33,626.0
HAWAII	5.5	6.2	4.8	4.9	4.6	4.7	60.8
UNITED STATES	2,691.7	2,696.6	2,608.9	3,152.0	2,955.3	2,765.6	33,686.8

1/ INCLUDES SLAUGHTER IN FEDERALLY INSPECTED AND IN OTHER SLAUGHTER PLANTS, BUT EXCLUDES ANIMALS SLAUGHTERED ON FARMS.
2/ NEW ENGLAND INCLUDES MAINE, NEW HAMPSHIRE, VERMONT, MASSACHUSETTS, RHODE ISLAND, CONNECTICUT; COMMERCIAL SLAUGHTER NOT ESTIMATED IN ALASKA.

TABLE 8. COMMERCIAL CATTLE SLAUGHTER
TOTAL LIVELWEIGHT, BY STATES AND BY MONTHS 1973 1/

STATE 2/	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE
	1000 POUNDS					
NEW ENGLAND	14,178	12,123	12,458	10,158	11,515	7,930
NEW YORK	34,020	28,984	30,726	23,587	27,995	22,998
NEW JERSEY	23,236	19,672	21,860	11,863	12,802	11,583
PENNSYLVANIA	71,402	67,048	71,065	55,775	66,816	66,642
OHIO	96,473	77,453	82,236	67,989	81,466	76,958
INDIANA	40,365	34,438	35,914	31,589	35,840	36,352
ILLINOIS	125,520	105,200	109,498	87,125	114,480	114,576
MICHIGAN	61,828	52,675	54,672	46,284	53,712	49,796
WISCONSIN	124,630	114,938	114,648	92,178	109,980	100,740
MINNESOTA	140,238	110,880	113,094	97,643	119,674	107,666
IOWA	452,806	369,208	374,796	297,255	387,750	381,920
MISSOURI	91,035	72,130	76,066	49,104	73,224	61,671
NORTH DAKOTA	20,045	15,151	17,205	11,909	14,803	14,882
SOUTH DAKOTA	58,260	33,610	37,485	40,656	52,965	55,845
NEBRASKA	427,662	400,975	416,064	365,672	428,400	404,082
KANSAS	243,402	212,658	225,412	169,818	221,665	215,250
DELAWARE & MARYLAND	10,482	8,751	9,305	8,154	7,360	6,770
VIRGINIA	11,383	8,790	9,942	7,635	9,087	8,374
WEST VIRGINIA	5,395	4,000	4,204	3,573	4,214	3,964
NORTH CAROLINA	11,000	9,989	10,454	9,418	10,063	8,749
SOUTH CAROLINA	5,032	4,677	5,405	4,781	5,136	4,961
GEORGIA	22,249	20,138	22,411	19,219	22,662	20,155
FLORIDA	31,000	27,594	29,706	25,870	29,100	28,043
KENTUCKY	17,358	14,244	15,216	12,972	13,291	12,471
TENNESSEE	42,786	34,845	36,704	33,332	37,848	36,500
ALABAMA	8,241	8,166	8,989	8,436	11,904	10,592
MISSISSIPPI	22,525	20,702	21,056	17,057	22,680	21,464
ARKANSAS	13,828	12,112	12,631	10,691	13,157	11,791
LOUISIANA	12,578	12,571	12,770	11,086	15,392	12,764
OKLAHOMA	51,056	45,872	51,168	44,390	53,625	51,624
TEXAS	281,792	249,632	280,200	226,566	292,896	277,472
MONTANA	17,622	13,699	17,152	12,355	15,106	14,489
IDAHO	35,945	31,801	36,917	32,820	39,095	40,500
WYOMING	1,667	1,435	1,643	1,431	1,666	1,919
COLORADO	207,172	177,408	206,761	180,918	209,520	195,776
NEW MEXICO	31,622	26,541	29,616	27,531	31,878	30,723
ARIZONA	42,484	38,828	41,968	36,334	44,460	42,978
UTAH	24,473	21,316	23,052	19,189	21,364	22,275
NEVADA	2,484	2,180	2,638	2,431	2,570	2,275
WASHINGTON	51,476	46,242	53,544	43,290	46,106	42,812
OREGON	25,573	20,988	24,116	18,983	25,254	24,449
CALIFORNIA	239,382	204,417	223,510	200,772	243,302	231,648
48 STATES	3,251,705	2,794,081	2,984,277	2,477,839	3,041,823	2,894,429
HAWAII	4,682	4,416	4,929	4,286	4,831	4,670
UNITED STATES	3,256,387	2,798,497	2,989,206	2,482,125	3,046,654	2,899,099

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TABLE 8. COMMERCIAL CATTLE SLAUGHTER
TOTAL LIVENEIGHT, BY STATES AND BY MONTHS 1973 1/

STATE 2/	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER	YEAR
	<u>1000 POUNDS</u>						
NEW ENGLAND	8,567	12,271	9,744	11,989	12,264	9,831	133,028
NEW YORK	24,322	32,863	27,158	32,172	31,295	28,800	344,920
NEW JERSEY	12,086	13,738	10,984	11,761	11,971	11,214	172,770
PENNSYLVANIA	66,952	70,358	61,936	68,292	67,914	60,004	794,204
OHIO	82,002	81,012	71,277	86,378	82,305	79,268	964,817
INDIANA	36,974	36,610	34,034	36,000	33,020	35,088	426,224
ILLINOIS	95,596	86,099	94,927	111,100	104,520	112,270	1,260,911
MICHIGAN	53,760	60,720	45,985	55,298	53,088	50,460	638,278
WISCONSIN	97,830	117,448	108,297	123,715	121,338	124,696	1,350,438
MINNESOTA	95,178	110,519	102,885	123,509	121,176	122,650	1,365,112
IOWA	370,352	306,054	366,760	451,984	424,928	407,712	4,591,525
MISSOURI	72,278	56,500	57,220	85,249	81,464	79,388	855,329
NORTH DAKOTA	14,188	14,518	13,162	17,360	16,489	16,906	186,618
SOUTH DAKOTA	50,492	39,525	38,836	62,872	63,336	67,342	601,224
NEBRASKA	327,794	296,018	339,416	414,090	389,046	371,412	4,580,631
KANSAS	205,030	211,292	213,246	255,352	242,368	219,596	2,635,089
DELAWARE & MARYLAND	7,492	7,421	6,619	7,873	7,938	7,028	95,193
VIRGINIA	8,495	10,577	8,405	10,630	9,992	8,626	111,936
WEST VIRGINIA	3,730	5,395	4,228	4,898	4,906	4,215	52,722
NORTH CAROLINA	8,100	8,892	8,528	13,833	12,038	10,038	121,102
SOUTH CAROLINA	4,675	6,919	4,873	5,683	5,636	4,549	62,327
GEORGIA	21,965	22,695	21,230	24,466	23,450	19,812	260,452
FLORIDA	28,620	32,028	25,658	31,779	29,460	27,958	346,816
KENTUCKY	13,512	17,002	13,594	16,030	15,023	14,710	175,423
TENNESSEE	37,200	37,986	35,926	45,405	41,067	38,258	457,857
ALABAMA	11,856	14,149	10,201	12,993	11,698	10,936	128,161
MISSISSIPPI	20,921	30,016	21,752	26,230	24,388	21,122	269,913
ARKANSAS	11,603	15,232	11,635	14,118	12,656	11,378	150,832
LOUISIANA	15,452	14,930	11,933	14,660	12,948	11,822	158,906
OKLAHOMA	53,846	58,090	48,461	56,430	55,880	53,636	624,078
TEXAS	281,312	270,280	261,032	292,932	274,428	254,600	3,243,142
MONTANA	17,858	20,338	14,140	17,015	18,777	17,231	195,782
IDAHO	43,608	41,062	39,547	51,824	54,978	54,272	502,369
WYOMING	1,814	2,681	1,843	1,528	1,637	1,418	20,682
COLORADO	183,008	198,372	196,721	242,658	224,884	216,000	2,439,198
NEW MEXICO	33,441	36,252	27,054	32,208	29,550	29,029	365,445
ARIZONA	41,968	41,244	33,558	49,152	46,640	43,520	503,134
UTAH	24,127	25,294	18,649	22,991	21,762	20,884	265,376
NEVADA	2,152	2,792	2,100	2,352	1,945	2,243	28,062
WASHINGTON	46,231	48,074	40,844	49,676	43,092	39,760	551,147
OREGON	28,991	26,775	24,846	29,565	26,475	24,797	300,812
CALIFORNIA	241,664	225,936	234,528	275,340	244,760	188,885	2,754,144
48 STATES	2,807,042	2,765,977	2,723,772	3,299,390	3,112,430	2,933,364	35,086,129
HAWAII	5,384	5,834	4,478	4,601	4,370	4,460	56,941
UNITED STATES	2,812,426	2,771,811	2,728,250	3,303,991	3,116,800	2,937,824	35,143,070

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2/ NEW ENGLAND INCLUDES MAINE, NEW HAMPSHIRE, VERMONT, MASSACHUSETTS, RHODE ISLAND, CONNECTICUT; COMMERCIAL SLAUGHTER NOT ESTIMATED IN ALASKA.

