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Total Red Meat Production Up Slightly From Last Year

Total red meat production for the United States totaled 49.6 billion pounds in 2012, slightly higher than the previous year. Red meat includes beef, veal, pork, and lamb and mutton. Red meat production in **commercial plants** totaled 49.4 billion pounds. **On-farm slaughter** totaled 113 million pounds.

Beef production totaled 26.0 billion pounds, down 1 percent from the previous year. **Veal production** totaled 125 million pounds, down 8 percent from last year. **Pork production**, at 23.3 billion pounds, was 2 percent above the previous year. **Lamb and mutton production** totaled 161 million pounds, up 5 percent from 2011.

Commercial cattle slaughter during 2012 totaled 33.0 million head, down 3 percent from 2011, with federal inspection comprising 98.4 percent of the total. The average live weight was 1,302 pounds, up 25 pounds from a year ago. **Steers** comprised 49.8 percent of the total federally inspected cattle slaughter, **heifers** 28.6 percent, **dairy cows** 9.6 percent, **other cows** 10.3 percent, and **bulls** 1.7 percent.

Commercial calf slaughter totaled 772,100 head, 9 percent lower than a year ago with 98.4 percent under federal inspection. The average live weight was 260 pounds, down 3 pounds from a year earlier.

Commercial hog slaughter totaled 113.2 million head, 2 percent higher than 2011 with 99.2 percent of the hogs slaughtered under federal inspection. The average live weight was unchanged from last year, at 275 pounds. **Barrows and gilts** comprised 97.0 percent of the total federally inspected hog slaughter.

Commercial sheep and lamb slaughter, at 2.18 million head, was up 1 percent from the previous year with 92.2 percent by federal inspection. The average live weight was up 5 pounds from 2011 at 143 pounds. **Lambs and yearlings** comprised 92.9 percent of the total federally inspected sheep slaughter.

There were 806 plants slaughtering under federal inspection on January 1, 2013 compared with 867 last year. Of these, 627 plants slaughtered at least one head of cattle during 2012 with the 14 largest plants slaughtering 55 percent of the total cattle killed. Hogs were slaughtered at 600 plants, with the 12 largest plants accounting for 57 percent of the total. Likewise, 5 of the 206 plants that slaughtered calves accounted for 57 percent of the total and 3 of the 507 plants that slaughtered sheep or lambs in 2012 comprised 60 percent of the total head.

Nebraska, Iowa, Kansas, and Texas accounted for 49 percent of the United States commercial red meat production in 2012, similar to 2011.

Federally Inspected, Commercial and Farm, Red Meat Production by Month and Total – United States: 2012 and 2011 Total

[Data may not add to totals due to rounding]

Month	Beef		Veal		Pork ¹		Lamb and mutton		Total red meat ¹	
	Federally inspected	Total	Federally inspected	Total	Federally inspected	Total	Federally inspected	Total	Federally inspected	Total
	(million pounds)	(million pounds)	(million pounds)	(million pounds)	(million pounds)	(million pounds)	(million pounds)	(million pounds)	(million pounds)	(million pounds)
Commercial ²										
January 2012	2,081.7	2,113.1	10.2	10.4	1,974.1	1,987.3	11.6	12.1	4,077.6	4,123.0
February	1,981.2	2,008.9	9.6	9.8	1,870.1	1,883.0	11.8	12.3	3,872.7	3,914.1
March	2,133.3	2,159.5	9.7	10.0	1,975.1	1,987.7	13.6	14.2	4,131.8	4,171.4
April	1,964.0	1,990.6	9.6	9.9	1,829.2	1,841.9	12.2	12.9	3,815.0	3,855.2
May	2,206.4	2,231.9	10.1	10.4	1,913.9	1,926.8	12.9	13.6	4,143.3	4,182.7
June	2,225.8	2,250.7	8.7	8.9	1,738.5	1,750.5	11.8	12.4	3,984.9	4,022.5
July	2,176.8	2,201.4	9.2	9.5	1,708.7	1,721.9	11.8	12.5	3,906.5	3,945.2
August	2,338.6	2,368.6	9.9	10.1	1,983.0	1,998.1	13.4	14.2	4,344.8	4,391.0
September	1,986.1	2,015.5	8.6	8.8	1,896.9	1,911.2	11.8	12.5	3,903.4	3,948.0
October	2,307.6	2,344.8	10.0	10.3	2,194.9	2,210.7	13.3	14.3	4,525.8	4,580.1
November	2,178.8	2,207.5	9.8	10.1	2,065.1	2,079.2	11.6	12.5	4,265.3	4,309.2
December	1,992.3	2,020.1	9.6	9.8	1,940.5	1,954.2	11.9	12.8	3,954.4	3,997.0
2012										
Commercial	25,572.6	25,913.0	115.0	118.0	23,090.0	23,252.6	147.7	156.2	48,925.4	49,439.7
Farm	(X)	83.0	(X)	7.5	(X)	17.4	(X)	4.6	(X)	112.6
Total	(X)	25,996.0	(X)	125.5	(X)	23,270.0	(X)	160.8	(X)	49,552.3
2011										
Commercial	25,854.3	26,195.4	126.2	129.5	22,599.2	22,758.2	140.8	148.7	48,720.5	49,231.7
Farm	(X)	86.1	(X)	7.4	(X)	17.1	(X)	4.6	(X)	115.2
Total	(X)	26,281.5	(X)	136.9	(X)	22,775.3	(X)	153.3	(X)	49,347.0

(X) Not applicable.

¹ Excludes lard and rendered pork fat.

² Based on packers' dressed weight and excludes farm slaughter.

Commercial and Farm, Number of Head Slaughtered by Species – United States: 2011 - 2012

Species	Total commercial		Farm		Total slaughter	
	2011	2012	2011	2012	2011	2012
	(thousand head)	(thousand head)	(thousand head)	(thousand head)	(thousand head)	(thousand head)
Cattle	34,086.6	32,950.8	136.2	121.5	34,222.8	33,072.3
Calves	852.5	772.1	32.8	29.9	885.3	802.0
Hogs	110,860.0	113,163.3	96.3	94.3	110,956.3	113,257.6
Sheep	2,164.3	2,182.9	93.2	92.5	2,257.5	2,275.4

Federally Inspected Slaughter, Percent of Total Commercial Slaughter by Species, Month, and Total – United States: 2012 and 2011 Total

Month	Species			
	Cattle	Calves	Hogs	Sheep
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
January 2012	98.2	98.3	99.2	93.2
February	98.3	98.5	99.2	93.5
March	98.5	98.3	99.3	94.8
April	98.4	98.1	99.2	91.7
May	98.6	98.3	99.2	91.4
June	98.7	98.4	99.2	91.8
July	98.7	98.7	99.1	92.2
August	98.5	98.5	99.1	92.5
September	98.2	98.3	99.2	92.3
October	98.1	98.0	99.2	91.0
November	98.4	98.5	99.2	90.8
December	98.3	98.6	99.2	91.2
2012 Total	98.4	98.4	99.2	92.2
2011 Total	98.4	98.4	99.2	92.4

**Federally Inspected Slaughter, Average Dressed Weight by Classification and Month - United States:
2012 and 2011 Annual**

Classification	January	February	March	April	May	June	July
	(pounds)	(pounds)	(pounds)	(pounds)	(pounds)	(pounds)	(pounds)
Cattle	783	790	788	779	780	789	792
Steers ¹	853	855	846	835	839	853	860
Heifers ¹	792	795	793	776	771	777	785
Cows ¹	605	622	626	621	612	606	603
Bulls ¹	860	877	889	893	884	891	880
Calves and vealers	154	163	168	175	175	159	140
Hogs	209	208	209	209	208	205	201
Barrows and gilts ²	206	206	206	206	205	202	198
Sows ²	305	307	309	310	312	310	306
Boars ²	208	209	206	208	211	208	208
Sheep	75	77	76	74	79	76	72
Mature sheep ³	63	65	66	66	66	65	64
Lambs and yearlings ³	76	77	76	74	79	77	73
Classification	August	September	October	November	December	2012 Average	2011 Average
	(pounds)	(pounds)	(pounds)	(pounds)	(pounds)	(pounds)	(pounds)
Cattle	794	797	798	797	799	790	773
Steers ¹	865	871	877	875	876	859	841
Heifers ¹	791	803	805	809	812	792	773
Cows ¹	596	599	597	602	608	608	596
Bulls ¹	882	874	862	863	872	877	868
Calves and vealers	139	136	140	142	149	152	154
Hogs	201	202	204	206	207	206	206
Barrows and gilts ²	198	200	201	203	204	203	203
Sows ²	307	302	304	302	305	306	305
Boars ²	209	209	207	203	207	208	210
Sheep	72	74	70	70	69	74	70
Mature sheep ³	65	64	60	62	63	64	66
Lambs and yearlings ³	73	75	71	71	69	74	71

¹ Included in cattle average dressed weight.

² Included in hogs average dressed weight.

³ Included in sheep average dressed weight.

Commercial Red Meat Production, Number of Pounds by Month – States and United States: 2012 and 2011 Total

[Includes total beef, veal, pork, and lamb and mutton. Data may not add to totals due to rounding]

State	January	February	March	April	May	June	July
	(million pounds)	(million pounds)	(million pounds)	(million pounds)	(million pounds)	(million pounds)	(million pounds)
Alabama	1.4	1.4	1.6	1.4	1.5	0.6	0.5
Alaska	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)
Arizona	36.1	30.7	33.9	32.5	32.3	35.1	30.8
Arkansas	4.0	3.5	3.8	3.3	3.4	3.5	3.6
California	141.6	136.6	147.7	143.3	149.3	146.4	140.8
Colorado	181.4	175.0	187.4	170.8	185.1	190.8	190.5
Delaware-Maryland	2.9	2.7	2.8	2.6	2.6	2.4	2.5
Florida	10.2	8.0	9.6	9.2	9.5	8.8	9.5
Georgia	11.6	11.3	11.8	11.4	11.9	11.2	11.2
Hawaii	0.8	0.9	0.8	0.9	0.9	0.8	0.9
Idaho	3.6	3.4	3.5	3.5	3.7	3.5	3.6
Illinois	247.6	234.5	248.3	230.8	247.6	232.1	228.6
Indiana	147.0	142.5	148.3	136.8	147.6	129.7	128.3
Iowa	571.5	532.1	564.4	531.6	549.3	506.3	486.9
Kansas	420.2	398.1	441.9	408.2	458.7	463.8	464.8
Kentucky	47.9	46.6	48.6	41.3	45.1	42.0	42.2
Louisiana	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4
Michigan	39.2	40.5	41.1	38.6	41.1	40.4	41.9
Minnesota	240.8	227.3	240.0	214.6	229.6	217.2	215.9
Mississippi	2.3	2.5	2.6	2.0	1.9	2.2	1.8
Missouri	151.5	145.2	158.2	145.0	147.6	135.1	131.3
Montana	0.8	0.7	0.7	1.7	1.5	1.8	1.1
Nebraska	593.7	572.2	605.7	547.8	626.8	609.5	593.8
Nevada	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
New England ¹	1.4	1.2	1.3	1.3	1.4	1.4	1.5
New Jersey	4.4	4.1	4.4	4.5	4.6	4.1	4.4
New Mexico	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.2
New York	2.8	2.4	2.6	2.3	2.7	2.6	2.6
North Carolina	209.5	204.2	205.1	189.4	203.1	179.3	182.2
North Dakota	2.8	2.8	2.7	1.0	0.6	0.6	0.5
Ohio	23.9	22.7	22.4	22.1	22.6	21.9	21.4
Oklahoma	103.3	93.6	97.1	94.6	95.0	90.3	89.5
Oregon	5.7	5.5	5.9	5.6	6.3	6.2	5.9
Pennsylvania	107.8	104.9	107.5	99.1	104.8	100.8	101.0
South Carolina	21.0	19.1	20.6	20.1	21.6	20.0	19.5
South Dakota	90.5	81.1	86.6	81.9	82.7	74.0	70.8
Tennessee	19.1	17.4	18.3	14.3	17.5	16.3	18.7
Texas	411.5	389.3	416.5	398.3	449.4	455.0	437.9
Utah	38.2	41.1	41.9	37.9	38.5	42.7	42.4
Virginia	41.4	37.2	45.8	42.6	44.5	39.1	36.9
Washington	71.0	68.1	76.9	66.6	80.5	78.0	74.5
West Virginia	0.8	0.5	0.6	0.5	0.4	0.3	0.4
Wisconsin	110.2	102.0	111.1	94.9	108.3	105.4	103.4
Wyoming	0.7	0.5	0.5	0.4	0.5	0.4	0.5
United States	4,123.0	3,914.1	4,171.4	3,855.2	4,182.7	4,022.5	3,945.2

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Commercial Red Meat Production, Number of Pounds by Month – States and United States: 2012 and 2011 Total (continued)

[Includes total beef, veal, pork, and lamb and mutton. Data may not add to totals due to rounding]