TABLE 9. COMMERCIAL CATTLE SLAUGHTER
AVERAGE LIVEWEIGHT, BY STATES AND BY MONTHS 1973 1/

STATE 2/	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE
	<u>POUNDS</u>					
NEW ENGLAND	1,099	1,112	1,102	1,092	1,097	1,086
NEW YORK	1,134	1,164	1,138	1,145	1,138	1,111
NEW JERSEY	1,256	1,253	1,235	1,223	1,231	1,259
PENNSYLVANIA	1,161	1,156	1,165	1,150	1,152	1,159
OHIO	1,066	1,061	1,068	1,038	1,058	1,033
INDIANA	1,035	1,028	1,041	1,019	1,024	1,024
ILLINOIS	1,046	1,052	1,033	1,025	1,060	1,023
MICHIGAN	1,066	1,075	1,072	1,102	1,119	1,119
WISCONSIN	1,133	1,138	1,124	1,138	1,128	1,095
MINNESOTA	1,113	1,120	1,098	1,073	1,129	1,066
IOWA	1,073	1,064	1,044	1,043	1,034	1,085
MISSOURI	1,071	1,053	1,042	1,023	1,017	1,011
NORTH DAKOTA	1,152	1,090	1,110	1,113	1,113	1,048
SOUTH DAKOTA	1,069	1,067	1,071	1,056	1,070	1,095
NEBRASKA	1,033	1,075	1,056	1,063	1,050	1,069
KANSAS	1,077	1,058	1,034	1,023	1,031	1,050
DELAWARE & MARYLAND	1,081	1,094	1,095	1,087	1,099	1,058
VIRGINIA	1,054	1,059	1,069	1,018	1,021	1,060
WEST VIRGINIA	1,018	1,000	1,001	1,051	1,109	1,101
NORTH CAROLINA	991	989	977	981	977	951
SOUTH CAROLINA	915	917	886	902	901	902
GEORGIA	959	928	911	924	925	912
FLORIDA	1,000	1,022	1,007	995	970	967
KENTUCKY	959	969	957	940	936	917
TENNESSEE	1,031	1,010	992	995	996	1,000
ALABAMA	926	928	908	917	895	921
MISSISSIPPI	901	954	881	828	840	869
ARKANSAS	967	969	922	906	889	907
LOUISIANA	975	967	953	964	993	967
OKLAHOMA	1,011	976	984	965	975	956
TEXAS	952	928	934	921	904	928
MONTANA	1,068	1,030	1,072	1,056	1,049	979
IDAHO	1,106	1,078	1,102	1,094	1,117	1,125
WYOMING	1,042	1,025	1,027	1,022	1,041	1,010
COLORADO	1,057	1,056	1,039	1,058	1,080	1,064
NEW MEXICO	973	983	971	966	966	931
ARIZONA	988	983	976	982	988	988
UTAH	1,133	1,116	1,130	1,072	1,079	1,125
NEVADA	1,035	1,038	1,055	1,057	1,028	989
WASHINGTON	1,107	1,101	1,104	1,110	1,111	1,112
OREGON	1,070	1,060	1,044	1,091	1,098	1,063
CALIFORNIA	1,023	1,017	1,030	1,014	1,018	1,016
48 STATES	1,049	1,047	1,037	1,031	1,032	1,038
HAWAII	918	920	930	912	929	934
UNITED STATES	1,049	1,047	1,036	1,031	1,032	1,037

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TABLE 9. COMMERCIAL CATTLE SLAUGHTER
AVERAGE LIVEWEIGHT, BY STATES AND BY MONTHS 1973 1/

STATE 2/	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER	YEAR
	<u>POUNDS</u>						
NEW ENGLAND	1,098	1,086	1,095	1,080	1,085	1,105	1,095
NEW YORK	1,126	1,114	1,104	1,149	1,138	1,152	1,135
NEW JERSEY	1,246	1,272	1,207	1,238	1,247	1,246	1,244
PENNSYLVANIA	1,185	1,108	1,106	1,084	1,078	1,101	1,133
OHIO	1,038	1,032	1,033	1,047	1,062	1,064	1,050
INDIANA	1,013	1,003	1,001	1,000	1,016	1,032	1,020
ILLINOIS	1,001	962	994	1,010	1,005	1,030	1,021
MICHIGAN	1,120	1,104	1,082	1,095	1,106	1,109	1,097
WISCONSIN	1,087	1,108	1,134	1,135	1,134	1,144	1,125
MINNESOTA	1,094	1,073	1,083	1,093	1,122	1,115	1,099
IOWA	1,172	1,041	1,060	1,066	1,084	1,096	1,072
MISSOURI	1,018	1,000	1,031	1,046	1,079	1,095	1,043
NORTH DAKOTA	1,051	1,037	1,053	1,085	1,057	1,070	1,082
SOUTH DAKOTA	1,063	1,054	1,064	1,084	1,092	1,095	1,076
NEBRASKA	1,054	1,046	1,064	1,070	1,099	1,086	1,064
KANSAS	1,015	1,046	1,077	1,082	1,082	1,066	1,054
DELAWARE & MARYLAND	1,055	1,017	1,051	1,064	1,058	1,081	1,071
VIRGINIA	1,036	1,017	1,025	1,032	1,063	1,065	1,043
WEST VIRGINIA	1,097	1,079	1,084	942	962	958	1,028
NORTH CAROLINA	931	946	917	941	926	947	956
SOUTH CAROLINA	882	887	886	888	867	892	893
GEORGIA	955	890	952	941	938	913	929
FLORIDA	954	942	933	963	982	981	976
KENTUCKY	913	924	944	916	905	949	936
TENNESSEE	992	974	1,012	1,009	1,014	1,034	1,005
ALABAMA	905	907	919	915	893	919	912
MISSISSIPPI	847	896	853	860	871	895	874
ARKANSAS	879	896	895	905	904	903	911
LOUISIANA	978	939	904	1,011	996	977	969
OKLAHOMA	988	993	989	990	1,016	1,012	988
TEXAS	944	932	974	927	924	950	934
MONTANA	1,063	1,022	1,010	1,025	1,049	1,038	1,039
IDAHO	1,104	1,095	1,114	1,139	1,122	1,119	1,111
WYOMING	1,008	1,031	970	1,019	1,023	1,013	1,019
COLORADO	1,064	1,084	1,099	1,098	1,076	1,125	1,075
NEW MEXICO	942	954	1,002	991	985	1,001	971
ARIZONA	976	982	987	1,024	1,003	1,024	992
UTAH	1,117	1,095	1,097	1,127	1,116	1,105	1,110
NEVADA	1,025	1,034	1,050	1,069	1,025	1,068	1,039
WASHINGTON	1,114	1,118	1,119	1,129	1,134	1,120	1,115
OREGON	1,094	1,084	1,085	1,095	1,094	1,148	1,086
CALIFORNIA	1,024	1,046	1,047	1,059	1,055	1,021	1,032
48 STATES	1,045	1,026	1,046	1,044	1,055	1,062	1,043
HAWAII	979	941	933	939	950	949	937
UNITED STATES	1,045	1,028	1,046	1,044	1,055	1,062	1,043

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2/ NEW ENGLAND INCLUDES MAINE, NEW HAMPSHIRE, VERMONT, MASSACHUSETTS, RHODE ISLAND, CONNECTICUT; COMMERCIAL SLAUGHTER NOT ESTIMATED IN ALASKA.

TABLE 10. COMMERCIAL CALF SLAUGHTER
NUMBER OF HEAD, BY STATES AND BY MONTHS 1973 1/

STATE 2/	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE
	<u>1000 HEAD</u>					
NEW ENGLAND	17.8	15.2	21.8	14.9	12.4	9.6
NEW YORK	51.5	43.0	60.0	47.0	37.5	28.5
NEW JERSEY	22.5	17.8	17.7	11.1	11.8	14.0
PENNSYLVANIA	22.8	18.0	16.9	12.5	10.4	9.7
OHIO	3.3	2.8	2.0	1.2	1.7	1.6
INDIANA	.4	.5	.3	.2	.3	.2
ILLINOIS	8.1	7.0	7.0	5.7	6.0	5.7
MICHIGAN	8.4	6.6	5.8	4.0	5.0	4.7
WISCONSIN	23.5	18.8	17.5	14.3	12.5	12.7
MINNESOTA	.7	.7	.7	.9	.5	.5
IOWA	16.0	10.9	10.7	8.1	8.0	6.6
MISSOURI	1.2	.9	.9	.7	.8	.9
NORTH DAKOTA	-	-	-	-	-	-
SOUTH DAKOTA	-	-	-	-	.1	-
NEBRASKA	.4	.3	.3	.2	.2	.4
KANSAS	-	.1	-	-	.1	-
DELAWARE & MARYLAND	1.4	1.0	1.0	.7	.8	.8
VIRGINIA	6.3	5.3	5.7	2.8	4.9	3.5
WEST VIRGINIA	.1	-	.1	-	.1	-
NORTH CAROLINA	.1	.2	.2	.2	.2	.2
SOUTH CAROLINA	9.4	8.0	8.4	6.5	8.6	7.5
GEORGIA	.5	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.2	.8
FLORIDA	7.1	5.5	5.5	4.4	5.5	6.3
KENTUCKY	.3	.3	.2	.1	.1	.1
TENNESSEE	11.3	7.6	6.3	4.4	3.6	3.4
ALABAMA	.4	.3	.2	.2	.2	.3
MISSISSIPPI	2.8	2.4	2.4	2.5	3.4	2.9
ARKANSAS	.1	.1	.1	-	.1	.1
LOUISIANA	14.5	12.2	12.6	11.1	13.4	12.7
OKLAHOMA	.2	.3	.3	.4	.4	.4
TEXAS	11.3	9.9	10.4	9.7	10.9	10.0
MONTANA	-	-	-	-	-	-
IDAHO	-	.1	-	-	.1	-
WYOMING	-	-	-	-	-	-
COLORADO	-	-	-	-	-	-
NEW MEXICO	-	-	-	-	-	-
ARIZONA	.2	.1	.1	.1	.1	.1
UTAH	-	.1	-	-	.1	-
NEVADA	.1	-	.1	-	-	.1
WASHINGTON	.5	.5	.5	.3	.4	.4
OREGON	.6	.5	.5	.3	.4	.4
CALIFORNIA	9.7	8.4	7.6	5.3	5.7	5.9
48 STATES	253.5	206.4	224.8	170.8	167.5	151.0
HAWAII	-	-	-	-	-	-
UNITED STATES	253.5	206.4	224.8	170.8	167.5	151.0

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TABLE 10. COMMERCIAL CALF SLAUGHTER
NUMBER OF HEAD, BY STATES AND BY MONTHS 1973 1/

STATE 2/	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER	YEAR
	1000 HEAD						
NEW ENGLAND	10.5	11.6	11.0	15.0	15.1	14.8	169.7
NEW YORK	35.5	35.5	39.5	50.0	53.0	50.5	531.5
NEW JERSEY	15.6	14.7	12.6	16.0	15.8	14.6	184.2
PENNSYLVANIA	10.4	13.6	14.5	17.6	17.9	15.3	179.6
OHIO	1.5	1.1	1.2	1.6	1.7	1.5	21.2
INDIANA	.2	.2	.2	.2	.1	.2	3.0
ILLINOIS	6.1	5.9	5.7	7.0	7.1	5.8	77.1
MICHIGAN	4.4	3.8	3.9	5.3	5.1	4.6	61.6
WISCONSIN	14.3	12.9	15.2	23.2	21.6	20.2	206.7
MINNESOTA	.7	.8	.6	.6	.5	.6	7.8
IOWA	-	-	4.1	9.7	12.6	11.1	97.8
MISSOURI	.7	.8	.7	.8	.7	.7	9.8
NORTH DAKOTA	.1	-	-	-	-	-	.1
SOUTH DAKOTA	-	-	-	-	-	-	.1
NEBRASKA	.2	.2	.1	.2	.3	.3	3.1
KANSAS	.1	-	-	-	.1	-	.4
DELAWARE & MARYLAND	.8	.9	.8	.9	.8	.7	10.6
VIRGINIA	3.3	2.5	4.4	5.6	5.5	4.6	54.4
WEST VIRGINIA	.1	-	.1	-	.1	-	.6
NORTH CAROLINA	.1	.1	.1	.2	.1	.2	1.9
SOUTH CAROLINA	5.8	4.9	7.2	7.0	8.4	7.1	88.8
GEORGIA	.2	.4	.2	.3	-	.2	6.8
FLORIDA	6.5	5.8	5.2	6.4	4.7	4.5	67.4
KENTUCKY	.1	.1	.1	.2	.2	.1	1.9
TENNESSEE	2.5	2.1	2.5	1.9	.3	.1	46.0
ALABAMA	.3	.4	.4	.7	1.2	.5	5.1
MISSISSIPPI	2.6	4.6	2.9	2.8	3.8	2.5	35.6
ARKANSAS	.1	-	.1	.1	.2	.3	1.3
LOUISIANA	13.9	15.9	13.1	12.2	10.4	9.1	151.1
OKLAHOMA	.6	1.2	.5	1.0	.8	.9	7.0
TEXAS	9.8	13.7	10.7	12.3	11.2	9.0	128.9
MONTANA	-	-	-	-	-	.1	.1
IDAHO	-	-	-	.1	-	-	.3
WYOMING	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
COLORADO	.1	-	-	-	-	.1	.2
NEW MEXICO	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ARIZONA	.1	.1	.1	.1	.1	.1	1.3
UTAH	-	-	-	.1	-	-	.3
NEVADA	-	-	-	-	-	-	.3
WASHINGTON	.3	.4	.3	.4	.5	.4	4.9
OREGON	.4	.3	.4	.4	.5	.4	5.1
CALIFORNIA	5.9	3.6	4.9	6.2	6.3	5.7	75.2
48 STATES	153.8	158.1	163.3	206.1	206.7	186.8	2,248.8
HAWAII	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
UNITED STATES	153.8	158.1	163.3	206.1	206.7	186.8	2,248.8

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TABLE 11. COMMERCIAL CALF SLAUGHTER
TOTAL LIVEWEIGHT, BY STATES AND BY MONTHS 1973 1/

STATE 2/	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE
	1000 POUNDS					
NEW ENGLAND	1,853	1,601	2,295	1,499	1,381	1,069
NEW YORK	5,253	4,859	6,300	4,794	4,500	3,135
NEW JERSEY	5,962	5,055	5,487	3,263	3,611	4,088
PENNSYLVANIA	2,690	2,268	1,960	1,512	1,518	1,639
OHIO	653	538	442	257	388	386
INDIANA	66	72	41	28	45	28
ILLINOIS	1,790	1,603	1,540	1,288	1,440	1,425
MICHIGAN	1,672	1,426	1,247	916	1,180	1,090
WISCONSIN	3,713	3,309	2,992	2,860	2,825	2,159
MINNESOTA	166	158	171	256	130	101
IOWA	2,960	2,016	1,980	1,498	1,480	1,188
MISSOURI	383	283	284	215	258	271
NORTH DAKOTA	-	-	-	-	-	-
SOUTH DAKOTA	-	-	-	-	20	-
NEBRASKA	143	110	106	76	77	153
KANSAS	-	30	-	-	40	-
DELAWARE & MARYLAND	347	251	224	164	196	203
VIRGINIA	1,997	1,738	1,864	876	1,612	1,040
WEST VIRGINIA	25	-	28	-	26	-
NORTH CAROLINA	19	74	69	67	68	49
SOUTH CAROLINA	4,662	4,280	4,519	3,536	4,756	3,968
GEORGIA	244	494	487	486	578	377
FLORIDA	2,279	1,771	1,903	1,487	1,771	1,814
KENTUCKY	79	85	60	29	29	27
TENNESSEE	4,057	2,706	2,136	1,509	1,166	1,000
ALABAMA	176	162	89	84	86	119
MISSISSIPPI	1,607	1,330	1,495	1,418	1,999	1,638
ARKANSAS	40	47	42	-	38	23
LOUISIANA	8,294	6,905	7,409	6,038	7,491	7,061
OKLAHOMA	90	147	131	185	174	170
TEXAS	6,396	5,663	6,011	5,519	6,387	5,730
MONTANA	-	-	-	-	-	-
IDAHO	-	43	-	-	20	-
WYOMING	-	-	-	-	-	-
COLORADO	-	-	-	-	-	-
NEW MEXICO	-	-	-	-	-	-
ARIZONA	99	50	48	53	49	45
UTAH	-	45	-	-	65	-
NEVADA	41	-	40	-	-	40
WASHINGTON	149	160	158	90	125	122
OREGON	259	215	212	139	182	153
CALIFORNIA	4,530	3,242	2,683	2,396	2,787	2,944
48 STATES	62,694	52,736	54,453	42,538	48,478	43,255
HAWAII	-	-	-	-	-	-
UNITED STATES	62,694	52,736	54,453	42,538	48,478	43,255

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TABLE 11. COMMERCIAL CALF SLAUGHTER
TOTAL LIVWEIGHT, BY STATES AND BY MONTHS 1973 1/

STATE 2/	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER	YEAR
	1000 POUNDS						
NEW ENGLAND	1,166	1,342	1,306	1,761	1,700	1,647	18,620
NEW YORK	3,870	3,550	4,464	5,500	5,777	6,060	58,062
NEW JERSEY	4,321	4,395	3,616	4,416	4,645	4,088	52,947
PENNSYLVANIA	1,414	1,442	1,638	1,918	1,862	1,576	21,437
OHIO	340	255	282	365	357	309	4,572
INDIANA	31	28	27	25	13	27	431
ILLINOIS	1,440	1,446	1,254	1,477	1,484	1,288	17,475
MICHIGAN	1,012	866	909	1,166	1,071	938	13,493
WISCONSIN	2,831	2,516	2,584	3,410	3,218	2,929	35,346
MINNESOTA	163	179	144	170	118	132	1,888
IOWA	-	-	758	1,794	2,331	2,054	18,059
MISSOURI	207	239	206	258	210	206	3,020
NORTH DAKOTA	40	-	-	-	-	-	40
SOUTH DAKOTA	-	-	-	-	-	-	20
NEBRASKA	70	72	36	77	111	107	1,138
KANSAS	46	-	-	-	40	-	156
DELAWARE & MARYLAND	203	222	212	231	195	173	2,621
VIRGINIA	960	702	1,505	1,898	1,958	1,587	17,737
WEST VIRGINIA	22	-	25	-	39	-	165
NORTH CAROLINA	29	20	21	42	26	48	532
SOUTH CAROLINA	3,074	2,813	3,701	3,584	4,040	3,550	46,483
GEORGIA	88	157	77	127	-	84	3,199
FLORIDA	1,521	1,926	1,794	2,170	1,551	994	20,981
KENTUCKY	27	28	28	64	50	30	536
TENNESSEE	705	603	762	598	118	29	15,389
ALABAMA	131	170	154	298	492	213	2,174
MISSISSIPPI	1,451	2,765	1,569	1,498	1,995	1,250	20,015
ARKANSAS	39	-	36	42	84	120	511
LOUISIANA	8,006	9,031	7,074	6,561	5,897	5,023	84,890
OKLAHOMA	272	505	209	413	341	377	3,014
TEXAS	5,478	7,110	5,981	6,630	6,048	4,770	71,723
MONTANA	-	-	-	-	-	44	44
IDAHO	-	-	-	30	-	-	93
WYOMING	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
COLORADO	50	-	-	-	-	43	93
NEW MEXICO	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ARIZONA	49	47	48	46	50	51	635
UTAH	-	-	-	40	-	-	130
NEVADA	-	-	-	-	-	-	121
WASHINGTON	90	124	100	160	164	128	1,570
OREGON	176	122	174	171	211	182	2,196
CALIFORNIA	2,808	1,775	2,661	3,075	2,936	2,645	34,482
48 STATES	42,130	44,450	43,355	50,115	49,132	42,702	576,038
HAWAII	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
UNITED STATES	42,130	44,450	43,355	50,115	49,132	42,702	576,038

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AVERAGE LIVEWEIGHT, BY STATES AND BY MONTHS 1973 1/

STATE 2/	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE
	<u>POUNDS</u>					
NEW ENGLAND	104	105	105	101	111	111
NEW YORK	102	113	105	102	120	110
NEW JERSEY	265	284	310	294	306	292
PENNSYLVANIA	118	126	116	121	146	169
OHIO	198	192	221	214	228	241
INDIANA	164	144	138	138	149	139
ILLINOIS	221	229	220	226	240	250
MICHIGAN	199	216	215	229	236	232
WISCONSIN	158	176	171	200	226	170
MINNESOTA	237	225	244	284	260	202
IOWA	185	185	185	185	185	180
MISSOURI	319	314	315	307	323	301
NORTH DAKOTA	-	-	-	-	-	-
SOUTH DAKOTA	-	-	-	-	200	-
NEBRASKA	358	368	355	382	384	382
KANSAS	-	300	-	-	399	-
DELAWARE & MARYLAND	248	251	224	234	245	254
VIRGINIA	317	328	327	313	329	297
WEST VIRGINIA	250	-	283	-	260	-
NORTH CAROLINA	192	369	346	333	340	244
SOUTH CAROLINA	496	535	538	544	553	529
GEORGIA	489	494	487	486	482	471
FLORIDA	321	322	346	338	322	288
KENTUCKY	264	282	300	288	291	272
TENNESSEE	359	356	339	343	324	294
ALABAMA	440	540	445	420	430	397
MISSISSIPPI	574	554	623	567	588	565
ARKANSAS	400	473	417	-	380	233
LOUISIANA	572	566	588	544	559	556
OKLAHOMA	448	490	438	463	435	426
TEXAS	566	572	578	569	586	573
MONTANA	-	-	-	-	-	-
IDAHO	-	433	-	-	200	-
WYOMING	-	-	-	-	-	-
COLORADO	-	-	-	-	-	-
NEW MEXICO	-	-	-	-	-	-
ARIZONA	494	500	482	533	491	454
UTAH	-	451	-	-	452	-
NEVADA	414	-	400	-	-	400
WASHINGTON	298	321	315	301	313	306
OREGON	431	430	423	462	455	383
CALIFORNIA	467	386	353	452	489	499
48 STATES	247	256	242	249	289	286
HAWAII	-	-	-	-	-	-
UNITED STATES	247	256	242	249	289	286

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TABLE 12. COMMERCIAL CALF SLAUGHTER
AVERAGE LIVELWEIGHT, BY STATES AND BY MONTHS 1973 1/