State	August	September	October	November	December	2012 Total	2011 Total
	(million pounds)	(million pounds)	(million pounds)	(million pounds)	(million pounds)	(million pounds)	(million pounds)
Alabama	0.6	0.5	0.8	0.6	0.6	11.4	20.1
Alaska	0.1	(Y)	0.1	0.1	(Y)	0.5	0.6
Arizona	32.3	27.8	32.8	32.3	29.8	386.3	413.7
Arkansas	4.0	4.0	4.3	4.0	4.0	45.5	42.7
California	147.4	133.3	156.1	144.8	139.9	1,727.0	1,733.5
Colorado	204.9	167.7	196.7	193.7	167.7	2,211.7	2,150.1
Delaware-Maryland	2.8	2.4	2.6	2.5	2.5	31.2	35.9
Florida	10.1	10.1	11.7	10.4	9.2	116.5	118.1
Georgia	12.7	10.4	12.8	13.1	11.7	141.2	135.0
Hawaii	0.9	0.7	0.9	0.8	0.8	10.1	10.6
Idaho	3.8	3.6	4.2	3.7	3.7	43.8	93.2
Illinois	263.0	245.4	285.3	271.4	242.0	2,976.5	2,757.1
Indiana	159.1	146.0	168.8	155.2	144.8	1,754.2	1,753.4
Iowa	575.1	555.2	627.9	589.8	548.1	6,638.2	6,591.8
Kansas	487.3	404.6	476.0	440.2	410.3	5,274.2	5,341.1
Kentucky	48.1	47.3	49.1	44.7	44.5	547.3	553.6
Louisiana	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.4	5.2	6.0
Michigan	43.8	36.9	46.6	43.8	42.0	495.8	508.8
Minnesota	239.4	230.7	266.5	250.2	236.3	2,808.4	2,755.1
Mississippi	2.3	2.1	2.3	2.4	2.3	26.6	25.8
Missouri	149.2	140.6	162.8	152.7	146.2	1,765.6	1,755.5
Montana	1.3	1.0	2.0	1.8	1.8	16.3	16.1
Nebraska	667.5	588.0	678.1	624.4	577.7	7,285.1	7,163.9
Nevada	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.9	1.1
New England ¹	1.7	1.7	2.2	2.0	1.7	18.7	17.4
New Jersey	4.2	3.6	3.9	3.8	4.3	50.3	54.8
New Mexico	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.3	3.6	4.6
New York	2.8	2.5	3.5	3.0	2.8	32.7	33.0
North Carolina	202.3	193.2	237.5	229.4	206.6	2,441.9	2,384.3
North Dakota	0.6	0.6	1.0	0.5	0.7	14.4	37.4
Ohio	24.9	23.4	26.2	24.7	22.3	278.7	297.0
Oklahoma	95.3	88.8	105.0	103.2	98.8	1,154.4	1,195.7
Oregon	6.6	6.0	7.0	6.5	5.7	72.8	68.8
Pennsylvania	114.7	101.5	118.1	112.8	105.7	1,278.7	1,271.7
South Carolina	21.6	19.8	22.8	21.3	19.5	247.0	245.1
South Dakota	85.8	91.1	107.4	102.5	99.3	1,053.8	1,043.5
Tennessee	24.3	23.3	27.6	23.6	17.7	238.1	233.1
Texas	461.2	381.5	423.9	408.3	381.2	5,013.9	5,143.2
Utah	43.3	38.6	47.5	41.5	38.2	491.7	453.7
Virginia	46.1	43.1	49.1	48.2	46.1	520.0	487.4
Washington	81.1	69.5	84.6	77.6	68.5	897.0	865.9
West Virginia	0.6	0.7	1.1	0.7	0.7	7.4	8.6
Wisconsin	116.6	99.3	122.1	115.7	110.2	1,299.3	1,397.8
Wyoming	0.8	0.4	0.3	0.4	0.4	5.8	6.3
United States	4,391.0	3,948.0	4,580.1	4,309.2	3,997.0	49,439.7	49,231.7

(Y) Less than level of precision shown.

¹ New England includes Connecticut, Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, Rhode Island, and Vermont.

Number of Head Slaughtered and Average Live Weight by Species and Month – United States: 2012 and 2011 Total

[Excludes slaughter on farms. Data may not add to totals due to rounding]

Species	January	February	March
Cattle			
Number of head			
Federally inspected 1,000	2,665.5	2,514.7	2,713.0
Other 1,000	49.2	42.9	40.3
Commercial 1,000	2,714.7	2,557.6	2,753.4
Live weight per head			
Federally inspected pounds	1,303	1,310	1,302
Other pounds	1,129	1,143	1,141
Commercial pounds	1,300	1,307	1,299
Calves			
Number of head			
Federally inspected 1,000	66.6	59.3	58.5
Other 1,000	1.1	0.9	1.0
Commercial 1,000	67.7	60.2	59.5
Live weight per head			
Federally inspected pounds	260	274	281
Other pounds	432	421	428
Commercial pounds	262	276	283
Hogs			
Number of head			
Federally inspected 1,000	9,466.8	8,974.8	9,453.6
Other 1,000	72.4	69.9	67.1
Commercial 1,000	9,539.2	9,044.7	9,520.7
Live weight per head			
Federally inspected pounds	279	278	279
Other pounds	251	254	260
Commercial pounds	278	278	279
Sheep and lambs			
Number of head			
Federally inspected 1,000	153.8	154.6	180.0
Other 1,000	11.1	10.7	9.9
Commercial 1,000	164.9	165.3	189.9
Live weight per head			
Federally inspected pounds	151	153	152
Other pounds	98	99	106
Commercial pounds	147	149	149
Goats			
Number of head			
Federally inspected 1,000	43.3	38.4	44.1
Other 1,000	14.4	13.7	10.7
Commercial 1,000	57.7	52.1	54.9
Live weight per head			
Federally inspected pounds	63	62	63
Other pounds	69	61	75
Commercial pounds	65	62	66
Bison			
Number of head			
Federally inspected 1,000	3.9	3.4	3.2
Other 1,000	0.9	0.9	0.8
Commercial 1,000	4.8	4.2	4.0

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Number of Head Slaughtered and Average Live Weight by Species and Month – United States: 2012 and 2011 Total (continued)

[Excludes slaughter on farms. Data may not add to totals due to rounding]

Species	April	May	June
Cattle			
Number of head			
Federally inspected1,000	2,528.1	2,835.9	2,825.8
Other1,000	41.4	39.7	38.4
Commercial1,000	2,569.5	2,875.6	2,864.1
Live weight per head			
Federally inspectedpounds	1,284	1,283	1,293
Otherpounds	1,133	1,128	1,133
Commercialpounds	1,281	1,280	1,290
Calves			
Number of head			
Federally inspected1,000	55.4	58.2	55.0
Other1,000	1.1	1.0	0.9
Commercial1,000	56.5	59.2	55.9
Live weight per head			
Federally inspectedpounds	292	293	267
Otherpounds	428	433	434
Commercialpounds	295	295	270
Hogs			
Number of head			
Federally inspected1,000	8,757.3	9,211.9	8,481.3
Other1,000	69.8	73.1	67.4
Commercial1,000	8,827.1	9,285.0	8,548.7
Live weight per head			
Federally inspectedpounds	279	277	274
Otherpounds	252	243	244
Commercialpounds	278	277	274
Sheep and lambs			
Number of head			
Federally inspected1,000	165.8	164.4	154.8
Other1,000	15.1	15.5	13.8
Commercial1,000	180.9	180.0	168.6
Live weight per head			
Federally inspectedpounds	147	157	152
Otherpounds	87	89	91
Commercialpounds	142	151	147
Goats			
Number of head			
Federally inspected1,000	45.9	45.5	44.6
Other1,000	11.7	12.7	13.9
Commercial1,000	57.6	58.2	58.5
Live weight per head			
Federally inspectedpounds	63	64	64
Otherpounds	63	69	68
Commercialpounds	63	65	65
Bison			
Number of head			
Federally inspected1,000	3.1	3.7	3.6
Other1,000	0.9	0.8	0.8
Commercial1,000	4.0	4.5	4.4

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Number of Head Slaughtered and Average Live Weight by Species and Month – United States: 2012 and 2011 Total (continued)

[Excludes slaughter on farms. Data may not add to totals due to rounding]

Species	July	August	September	October
Cattle				
Number of head				
Federally inspected 1,000	2,755.2	2,952.3	2,497.1	2,897.4
Other 1,000	37.6	45.4	45.6	57.3
Commercial 1,000	2,792.8	2,997.7	2,542.7	2,954.7
Live weight per head				
Federally inspectedpounds	1,297	1,303	1,314	1,322
Otherpounds	1,142	1,153	1,139	1,142
Commercialpounds	1,295	1,300	1,311	1,318
Calves				
Number of head				
Federally inspected 1,000	66.5	71.6	63.2	71.6
Other 1,000	0.9	1.1	1.1	1.4
Commercial 1,000	67.4	72.7	64.3	73.0
Live weight per head				
Federally inspectedpounds	239	235	232	238
Otherpounds	432	426	418	418
Commercialpounds	241	237	235	242
Hogs				
Number of head				
Federally inspected 1,000	8,492.6	9,858.1	9,375.6	10,769.7
Other 1,000	73.7	85.3	79.4	86.6
Commercial 1,000	8,566.3	9,943.4	9,455.0	10,856.3
Live weight per head				
Federally inspectedpounds	269	269	271	274
Otherpounds	248	245	250	255
Commercialpounds	269	269	271	274
Sheep and lambs				
Number of head				
Federally inspected 1,000	164.5	185.5	160.6	189.5
Other 1,000	13.9	15.0	13.4	18.6
Commercial 1,000	178.4	200.5	174.1	208.1
Live weight per head				
Federally inspectedpounds	144	145	148	140
Otherpounds	97	110	110	108
Commercialpounds	140	142	145	137
Goats				
Number of head				
Federally inspected 1,000	52.0	54.3	44.4	52.5
Other 1,000	12.7	14.4	13.3	20.0
Commercial 1,000	64.6	68.7	57.7	72.4
Live weight per head				
Federally inspectedpounds	63	64	64	63
Otherpounds	74	73	64	65
Commercialpounds	66	66	64	64
Bison				
Number of head				
Federally inspected 1,000	3.5	3.4	3.0	3.3
Other 1,000	0.8	0.8	0.7	1.1
Commercial 1,000	4.3	4.2	3.8	4.4

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Number of Head Slaughtered and Average Live Weight by Species and Month – United States: 2012 and 2011 Total (continued)

[Excludes slaughter on farms. Data may not add to totals due to rounding]

Species	November	December	2012 Total	2011 Total
Cattle				
Number of head				
Federally inspected1,000	2,740.3	2,500.1	32,425.5	33,554.8
Other1,000	44.7	42.9	525.3	531.8
Commercial1,000	2,785.0	2,543.0	32,950.8	34,086.6
Live weight per head				
Federally inspectedpounds	1,324	1,327	1,305	1,280
Otherpounds	1,135	1,143	1,139	1,129
Commercialpounds	1,321	1,324	1,302	1,277
Calves				
Number of head				
Federally inspected1,000	69.4	64.5	759.7	838.8
Other1,000	1.1	0.9	12.4	13.8
Commercial1,000	70.4	65.4	772.1	852.5
Live weight per head				
Federally inspectedpounds	242	252	257	260
Otherpounds	421	413	425	420
Commercialpounds	244	254	260	263
Hogs				
Number of head				
Federally inspected1,000	10,030.4	9,393.3	112,265.4	109,956.3
Other1,000	77.3	75.9	897.9	903.7
Commercial1,000	10,107.8	9,469.1	113,163.3	110,860.0
Live weight per head				
Federally inspectedpounds	276	276	275	275
Otherpounds	253	251	250	244
Commercialpounds	276	276	275	275
Sheep and lambs				
Number of head				
Federally inspected1,000	165.5	173.3	2,012.1	2,000.2
Other1,000	16.8	16.7	170.7	164.1
Commercial1,000	182.2	190.0	2,182.9	2,164.3
Live weight per head				
Federally inspectedpounds	140	138	147	141
Otherpounds	108	109	101	99
Commercialpounds	137	135	143	138
Goats				
Number of head				
Federally inspected1,000	44.6	48.3	557.9	589.1
Other1,000	17.7	14.5	169.5	184.6
Commercial1,000	62.2	62.8	727.4	773.8
Live weight per head				
Federally inspectedpounds	63	64	63	63
Otherpounds	67	73	68	69
Commercialpounds	64	66	65	64
Bison				
Number of head				
Federally inspected1,000	3.8	3.0	41.1	44.2
Other1,000	0.9	1.0	10.4	9.5
Commercial1,000	4.7	4.0	51.5	53.7

Federally Inspected Number of Head Slaughtered and Percent by Classification and Month – United States: 2012 and 2011 Total

[Data may not add to totals due to rounding]

Classification	Months						
	January	February	March	April	May	June	July
	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)
Cattle							
Steers	1,284.8	1,184.9	1,304.7	1,250.6	1,488.9	1,503.5	1,457.2
Heifers	765.8	781.2	840.4	765.0	786.1	774.2	726.4
All cows	571.9	508.5	522.2	469.4	514.1	500.8	526.3
Dairy cows	263.8	261.1	278.0	239.8	251.3	229.2	239.0
Other cows	308.1	247.3	244.1	229.6	262.8	271.6	287.3
Bulls	43.0	40.1	45.7	43.1	46.8	47.3	45.4
Total	2,665.5	2,514.7	2,713.0	2,528.1	2,835.9	2,825.8	2,755.2
Calves and vealers	66.6	59.3	58.5	55.4	58.2	55.0	66.5
Hogs							
Barrows and gilts	9,195.9	8,711.9	9,177.7	8,500.5	8,931.5	8,208.9	8,222.8
Sows	244.6	234.8	245.3	231.0	251.7	243.3	242.1
Boars	26.2	28.2	30.5	25.7	28.8	29.1	27.8
Total	9,466.8	8,974.8	9,453.6	8,757.3	9,211.9	8,481.3	8,492.6
Sheep							
Mature sheep	8.4	8.5	8.9	10.2	10.7	9.9	12.9
Lambs and yearlings	145.3	146.1	171.0	155.7	153.7	144.8	151.6
Total	153.8	154.6	180.0	165.8	164.4	154.8	164.5
Classification	Percent of total						
Cattle							
Steers	48.2	47.1	48.1	49.5	52.5	53.2	52.9
Heifers	28.7	31.1	31.0	30.3	27.7	27.4	26.4
All cows	21.5	20.2	19.2	18.6	18.1	17.7	19.1
Dairy cows	9.9	10.4	10.2	9.5	8.9	8.1	8.7
Other cows	11.6	9.8	9.0	9.1	9.3	9.6	10.4
Bulls	1.6	1.6	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.6
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Calves and vealers	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Hogs							
Barrows and gilts	97.1	97.1	97.1	97.1	97.0	96.8	96.8
Sows	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.7	2.9	2.9
Boars	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Sheep							
Mature sheep	5.5	5.5	5.0	6.1	6.5	6.4	7.8
Lambs and yearlings	94.5	94.5	95.0	93.9	93.5	93.6	92.2
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

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Federally Inspected Number of Head Slaughtered and Percent by Classification and Month – United States: 2012 and 2011 Total (continued)

[Data may not add to totals due to rounding]

Classification	Months					2012 Total	2011 Total
	August	September	October	November	December		
	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)
Cattle							
Steers	1,504.9	1,236.6	1,431.4	1,307.9	1,204.1	16,159.5	16,538.6
Heifers	836.0	708.4	803.7	785.2	696.7	9,269.0	9,725.8
All cows	560.8	506.2	610.9	598.9	555.7	6,445.6	6,711.8
Dairy cows	275.3	250.8	285.4	268.8	258.8	3,101.5	2,914.2
Other cows	285.5	255.4	325.5	330.0	296.9	3,344.2	3,797.6
Bulls	50.6	45.9	51.4	48.4	43.7	551.3	578.7
Total	2,952.3	2,497.1	2,897.4	2,740.3	2,500.1	32,425.5	33,554.8
Calves and vealers	71.6	63.2	71.6	69.4	64.5	759.7	838.8
Hogs							
Barrows and gilts	9,541.8	9,097.6	10,447.8	9,743.0	9,132.7	108,912.3	106,600.3
Sows	283.3	251.2	290.7	256.8	234.0	3,008.8	3,027.0
Boars	33.0	26.8	31.2	30.6	26.5	344.3	329.0
Total	9,858.1	9,375.6	10,769.7	10,030.4	9,393.3	112,265.4	109,956.3
Sheep							
Mature sheep	15.7	17.9	19.9	10.9	9.2	143.1	140.7
Lambs and yearlings	169.8	142.7	169.6	154.6	164.1	1,869.1	1,859.5
Total	185.5	160.6	189.5	165.5	173.3	2,012.1	2,000.2
Classification	Percent of total						
Cattle							
Steers	51.0	49.5	49.4	47.7	48.2	49.8	49.3
Heifers	28.3	28.4	27.7	28.7	27.9	28.6	29.0
All cows	19.0	20.3	21.1	21.9	22.2	19.9	20.0
Dairy cows	9.3	10.0	9.9	9.8	10.3	9.6	8.7
Other cows	9.7	10.2	11.2	12.0	11.9	10.3	11.3
Bulls	1.7	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.7	1.7	1.7
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Calves and vealers	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Hogs							
Barrows and gilts	96.8	97.0	97.0	97.1	97.2	97.0	96.9
Sows	2.9	2.7	2.7	2.6	2.5	2.7	2.8
Boars	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Sheep							
Mature sheep	8.5	11.1	10.5	6.6	5.3	7.1	7.0
Lambs and yearlings	91.5	88.9	89.5	93.4	94.7	92.9	93.0
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

Federally Inspected Cattle Slaughter by Classification and Month – Regions: 2012 and 2011 Total

[Data may not add to totals due to rounding]

Standard federal regions ¹	January	February	March	April	May	June	July
	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)
Region 1							
Steers	0.7	0.5	0.5	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.7
Heifers	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.4
All cows	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2
Dairy cows	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.1
Other cows	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
Bulls	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.3
Total cattle	1.4	1.2	1.2	1.3	1.4	1.3	1.5
Region 2							
Steers	1.8	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.8	1.8	2.0
Heifers	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.7	0.7	0.7
All cows	3.1	2.7	3.0	2.6	2.7	2.7	2.2
Dairy cows	2.6	2.4	2.6	2.3	2.4	2.4	2.0
Other cows	0.6	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.2
Bulls	0.5	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.6	0.4	0.5
Total cattle	6.0	5.4	5.6	5.3	5.7	5.6	5.4
Region 3							
Steers	27.0	31.9	31.6	31.7	32.7	30.6	28.5
Heifers	5.9	3.1	1.4	1.8	1.8	1.1	1.2
All cows	51.8	47.6	49.2	41.0	44.5	47.4	49.4
Dairy cows	41.3	38.1	39.4	32.6	35.3	37.8	39.2
Other cows	10.5	9.5	9.8	8.4	9.2	9.6	10.1
Bulls	2.0	1.8	2.1	2.0	2.6	2.3	2.0
Total cattle	86.7	84.4	84.4	76.5	81.5	81.4	81.1
Region 4							
Steers	2.3	2.2	2.5	2.4	3.0	2.7	2.3
Heifers	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.3	1.1	1.2	1.2
All cows	60.5	52.0	56.8	52.3	56.5	52.6	56.8
Dairy cows	16.5	14.8	16.3	13.2	14.8	13.3	14.4
Other cows	44.0	37.2	40.6	39.1	41.7	39.3	42.4
Bulls	9.4	9.3	9.8	9.4	10.1	9.2	9.0
Total cattle	73.4	64.6	70.2	65.5	70.7	65.7	69.3
Region 5							
Steers	127.3	116.9	136.0	126.2	148.2	151.0	144.9
Heifers	33.6	32.2	34.9	30.9	32.3	33.0	31.4
All cows	154.1	136.0	135.1	115.7	128.1	131.0	139.7
Dairy cows	80.4	77.5	79.3	67.0	72.4	70.4	75.7
Other cows	73.7	58.5	55.8	48.7	55.7	60.6	64.0
Bulls	7.9	8.3	9.2	8.7	9.0	10.2	9.6
Total cattle	322.9	293.4	315.2	281.5	317.7	325.2	325.7

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Federally Inspected Cattle Slaughter by Classification and Month – Regions: 2012 and 2011

Total (continued)

[Data may not add to totals due to rounding]

Standard federal regions ¹	August	September	October	November	December	2012 Total	2011 Total
	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)
Region 1							
Steers	0.6	0.7	1.0	0.8	0.7	8.0	7.4
Heifers	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.4	4.2	3.6
All cows	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.3	2.7	2.8
Dairy cows	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.1	1.7	1.6
Other cows	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	1.0	1.3
Bulls	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.2	2.7	2.3
Total cattle	1.5	1.5	2.0	1.8	1.6	17.5	16.2
Region 2							
Steers	1.9	1.7	2.1	1.8	1.8	21.5	23.0
Heifers	0.9	0.6	0.8	0.6	0.7	8.0	6.5
All cows	2.5	2.3	2.5	2.7	2.3	31.3	38.4
Dairy cows	2.2	1.9	2.2	2.3	2.0	27.4	32.5
Other cows	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.4	3.9	5.9
Bulls	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.4	0.4	5.5	5.7
Total cattle	5.7	5.0	5.9	5.5	5.2	66.3	73.6
Region 3							
Steers	34.3	27.5	27.8	22.1	18.5	344.4	356.8
Heifers	1.1	1.6	5.8	5.3	5.4	35.5	97.8
All cows	53.1	49.0	56.4	57.9	52.0	599.2	541.3
Dairy cows	42.6	39.3	45.1	46.4	41.8	479.0	431.5
Other cows	10.5	9.7	11.3	11.4	10.2	120.2	109.8
Bulls	2.1	2.1	2.8	2.6	2.1	26.5	24.6
Total cattle	90.7	80.1	92.8	87.9	78.0	1,005.6	1,020.4
Region 4							
Steers	2.3	2.1	2.7	2.6	2.2	29.3	25.0
Heifers	1.0	0.7	0.9	1.4	0.9	13.2	10.7
All cows	60.9	51.9	60.8	58.8	50.5	670.4	731.2
Dairy cows	16.6	14.4	14.6	14.7	13.2	176.7	175.1
Other cows	44.3	37.4	46.2	44.2	37.3	493.7	556.1
Bulls	9.8	9.7	11.5	11.2	9.3	117.7	112.8
Total cattle	74.0	64.4	75.9	74.0	62.9	830.6	879.8
Region 5							
Steers	155.8	133.7	152.7	143.5	127.9	1,664.2	1,767.5
Heifers	35.3	30.3	37.0	35.5	30.2	396.6	438.2
All cows	146.1	124.1	163.5	164.4	157.7	1,695.5	1,798.7
Dairy cows	85.7	75.7	94.2	89.6	85.2	953.0	1,003.4
Other cows	60.4	48.5	69.3	74.7	72.5	742.4	795.4
Bulls	10.7	9.8	10.8	10.6	9.3	114.3	119.6
Total cattle	348.0	297.9	364.1	354.0	325.1	3,870.5	4,124.0

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Federally Inspected Cattle Slaughter by Classification and Month – Regions: 2012 and 2011

Total (continued)

[Data may not add to totals due to rounding]

Standard federal regions ¹	January	February	March	April	May	June	July
	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)
Region 6							
Steers	259.5	247.4	286.7	267.0	288.7	296.1	287.9
Heifers	162.6	156.8	149.0	158.1	190.8	190.1	164.4
All cows	116.2	92.0	94.2	84.1	99.2	94.0	101.4
Dairy cows	31.8	30.6	34.9	28.9	29.3	23.4	24.6
Other cows	84.4	61.5	59.3	55.3	69.9	70.7	76.8
Bulls	10.3	8.7	10.5	9.6	10.9	9.9	9.8
Total cattle	548.6	504.9	540.4	518.8	589.6	590.1	563.5
Region 7							
Steers	583.5	536.4	581.8	558.6	693.3	697.8	674.0
Heifers	433.0	439.2	484.5	432.1	434.1	412.8	406.1
All cows	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Dairy cows	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Other cows	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Bulls	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Total cattle	1,085.7	1,035.6	1,129.9	1,049.5	1,193.8	1,174.4	1,148.0
Region 8							
Steers	151.0	130.4	133.3	130.3	172.7	175.1	181.1
Heifers	88.4	107.6	118.8	103.4	81.4	88.6	76.4
All cows	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Dairy cows	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Other cows	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Bulls	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Total cattle	259.9	256.8	271.8	252.0	273.5	281.9	277.0
Region 9							
Steers	83.5	73.1	84.6	84.9	86.0	92.5	80.6
Heifers	14.8	14.9	16.3	13.4	18.8	19.5	22.1
All cows	86.7	88.0	89.9	87.5	86.8	82.0	80.3
Dairy cows	70.1	74.8	79.3	72.6	72.8	59.8	60.7
Other cows	16.6	13.3	10.6	14.9	14.0	22.3	19.5
Bulls	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.5	3.5	4.0	3.8
Total cattle	188.3	179.4	194.3	189.3	195.1	198.1	186.8
Region 10							
Steers	48.2	44.5	46.2	47.2	61.9	55.5	55.3
Heifers	25.5	25.6	33.4	23.2	24.8	26.9	22.4
All cows	18.1	18.0	19.3	17.1	19.2	18.3	18.1
Dairy cows	13.5	14.8	16.7	14.1	15.4	14.4	14.3
Other cows	4.6	3.2	2.7	3.0	3.8	3.9	3.9
Bulls	1.0	0.9	1.2	1.1	1.0	1.2	1.2
Total cattle	92.7	89.0	100.1	88.5	106.9	101.9	97.0

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Federally Inspected Cattle Slaughter Classification and Month – Regions: 2012 and 2011

Total (continued)

Standard federal regions ¹	August	September	October	November	December	2012 Total	2011 Total
	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)
Region 6							
Steers	287.9	246.6	274.1	244.9	244.5	3,231.2	3,298.1
Heifers	188.8	137.3	148.7	158.9	127.7	1,933.2	2,034.4
All cows	108.4	98.2	115.2	109.9	99.7	1,212.5	1,346.3
Dairy cows	30.9	27.8	28.3	26.3	23.2	339.8	208.5
Other cows	77.5	70.4	86.8	83.6	76.4	872.7	1,137.8
Bulls	10.3	9.1	10.7	10.2	10.8	120.6	132.0
Total cattle	595.4	491.3	548.6	523.8	482.6	6,497.6	6,810.8
Region 7							
Steers	701.6	562.4	667.7	617.8	558.0	7,433.0	7,663.6
Heifers	468.5	413.0	459.3	424.1	399.6	5,206.2	5,356.8
All cows	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Dairy cows	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Other cows	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Bulls	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Total cattle	1,241.0	1,042.5	1,203.2	1,116.3	1,026.9	13,446.8	13,848.1
Region 8							
Steers	181.8	147.5	168.4	149.8	137.3	1,858.6	1,738.6
Heifers	92.1	77.9	100.4	110.8	87.3	1,133.1	1,234.8
All cows	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Dairy cows	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Other cows	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Bulls	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Total cattle	293.5	242.8	290.2	282.1	245.5	3,227.0	3,219.2
Region 9							
Steers	84.9	69.8	77.1	74.1	71.6	962.6	1,046.6
Heifers	16.6	19.4	21.3	18.5	16.9	212.6	211.9
All cows	91.8	88.0	102.5	96.6	89.8	1,069.9	1,029.2
Dairy cows	72.5	69.8	76.1	66.9	70.2	845.6	804.8
Other cows	19.3	18.2	26.4	29.7	19.6	224.3	224.4
Bulls	3.6	3.2	3.7	3.5	2.9	41.8	46.5
Total cattle	196.9	180.3	204.7	192.6	181.2	2,286.9	2,334.1
Region 10							
Steers	53.6	44.7	57.7	50.4	41.7	606.9	612.1
Heifers	31.3	27.2	28.9	29.7	27.6	326.4	331.1
All cows	19.2	18.2	21.7	20.9	20.6	228.9	261.0
Dairy cows	15.6	13.8	16.2	14.7	15.8	179.2	159.0
Other cows	3.6	4.5	5.5	6.2	4.9	49.7	102.0
Bulls	1.5	1.3	1.6	1.3	1.3	14.6	24.3
Total cattle	105.7	91.3	109.9	102.3	91.2	1,176.7	1,228.5

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¹ States included in regions are as follows: 1- Connecticut, Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, Rhode Island, Vermont; 2- New Jersey, New York; 3- Delaware-Maryland, Pennsylvania, Virginia, West Virginia; 4- Alabama, Florida, Georgia, Kentucky, Mississippi, North Carolina, South Carolina, Tennessee; 5- Illinois, Indiana, Michigan, Minnesota, Ohio, Wisconsin; 6- Arkansas, Louisiana, New Mexico, Oklahoma, Texas; 7- Iowa, Kansas, Missouri, Nebraska; 8- Colorado, Montana, North Dakota, South Dakota, Utah, Wyoming; 9- Arizona, California, Hawaii, Nevada; 10- Alaska, Idaho, Oregon, Washington.