STATE 2/	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER	YEAR
	<u>POUNDS</u>						
NEW ENGLAND	111	116	119	117	113	111	110
NEW YORK	109	100	113	110	109	120	109
NEW JERSEY	277	299	287	276	294	280	287
PENNSYLVANIA	136	106	113	109	104	103	119
OHIO	227	232	235	228	210	206	216
INDIANA	155	141	135	125	133	133	144
ILLINOIS	236	245	220	211	209	222	227
MICHIGAN	230	228	233	220	210	204	219
WISCONSIN	198	195	170	147	149	145	171
MINNESOTA	233	224	240	283	237	220	242
IOWA	-	-	185	185	185	185	185
MISSOURI	296	299	295	322	300	295	308
NORTH DAKOTA	400	-	-	-	-	-	400
SOUTH DAKOTA	-	-	-	-	-	-	200
NEBRASKA	352	358	358	383	370	356	367
KANSAS	460	-	-	-	398	-	390
DELAWARE & MARYLAND	254	247	265	257	244	247	247
VIRGINIA	291	281	342	339	356	345	326
WEST VIRGINIA	220	-	250	-	388	-	275
NORTH CAROLINA	290	200	208	212	257	238	280
SOUTH CAROLINA	530	574	514	512	481	500	523
GEORGIA	440	392	385	424	-	421	470
FLORIDA	234	332	345	339	330	221	311
KENTUCKY	270	279	276	322	249	298	282
TENNESSEE	282	287	305	315	394	292	335
ALABAMA	437	425	385	426	410	426	426
MISSISSIPPI	558	601	541	535	525	500	562
ARKANSAS	390	-	357	425	418	400	393
LOUISIANA	576	568	540	546	567	552	562
OKLAHOMA	454	421	418	413	426	419	431
TEXAS	559	519	559	539	540	530	556
MONTANA	-	-	-	-	-	439	440
IDAHO	-	-	-	300	-	-	310
WYOMING	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
COLORADO	500	-	-	-	-	433	465
NEW MEXICO	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ARIZONA	490	472	475	456	500	514	488
UTAH	-	-	-	402	-	-	433
NEVADA	-	-	-	-	-	-	403
WASHINGTON	300	310	333	399	327	321	320
OREGON	441	406	435	428	422	454	431
CALIFORNIA	476	493	543	496	466	464	459
48 STATES	274	281	265	243	238	229	256
HAWAII	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
UNITED STATES	274	281	265	243	238	229	256

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2/ NEW ENGLAND INCLUDES MAINE, NEW HAMPSHIRE, VERMONT, MASSACHUSETTS, RHODE ISLAND, CONNECTICUT; COMMERCIAL SLAUGHTER NOT ESTIMATED IN ALASKA.

TABLE 13. COMMERCIAL SHEEP AND LAMB SLAUGHTER
NUMBER OF HEAD, BY STATES AND BY MONTHS 1973 1/

STATE 2/	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE
	1000 HEAD					
NEW ENGLAND	.5	.4	.8	3.5	.5	.5
NEW YORK	6.3	4.2	5.0	13.1	4.7	3.8
NEW JERSEY	51.0	42.0	37.5	33.5	39.5	31.0
PENNSYLVANIA	12.7	11.4	10.8	16.8	12.5	13.8
OHIO	5.0	3.8	3.6	5.4	4.1	4.0
INDIANA	1.5	1.1	.7	1.6	1.6	1.6
ILLINOIS	36.5	32.0	26.5	33.0	32.0	28.0
MICHIGAN	35.0	29.5	30.0	30.0	34.5	30.5
WISCONSIN	.2	.2	.1	.2	.2	.3
MINNESOTA	26.5	19.5	15.5	14.7	17.0	16.0
IOWA	45.5	39.5	33.0	28.5	37.0	31.5
MISSOURI	1.7	1.1	1.0	1.6	1.2	1.2
NORTH DAKOTA	.1	-	.1	-	.1	.1
SOUTH DAKOTA	43.5	39.0	38.0	34.5	40.0	30.0
NEBRASKA	82.5	72.0	53.0	52.0	69.5	58.0
KANSAS	.3	.3	.3	.6	.3	.4
DELAWARE & MARYLAND	5.3	3.9	2.4	3.3	2.7	3.5
VIRGINIA	.1	.1	.2	.2	.2	.2
WEST VIRGINIA	.2	.1	-	.1	-	.1
NORTH CAROLINA	-	.1	.1	-	-	.1
SOUTH CAROLINA	-	-	-	-	-	-
GEORGIA	-	-	-	-	-	-
FLORIDA	-	-	-	.2	-	.1
KENTUCKY	21.2	14.2	13.5	14.2	20.2	23.4
TENNESSEE	11.6	8.3	5.1	5.5	9.9	9.3
ALABAMA	-	-	.1	-	-	-
MISSISSIPPI	-	-	-	-	-	-
ARKANSAS	-	-	-	.1	-	-
LOUISIANA	.1	.2	.5	.2	.3	.7
OKLAHOMA	.1	.1	.3	.3	.2	.2
TEXAS	101.0	96.5	111.0	105.0	157.0	130.0
MONTANA	.2	.1	.1	.1	.1	.1
IDAHO	.8	.6	.5	.6	.9	1.1
WYOMING	.2	.2	.2	.2	.2	.2
COLORADO	165.0	130.0	171.0	146.0	164.0	122.0
NEW MEXICO	10.7	8.7	11.1	9.2	11.3	11.1
ARIZONA	-	.1	.2	.4	.2	.1
UTAH	28.5	23.3	20.0	16.9	37.0	24.2
NEVADA	.2	-	.1	.1	.4	.3
WASHINGTON	14.5	12.0	13.9	16.2	16.6	18.3
OREGON	6.0	5.5	4.7	5.6	7.7	7.2
CALIFORNIA	143.0	125.0	126.0	139.0	161.0	150.0
48 STATES	857.5	721.0	736.9	732.4	884.6	752.9
HAWAII	-	-	-	-	-	-
UNITED STATES	857.5	721.0	736.9	732.4	884.6	752.9

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TABLE 13. COMMERCIAL SHEEP AND LAMB SLAUGHTER
NUMBER OF HEAD, BY STATES AND BY MONTHS 1973 1/

STATE 2/	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER	YEAR
	<u>1000 HEAD</u>						
NEW ENGLAND	.4	.5	.6	1.0	.8	.8	10.3
NEW YORK	3.8	5.1	4.5	5.6	4.6	4.3	65.0
NEW JERSEY	35.0	37.5	31.0	37.0	33.5	31.0	439.5
PENNSYLVANIA	14.8	16.4	13.0	15.1	15.9	12.6	165.8
OHIO	4.7	6.1	3.9	4.6	4.0	4.0	53.2
INDIANA	1.8	2.3	1.4	1.4	.8	.6	16.4
ILLINOIS	32.5	36.5	33.5	37.5	37.0	32.5	397.5
MICHIGAN	36.5	40.0	31.0	38.5	36.0	31.0	402.5
WISCONSIN	.3	.7	.7	.6	.5	.4	4.4
MINNESOTA	21.3	20.5	17.4	25.5	22.5	16.9	233.3
IOWA	18.2	20.6	30.5	42.0	36.5	30.5	389.3
MISSOURI	1.5	1.8	1.2	1.4	1.0	1.1	15.8
NORTH DAKOTA	-	.1	.1	.2	.2	.2	1.2
SOUTH DAKOTA	36.0	38.0	34.0	43.5	38.5	35.0	450.0
NEBRASKA	67.5	69.5	67.0	86.5	76.0	61.0	814.5
KANSAS	.4	.7	.4	.6	.4	.2	4.9
DELAWARE & MARYLAND	3.5	4.2	3.8	5.0	4.8	3.5	45.9
VIRGINIA	.4	.3	.3	.3	.2	.1	2.6
WEST VIRGINIA	.1	.2	.2	.2	-	.1	1.3
NORTH CAROLINA	.2	.2	.1	.1	.1	.1	1.1
SOUTH CAROLINA	-	.1	-	-	-	-	.1
GEORGIA	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
FLORIDA	.1	-	-	.1	-	-	.5
KENTUCKY	24.7	26.0	20.5	23.1	26.5	18.2	245.7
TENNESSEE	10.9	9.3	8.1	6.3	-	-	84.3
ALABAMA	-	-	-	.1	-	-	.2
MISSISSIPPI	-	-	.1	-	-	-	.1
ARKANSAS	-	.1	.1	.1	-	-	.4
LOUISIANA	.6	.4	.3	.3	.3	.2	4.1
OKLAHOMA	.1	.2	.3	.3	.2	.2	2.5
TEXAS	134.0	148.0	129.0	147.0	110.0	84.0	1,452.5
MONTANA	.2	.6	.3	.4	.3	.2	2.7
IDAHO	1.4	2.3	2.2	1.4	1.2	1.0	14.0
WYOMING	.3	.6	.3	.2	.3	.3	3.2
COLORADO	148.0	145.0	164.0	182.0	140.0	132.0	1,809.0
NEW MEXICO	10.7	9.2	12.1	14.7	14.1	12.0	134.9
ARIZONA	.1	-	.2	.1	.1	.1	1.6
UTAH	35.5	43.0	52.0	41.0	21.0	17.4	359.8
NEVADA	.4	.4	.2	.2	.1	.1	2.5
WASHINGTON	26.5	25.5	19.6	19.3	15.5	11.6	209.5
OREGON	7.3	8.5	6.9	7.6	5.4	3.5	75.9
CALIFORNIA	155.0	167.0	129.0	161.0	131.0	92.0	1,679.0
48 STATES	834.7	887.4	819.8	951.8	779.3	638.7	9,597.0
HAWAII	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
UNITED STATES	834.7	887.4	819.8	951.8	779.3	638.7	9,597.0

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TABLE 14. COMMERCIAL SHEEP AND LAMB SLAUGHTER
TOTAL LIVELWEIGHT, BY STATES AND BY MONTHS 1973 1/