Federally Inspected Calf Slaughter by Month – Regions: 2012 and 2011 Total

[Data may not add to totals due to rounding]

Standard federal regions ¹	January	February	March	April	May	June	July
	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)
Region 1	0.5	0.7	0.5	0.4	0.6	0.9	0.5
Region 2	14.7	13.0	13.1	12.2	13.0	12.5	16.1
Region 3	9.4	8.6	9.9	9.5	9.8	8.8	10.3
Region 4	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3
Region 5	21.5	19.3	18.7	17.8	18.8	18.2	21.9
Region 6	1.9	1.1	0.6	0.4	0.3	0.2	0.3
Region 7	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)
Region 8	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)
Region 9	15.8	14.4	13.2	12.5	13.2	11.7	14.3
Region 10	2.4	2.0	2.2	2.3	2.2	2.4	2.8

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Federally Inspected Calf Slaughter by Month – Regions: 2012 and 2011 Total (continued)

Standard federal regions ¹	August	September	October	November	December	2012 Total	2011 Total
	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)
Region 1	1.0	0.7	0.8	0.8	0.6	7.9	15.5
Region 2	16.4	13.4	16.8	16.2	15.9	173.1	185.8
Region 3	11.7	9.6	10.9	11.5	10.4	120.4	118.3
Region 4	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.2	3.2	6.5
Region 5	22.5	20.0	21.9	22.2	19.0	241.8	267.8
Region 6	1.1	0.6	0.8	0.7	1.0	9.0	18.8
Region 7	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	(Y)	0.6	0.6
Region 8	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)
Region 9	15.7	15.8	16.9	14.8	14.4	172.6	204.0
Region 10	3.0	2.8	3.2	3.0	2.9	31.2	21.5

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Federally Inspected Hog Slaughter by Classification and Month – Regions: 2012 and 2011 Total

[Data may not add to totals due to rounding]

Standard federal regions ¹	January	February	March	April	May	June	July
	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)
Region 1							
Barrows and gilts	1.3	1.2	1.3	1.2	1.5	1.8	1.8
Sows	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)
Boars	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)
Total hogs	1.4	1.3	1.4	1.3	1.6	1.9	1.9
Region 2							
Barrows and gilts	13.9	8.8	11.9	9.8	11.2	12.1	12.1
Sows	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.1	(Y)
Boars	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.1	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)
Total hogs	14.2	9.1	12.2	10.1	11.4	12.2	12.2
Region 3							
Barrows and gilts	431.6	398.0	456.8	424.4	453.4	414.6	413.6
Sows	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Boars	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Total hogs	432.5	399.1	457.9	425.2	454.3	415.5	414.6
Region 4							
Barrows and gilts	1,245.5	1,212.9	1,223.5	1,124.6	1,217.9	1,097.3	1,122.3
Sows	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Boars	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Total hogs	1,319.6	1,280.4	1,294.6	1,180.9	1,283.6	1,158.8	1,191.5
Region 5							
Barrows and gilts	2,512.6	2,419.5	2,534.8	2,300.9	2,454.1	2,221.0	2,239.3
Sows	107.0	104.4	107.5	107.7	116.1	115.6	110.3
Boars	4.8	5.1	5.3	5.0	6.0	5.3	5.3
Total hogs	2,624.5	2,528.9	2,647.7	2,413.6	2,576.2	2,342.0	2,354.9

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Federally Inspected Hog Slaughter by Classification and Month – Regions: 2012 and 2011

Total (continued)

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Standard federal regions ¹	August	September	October	November	December	2012 Total	2011 Total
	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)
Region 1							
Barrows and gilts	2.5	2.1	2.2	2.0	1.9	20.9	20.3
Sows	0.1	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	0.4	0.4
Boars	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	0.3	0.2
Total hogs	2.5	2.1	2.3	2.1	1.9	21.5	20.9
Region 2							
Barrows and gilts	13.2	11.3	11.8	10.9	14.2	141.2	135.7
Sows	(Y)	(Y)	0.1	0.1	0.1	1.4	(D)
Boars	0.1	(Y)	(Y)	0.1	(Y)	0.8	(D)
Total hogs	13.3	11.4	11.9	11.0	14.4	143.3	138.1
Region 3							
Barrows and gilts	488.1	439.9	497.4	483.5	475.0	5,376.2	5,159.5
Sows	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Boars	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Total hogs	489.5	440.9	498.7	484.7	476.1	5,389.0	5,178.7
Region 4							
Barrows and gilts	1,255.6	1,199.1	1,421.5	1,327.5	1,220.3	14,667.8	14,485.5
Sows	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	862.4
Boars	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	46.3
Total hogs	1,351.1	1,287.4	1,526.0	1,418.8	1,291.1	15,583.8	15,394.2
Region 5							
Barrows and gilts	2,664.8	2,540.3	2,902.8	2,692.0	2,491.2	29,973.4	28,535.7
Sows	116.2	96.6	113.6	100.9	100.0	1,295.9	1,282.9
Boars	6.2	5.2	5.4	6.2	5.4	65.2	62.8
Total hogs	2,787.2	2,642.1	3,021.7	2,799.1	2,596.6	31,334.5	29,881.4

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Federally Inspected Hog Slaughter by Classification and Month – Regions: 2012 and 2011

Total (continued)

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Standard federal regions ¹	January	February	March	April	May	June	July
	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)
Region 6							
Barrows and gilts	499.3	455.9	465.4	454.1	460.4	451.2	457.0
Sows	15.1	15.2	15.1	14.0	13.6	14.6	14.2
Boars	0.4	0.5	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	0.1
Total hogs	514.8	471.7	480.6	468.1	474.0	465.8	471.4
Region 7							
Barrows and gilts	3,850.4	3,641.8	3,865.9	3,598.5	3,728.7	3,456.9	3,436.8
Sows	51.0	50.1	53.8	54.5	58.2	54.0	51.1
Boars	16.8	18.5	21.1	17.9	19.3	20.0	18.2
Total hogs	3,918.2	3,710.4	3,940.9	3,670.9	3,806.2	3,531.0	3,506.1
Region 8							
Barrows and gilts	406.8	362.7	387.7	366.5	369.9	333.3	320.2
Sows	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
Boars	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)
Total hogs	407.0	362.8	387.8	366.6	370.0	333.4	320.3
Region 9							
Barrows and gilts	207.2	185.2	203.7	195.0	205.9	192.8	194.1
Sows	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
Boars	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)
Total hogs	207.3	185.3	203.8	195.0	206.0	192.9	194.1
Region 10							
Barrows and gilts	27.4	25.8	26.7	25.5	28.6	27.8	25.6
Sows	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)
Boars	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)
Total hogs	27.4	25.9	26.7	25.6	28.6	27.8	25.7

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Federally Inspected Hog Slaughter by Classification and Month – Regions: 2012 and 2011

Total (continued)

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Standard federal regions ¹	August	September	October	November	December	2012 Total	2011 Total
	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)
Region 6							
Barrows and gilts	486.5	448.1	524.1	515.0	488.2	5,705.2	5,854.1
Sows	19.1	19.0	21.3	20.0	19.9	201.2	212.5
Boars	(Y)	(Y)	0.3	0.1	0.1	1.8	0.9
Total hogs	505.6	467.1	545.7	535.1	508.3	5,908.1	6,067.5
Region 7							
Barrows and gilts	3,992.5	3,832.0	4,339.3	4,016.7	3,772.3	45,532.0	44,812.3
Sows	56.3	48.7	53.2	46.5	45.5	622.8	651.2
Boars	21.4	18.8	21.8	20.8	17.2	232.0	211.3
Total hogs	4,070.2	3,899.5	4,414.4	4,084.1	3,834.9	46,386.7	45,674.8
Region 8							
Barrows and gilts	399.1	421.7	490.9	462.9	441.0	4,762.7	4,832.2
Sows	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.3	1.5	2.1
Boars	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	0.1	0.1
Total hogs	399.2	421.8	491.0	463.1	441.4	4,764.3	4,834.4
Region 9							
Barrows and gilts	211.0	178.6	228.0	205.2	202.9	2,409.6	2,450.7
Sows	(Y)	(Y)	0.1	(Y)	(Y)	0.7	0.8
Boars	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	0.1	0.1
Total hogs	211.0	178.7	228.1	205.3	203.0	2,410.5	2,451.5
Region 10							
Barrows and gilts	28.6	24.5	29.8	27.2	25.7	323.2	314.3
Sows	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	0.4	0.5
Boars	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	0.1	0.1
Total hogs	28.6	24.5	29.9	27.2	25.7	323.6	315.0

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Federally Inspected Sheep and Lamb Slaughter by Classification and Month – Regions: 2012 and 2011 Total

[Data may not add to totals due to rounding]

Standard federal regions ¹	January	February	March	April	May	June	July
	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)
Region 1							
Mature sheep	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.3	0.1	0.1	0.2
Lambs and yearlings	1.9	1.5	2.1	3.1	2.2	1.9	2.2
Total sheep	2.0	1.5	2.2	3.3	2.4	2.0	2.5
Region 2							
Mature sheep	1.5	1.6	1.8	1.8	1.9	1.6	1.6
Lambs and yearlings	7.9	7.9	10.3	15.2	10.2	9.8	11.7
Total sheep	9.5	9.6	12.1	17.0	12.0	11.4	13.3
Region 3							
Mature sheep	0.6	0.4	0.3	0.9	0.5	0.8	1.1
Lambs and yearlings	6.3	6.0	7.5	9.3	7.8	7.5	8.9
Total sheep	6.9	6.4	7.8	10.2	8.3	8.3	10.0
Region 4							
Mature sheep	0.8	0.7	0.9	0.9	1.0	1.0	1.2
Lambs and yearlings	2.1	2.0	2.5	3.0	3.2	2.8	3.6
Total sheep	2.8	2.8	3.4	4.0	4.2	3.8	4.8
Region 5							
Mature sheep	2.4	2.2	2.5	2.8	2.7	2.2	3.0
Lambs and yearlings	21.5	21.0	27.1	27.4	25.1	22.1	26.5
Total sheep	23.9	23.2	29.6	30.2	27.7	24.3	29.5

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Federally Inspected Sheep and Lamb Slaughter by Classification and Month – Regions: 2012 and 2011 Total (continued)

[Data may not add to totals due to rounding]

Standard federal regions ¹	August	September	October	November	December	2012 Total	2011 Total
	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)
Region 1							
Mature sheep	0.3	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	1.7	3.0
Lambs and yearlings	2.5	2.5	3.6	2.9	2.7	29.1	24.2
Total sheep	2.8	2.6	3.7	3.0	2.8	30.8	27.1
Region 2							
Mature sheep	1.5	1.2	2.2	1.4	1.6	19.8	19.9
Lambs and yearlings	11.9	9.3	11.2	10.0	12.4	127.8	128.1
Total sheep	13.5	10.5	13.4	11.4	13.9	147.6	148.1
Region 3							
Mature sheep	1.3	2.1	1.4	1.0	1.0	11.5	5.7
Lambs and yearlings	9.2	7.5	9.7	7.8	9.0	96.3	90.5
Total sheep	10.4	9.6	11.1	8.8	10.0	107.8	96.2
Region 4							
Mature sheep	1.1	0.8	1.3	0.9	0.9	11.6	10.2
Lambs and yearlings	3.8	3.0	3.9	3.1	3.1	36.1	32.1
Total sheep	4.9	3.8	5.2	4.0	3.9	47.7	42.3
Region 5							
Mature sheep	3.3	2.7	3.3	2.6	3.0	32.7	36.5
Lambs and yearlings	29.7	24.8	30.3	27.5	28.5	311.3	281.4
Total sheep	33.0	27.5	33.6	30.1	31.5	344.0	317.9

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Federally Inspected Sheep and Lamb Slaughter by Classification and Month – Regions: 2012 and 2011

Total (continued)

[Data may not add to totals due to rounding]

Standard federal regions ¹	January	February	March	April	May	June	July
	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)
Region 6							
Mature sheep	0.6	0.8	0.5	0.6	0.8	0.7	1.6
Lambs and yearlings	0.8	0.7	1.0	0.7	0.9	0.8	1.7
Total sheep	1.4	1.5	1.5	1.3	1.7	1.5	3.3
Region 7							
Mature sheep	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)
Lambs and yearlings	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.6	0.6	0.7
Total sheep	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.6	0.6	0.7
Region 8							
Mature sheep	1.8	2.2	2.4	2.3	3.1	2.6	3.3
Lambs and yearlings	79.1	82.7	91.9	75.3	76.8	72.7	74.7
Total sheep	80.9	85.0	94.2	77.6	79.9	75.3	77.9
Region 9							
Mature sheep	0.4	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.8	0.8
Lambs and yearlings	23.6	22.1	25.9	19.3	24.6	24.8	19.1
Total sheep	24.0	22.4	26.3	19.7	25.1	25.6	19.8
Region 10							
Mature sheep	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
Lambs and yearlings	1.7	1.7	2.3	1.9	2.4	1.9	2.7
Total sheep	1.9	1.9	2.4	2.0	2.5	2.0	2.8

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Federally Inspected Sheep and Lamb Slaughter by Classification and Month – Regions: 2012 and 2011 Total (continued)

[Data may not add to totals due to rounding]

Standard federal regions ¹	August	September	October	November	December	2012 Total	2011 Total
	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)
Region 6							
Mature sheep	2.9	4.2	2.3	0.7	0.7	16.4	16.7
Lambs and yearlings	1.4	1.1	1.3	1.5	1.4	13.3	14.8
Total sheep	4.3	5.3	3.6	2.2	2.1	29.6	31.5
Region 7							
Mature sheep	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	0.2	2.5
Lambs and yearlings	1.0	0.7	0.8	0.7	0.6	7.4	52.7
Total sheep	1.0	0.7	0.8	0.7	0.6	7.6	55.3
Region 8							
Mature sheep	4.6	6.3	8.8	3.6	1.6	42.4	39.4
Lambs and yearlings	81.9	70.4	79.1	75.9	81.0	941.4	938.4
Total sheep	86.5	76.6	87.9	79.5	82.5	983.8	977.9
Region 9							
Mature sheep	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.2	5.5	5.1
Lambs and yearlings	25.9	20.9	26.4	22.9	22.9	278.4	272.3
Total sheep	26.4	21.3	26.8	23.3	23.1	283.9	277.4
Region 10							
Mature sheep	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	(Y)	1.3	1.6
Lambs and yearlings	2.5	2.5	3.2	2.4	2.7	27.9	24.9
Total sheep	2.7	2.6	3.3	2.4	2.7	29.2	26.6

(Y) Less than level of precision shown.