STATE 2/	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE
	<u>1000 POUNDS</u>					
NEW ENGLAND	53	33	69	243	44	45
NEW YORK	655	437	540	1,022	484	391
NEW JERSEY	5,100	4,326	3,825	3,350	4,068	3,069
PENNSYLVANIA	1,295	1,174	1,123	1,714	1,262	1,352
OHIO	480	369	356	502	398	388
INDIANA	162	110	67	155	144	152
ILLINOIS	3,942	3,552	2,836	2,772	3,488	2,996
MICHIGAN	3,675	3,156	3,540	3,240	3,795	3,202
WISCONSIN	19	19	9	20	19	29
MINNESOTA	2,836	2,106	1,705	1,661	1,904	1,728
IOWA	4,868	3,798	3,531	3,050	3,996	3,496
MISSOURI	178	118	105	163	122	116
NORTH DAKOTA	10	-	11	-	10	11
SOUTH DAKOTA	4,698	4,251	4,180	3,760	4,400	3,150
NEBRASKA	8,828	7,776	5,777	5,772	7,784	6,322
KANSAS	29	29	30	56	30	42
DELAWARE & MARYLAND	578	390	244	278	270	343
VIRGINIA	11	12	21	20	20	22
WEST VIRGINIA	22	10	-	11	-	12
NORTH CAROLINA	-	10	10	-	-	12
SOUTH CAROLINA	-	-	-	-	-	-
GEORGIA	-	-	-	-	-	-
FLORIDA	-	-	-	14	-	7
KENTUCKY	2,247	1,562	1,539	1,605	2,303	2,551
TENNESSEE	1,172	847	530	566	1,000	911
ALABAMA	-	-	10	-	-	-
MISSISSIPPI	-	-	-	-	-	-
ARKANSAS	-	-	-	5	-	-
LOUISIANA	8	19	43	19	26	47
OKLAHOMA	10	10	28	30	20	20
TEXAS	9,999	9,940	11,433	10,920	15,700	12,480
MONTANA	22	11	11	11	10	10
IDAHO	95	69	58	63	94	117
WYOMING	23	22	22	24	25	22
COLORADO	19,140	14,820	19,836	17,228	19,352	14,152
NEW MEXICO	1,188	974	1,232	1,040	1,254	1,154
ARIZONA	-	12	20	38	21	10
UTAH	3,164	2,633	2,320	1,893	4,625	2,759
NEVADA	21	-	10	10	39	30
WASHINGTON	1,668	1,356	1,598	1,960	1,975	1,922
OREGON	672	616	573	610	847	713
CALIFORNIA	15,873	14,125	13,986	15,568	18,193	15,750
48 STATES	92,741	78,692	81,228	79,393	97,722	79,533
HAWAII	-	-	-	-	-	-
UNITED STATES	92,741	78,692	81,228	79,393	97,722	79,533

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TABLE 14. COMMERCIAL SHEEP AND LAMB SLAUGHTER
TOTAL LIVELWEIGHT, BY STATES AND BY MONTHS 1973 1/

STATE 2/	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER	YEAR
	<u>1000 POUNDS</u>						
NEW ENGLAND	36	42	55	85	69	68	842
NEW YORK	410	500	446	605	478	460	6,428
NEW JERSEY	3,465	3,712	3,038	3,663	3,316	3,162	44,094
PENNSYLVANIA	1,450	1,591	1,261	1,480	1,590	1,298	16,590
OHIO	465	592	378	446	372	384	5,130
INDIANA	175	205	123	134	90	58	1,575
ILLINOIS	3,478	3,650	3,518	3,975	3,922	3,445	41,574
MICHIGAN	3,832	4,280	3,410	4,120	3,780	3,255	43,285
WISCONSIN	29	67	69	57	46	38	421
MINNESOTA	2,258	2,132	1,810	2,703	2,408	1,859	25,110
IOWA	1,911	2,184	3,142	4,284	3,760	3,202	41,222
MISSOURI	140	175	118	137	102	113	1,587
NORTH DAKOTA	-	10	10	20	22	20	124
SOUTH DAKOTA	3,780	3,876	3,536	4,568	4,081	3,780	48,060
NEBRASKA	7,290	7,367	7,169	9,342	8,436	6,832	88,695
KANSAS	38	66	42	59	40	21	482
DELAWARE & MARYLAND	327	395	369	460	461	357	4,472
VIRGINIA	40	31	29	31	19	10	266
WEST VIRGINIA	13	23	20	21	-	11	143
NORTH CAROLINA	17	18	9	9	10	9	104
SOUTH CAROLINA	-	10	-	-	-	-	10
GEORGIA	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
FLORIDA	7	-	-	8	-	-	36
KENTUCKY	2,668	2,808	2,234	2,472	2,836	2,002	26,827
TENNESSEE	1,068	930	802	617	-	-	8,443
ALABAMA	-	-	-	10	-	-	20
MISSISSIPPI	-	-	8	-	-	-	3
ARKANSAS	-	9	9	10	-	-	33
LOUISIANA	45	32	26	24	27	17	333
OKLAHOMA	9	19	28	28	20	20	242
TEXAS	12,864	13,764	12,642	14,406	11,000	8,820	143,968
MONTANA	21	60	30	40	30	20	276
IDAHO	175	239	238	144	122	106	1,520
WYOMING	33	61	34	22	33	29	350
COLORADO	15,984	15,080	17,056	20,020	15,680	14,784	203,132
NEW MEXICO	1,177	1,012	1,331	1,544	1,509	1,320	14,735
ARIZONA	10	-	20	10	10	10	161
UTAH	3,940	4,644	5,408	4,469	2,289	1,949	40,093
NEVADA	40	46	20	20	10	10	256
WASHINGTON	2,782	2,728	2,156	2,220	1,752	1,160	23,277
OREGON	759	884	724	806	572	385	8,161
CALIFORNIA	17,050	18,203	13,932	17,949	14,803	10,580	185,612
48 STATES	87,786	91,445	85,250	100,618	83,695	69,594	1,027,697
HAWAII	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
UNITED STATES	87,786	91,445	85,250	100,618	83,695	69,594	1,027,697

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TABLE 15. COMMERCIAL SHEEP AND LAMB SLAUGHTER
AVERAGE LIVEWEIGHT, BY STATES AND BY MONTHS 1973 1/

STATE 2/	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE
	POUNDS					
NEW ENGLAND	106	83	86	69	88	90
NEW YORK	104	104	108	78	103	103
NEW JERSEY	100	103	102	100	103	99
PENNSYLVANIA	102	103	104	102	101	98
OHIO	96	97	99	93	97	97
INDIANA	108	100	96	97	90	95
ILLINOIS	108	122	107	84	109	107
MICHIGAN	105	107	118	108	110	105
WISCONSIN	96	94	93	100	94	96
MINNESOTA	107	108	110	113	112	108
IOWA	107	107	107	107	108	111
MISSOURI	105	107	105	102	102	97
NORTH DAKOTA	100	-	112	-	100	113
SOUTH DAKOTA	108	109	110	109	110	105
NEBRASKA	107	108	109	111	112	109
KANSAS	97	97	100	93	100	105
DELAWARE & MARYLAND	109	100	102	84	100	98
VIRGINIA	113	118	107	100	99	109
WEST VIRGINIA	110	100	-	110	-	125
NORTH CAROLINA	-	95	97	-	-	120
SOUTH CAROLINA	-	-	-	-	-	-
GEORGIA	-	-	-	-	-	-
FLORIDA	-	-	-	70	-	67
KENTUCKY	106	110	114	113	114	109
TENNESSEE	101	102	104	103	101	98
ALABAMA	-	-	100	-	-	-
MISSISSIPPI	-	-	-	-	-	-
ARKANSAS	-	-	-	50	-	-
LOUISIANA	82	96	86	94	85	67
OKLAHOMA	100	100	94	100	100	100
TEXAS	99	103	103	104	100	96
MONTANA	108	106	108	107	104	100
IDAHO	119	115	115	105	104	106
WYOMING	117	110	109	118	126	109
COLORADO	116	114	116	118	118	116
NEW MEXICO	111	112	111	113	111	104
ARIZONA	-	125	100	94	107	100
UTAH	111	113	116	112	125	114
NEVADA	104	-	99	100	98	100
WASHINGTON	115	113	115	121	119	105
OREGON	112	112	122	109	110	99
CALIFORNIA	111	113	111	112	113	105
48 STATES	108	109	110	108	110	106
HAWAII	-	-	-	-	-	-
UNITED STATES	108	109	110	108	110	106

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TABLE 15. COMMERCIAL SHEEP AND LAMB SLAUGHTER
AVERAGE LIVENEIGHT, BY STATES AND BY MONTHS 1973 1/

STATE 2/	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER	YEAR
	<u>POUNDS</u>						
NEW ENGLAND	90	84	92	85	86	85	82
NEW YORK	108	98	99	108	104	107	99
NEW JERSEY	99	99	98	99	99	102	100
PENNSYLVANIA	98	97	97	98	100	103	100
OHIO	99	97	97	97	93	96	96
INDIANA	97	89	88	96	112	96	96
ILLINOIS	107	100	105	106	106	106	105
MICHIGAN	105	107	110	107	105	105	108
WISCONSIN	96	96	98	95	92	95	96
MINNESOTA	106	104	104	106	107	110	108
IOWA	105	106	103	102	103	105	106
MISSOURI	93	97	98	98	102	103	100
NORTH DAKOTA	-	100	100	100	108	100	103
SOUTH DAKOTA	105	102	104	105	106	108	107
NEBRASKA	108	106	107	108	111	112	109
KANSAS	95	94	105	98	100	104	98
DELAWARE & MARYLAND	93	94	97	92	96	102	97
VIRGINIA	100	104	98	102	96	104	102
WEST VIRGINIA	130	117	100	106	-	114	110
NORTH CAROLINA	85	89	89	86	97	86	95
SOUTH CAROLINA	-	100	-	-	-	-	100
GEORGIA	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
FLORIDA	67	-	-	75	-	-	72
KENTUCKY	108	108	109	107	107	110	109
TENNESSEE	98	100	99	98	-	-	100
ALABAMA	-	-	-	103	-	-	100
MISSISSIPPI	-	-	83	-	-	-	80
ARKANSAS	-	91	89	100	-	-	83
LOUISIANA	75	81	85	80	89	83	81
OKLAHOMA	92	96	92	92	100	100	97
TEXAS	96	93	98	98	100	105	99
MONTANA	105	100	100	100	100	100	102
IDAHO	125	104	108	103	102	106	109
WYOMING	109	102	113	109	111	96	109
COLORADO	108	104	104	110	112	112	112
NEW MEXICO	110	110	110	105	107	110	109
ARIZONA	100	-	100	100	100	100	101
UTAH	111	108	104	109	109	112	111
NEVADA	100	116	101	100	100	100	102
WASHINGTON	105	107	110	115	113	100	111
OREGON	104	104	105	106	106	110	108
CALIFORNIA	110	109	108	109	113	115	111
48 STATES	105	103	104	106	107	109	107
HAWAII	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
UNITED STATES	105	103	104	106	107	109	107

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TABLE 16. COMMERCIAL HOG SLAUGHTER
NUMBER OF HEADS BY STATES AND BY MONTHS 1973 1/