¹ States included in regions are as follows: 1- Connecticut, Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, Rhode Island, Vermont; 2- New Jersey, New York; 3- Delaware-Maryland, Pennsylvania, Virginia, West Virginia; 4- Alabama, Florida, Georgia, Kentucky, Mississippi, North Carolina, South Carolina, Tennessee; 5- Illinois, Indiana, Michigan, Minnesota, Ohio, Wisconsin; 6- Arkansas, Louisiana, New Mexico, Oklahoma, Texas; 7- Iowa, Kansas, Missouri, Nebraska; 8- Colorado, Montana, North Dakota, South Dakota, Utah, Wyoming; 9- Arizona, California, Hawaii, Nevada; 10- Alaska, Idaho, Oregon, Washington.

Commercial Cattle Slaughter, Number of Head by Month – States and United States: 2012 and 2011 Total

[Data may not add to totals due to rounding]

State	January	February	March	April	May	June	July
	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)
Alabama	0.3	0.4	0.6	0.7	0.7	0.4	0.3
Alaska	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)
Arizona	48.5	42.7	46.2	44.4	44.4	48.6	42.2
Arkansas	0.8	0.7	0.6	0.6	0.5	0.5	0.6
California	139.4	136.1	147.5	144.4	150.1	149.1	144.0
Colorado	201.2	195.8	209.6	196.6	215.2	220.3	215.2
Delaware-Maryland	3.1	2.9	3.0	2.7	2.8	2.5	2.6
Florida	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Georgia	20.8	19.9	21.0	20.3	21.2	19.7	20.8
Hawaii	1.0	1.1	1.0	1.0	1.0	0.9	1.0
Idaho	2.3	2.2	2.4	2.4	2.5	2.3	2.4
Illinois	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Indiana	3.6	3.0	2.9	3.2	3.4	3.3	3.5
Iowa	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Kansas	504.5	476.3	533.3	501.2	552.8	545.9	543.9
Kentucky	1.6	1.5	1.5	1.3	1.3	1.0	1.0
Louisiana	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.3
Michigan	46.6	47.1	46.9	44.3	46.7	46.6	48.8
Minnesota	72.5	63.1	66.9	60.3	69.0	75.7	77.6
Mississippi	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
Missouri	5.7	4.9	5.1	5.2	4.5	4.1	4.1
Montana	1.0	0.9	0.9	2.1	2.1	2.3	1.3
Nebraska	538.7	518.1	554.3	507.6	599.1	586.7	563.3
Nevada	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
New England ¹	1.7	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.6	1.5	1.6
New Jersey	3.2	3.1	3.1	3.2	3.2	3.1	3.3
New Mexico	0.5	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.2
New York	2.9	2.4	2.6	2.2	2.6	2.6	2.2
North Carolina	18.4	16.0	17.8	15.3	17.3	15.3	15.7
North Dakota	3.5	3.4	3.3	1.2	0.7	0.8	0.6
Ohio	10.3	9.5	7.9	9.2	7.7	8.2	7.3
Oklahoma	2.4	1.9	2.2	2.1	2.2	1.7	1.7
Oregon	4.3	4.3	4.6	4.6	5.1	5.2	5.3
Pennsylvania	84.9	82.6	82.2	74.4	79.1	79.1	78.5
South Carolina	13.3	11.6	12.7	12.4	14.0	13.2	14.1
South Dakota	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Tennessee	4.5	4.5	3.8	3.3	3.5	3.6	3.8
Texas	550.3	506.6	542.0	520.4	591.1	592.0	565.1
Utah	45.1	48.0	49.1	44.7	47.0	51.4	50.0
Virginia	1.3	1.2	1.0	1.0	1.0	0.7	0.7
Washington	86.9	83.4	94.0	82.4	100.2	95.4	90.4
West Virginia	1.1	0.7	0.7	0.6	0.4	0.3	0.4
Wisconsin	136.5	123.5	133.6	113.1	129.1	127.0	126.0
Wyoming	0.9	0.7	0.6	0.5	0.6	0.5	0.6
United States	2,714.7	2,557.6	2,753.4	2,569.5	2,875.6	2,864.1	2,792.8

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Commercial Cattle Slaughter, Number of Head by Month – States and United States: 2012 and 2011 Total (continued)

[Data may not add to totals due to rounding]

State	August	September	October	November	December	2012 Total	2011 Total
	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)
Alabama	0.3	0.4	0.7	0.4	0.3	5.5	5.9
Alaska	0.1	(Y)	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.6	0.7
Arizona	45.9	39.6	46.2	45.9	40.9	535.5	565.0
Arkansas	0.6	0.5	0.6	0.3	0.5	6.9	7.7
California	150.4	140.3	158.1	146.3	140.0	1,745.7	1,763.5
Colorado	231.7	187.8	221.9	219.4	186.1	2,500.6	2,499.7
Delaware-Maryland	3.0	2.6	2.7	2.6	2.5	33.1	39.3
Florida	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Georgia	23.0	18.1	22.7	23.6	20.9	252.0	249.8
Hawaii	1.0	0.8	1.0	0.9	0.9	11.6	12.1
Idaho	2.5	2.6	3.1	2.6	2.5	29.9	111.6
Illinois	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Indiana	4.3	3.9	4.8	3.1	3.5	42.6	40.9
Iowa	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Kansas	571.5	469.5	549.9	507.0	471.6	6,227.3	6,417.8
Kentucky	1.1	1.3	1.5	1.2	1.4	15.8	16.6
Louisiana	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.4	0.3	4.8	6.1
Michigan	50.0	42.1	53.6	50.4	48.2	571.3	608.5
Minnesota	76.0	65.0	85.4	80.9	78.7	871.2	895.5
Mississippi	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	1.2	1.2
Missouri	4.8	4.7	5.7	3.1	4.6	56.5	66.7
Montana	1.4	1.1	2.6	2.2	2.3	20.0	19.8
Nebraska	623.5	535.8	611.9	572.1	520.7	6,731.8	6,865.6
Nevada	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	1.2	1.4
New England ¹	1.8	1.8	2.3	2.1	1.8	20.3	18.8
New Jersey	3.4	2.8	3.1	3.0	3.0	37.6	41.0
New Mexico	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.4	3.9	5.6
New York	2.4	2.3	3.0	2.7	2.3	30.2	34.2
North Carolina	16.1	13.4	14.0	15.7	11.3	186.4	221.6
North Dakota	0.7	0.7	1.1	0.6	0.8	17.4	36.9
Ohio	9.0	10.1	11.2	10.3	7.1	107.8	117.6
Oklahoma	1.8	2.0	2.3	1.8	2.0	24.1	25.9
Oregon	5.8	5.6	6.2	5.8	5.1	61.9	53.7
Pennsylvania	87.7	78.2	91.2	86.2	76.1	980.2	989.5
South Carolina	15.3	13.5	15.8	14.4	13.0	163.2	163.5
South Dakota	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Tennessee	3.4	3.2	4.3	4.2	3.4	45.7	52.3
Texas	596.9	492.8	550.4	525.5	484.1	6,517.2	6,833.0
Utah	50.0	44.3	54.4	48.5	44.7	577.1	553.5
Virginia	0.8	1.0	1.3	1.2	1.1	12.4	13.9
Washington	98.5	84.3	101.7	95.0	84.6	1,096.8	1,074.6
West Virginia	0.7	0.9	1.7	1.1	1.1	9.7	11.4
Wisconsin	143.0	121.7	150.6	146.3	138.4	1,588.7	1,746.5
Wyoming	0.7	0.5	0.3	0.6	0.6	7.1	7.5
United States	2,997.7	2,542.7	2,954.7	2,785.0	2,543.0	32,950.8	34,086.6

(D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual operations.

(Y) Less than level of precision shown.

¹ New England includes Connecticut, Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, Rhode Island, and Vermont.

Commercial Cattle Slaughter, Total Live Weight by Month – States and United States: 2012 and 2011 Total

[Data may not add to totals due to rounding]

State	January (1,000 pounds)	February (1,000 pounds)	March (1,000 pounds)	April (1,000 pounds)	May (1,000 pounds)	June (1,000 pounds)	July (1,000 pounds)
Alabama	270	352	545	638	623	393	333
Alaska	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)
Arizona	63,136	55,007	60,042	57,543	57,035	61,819	54,227
Arkansas	802	660	597	590	533	470	550
California	178,804	175,768	189,435	186,668	191,757	189,352	182,615
Colorado	275,268	264,946	282,138	257,937	280,521	289,692	287,340
Delaware-Maryland	4,072	3,698	3,968	3,656	3,674	3,279	3,406
Florida	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Georgia	20,647	20,267	20,961	20,144	20,898	19,862	20,207
Hawaii	1,081	1,242	1,112	1,170	1,149	1,052	1,110
Idaho	2,471	2,372	2,490	2,568	2,617	2,436	2,617
Illinois	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Indiana	3,806	3,203	3,104	3,353	3,586	3,539	3,752
Iowa	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Kansas	654,257	616,173	681,352	628,390	704,143	709,735	711,177
Kentucky	1,555	1,547	1,589	1,366	1,354	1,041	1,056
Louisiana	373	377	367	267	318	256	282
Michigan	63,519	65,361	64,701	60,724	64,700	64,525	67,362
Minnesota	102,663	92,176	97,382	86,026	97,125	106,037	107,666
Mississippi	40	71	54	68	82	75	61
Missouri	6,463	5,633	5,648	5,793	5,030	4,515	4,345
Montana	1,162	1,064	1,021	2,505	2,334	2,670	1,575
Nebraska	737,595	707,713	750,437	674,277	793,335	783,243	755,374
Nevada	74	123	90	100	135	92	102
New England ¹	1,701	1,440	1,416	1,455	1,646	1,595	1,735
New Jersey	3,631	3,545	3,556	3,591	3,591	3,510	3,744
New Mexico	559	329	331	289	218	264	202
New York	3,282	2,694	2,934	2,480	2,997	2,935	2,523
North Carolina	21,245	18,595	20,827	18,084	20,226	17,811	18,225
North Dakota	4,617	4,581	4,429	1,579	884	915	734
Ohio	11,952	11,152	9,294	10,762	9,016	9,582	8,585
Oklahoma	2,381	1,925	2,344	2,211	2,248	1,671	1,707
Oregon	5,210	5,154	5,590	5,613	6,125	6,204	6,280
Pennsylvania	102,089	101,504	99,532	89,501	93,928	93,086	91,458
South Carolina	15,202	13,366	14,954	14,731	16,685	15,497	16,158
South Dakota	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Tennessee	3,832	3,710	3,129	2,829	3,116	3,150	3,349
Texas	671,626	628,049	672,623	641,422	724,362	729,590	701,609
Utah	61,909	66,405	67,807	61,509	62,526	69,181	68,666
Virginia	1,351	1,284	1,120	1,096	1,159	837	728
Washington	115,766	111,426	125,133	108,252	130,523	126,098	120,573
West Virginia	1,105	711	767	641	412	359	401
Wisconsin	179,317	164,007	177,852	148,973	170,285	166,093	163,383
Wyoming	972	831	748	581	696	613	652
United States	3,522,114	3,335,912	3,569,546	3,285,778	3,674,162	3,688,831	3,610,808

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Commercial Cattle Slaughter, Total Live Weight by Month – States and United States: 2012 and 2011

Total (continued)

[Data may not add to totals due to rounding]

State	August	September	October	November	December	2012 Total	2011 Total
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)
Alabama	302	374	659	403	305	5,197	5,581
Alaska	58	(Y)	118	122	57	629	703
Arizona	58,235	50,129	58,941	58,394	52,748	687,256	721,003
Arkansas	565	505	603	348	538	6,762	7,450
California	188,596	176,101	200,173	186,408	178,133	2,223,810	2,227,827
Colorado	309,297	252,765	298,044	295,116	253,645	3,346,708	3,277,812
Delaware-Maryland	3,812	3,299	3,466	3,450	3,312	43,092	50,667
Florida	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Georgia	23,044	18,733	22,774	23,494	20,799	251,831	244,285
Hawaii	1,158	940	1,159	1,003	999	13,175	13,598
Idaho	2,744	2,737	3,285	2,791	2,671	31,799	132,089
Illinois	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Indiana	4,538	4,183	5,127	3,347	3,696	45,235	43,349
Iowa	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Kansas	747,116	621,639	732,876	677,411	629,870	8,114,139	8,256,740
Kentucky	1,111	1,262	1,455	1,178	1,339	15,853	16,618
Louisiana	260	330	395	336	239	3,799	4,654
Michigan	68,842	58,424	74,220	70,602	67,731	790,712	812,898
Minnesota	105,339	91,397	119,412	113,603	110,054	1,228,879	1,240,096
Mississippi	63	88	110	60	64	835	723
Missouri	5,222	5,049	6,096	3,337	5,064	62,197	77,854
Montana	1,730	1,305	2,963	2,513	2,666	23,508	23,160
Nebraska	850,275	740,453	853,812	796,189	721,731	9,164,435	9,055,722
Nevada	93	119	107	82	79	1,196	1,484
New England ¹	1,797	1,809	2,381	2,162	1,838	20,973	18,969
New Jersey	3,836	3,149	3,370	3,421	3,463	42,407	46,238
New Mexico	343	375	520	466	374	4,270	6,767
New York	2,644	2,504	3,345	3,004	2,651	33,993	38,189
North Carolina	18,800	15,771	16,570	18,531	13,392	218,076	251,428
North Dakota	868	903	1,345	692	1,052	22,598	48,652
Ohio	10,444	11,803	12,887	12,023	8,366	125,866	137,354
Oklahoma	1,762	2,054	2,251	1,792	1,974	24,321	26,028
Oregon	6,856	6,584	7,436	6,881	6,008	73,940	64,271
Pennsylvania	102,582	90,897	107,126	102,387	91,159	1,165,249	1,169,574
South Carolina	17,171	15,433	18,171	16,694	14,930	188,991	185,007
South Dakota	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Tennessee	3,023	2,802	3,792	3,763	2,998	39,492	42,947
Texas	740,420	615,452	687,892	662,385	614,462	8,089,891	8,323,138
Utah	69,374	61,776	76,186	66,832	61,450	793,621	734,382
Virginia	842	1,031	1,381	1,245	1,187	13,262	15,206
Washington	131,516	113,015	137,917	127,286	112,759	1,460,262	1,406,683
West Virginia	738	841	1,529	1,001	993	9,499	11,447
Wisconsin	186,345	159,166	197,803	191,397	182,178	2,086,799	2,267,744
Wyoming	913	566	365	632	631	8,201	8,627
United States	3,890,060	3,326,962	3,886,112	3,669,972	3,358,149	42,818,405	43,402,255

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(Y) Less than level of precision shown.