STATE 2/	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE
	1000 HEAD					
NEW ENGLAND	5.2	4.2	4.3	4.1	4.6	4.2
NEW YORK	68.5	61.5	74.0	64.5	80.0	62.5
NEW JERSEY	34.5	24.2	27.0	22.8	30.0	29.5
PENNSYLVANIA	291.0	271.0	302.0	261.0	313.0	275.0
OHIO	335.0	258.0	289.0	262.0	310.0	261.0
INDIANA	277.0	234.0	255.0	234.0	255.0	232.0
ILLINOIS	556.0	496.0	582.0	500.0	554.0	494.0
MICHIGAN	342.0	297.0	342.0	322.0	345.0	301.0
WISCONSIN	276.0	234.0	274.0	260.0	274.0	228.0
MINNESOTA	447.0	392.0	466.0	392.0	463.0	395.0
IOWA	1,781.0	1,536.0	1,843.0	1,649.0	1,780.0	1,518.0
MISSOURI	172.0	136.0	158.0	145.0	161.0	139.0
NORTH DAKOTA	3.0	1.8	2.1	1.8	1.9	2.0
SOUTH DAKOTA	197.0	169.0	197.0	187.0	207.0	173.0
NEBRASKA	216.0	186.0	233.0	221.0	243.0	213.0
KANSAS	187.0	161.0	201.0	186.0	201.0	175.0
DELAWARE & MARYLAND	43.6	37.8	34.8	38.7	41.2	35.5
VIRGINIA	254.0	211.0	232.0	224.0	254.0	210.0
WEST VIRGINIA	5.5	4.9	4.2	3.1	3.0	2.8
NORTH CAROLINA	153.0	132.0	142.0	130.0	156.0	136.0
SOUTH CAROLINA	33.5	27.0	30.0	27.5	31.0	30.0
GEORGIA	167.0	143.0	162.0	145.0	157.0	132.0
FLORIDA	35.5	29.5	30.0	29.0	30.5	29.5
KENTUCKY	156.0	131.0	158.0	137.0	154.0	130.0
TENNESSEE	248.0	211.0	243.0	223.0	242.0	210.0
ALABAMA	74.5	60.5	67.0	60.0	73.5	65.0
MISSISSIPPI	106.0	94.5	97.5	93.0	111.0	97.5
ARKANSAS	33.0	25.5	28.0	28.0	28.0	22.9
LOUISIANA	17.2	14.2	14.0	14.6	14.7	12.7
OKLAHOMA	71.5	68.5	82.0	76.5	74.0	57.5
TEXAS	169.0	145.0	139.0	124.0	140.0	124.0
MONTANA	29.5	23.6	27.0	26.0	29.5	26.0
IDAHO	9.3	7.1	7.8	7.9	8.7	8.1
WYOMING	1.6	1.4	1.6	1.4	1.5	.9
COLORADO	80.0	71.0	79.5	63.5	45.5	41.0
NEW MEXICO	8.8	8.4	8.9	9.0	10.3	9.4
ARIZONA	14.6	11.8	12.8	13.2	15.3	14.1
UTAH	6.3	5.9	6.1	5.2	5.9	5.3
NEVADA	.4	.2	.3	.3	.5	.3
WASHINGTON	53.0	46.5	48.0	46.5	53.5	48.5
OREGON	14.8	12.5	14.0	14.6	15.0	12.7
CALIFORNIA	123.0	100.0	113.0	104.0	121.0	106.0
48 STATES	7,095.8	6,085.5	7,031.9	6,357.2	7,039.1	6,069.9
HAWAII	3.7	3.6	4.1	4.1	4.0	4.0
UNITED STATES	7,099.5	6,089.1	7,036.0	6,361.3	7,043.1	6,073.9

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TABLE 16. COMMERCIAL HOG SLAUGHTER
NUMBER OF HEADS BY STATES AND BY MONTHS 1973 1/

STATE 2/	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER	YEAR
	1000 HEAD						
NEW ENGLAND	3.9	3.3	2.4	3.5	4.0	4.3	48.0
NEW YORK	52.0	51.5	54.5	74.0	73.0	73.0	789.0
NEW JERSEY	30.0	22.2	22.3	33.0	32.5	34.0	342.0
PENNSYLVANIA	175.0	258.0	263.0	314.0	296.0	255.0	3,274.0
OHIO	235.0	223.0	244.0	310.0	292.0	295.0	3,314.0
INDIANA	209.0	214.0	222.0	214.0	178.0	213.0	2,737.0
ILLINOIS	391.0	438.0	390.0	453.0	491.0	423.0	5,768.0
MICHIGAN	267.0	283.0	308.0	355.0	339.0	313.0	3,814.0
WISCONSIN	259.0	261.0	214.0	254.0	286.0	253.0	3,073.0
MINNESOTA	349.0	403.0	420.0	522.0	578.0	509.0	5,336.0
IOWA	1,298.0	1,493.0	1,405.0	1,804.0	1,778.0	1,526.0	19,411.0
MISSOURI	129.0	165.0	175.0	197.0	170.0	167.0	1,914.0
NORTH DAKOTA	1.7	1.4	1.6	2.5	4.1	3.2	27.1
SOUTH DAKOTA	159.0	189.0	182.0	240.0	235.0	205.0	2,340.0
NEBRASKA	168.0	189.0	187.0	248.0	249.0	214.0	2,567.0
KANSAS	163.0	189.0	174.0	201.0	193.0	164.0	2,195.0
DELAWARE & MARYLAND	37.1	37.0	35.4	46.5	42.9	43.7	474.2
VIRGINIA	222.0	237.0	210.0	263.0	249.0	228.0	2,794.0
WEST VIRGINIA	2.9	2.5	2.5	3.4	4.7	4.8	44.3
NORTH CAROLINA	136.0	141.0	134.0	159.0	148.0	131.0	1,698.0
SOUTH CAROLINA	26.0	29.0	24.5	32.0	32.0	34.0	356.5
GEORGIA	122.0	120.0	115.0	137.0	143.0	141.0	1,684.0
FLORIDA	26.5	25.0	20.2	32.0	29.5	32.5	349.7
KENTUCKY	108.0	117.0	110.0	155.0	149.0	139.0	1,644.0
TENNESSEE	196.0	203.0	191.0	245.0	250.0	225.0	2,687.0
ALABAMA	52.0	47.5	43.0	69.5	73.0	69.0	754.5
MISSISSIPPI	86.0	97.5	84.5	101.0	112.0	99.0	1,179.5
ARKANSAS	19.3	17.0	17.1	24.0	22.1	22.8	287.7
LOUISIANA	12.7	11.8	11.5	15.2	13.9	15.8	168.3
OKLAHOMA	47.5	49.0	45.0	56.5	54.5	51.0	733.5
TEXAS	115.0	113.0	107.0	139.0	125.0	123.0	1,562.0
MONTANA	27.0	29.5	25.5	33.5	39.0	34.5	350.6
IDAHO	6.6	6.5	7.4	8.4	8.3	7.8	93.9
WYOMING	.8	.8	.7	.7	.9	.8	13.1
COLORADO	30.0	32.0	25.0	30.0	31.0	31.5	560.0
NEW MEXICO	6.3	7.8	8.2	9.9	9.1	8.7	104.8
ARIZONA	11.7	13.7	12.4	14.9	13.6	13.7	161.8
UTAH	4.9	4.6	5.2	5.6	6.1	5.8	66.9
NEVADA	.2	.2	.2	.2	.3	.3	3.4
WASHINGTON	47.0	44.0	42.5	55.0	51.5	56.5	592.5
OREGON	12.9	13.1	13.1	15.2	14.8	15.3	168.0
CALIFORNIA	78.0	103.0	97.5	115.0	108.0	96.5	1,265.0
48 STATES	5,324.0	5,885.9	5,653.2	6,991.5	6,929.8	6,282.5	76,746.3
HAWAII	3.9	4.2	3.6	4.1	4.0	5.4	48.7
UNITED STATES	5,327.9	5,890.1	5,656.8	6,995.6	6,933.8	6,287.9	76,795.0

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2/ NEW ENGLAND INCLUDES MAINE, NEW HAMPSHIRE, VERMONT, MASSACHUSETTS, RHODE ISLAND, CONNECTICUT; COMMERCIAL SLAUGHTER NOT ESTIMATED IN ALASKA.

TABLE 17. COMMERCIAL HOG SLAUGHTER
TOTAL LIVELWEIGHT, BY STATES AND BY MONTHS 1973 ✓

STATE 2/	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE
	<u>1000 POUNDS</u>					
NEW ENGLAND	1,277	1,080	1,100	1,023	1,164	1,064
NEW YORK	15,892	14,145	17,094	15,222	18,720	14,500
NEW JERSEY	7,970	5,590	6,237	5,244	6,540	6,520
PENNSYLVANIA	63,438	59,620	67,346	57,420	68,860	60,225
OHIO	76,715	58,566	64,736	61,046	72,230	61,596
INDIANA	68,142	58,032	62,220	58,266	63,750	58,464
ILLINOIS	139,556	127,472	148,410	124,500	142,378	131,898
MICHIGAN	83,448	71,577	80,370	78,890	84,160	74,949
WISCONSIN	65,412	54,054	65,212	62,400	65,760	55,176
MINNESOTA	106,386	93,296	111,374	94,472	113,898	101,120
IOWA	427,440	359,424	436,791	392,462	436,100	374,946
MISSOURI	41,108	32,640	36,656	34,510	39,123	33,360
NORTH DAKOTA	660	396	472	405	435	456
SOUTH DAKOTA	48,659	41,067	48,462	46,563	52,785	45,499
NEBRASKA	54,648	45,198	56,386	54,145	60,021	53,676
KANSAS	44,132	38,640	47,637	44,268	49,044	42,350
DELAWARE & MARYLAND	9,630	8,249	7,592	8,490	9,068	7,767
VIRGINIA	59,690	48,108	53,128	51,296	58,674	46,830
WEST VIRGINIA	1,744	1,519	1,373	1,132	1,069	1,008
NORTH CAROLINA	34,425	29,964	31,666	29,250	34,944	30,056
SOUTH CAROLINA	8,408	6,669	7,380	6,765	7,378	7,140
GEORGIA	37,241	31,746	36,288	33,495	35,168	29,304
FLORIDA	7,100	5,752	5,850	5,510	5,795	5,605
KENTUCKY	38,844	31,964	39,026	33,976	38,192	32,240
TENNESSEE	58,032	51,273	58,320	51,736	58,080	50,820
ALABAMA	17,954	14,580	15,678	14,220	17,566	15,470
MISSISSIPPI	23,850	20,979	21,840	21,204	24,975	21,450
ARKANSAS	7,755	8,044	6,468	6,692	6,496	5,427
LOUISIANA	3,750	3,167	3,094	3,256	3,263	2,870
OKLAHOMA	19,376	17,810	21,238	19,660	19,684	14,950
TEXAS	42,000	35,815	31,831	29,760	34,300	28,396
MONTANA	7,080	5,593	6,534	6,292	7,286	6,578
IDAHO	2,130	1,598	1,771	1,809	2,001	1,879
WYOMING	366	329	371	326	354	205
COLORADO	18,640	16,472	18,364	14,796	10,647	9,676
NEW MEXICO	2,077	1,974	2,127	2,196	2,451	2,237
ARIZONA	3,373	2,761	2,982	3,062	3,580	3,257
UTAH	1,329	1,386	1,275	1,123	1,280	1,113
NEVADA	84	43	63	63	105	60
WASHINGTON	12,402	10,834	11,040	10,834	12,412	11,106
OREGON	3,360	2,675	3,248	3,402	3,465	2,934
CALIFORNIA	28,782	23,000	25,538	24,648	28,919	25,122
48 STATES	1,694,305	1,441,101	1,664,588	1,515,829	1,702,160	1,479,299
HAWAII	648	648	742	738	736	716
UNITED STATES	1,694,953	1,441,749	1,665,330	1,516,567	1,702,896	1,480,015