¹ New England includes Connecticut, Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, Rhode Island, and Vermont.

**Commercial Cattle Slaughter, Average Live Weight by Month – States and United States:
2012 and 2011 Average**

State	January	February	March	April	May	June	July
	(pounds)	(pounds)	(pounds)	(pounds)	(pounds)	(pounds)	(pounds)
Alabama	912	941	982	947	931	951	963
Alaska	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)
Arizona	1,305	1,292	1,301	1,300	1,287	1,273	1,287
Arkansas	972	954	963	978	977	986	956
California	1,292	1,301	1,293	1,301	1,286	1,278	1,276
Colorado	1,369	1,354	1,347	1,313	1,304	1,316	1,336
Delaware-Maryland	1,298	1,294	1,321	1,330	1,322	1,300	1,286
Florida	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Georgia	993	1,021	999	995	988	1,010	975
Hawaii	1,122	1,151	1,134	1,177	1,149	1,117	1,154
Idaho	1,118	1,125	1,132	1,151	1,130	1,137	1,144
Illinois	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Indiana	1,056	1,057	1,063	1,057	1,063	1,057	1,062
Iowa	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Kansas	1,297	1,294	1,278	1,254	1,274	1,301	1,308
Kentucky	967	1,004	1,029	1,052	1,022	1,020	1,033
Louisiana	773	773	808	814	790	776	812
Michigan	1,369	1,394	1,386	1,377	1,392	1,392	1,387
Minnesota	1,421	1,467	1,461	1,431	1,413	1,407	1,393
Mississippi	695	731	721	656	602	688	687
Missouri	1,143	1,150	1,108	1,110	1,127	1,103	1,062
Montana	1,183	1,199	1,194	1,192	1,138	1,180	1,204
Nebraska	1,370	1,367	1,355	1,329	1,325	1,336	1,342
Nevada	981	990	972	945	1,069	978	1,025
New England ¹	1,027	1,037	1,046	1,029	1,048	1,085	1,070
New Jersey	1,138	1,136	1,139	1,125	1,136	1,146	1,144
New Mexico	1,252	1,228	1,229	1,172	1,058	1,042	1,026
New York	1,145	1,150	1,162	1,145	1,155	1,150	1,139
North Carolina	1,157	1,162	1,172	1,183	1,175	1,168	1,167
North Dakota	1,338	1,339	1,351	1,300	1,183	1,214	1,206
Ohio	1,165	1,174	1,186	1,170	1,177	1,177	1,182
Oklahoma	1,008	990	1,068	1,039	1,022	973	1,013
Oregon	1,219	1,221	1,233	1,246	1,218	1,200	1,203
Pennsylvania	1,207	1,234	1,215	1,208	1,192	1,181	1,169
South Carolina	1,150	1,166	1,191	1,197	1,204	1,182	1,158
South Dakota	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Tennessee	873	850	841	875	922	906	904
Texas	1,223	1,243	1,244	1,235	1,228	1,235	1,244
Utah	1,376	1,386	1,384	1,378	1,331	1,349	1,373
Virginia	1,057	1,076	1,072	1,115	1,137	1,120	1,077
Washington	1,337	1,341	1,336	1,318	1,307	1,326	1,338
West Virginia	1,018	993	1,047	1,094	1,051	1,059	1,063
Wisconsin	1,321	1,335	1,339	1,325	1,326	1,314	1,303
Wyoming	1,132	1,269	1,260	1,171	1,124	1,144	1,144
United States	1,300	1,307	1,299	1,281	1,280	1,290	1,295

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**Commercial Cattle Slaughter, Average Live Weight by Month – States and United States:
2012 and 2011 Average (continued)**

State	August	September	October	November	December	2012 Average ²	2011 Average ²
	(pounds)	(pounds)	(pounds)	(pounds)	(pounds)	(pounds)	(pounds)
Alabama	945	931	947	936	907	943	942
Alaska	1,028	(Y)	1,093	1,087	993	1,074	1,085
Arizona	1,271	1,269	1,278	1,276	1,294	1,286	1,280
Arkansas	986	998	980	1,007	998	978	972
California	1,262	1,263	1,274	1,282	1,281	1,282	1,283
Colorado	1,336	1,347	1,344	1,346	1,364	1,339	1,312
Delaware-Maryland	1,282	1,286	1,269	1,310	1,320	1,302	1,289
Florida	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Georgia	1,004	1,040	1,007	999	997	1,002	981
Hawaii	1,149	1,122	1,136	1,137	1,091	1,137	1,127
Idaho	1,136	1,108	1,122	1,130	1,125	1,129	1,221
Illinois	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Indiana	1,061	1,064	1,065	1,069	1,061	1,061	1,059
Iowa	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Kansas	1,308	1,324	1,333	1,336	1,336	1,303	1,287
Kentucky	1,005	964	982	998	988	1,004	1,002
Louisiana	816	834	811	777	758	795	762
Michigan	1,383	1,395	1,392	1,408	1,412	1,391	1,347
Minnesota	1,393	1,413	1,404	1,411	1,404	1,417	1,391
Mississippi	748	802	776	732	760	715	580
Missouri	1,082	1,077	1,062	1,092	1,105	1,103	1,171
Montana	1,208	1,194	1,163	1,161	1,167	1,177	1,170
Nebraska	1,365	1,383	1,396	1,393	1,387	1,362	1,320
Nevada	1,046	1,009	1,027	993	970	1,002	1,043
New England ¹	1,027	1,015	1,017	1,031	1,024	1,036	1,010
New Jersey	1,122	1,134	1,103	1,138	1,151	1,134	1,131
New Mexico	1,117	1,022	1,053	960	950	1,086	1,251
New York	1,141	1,121	1,113	1,141	1,152	1,143	1,141
North Carolina	1,172	1,181	1,184	1,184	1,191	1,174	1,138
North Dakota	1,235	1,225	1,245	1,233	1,248	1,299	1,320
Ohio	1,171	1,169	1,162	1,168	1,183	1,173	1,175
Oklahoma	990	1,018	995	983	1,000	1,010	1,004
Oregon	1,205	1,184	1,204	1,196	1,208	1,210	1,220
Pennsylvania	1,174	1,167	1,179	1,191	1,202	1,193	1,192
South Carolina	1,135	1,156	1,159	1,169	1,162	1,168	1,144
South Dakota	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Tennessee	902	903	898	910	903	890	842
Texas	1,243	1,252	1,253	1,264	1,272	1,244	1,222
Utah	1,390	1,396	1,403	1,379	1,377	1,377	1,329
Virginia	1,058	1,011	1,055	1,057	1,044	1,071	1,092
Washington	1,340	1,346	1,360	1,343	1,337	1,336	1,315
West Virginia	1,099	912	911	900	908	978	1,007
Wisconsin	1,310	1,315	1,321	1,316	1,323	1,320	1,309
Wyoming	1,249	1,063	1,151	1,070	1,052	1,155	1,156
United States	1,300	1,311	1,318	1,321	1,324	1,302	1,277

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(Y) Less than level of precision shown.

¹ New England includes Connecticut, Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, Rhode Island, and Vermont.

² Averages are based on unrounded data.

Commercial Calf Slaughter, Number of Head by Month – States and United States: 2012 and 2011 Total

[Data may not add to totals due to rounding]

State	January (1,000 head)	February (1,000 head)	March (1,000 head)	April (1,000 head)	May (1,000 head)	June (1,000 head)	July (1,000 head)
Alabama	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)
Alaska	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)
Arizona	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)
Arkansas	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)
California	16.0	14.6	13.4	12.7	13.3	11.9	14.4
Colorado	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)
Delaware-Maryland	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.4
Florida	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
Georgia	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
Hawaii	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)
Idaho	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)
Illinois	1.3	1.4	1.2	1.4	1.2	1.1	1.4
Indiana	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.6	0.5
Iowa	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)
Kansas	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)
Kentucky	(Y)	0.1	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)
Louisiana	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.3
Michigan	1.4	1.4	1.6	1.4	1.7	1.0	1.1
Minnesota	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)
Mississippi	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)
Missouri	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)
Montana	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)
Nebraska	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)
Nevada	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
New England ¹	0.5	0.7	0.5	0.4	0.6	0.9	0.6
New Jersey	5.7	6.0	6.2	6.4	6.9	5.4	5.7
New Mexico	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)
New York	9.1	7.0	6.9	5.8	6.1	7.1	10.4
North Carolina	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	(Y)	0.1
North Dakota	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)
Ohio	9.9	7.9	7.6	6.9	7.3	8.5	13.5
Oklahoma	(Y)	(Y)	0.1	(Y)	0.1	0.1	(Y)
Oregon	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)
Pennsylvania	9.1	8.3	9.6	9.1	9.5	8.5	9.9
South Carolina	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)
South Dakota	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Tennessee	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
Texas	2.1	1.1	0.6	0.4	0.3	0.2	0.4
Utah	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)
Virginia	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)
Washington	2.4	2.0	2.2	2.3	2.2	2.4	2.8
West Virginia	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)
Wisconsin	8.9	8.3	8.2	7.8	8.5	7.2	5.6
Wyoming	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
United States	67.7	60.2	59.5	56.5	59.2	55.9	67.4

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Commercial Calf Slaughter, Number of Head by Month – States and United States: 2012 and 2011

Total (continued)

[Data may not add to totals due to rounding]

State	August	September	October	November	December	2012 Total	2011 Total
	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)
Alabama	(Y)	(Y)	0.1	(Y)	(Y)	0.3	0.2
Alaska	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(D)
Arizona	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	0.1
Arkansas	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	0.1
California	15.9	16.1	17.1	14.9	14.6	174.9	206.5
Colorado	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	0.1	(D)
Delaware-Maryland	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	3.6	3.4
Florida	0.1	0.1	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	0.8	(D)
Georgia	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	1.1	0.6
Hawaii	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	0.1	0.1
Idaho	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	0.2	(D)
Illinois	1.1	0.9	1.1	1.1	1.1	14.2	17.9
Indiana	0.4	0.4	0.6	0.4	0.5	5.4	(D)
Iowa	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	0.1	0.1
Kansas	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	0.1	(Y)	0.3	0.2
Kentucky	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	0.5	0.7
Louisiana	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.2	3.8	4.7
Michigan	1.4	1.2	1.2	0.5	0.8	14.7	18.9
Minnesota	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	0.1
Mississippi	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	0.2	0.1
Missouri	0.1	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	0.3	0.5
Montana	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)
Nebraska	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	0.1	(Y)
Nevada	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
New England ¹	1.0	0.7	0.8	0.8	0.6	8.1	15.7
New Jersey	5.0	4.6	5.0	4.9	5.8	67.7	76.2
New Mexico	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	0.6
New York	11.3	8.7	11.7	11.3	10.1	105.5	109.7
North Carolina	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.8	1.5
North Dakota	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(D)
Ohio	14.7	12.7	12.8	13.7	10.4	125.7	129.9
Oklahoma	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	(Y)	0.8	0.6
Oregon	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(D)
Pennsylvania	11.4	9.3	10.6	11.2	10.1	116.7	114.4
South Carolina	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	0.1	0.1
South Dakota	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Tennessee	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.9	0.8
Texas	1.1	0.7	0.8	0.7	1.0	9.4	18.6
Utah	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)
Virginia	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	0.3	0.5
Washington	3.0	2.8	3.2	3.0	2.9	31.2	21.6
West Virginia	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	0.1	(D)
Wisconsin	5.1	5.0	6.5	6.7	6.4	84.2	98.0
Wyoming	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
United States	72.7	64.3	73.0	70.4	65.4	772.1	852.5

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(Y) Less than level of precision shown.

¹ New England includes Connecticut, Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, Rhode Island, and Vermont.

Commercial Calf Slaughter, Total Live Weight by Month – States and United States: 2012 and 2011 Total

[Data may not add to totals due to rounding]

State	January	February	March	April	May	June	July
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)
Alabama	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)
Alaska	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)
Arizona	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)
Arkansas	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)
California	1,690	1,541	1,407	1,465	1,456	1,384	1,572
Colorado	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)
Delaware-Maryland	77	78	73	79	72	80	88
Florida	26	29	28	33	38	30	29
Georgia	32	42	74	62	91	58	56
Hawaii	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)
Idaho	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)
Illinois	549	595	494	628	526	499	634
Indiana	105	102	113	114	118	150	149
Iowa	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)
Kansas	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)
Kentucky	(Y)	30	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)
Louisiana	182	152	161	203	171	173	165
Michigan	555	604	694	623	746	396	463
Minnesota	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)
Mississippi	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)
Missouri	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)
Montana	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)
Nebraska	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)
Nevada	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
New England ¹	75	96	81	62	87	97	75
New Jersey	2,335	2,443	2,589	2,727	2,962	2,245	2,604
New Mexico	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)
New York	889	731	719	648	698	683	935
North Carolina	35	29	37	30	36	(Y)	36
North Dakota	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)
Ohio	1,950	1,819	1,842	1,845	1,965	1,838	2,060
Oklahoma	(Y)	(Y)	50	(Y)	27	37	(Y)
Oregon	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)
Pennsylvania	3,856	3,558	4,116	3,908	4,091	3,632	4,222
South Carolina	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)
South Dakota	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Tennessee	33	30	25	45	51	55	32
Texas	993	719	398	264	203	123	214
Utah	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)
Virginia	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)
Washington	165	135	139	142	128	147	175
West Virginia	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)
Wisconsin	4,033	3,718	3,652	3,583	3,831	3,277	2,567
Wyoming	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
United States	17,665	16,534	16,781	16,566	17,388	15,006	16,192

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Commercial Calf Slaughter, Total Live Weight by Month – States and United States: 2012 and 2011
Total (continued)

[Data may not add to totals due to rounding]

State	August	September	October	November	December	2012 Total	2011 Total
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)
Alabama	(Y)	(Y)	54	(Y)	(Y)	142	115
Alaska	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(D)
Arizona	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	57
Arkansas	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	48
California	1,716	1,671	1,854	1,553	1,563	18,873	21,745
Colorado	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	28	(D)
Delaware-Maryland	90	69	69	69	71	915	905
Florida	27	29	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	313	(D)
Georgia	58	67	75	63	62	741	291
Hawaii	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	55	57
Idaho	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	68	(D)
Illinois	497	420	461	495	486	6,284	7,795
Indiana	143	131	157	136	151	1,570	(D)
Iowa	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	13	28
Kansas	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	21	(Y)	108	96
Kentucky	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	197	413
Louisiana	155	166	213	174	130	2,045	2,420
Michigan	587	514	522	192	331	6,228	7,900
Minnesota	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	23
Mississippi	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	104	59
Missouri	21	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	122	233
Montana	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)
Nebraska	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	23	(Y)
Nevada	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
New England ¹	110	95	111	131	98	1,118	1,751
New Jersey	2,093	1,941	2,086	2,037	2,435	28,497	31,660
New Mexico	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	55
New York	1,067	835	1,425	1,289	1,208	11,127	10,592
North Carolina	27	31	29	33	44	391	769
North Dakota	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(D)
Ohio	2,440	2,178	2,308	2,464	1,891	24,601	28,049
Oklahoma	53	46	65	30	(Y)	386	243
Oregon	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(D)
Pennsylvania	4,900	3,995	4,523	4,786	4,328	49,915	48,577
South Carolina	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	23	43
South Dakota	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Tennessee	44	36	43	36	37	466	395
Texas	504	235	282	234	440	4,610	7,587
Utah	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)
Virginia	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	110	208
Washington	197	192	223	210	203	2,054	1,630
West Virginia	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	50	(D)
Wisconsin	2,370	2,330	3,000	3,091	2,993	38,446	43,474
Wyoming	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
United States	17,172	15,071	17,601	17,140	16,573	199,689	219,080

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(Y) Less than level of precision shown.