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TABLE 17. COMMERCIAL HOG SLAUGHTER
TOTAL LIVELWEIGHT, BY STATES AND BY MONTHS 1973 1/

STATE 2/	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER	YEAR
	1000 POUNDS						
NEW ENGLAND	963	822	594	886	1,012	1,056	12,041
NEW YORK	11,960	11,845	12,590	17,168	16,936	16,863	182,935
NEW JERSEY	6,660	5,039	5,151	7,623	7,410	7,820	77,804
PENNSYLVANIA	39,900	57,276	59,701	72,534	69,560	57,630	733,510
OHIO	54,755	50,844	56,608	71,610	68,328	69,325	766,359
INDIANA	53,713	54,142	56,166	54,570	46,102	56,019	689,586
ILLINOIS	96,968	119,574	100,230	116,421	130,606	112,095	1,490,108
MICHIGAN	67,551	69,901	72,380	85,555	84,750	75,120	928,671
WISCONSIN	61,901	63,162	51,146	61,468	70,928	62,491	739,110
MINNESOTA	86,203	96,720	102,480	132,066	145,656	127,759	1,311,430
IOWA	336,182	356,827	335,795	434,764	440,944	393,708	4,725,383
MISSOURI	30,315	38,280	41,650	48,659	43,520	41,917	461,738
NORTH DAKOTA	393	322	368	578	951	742	6,178
SOUTH DAKOTA	40,545	45,738	45,136	59,760	59,455	53,300	586,969
NEBRASKA	42,672	45,360	45,815	61,504	62,499	55,426	637,350
KANSAS	36,675	46,494	41,760	49,647	47,671	39,360	527,678
DELAWARE & MARYLAND	8,064	8,087	7,761	10,465	9,783	9,876	104,832
VIRGINIA	50,394	52,614	47,460	59,438	58,266	52,896	638,794
WEST VIRGINIA	1,064	808	768	1,034	1,485	1,459	14,483
NORTH CAROLINA	29,512	31,161	30,284	35,775	34,040	29,868	380,945
SOUTH CAROLINA	6,240	6,612	5,831	7,904	7,808	8,160	86,295
GEORGIA	27,328	26,520	25,875	31,099	32,747	31,866	378,677
FLORIDA	4,902	4,625	3,737	6,240	5,310	5,525	65,951
KENTUCKY	26,892	29,016	27,610	38,285	37,250	35,862	409,157
TENNESSEE	47,040	50,141	47,368	58,555	59,750	56,250	647,365
ALABAMA	12,220	11,352	10,148	16,472	18,031	16,629	180,320
MISSISSIPPI	18,662	21,158	18,421	22,826	25,760	22,968	264,093
ARKANSAS	4,555	3,978	3,984	5,616	5,282	5,358	67,655
LOUISIANA	2,921	2,714	2,702	3,420	3,114	3,492	37,763
OKLAHOMA	12,350	12,985	11,880	14,690	14,224	13,362	192,209
TEXAS	29,325	27,007	25,680	33,638	30,750	29,520	378,022
MONTANA	7,182	7,404	6,298	8,375	9,750	8,280	86,652
IDAHO	1,511	1,521	1,687	1,932	1,950	1,817	21,606
WYOMING	190	178	160	168	215	184	3,046
COLORADO	7,110	7,264	5,675	7,050	7,316	7,434	130,444
NEW MEXICO	1,474	1,817	1,943	2,346	2,220	2,088	24,950
ARIZONA	2,679	3,124	2,852	3,472	3,196	3,178	37,516
UTAH	1,044	989	1,087	1,210	1,305	1,230	14,371
NEVADA	45	45	45	46	69	69	737
WASHINGTON	10,716	10,164	9,732	13,090	11,948	12,995	137,273
OREGON	2,928	3,000	3,026	3,526	3,434	3,580	38,578
CALIFORNIA	18,252	24,411	23,010	27,485	25,704	22,967	297,838
48 STATES	1,301,956	1,411,041	1,352,594	1,688,970	1,707,036	1,557,544	18,516,422
HAWAII	686	752	630	750	724	934	8,704
UNITED STATES	1,302,642	1,411,793	1,353,224	1,689,720	1,707,759	1,558,478	18,525,126

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TABLE 18. COMMERCIAL HOG SLAUGHTER
AVERAGE LIVELWEIGHT, BY STATES AND BY MONTHS 1973 1/

STATE 2/	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE
	POUNDS					
NEW ENGLAND	246	257	256	250	253	253
NEW YORK	232	230	231	236	234	232
NEW JERSEY	231	231	231	230	218	221
PENNSYLVANIA	218	220	223	220	220	219
OHIO	229	227	224	233	233	236
INDIANA	246	248	244	249	250	252
ILLINOIS	251	257	255	249	257	267
MICHIGAN	244	241	235	245	244	249
WISCONSIN	237	231	238	240	240	242
MINNESOTA	238	238	239	241	246	256
IOWA	240	234	237	238	245	247
MISSOURI	239	240	232	238	243	240
NORTH DAKOTA	220	220	225	225	229	228
SOUTH DAKOTA	247	243	246	249	255	263
NEBRASKA	253	243	242	245	247	252
KANSAS	236	240	237	238	244	242
DELAWARE & MARYLAND	221	218	218	219	220	219
VIRGINIA	235	228	229	229	231	223
WEST VIRGINIA	317	310	327	365	363	360
NORTH CAROLINA	225	227	223	225	224	221
SOUTH CAROLINA	251	247	246	246	238	238
GEORGIA	223	222	224	231	224	222
FLORIDA	200	195	195	190	190	190
KENTUCKY	249	244	247	248	248	248
TENNESSEE	234	243	240	232	240	242
ALABAMA	241	241	234	237	239	238
MISSISSIPPI	225	222	224	228	225	220
ARKANSAS	235	237	231	239	232	237
LOUISIANA	218	223	221	223	222	226
OKLAHOMA	271	260	259	257	266	260
TEXAS	250	247	229	240	245	229
MONTANA	240	237	242	242	247	253
IDAHO	229	225	227	229	230	232
WYOMING	229	235	232	233	236	228
COLORADO	233	232	231	233	234	236
NEW MEXICO	236	235	239	244	238	238
ARIZONA	231	234	233	232	234	231
UTAH	211	235	209	216	217	210
NEVADA	211	217	211	209	210	200
WASHINGTON	234	233	230	233	232	229
OREGON	227	214	232	233	231	231
CALIFORNIA	234	230	226	237	239	237
48 STATES	239	237	237	238	242	244
HAWAII	175	180	181	180	184	179
UNITED STATES	239	237	237	238	242	244

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TABLE 18. COMMERCIAL HOG SLAUGHTER
AVERAGE LIVWEIGHT, BY STATES AND BY MONTHS 1973 1/

STATE 2/	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER	YEAR
	<u>POUNDS</u>						
NEW ENGLAND	247	249	248	253	253	246	251
NEW YORK	230	230	231	232	232	231	232
NEW JERSEY	222	227	231	231	228	230	227
PENNSYLVANIA	228	222	227	231	235	226	224
OHIO	233	228	232	231	234	235	231
INDIANA	257	253	253	255	259	263	252
ILLINOIS	248	273	257	257	266	265	258
MICHIGAN	253	247	235	241	250	240	243
WISCONSIN	239	242	239	242	248	247	241
MINNESOTA	247	240	244	253	252	251	246
IOWA	259	239	239	241	248	258	243
MISSOURI	235	232	238	247	256	251	241
NORTH DAKOTA	231	230	230	231	232	232	228
SOUTH DAKOTA	255	242	248	249	253	260	251
NEBRASKA	254	240	245	248	251	259	248
KANSAS	225	246	240	247	247	240	240
DELAWARE & MARYLAND	217	219	219	225	228	226	221
VIRGINIA	227	222	226	226	234	232	229
WEST VIRGINIA	367	323	307	304	316	304	327
NORTH CAROLINA	217	221	226	225	230	228	224
SOUTH CAROLINA	240	228	238	247	244	240	242
GEORGIA	224	221	225	227	229	226	225
FLORIDA	185	185	185	195	180	170	189
KENTUCKY	249	248	251	247	250	258	249
TENNESSEE	240	247	248	239	239	250	241
ALABAMA	235	239	236	237	247	241	239
MISSISSIPPI	217	217	218	226	230	232	224
ARKANSAS	236	234	233	234	239	235	235
LOUISIANA	230	230	235	225	224	221	224
OKLAHOMA	260	265	264	260	261	262	262
TEXAS	255	239	240	242	246	240	242
MONTANA	266	251	247	250	250	240	247
IDAHO	229	234	228	230	235	233	230
WYOMING	238	222	229	240	239	230	233
COLORADO	237	227	227	235	236	236	233
NEW MEXICO	234	233	237	237	244	240	238
ARIZONA	229	228	230	233	235	232	232
UTAH	213	215	209	216	214	212	215
NEVADA	226	226	225	230	230	230	217
WASHINGTON	228	231	229	238	232	230	232
OREGON	227	229	231	232	232	234	230
CALIFORNIA	234	237	236	239	238	238	235
48 STATES	245	240	239	242	246	244	241
HAWAII	176	179	175	183	181	173	179
UNITED STATES	244	240	239	242	246	244	241

1/ INCLUDES SLAUGHTER IN FEDERALLY INSPECTED AND IN OTHER SLAUGHTER PLANTS, BUT EXCLUDES ANIMALS SLAUGHTERED ON FARMS.

2/ NEW ENGLAND INCLUDES MAINE, NEW HAMPSHIRE, VERMONT, MASSACHUSETTS, RHODE ISLAND, CONNECTICUT; COMMERCIAL SLAUGHTER NOT ESTIMATED IN ALASKA.