¹ New England includes Connecticut, Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, Rhode Island, and Vermont.

**Commercial Calf Slaughter, Average Live Weight by Month – States and United States:
2012 and 2011 Average**

State	January	February	March	April	May	June	July
	(pounds)	(pounds)	(pounds)	(pounds)	(pounds)	(pounds)	(pounds)
Alabama	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)
Alaska	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)
Arizona	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)
Arkansas	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)
California	107	106	106	116	110	117	110
Colorado	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)
Delaware-Maryland	270	259	264	261	250	255	248
Florida	192	443	437	458	452	386	434
Georgia	633	800	766	938	847	758	613
Hawaii	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)
Idaho	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)
Illinois	427	434	429	442	452	457	443
Indiana	264	235	287	295	305	259	321
Iowa	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)
Kansas	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)
Kentucky	(Y)	442	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)
Louisiana	530	520	521	534	541	532	543
Michigan	409	418	429	433	430	415	429
Minnesota	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)
Mississippi	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)
Missouri	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)
Montana	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)
Nebraska	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)
Nevada	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
New England ¹	144	144	169	144	143	103	136
New Jersey	413	410	417	426	429	418	454
New Mexico	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)
New York	99	105	105	114	115	97	91
North Carolina	517	470	507	465	490	(Y)	472
North Dakota	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)
Ohio	199	234	245	268	273	218	153
Oklahoma	(Y)	(Y)	456	(Y)	457	461	(Y)
Oregon	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)
Pennsylvania	424	428	430	428	431	429	427
South Carolina	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)
South Dakota	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Tennessee	507	540	447	558	509	577	426
Texas	492	676	633	630	656	549	599
Utah	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)
Virginia	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)
Washington	69	67	64	61	59	62	63
West Virginia	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)
Wisconsin	457	446	448	458	453	457	460
Wyoming	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
United States	262	276	283	295	295	270	241

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**Commercial Calf Slaughter, Average Live Weight by Month – States and United States: 2012 and 2011
Average (continued)**

State	August	September	October	November	December	2012 Average ²	2011 Average ²
	(pounds)	(pounds)	(pounds)	(pounds)	(pounds)	(pounds)	(pounds)
Alabama	(Y)	(Y)	391	(Y)	(Y)	429	477
Alaska	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(D)
Arizona	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	412
Arkansas	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	415
California	108	105	109	104	107	108	106
Colorado	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	500	(D)
Delaware-Maryland	259	259	263	258	249	258	263
Florida	443	526	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	400	(D)
Georgia	576	688	671	629	617	703	474
Hawaii	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	508	563
Idaho	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	445	(D)
Illinois	450	446	435	442	446	442	437
Indiana	338	312	278	350	326	296	(D)
Iowa	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	268	257
Kansas	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	421	(Y)	320	406
Kentucky	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	421	566
Louisiana	537	530	539	524	523	531	518
Michigan	438	432	423	417	410	425	421
Minnesota	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	284
Mississippi	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	467	443
Missouri	378	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	379	433
Montana	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)
Nebraska	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	439	(Y)
Nevada	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
New England ¹	112	137	141	166	170	139	112
New Jersey	416	419	415	413	417	421	415
New Mexico	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	99
New York	95	97	122	115	120	106	103
North Carolina	492	460	469	501	495	486	513
North Dakota	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(D)
Ohio	167	172	181	181	181	197	233
Oklahoma	461	461	461	461	(Y)	459	419
Oregon	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(D)
Pennsylvania	430	428	425	427	428	428	425
South Carolina	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	365	388
South Dakota	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Tennessee	487	456	525	542	504	508	499
Texas	480	361	338	346	431	498	418
Utah	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)
Virginia	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	414	390
Washington	67	69	70	70	71	66	76
West Virginia	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	450	(D)
Wisconsin	463	470	459	459	471	457	444
Wyoming	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
United States	237	235	242	244	254	260	263

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¹ New England includes Connecticut, Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, Rhode Island, and Vermont.

² Averages are based on unrounded data.

Commercial Hog Slaughter, Number of Head by Month – States and United States: 2012 and 2011 Total

[Data may not add to totals due to rounding]

State	January (1,000 head)	February (1,000 head)	March (1,000 head)	April (1,000 head)	May (1,000 head)	June (1,000 head)	July (1,000 head)
Alabama	5.0	4.9	5.5	4.2	4.6	1.4	1.2
Alaska	0.1	(Y)	(Y)	0.1	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)
Arizona	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1
Arkansas	11.7	10.3	11.4	9.7	10.0	10.6	10.8
California	213.0	189.5	208.1	200.0	211.2	198.2	198.5
Colorado	1.0	0.8	0.8	0.9	1.1	0.9	1.3
Delaware-Maryland	1.7	1.4	1.3	1.2	1.4	1.4	1.5
Florida	5.3	4.1	5.1	5.2	6.2	6.4	6.6
Georgia	7.4	6.5	6.6	6.8	6.9	6.7	6.2
Hawaii	1.2	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.2	1.2	1.3
Idaho	11.7	11.0	11.2	11.3	12.1	11.7	11.6
Illinois	888.5	858.4	892.7	828.3	871.2	795.4	808.4
Indiana	702.9	686.2	714.0	655.6	713.2	637.8	635.7
Iowa	2,544.0	2,370.8	2,519.8	2,369.4	2,460.9	2,287.0	2,248.7
Kansas	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Kentucky	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Louisiana	0.8	1.1	1.1	0.9	0.8	0.8	0.7
Michigan	10.0	10.3	11.0	10.1	10.5	10.4	11.0
Minnesota	920.3	878.7	925.3	826.1	877.9	797.2	802.7
Mississippi	9.9	10.1	9.9	8.4	9.2	9.0	7.4
Missouri	690.8	667.4	722.4	662.6	677.9	632.2	632.9
Montana	0.7	0.7	0.7	1.1	1.1	1.3	1.3
Nebraska	673.6	659.1	684.1	624.6	649.7	596.8	615.6
Nevada	(Y)	(Y)	0.1	0.1	0.1	(Y)	0.1
New England ¹	1.8	1.5	1.6	1.5	1.8	2.2	2.2
New Jersey	12.0	7.2	9.9	7.9	8.6	9.3	9.1
New Mexico	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
New York	2.4	2.0	2.4	2.3	2.9	3.0	3.2
North Carolina	963.9	942.9	941.0	876.4	946.0	841.3	865.9
North Dakota	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.3
Ohio	84.4	80.0	83.2	76.7	84.5	81.3	82.2
Oklahoma	476.7	436.4	449.1	438.7	444.8	434.6	439.7
Oregon	14.7	14.2	14.8	13.3	15.6	14.9	13.4
Pennsylvania	234.0	221.7	237.4	223.0	242.0	225.7	233.9
South Carolina	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
South Dakota	402.3	358.5	384.4	363.0	365.1	328.7	314.4
Tennessee	55.6	50.1	53.3	40.8	50.5	47.0	54.7
Texas	33.1	32.0	27.6	27.8	26.6	24.8	26.7
Utah	4.9	4.7	3.9	3.6	5.1	4.7	5.5
Virginia	198.4	177.5	220.5	202.1	211.9	189.4	180.2
Washington	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
West Virginia	0.7	0.5	0.6	0.4	0.6	0.3	0.7
Wisconsin	45.3	42.8	44.7	43.6	47.7	48.3	47.7
Wyoming	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.3
United States	9,539.2	9,044.7	9,520.7	8,827.1	9,285.0	8,548.7	8,566.3

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Commercial Hog Slaughter, Number of Head by Month – States and United States: 2012 and 2011

Total (continued)

[Data may not add to totals due to rounding]

State	August	September	October	November	December	2012 Total	2011 Total
	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)
Alabama	1.7	1.2	1.6	1.3	1.5	34.1	71.4
Alaska	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.7	(D)
Arizona	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.1	1.5	1.5
Arkansas	12.1	12.4	13.4	12.7	12.2	137.3	127.6
California	215.7	183.2	231.7	209.6	207.5	2,466.3	2,509.2
Colorado	2.3	1.5	1.6	1.4	1.4	15.0	9.8
Delaware-Maryland	1.7	1.5	1.7	1.6	1.6	18.0	18.2
Florida	6.1	4.9	6.2	5.5	5.3	66.9	94.9
Georgia	6.9	6.1	7.9	7.5	7.6	83.0	76.7
Hawaii	1.3	1.1	1.2	1.2	1.4	14.2	15.3
Idaho	12.4	11.1	13.2	11.9	11.9	141.0	124.0
Illinois	947.1	894.0	1,047.3	982.3	892.5	10,706.2	9,693.3
Indiana	790.4	725.9	826.2	755.5	704.2	8,547.5	8,458.7
Iowa	2,664.1	2,587.9	2,908.0	2,705.1	2,492.7	30,158.5	29,743.8
Kansas	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Kentucky	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Louisiana	0.7	0.7	1.3	1.3	1.5	11.7	11.9
Michigan	13.5	10.4	13.0	12.5	11.2	134.1	132.5
Minnesota	929.5	919.7	1,029.8	952.1	894.4	10,753.6	10,365.2
Mississippi	9.8	9.3	8.6	10.3	10.6	112.5	119.2
Missouri	712.8	659.4	753.1	707.9	676.0	8,195.4	8,076.5
Montana	1.4	1.4	1.6	1.7	1.8	14.9	13.3
Nebraska	683.9	645.2	742.9	659.0	656.4	7,890.8	7,712.0
Nevada	0.1	(Y)	0.1	(Y)	(Y)	0.6	0.6
New England ¹	3.0	2.7	2.9	2.6	2.4	26.1	25.2
New Jersey	9.6	8.4	8.4	8.4	11.5	110.2	109.5
New Mexico	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.1	1.8	1.4
New York	3.9	3.2	3.9	2.8	3.0	35.0	30.5
North Carolina	967.1	917.5	1,130.9	1,063.4	958.4	11,414.8	11,203.9
North Dakota	0.4	0.4	0.7	0.5	0.5	4.4	49.2
Ohio	91.6	81.7	90.4	83.1	82.6	1,001.6	1,045.7
Oklahoma	468.7	431.9	502.8	494.1	465.7	5,483.1	5,576.1
Oregon	15.2	12.9	15.9	14.5	12.7	172.1	176.7
Pennsylvania	265.5	234.1	266.0	257.6	255.6	2,896.4	2,814.8
South Carolina	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
South Dakota	390.9	415.6	483.5	456.4	435.3	4,698.1	4,725.4
Tennessee	73.3	72.8	85.1	72.9	53.6	709.7	681.9
Texas	28.1	29.4	37.4	36.7	40.1	370.2	435.7
Utah	8.1	6.4	7.7	6.9	5.9	67.5	68.8
Virginia	223.5	206.7	232.7	227.3	220.1	2,490.2	2,359.9
Washington	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
West Virginia	1.0	1.0	0.9	0.7	0.6	8.1	7.5
Wisconsin	53.8	44.4	51.5	42.5	38.4	550.7	553.4
Wyoming	1.2	0.5	0.2	0.2	0.2	4.2	4.3
United States	9,943.4	9,455.0	10,856.3	10,107.8	9,469.1	113,163.3	110,860.0

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(Y) Less than level of precision shown.

¹ New England includes Connecticut, Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, Rhode Island, and Vermont.