Table 19. Cattle Slaughter: Number slaughtered under Federal Inspection and Percentage of Federally Inspected Slaughter, by Classes, United States, 1971-73

Year	Month												Year 1/
	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	
<u>Thousands</u>													
<u>Steers</u>													
1971 2/	1,388	1,257	1,513	1,420	1,407	1,549	1,472	1,412	1,448	1,391	1,374	1,372	17,003
1972 2/	1,407	1,355	1,547	1,421	1,614	1,561	1,330	1,576	1,486	1,524	1,475	1,453	17,749
1973	1,526	1,362	1,475	1,258	1,533	1,412	1,311	1,204	1,268	1,511	1,411	1,333	16,604
<u>Heifers</u>													
1971 2/	686	605	664	619	629	707	720	788	801	738	644	628	8,229
1972 2/	647	627	659	602	696	742	672	808	833	853	710	686	8,535
1973	722	572	613	484	636	648	627	615	607	791	688	642	7,645
<u>Cows</u>													
1971 2/	456	400	461	463	453	485	479	468	486	490	500	486	5,627
1972 2/	460	432	455	406	446	474	440	482	418	480	473	436	5,402
1973	514	446	482	386	471	449	449	490	435	507	534	496	5,659
<u>Bull and Stags</u>													
1971 2/	39	37	43	43	47	56	54	52	53	48	46	42	560
1972 2/	42	43	46	42	51	56	52	60	52	52	47	40	583
1973	48	44	50	41	54	54	54	57	52	57	54	48	613
<u>Canners and Cutters 3/</u>													
1971 2/	219	197	235	230	243	283	251	240	236	242	249	229	2,854
1972 2/	227	208	219	205	234	270	244	267	263	246	271	252	2,906
1973	267	225	249	219	261	249	269	248	215	249	250	247	2,948
<u>Percentages</u>													
<u>Steers</u>													
1971	54.0	54.7	56.4	55.8	55.4	55.4	54.0	51.9	52.0	52.1	53.6	54.3	54.1
1972	55.1	55.1	57.1	57.5	57.5	55.1	53.3	53.9	53.3	52.4	54.5	55.6	55.0
1973	54.3	56.2	56.3	58.0	56.9	55.1	53.7	50.9	53.7	52.7	52.5	52.9	54.4
<u>Heifers</u>													
1971	26.7	26.3	24.8	24.3	24.8	25.3	26.4	29.0	28.7	27.7	25.1	24.8	26.2
1972	25.3	25.5	24.4	24.4	24.8	26.2	27.0	27.6	29.8	29.3	26.3	26.3	26.5
1973	25.7	23.6	23.4	22.3	23.6	25.3	25.7	26.0	25.7	27.6	25.6	25.5	25.1
<u>Cows</u>													
1971	17.8	17.4	17.2	18.2	17.9	17.3	17.6	17.2	17.4	18.4	19.5	19.2	17.9
1972	18.0	17.6	16.8	16.4	15.9	16.7	17.6	16.5	15.0	16.5	17.5	16.7	16.7
1973	18.3	18.4	18.4	17.8	17.5	17.5	18.4	20.7	18.4	17.7	19.9	19.7	18.5
<u>Bull and Stags</u>													
1971	1.5	1.6	1.6	1.7	1.9	2.0	2.0	1.9	1.9	1.8	1.8	1.7	1.8
1972	1.6	1.8	1.7	1.7	1.8	2.0	2.1	2.0	1.9	1.8	1.7	1.5	1.8
1973	1.7	1.8	1.9	1.9	2.0	2.1	2.2	2.4	2.2	2.0	2.0	1.9	2.0
<u>Canners and Cutters 3/</u>													
1971	8.8	8.6	8.8	9.0	9.6	10.1	9.2	8.8	8.5	9.1	9.7	9.1	9.1
1972	8.9	8.5	8.1	8.3	8.3	9.5	9.3	9.1	9.4	8.5	10.0	9.6	9.0
1973	9.5	9.3	9.5	10.1	9.7	9.7	11.0	10.5	9.1	8.7	9.3	9.8	9.7

1/ Yearly percentages obtained by weighting; monthly percentages by number of animals slaughtered under Federal inspection. 2/ 48 States for 1971 and 1972 3/ Included in cattle classification.

Table 20. Hog and Sheep Slaughter: Number slaughtered under Federal Inspection and Percentage of Federally inspected slaughter, by Classes, United States, 1971-73

Year	Month												Year 1/
	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	
Thousands													
<u>Barrows and gilts</u>													
1971 2/	7,019	6,000	7,806	7,356	6,449	6,366	5,737	6,326	6,819	6,704	7,012	6,963	80,557
1972 2/	6,003	5,933	7,410	6,393	6,385	5,821	4,843	6,011	5,953	6,558	6,433	5,676	73,419
1973	6,174	5,359	6,271	5,652	6,233	5,322	4,531	5,101	4,970	6,227	6,070	5,412	67,321
<u>Sows</u>													
1971 2/	420	348	389	370	421	544	417	528	498	428	485	524	5,372
1972 2/	346	297	328	284	347	423	375	436	411	438	501	460	4,646
1973	411	297	305	287	339	314	397	403	326	328	405	389	4,201
<u>Stags and Boars</u>													
1971 2/	50	31	71	68	62	73	66	68	62	58	69	60	738
1972 2/	51	50	62	56	61	69	58	65	56	52	54	61	695
1973	56	57	76	53	66	75	68	65	52	53	59	58	742
<u>Percentages</u>													
<u>Barrows and gilts</u>													
1971	93.7	94.0	94.4	94.4	93.0	91.2	92.2	91.4	92.4	93.2	92.7	92.3	93.0
1972	93.8	94.5	95.0	95.0	94.0	92.2	91.3	92.3	92.7	93.1	92.0	91.6	93.2
1973	93.0	93.8	94.3	94.3	93.9	93.2	90.7	91.6	92.9	94.2	92.9	92.4	93.2
<u>Sows</u>													
1971	5.6	5.5	4.7	4.7	6.1	7.3	6.7	7.6	6.8	6.0	6.4	6.9	6.2
1972	5.4	4.7	4.2	4.2	5.1	6.7	7.1	6.7	6.4	6.2	7.2	7.4	5.9
1973	6.2	5.2	4.6	4.8	5.1	5.5	7.0	7.2	6.1	5.0	6.2	6.6	5.8
<u>Stags and Boars</u>													
1971	.7	.5	.9	.9	.9	1.0	1.1	1.0	.8	.8	.9	.8	.8
1972	.8	.8	.8	.8	.9	1.1	1.1	1.0	.9	.7	.8	1.0	.9
1973	.8	1.0	1.1	.9	1.0	1.3	1.4	1.2	1.0	.8	.9	1.0	1.0
<u>Sheep</u>													
<u>Lambs and yearlings</u>													
1971 2/	870	760	864	823	692	732	713	752	845	846	749	791	9,437
1972 2/	811	771	858	744	751	738	677	770	800	853	768	688	9,227
1973	817	683	689	656	779	642	696	748	703	818	656	556	8,426
<u>Sheep</u>													
1971 2/	33	46	56	76	80	95	102	60	74	73	69	55	819
1972 2/	36	30	45	42	52	69	60	70	66	84	60	63	677
1973	18	17	21	34	79	85	111	96	86	97	91	55	808
<u>Percentages</u>													
<u>Lambs and yearlings</u>													
1971	96.3	94.3	93.9	91.5	89.6	88.5	87.5	92.6	92.0	92.1	91.6	93.5	92.0
1972	95.7	96.3	95.0	94.7	93.5	91.4	91.9	91.7	92.4	91.0	92.8	91.6	93.2
1973	97.8	97.6	97.0	95.1	90.8	88.3	86.2	88.6	89.1	89.4	87.8	91.0	91.2
<u>Sheep</u>													
1971	3.7	5.7	6.1	8.5	10.4	11.5	12.5	7.4	8.0	7.9	8.4	6.5	8.0
1972	4.3	3.7	5.0	5.3	6.5	8.6	8.1	8.3	7.6	9.0	7.2	3.4	6.8
1973	2.2	2.4	3.0	4.9	9.2	11.7	13.8	11.4	10.9	10.6	12.2	9.0	8.8

1/ Yearly percentages obtained by weighting monthly percentages by number of animals slaughtered under Federal inspection. 2/ 48 States for 1971 and 1972

TABLE 21. NUMBER OF LIVESTOCK SLAUGHTERING ESTABLISHMENTS, MARCH 1, 1972-74

STATE	UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION			OTHER			TOTAL		
	1972	1973	1974	1972	1973	1974	1972	1973	1974
ALABAMA	6	7	7	91	100	105	97	107	112
ARIZONA	5	5	6	26	27	27	31	32	33
ARKANSAS	9	7	7	62	60	58	71	67	65
CALIFORNIA	68	63	66	14	14	19	82	77	85
COLORADO	23	23	21	61	52	49	84	75	70
DEL.-MD.	10	9	9	70	54	49	80	63	58
FLORIDA	8	6	7	53	52	68	61	58	75
GEORGIA	8	8	10	138	132	129	146	140	139
HAWAII	1	1	1	21	22	22	22	23	23
IDAHO	8	8	10	48	49	48	56	57	58
ILLINOIS	38	34	39	215	215	210	253	249	249
INDIANA	15	15	18	190	165	156	205	180	174
IOWA	48	45	43	340	320	300	388	365	343
KANSAS	31	27	30	176	177	186	207	204	216
KENTUCKY	48	44	51	60	60	41	108	104	92
LOUISIANA	7	7	8	205	174	157	212	181	165
MICHIGAN	16	17	17	171	164	149	187	181	166
MINNESOTA	67	48	61	249	227	219	316	275	280
MISSISSIPPI	7	8	8	105	84	70	112	92	78
MISSOURI	25	125	127	282	150	119	307	275	246
MONTANA	29	30	32	19	16	13	48	46	45
NEBRASKA	102	80	84	105	125	130	207	205	214
NEVADA	2	2	6	5	5	--	7	7	6
NEW JERSEY	12	11	13	36	36	34	48	47	47
NEW MEXICO	16	14	16	16	15	14	32	29	30
NEW YORK	35	32	34	98	90	88	133	122	122
NORTH CAROLINA	14	12	13	96	106	98	110	118	111
NORTH DAKOTA	40	37	37	62	53	52	102	90	89
OHIO	40	36	37	294	280	283	334	316	320
OKLAHOMA	12	13	14	164	179	163	176	192	177
OREGON	12	57	57	64	6	21	76	63	78
PENNSYLVANIA	26	336	318	387	156	145	413	492	463
SOUTH CAROLINA	5	5	8	56	54	52	61	59	60
SOUTH DAKOTA	8	7	9	113	90	86	121	97	95
TENNESSEE	16	16	18	128	116	109	144	132	127
TEXAS	76	75	74	415	486	475	491	561	549
UTAH	10	10	11	38	36	36	48	46	47
VIRGINIA	22	21	23	78	70	61	100	91	84
WASHINGTON	21	22	45	23	20	--	44	42	45
WEST VIRGINIA	1	2	2	69	61	62	70	63	64
WISCONSIN	19	18	19	218	210	187	237	228	206
WYOMING	1	1	1	28	25	27	29	26	28
NEW ENGLAND	17	20	20	83	94	93	100	114	113
U. S.	984	1,364	1,437	5,172	4,627	4,410	6,156	5,991	5,847