Commercial Hog Slaughter, Total Live Weight by Month – States and United States: 2012 and 2011 Total

[Data may not add to totals due to rounding]

State	January	February	March	April	May	June	July
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)
Alabama	2,124	2,095	2,275	1,733	1,947	607	454
Alaska	13	(Y)	(Y)	23	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)
Arizona	32	25	44	56	30	23	21
Arkansas	5,357	4,695	5,188	4,401	4,610	4,886	4,925
California	50,655	46,871	50,776	47,835	50,922	47,687	47,208
Colorado	226	185	188	205	237	181	275
Delaware-Maryland	454	389	326	284	315	293	348
Florida	693	643	773	737	843	766	752
Georgia	1,830	1,609	1,634	1,667	1,682	1,625	1,518
Hawaii	277	259	279	267	294	298	293
Idaho	2,978	2,827	2,840	2,854	3,050	2,965	2,880
Illinois	251,012	242,115	252,590	234,994	247,531	222,850	221,086
Indiana	190,897	185,924	193,256	177,842	192,229	168,670	166,564
Iowa	712,127	661,217	705,140	663,316	685,945	627,665	602,128
Kansas	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Kentucky	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Louisiana	154	217	226	164	167	165	143
Michigan	3,878	4,084	4,248	3,863	3,858	3,697	3,911
Minnesota	249,234	238,077	250,762	224,465	236,207	212,197	210,753
Mississippi	3,178	3,471	3,647	2,817	2,597	3,063	2,424
Missouri	196,112	188,400	205,539	187,734	191,801	175,475	170,561
Montana	182	180	167	305	301	330	305
Nebraska	187,074	181,957	190,212	173,400	179,095	162,915	165,782
Nevada	(Y)	(Y)	14	17	22	(Y)	23
New England ¹	461	362	421	386	420	468	505
New Jersey	1,255	753	979	776	880	925	868
New Mexico	22	24	23	31	20	16	27
New York	489	423	510	490	586	612	628
North Carolina	263,873	258,450	258,165	238,838	256,047	226,120	229,171
North Dakota	119	100	82	69	96	63	78
Ohio	22,215	21,208	22,097	20,518	22,446	21,165	21,260
Oklahoma	134,698	122,183	126,332	122,395	123,133	117,298	116,710
Oregon	3,748	3,644	3,762	3,343	3,949	3,769	3,328
Pennsylvania	60,844	57,597	61,809	58,283	62,494	58,278	59,798
South Carolina	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
South Dakota	109,323	97,366	104,372	98,976	99,050	88,139	82,806
Tennessee	25,487	23,139	24,795	19,170	23,571	21,842	25,210
Texas	9,478	10,096	8,622	8,708	8,136	7,567	8,010
Utah	664	676	566	509	710	626	708
Virginia	53,677	48,064	59,698	55,333	57,738	50,893	47,951
Washington	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
West Virginia	181	133	159	97	134	87	162
Wisconsin	20,626	19,421	20,353	19,959	22,172	22,388	21,740
Wyoming	81	61	81	83	76	49	89
United States	2,653,807	2,514,787	2,653,214	2,457,434	2,572,642	2,337,721	2,299,589

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Commercial Hog Slaughter, Total Live Weight by Month – States and United States: 2012 and 2011

Total (continued)

[Data may not add to totals due to rounding]

State	August	September	October	November	December	2012 Total	2011 Total
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)
Alabama	701	479	672	525	604	14,216	30,382
Alaska	21	18	13	21	16	173	(D)
Arizona	21	41	44	25	32	393	360
Arkansas	5,587	5,664	6,078	5,843	5,563	62,797	58,436
California	50,780	43,124	55,195	50,659	50,141	591,853	602,678
Colorado	553	357	381	332	309	3,429	2,481
Delaware-Maryland	401	369	433	423	383	4,421	4,535
Florida	803	672	882	806	806	9,176	11,563
Georgia	1,683	1,514	1,934	1,822	1,800	20,318	18,788
Hawaii	315	267	304	295	324	3,472	3,744
Idaho	3,061	2,768	3,281	2,993	3,054	35,551	31,220
Illinois	257,297	245,251	290,522	272,834	250,302	2,988,384	2,700,986
Indiana	207,712	191,047	220,847	203,911	189,648	2,288,547	2,280,616
Iowa	712,527	696,604	791,054	744,263	689,523	8,291,508	8,177,329
Kansas	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Kentucky	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Louisiana	158	158	238	229	225	2,246	2,193
Michigan	4,840	3,890	4,970	4,942	4,435	50,615	50,516
Minnesota	245,151	243,531	273,850	255,622	239,717	2,879,567	2,781,851
Mississippi	3,165	2,903	3,167	3,326	3,165	36,925	36,014
Missouri	193,852	182,841	212,060	200,764	190,293	2,295,431	2,270,487
Montana	335	328	381	431	424	3,668	3,271
Nebraska	183,680	172,713	199,959	179,739	178,905	2,155,431	2,104,923
Nevada	17	(Y)	13	(Y)	(Y)	151	138
New England ¹	704	644	776	691	582	6,420	5,772
New Jersey	913	802	762	780	952	10,644	10,700
New Mexico	98	71	73	50	36	490	345
New York	775	678	836	622	595	7,246	5,603
North Carolina	256,314	246,353	305,564	293,176	265,856	3,097,925	2,997,190
North Dakota	102	113	213	132	136	1,303	12,609
Ohio	24,162	21,456	24,343	22,881	22,711	266,464	279,364
Oklahoma	124,169	115,515	136,595	134,709	128,431	1,502,169	1,553,171
Oregon	3,744	3,185	3,952	3,660	3,241	43,325	44,446
Pennsylvania	68,512	60,929	70,006	67,820	67,151	753,523	729,297
South Carolina	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
South Dakota	102,745	110,601	129,773	123,209	117,657	1,264,017	1,255,427
Tennessee	33,512	32,430	37,822	32,110	24,030	323,119	311,520
Texas	8,990	9,421	11,722	11,474	12,420	114,644	122,341
Utah	1,149	914	1,003	897	903	9,328	9,416
Virginia	60,070	56,150	63,837	62,833	59,950	676,192	631,029
Washington	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
West Virginia	245	257	265	192	172	2,084	1,887
Wisconsin	24,308	19,766	23,222	19,013	17,451	250,420	250,979
Wyoming	306	122	56	54	43	1,101	1,094
United States	2,672,602	2,559,020	2,968,879	2,788,621	2,613,766	31,092,083	30,422,112

(D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual operations.

(Y) Less than level of precision shown.

¹ New England includes Connecticut, Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, Rhode Island, and Vermont.

**Commercial Hog Slaughter, Average Live Weight by Month – States and United States:
2012 and 2011 Average**

State	January	February	March	April	May	June	July
	(pounds)	(pounds)	(pounds)	(pounds)	(pounds)	(pounds)	(pounds)
Alabama	428	426	416	415	419	421	375
Alaska	222	(Y)	(Y)	245	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)
Arizona	228	262	279	257	246	245	278
Arkansas	457	458	456	455	459	463	457
California	238	247	244	239	241	241	238
Colorado	227	238	242	227	211	195	215
Delaware-Maryland	265	270	259	244	225	217	231
Florida	133	157	151	144	137	120	115
Georgia	248	246	247	246	245	243	244
Hawaii	240	241	249	251	253	251	229
Idaho	256	259	255	252	254	253	250
Illinois	283	282	283	284	284	280	274
Indiana	272	271	271	271	270	265	262
Iowa	280	279	280	280	279	275	268
Kansas	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Kentucky	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Louisiana	186	205	204	182	200	202	210
Michigan	387	397	388	383	366	355	355
Minnesota	271	271	271	272	269	266	263
Mississippi	321	343	367	334	283	341	330
Missouri	284	282	285	283	283	278	270
Montana	271	258	247	269	266	245	235
Nebraska	278	276	278	278	276	273	269
Nevada	(Y)	(Y)	254	245	239	(Y)	238
New England ¹	261	237	258	250	230	217	230
New Jersey	105	105	99	98	102	100	95
New Mexico	279	223	254	294	279	254	247
New York	203	210	211	217	202	203	195
North Carolina	274	274	274	273	271	269	265
North Dakota	297	311	294	306	329	310	290
Ohio	263	265	266	268	266	261	259
Oklahoma	283	280	281	279	277	270	265
Oregon	255	257	254	252	253	253	249
Pennsylvania	260	260	261	262	258	258	256
South Carolina	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
South Dakota	272	272	272	273	271	268	263
Tennessee	459	462	466	471	468	465	462
Texas	287	317	312	313	306	306	301
Utah	136	144	144	140	140	133	130
Virginia	271	271	271	274	273	269	266
Washington	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
West Virginia	258	261	251	263	223	249	238
Wisconsin	456	455	456	459	466	465	457
Wyoming	260	264	263	260	248	252	261
United States	278	278	279	278	277	274	269

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**Commercial Hog Slaughter, Average Live Weight by Month – States and United States: 2012 and 2011
Average (continued)**

State	August	September	October	November	December	2012 Average ²	2011 Average ²
	(pounds)	(pounds)	(pounds)	(pounds)	(pounds)	(pounds)	(pounds)
Alabama	417	405	409	413	417	418	426
Alaska	227	307	251	257	240	248	(D)
Arizona	257	249	247	265	253	254	247
Arkansas	460	456	454	460	457	458	458
California	236	236	238	242	242	240	240
Colorado	239	242	239	236	216	228	252
Delaware-Maryland	232	241	249	262	247	246	249
Florida	131	139	142	147	151	138	122
Georgia	243	248	245	243	238	245	245
Hawaii	238	251	256	251	234	245	245
Idaho	247	249	249	253	256	253	252
Illinois	272	274	277	278	281	279	279
Indiana	263	263	267	270	269	268	270
Iowa	268	269	272	275	277	275	275
Kansas	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Kentucky	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Louisiana	212	226	189	178	154	192	184
Michigan	359	374	382	395	395	378	382
Minnesota	264	265	266	269	268	268	269
Mississippi	324	311	369	323	299	328	302
Missouri	272	277	282	284	282	280	281
Montana	236	236	241	252	235	247	245
Nebraska	269	268	269	273	273	273	273
Nevada	252	(Y)	261	(Y)	(Y)	250	250
New England ¹	234	242	270	269	246	246	229
New Jersey	95	95	91	93	83	97	98
New Mexico	261	284	286	250	280	267	251
New York	200	214	216	222	196	207	184
North Carolina	265	269	270	276	277	271	268
North Dakota	278	282	300	289	281	296	257
Ohio	264	263	270	276	275	266	268
Oklahoma	265	268	272	273	276	274	279
Oregon	246	248	248	252	255	252	252
Pennsylvania	258	260	263	263	263	260	259
South Carolina	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
South Dakota	263	266	268	270	270	269	266
Tennessee	458	446	445	441	449	456	457
Texas	321	321	314	313	310	310	281
Utah	142	143	131	131	153	139	138
Virginia	269	272	274	277	273	272	267
Washington	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
West Virginia	244	266	283	276	273	258	250
Wisconsin	453	447	452	449	456	456	456
Wyoming	264	255	267	265	264	261	253
United States	269	271	274	276	276	275	275

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¹ New England includes Connecticut, Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, Rhode Island, and Vermont.

² Averages are based on unrounded data.

Commercial Sheep and Lamb Slaughter, Number of Head by Month – States and United States: 2012 and 2011 Total

[Data may not add to totals due to rounding]

State	January	February	March	April	May	June	July
	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)
Alabama	(Y)	(Y)	0.1	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)
Alaska	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)
Arizona	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.3
Arkansas	(Y)	0.1	0.1	(Y)	0.1	0.1	0.1
California	25.4	23.5	27.4	21.2	26.4	26.9	20.8
Colorado	79.1	82.9	92.1	75.5	77.8	73.6	76.1
Delaware-Maryland	3.1	2.7	2.9	3.7	3.1	3.0	3.8
Florida	0.1	0.1	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.3
Georgia	0.5	0.3	0.4	0.6	1.0	0.4	0.5
Hawaii	(Y)	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
Idaho	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2
Illinois	10.1	11.3	12.4	15.4	13.0	10.0	12.0
Indiana	2.6	2.5	2.7	3.7	3.0	2.8	3.4
Iowa	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.4
Kansas	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.4
Kentucky	0.8	0.7	0.9	1.0	1.0	1.1	1.3
Louisiana	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.4
Michigan	12.3	10.3	15.3	13.7	13.7	13.0	15.8
Minnesota	0.5	0.5	0.2	0.4	0.2	0.2	0.4
Mississippi	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.3
Missouri	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.4
Montana	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.3
Nebraska	0.1	(Y)	(Y)	0.1	0.1	(Y)	0.1
Nevada	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	0.1	(Y)	0.1
New England ¹	2.1	1.6	2.3	3.6	2.4	2.1	2.6
New Jersey	7.2	7.2	8.9	12.4	9.0	8.3	10.2
New Mexico	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8
New York	2.8	2.9	3.8	5.1	3.6	3.7	3.6
North Carolina	0.8	0.8	1.0	1.1	1.2	1.0	1.1
North Dakota	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)
Ohio	0.9	0.6	0.5	1.3	1.3	0.7	1.4
Oklahoma	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
Oregon	1.9	1.8	2.3	1.9	2.4	1.8	2.6
Pennsylvania	3.0	3.0	4.1	5.7	4.4	4.4	5.5
South Carolina	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
South Dakota	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.3
Tennessee	0.7	0.6	0.6	0.8	1.0	0.8	1.1
Texas	3.7	4.6	3.9	5.2	7.1	6.4	6.5
Utah	2.1	2.3	2.4	2.3	2.3	1.9	2.1
Virginia	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.2
Washington	0.6	0.6	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.8	0.7
West Virginia	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Wisconsin	0.7	0.6	0.7	0.8	0.7	0.8	1.2
Wyoming	0.1	(Y)	0.1	0.1	(Y)	0.1	0.1
United States	164.9	165.3	189.9	180.9	180.0	168.6	178.4

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**Commercial Sheep and Lamb Slaughter, Number of Head by Month – States and United States:
2012 and 2011 Total (continued)**

[Data may not add to totals due to rounding]

State	August	September	October	November	December	2012 Total	2011 Total
	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)
Alabama	0.1	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	0.4	0.3
Alaska	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	0.1	0.1
Arizona	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.2	2.5	2.7
Arkansas	0.1	0.1	0.1	(Y)	(Y)	0.7	0.5
California	27.6	22.6	28.4	24.6	24.3	299.0	295.1
Colorado	84.3	75.0	85.9	77.5	80.7	960.4	952.9
Delaware-Maryland	3.8	3.0	3.9	3.2	3.5	39.7	40.8
Florida	0.3	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.1	2.5	2.0
Georgia	0.5	0.7	0.9	0.7	0.8	7.1	4.3
Hawaii	0.1	0.1	(Y)	0.1	0.1	0.7	0.7
Idaho	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.2	2.6	2.4
Illinois	12.1	11.7	13.6	13.0	13.8	148.3	135.0
Indiana	3.8	2.8	4.3	2.6	3.3	37.5	36.2
Iowa	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.4	0.2	3.1	50.9
Kansas	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.3	0.3	3.7	3.0
Kentucky	1.3	1.1	1.5	1.1	1.1	12.8	10.8
Louisiana	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.2	3.6	3.7
Michigan	19.2	14.2	17.8	15.7	16.6	177.5	166.9
Minnesota	0.5	0.4	0.7	0.6	0.5	5.2	6.4
Mississippi	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.3	3.1	(D)
Missouri	0.7	0.5	0.5	0.4	0.5	5.0	4.6
Montana	0.3	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	4.0	3.7
Nebraska	0.1	0.2	0.2	(Y)	0.1	1.0	0.8
Nevada	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.7	0.8
New England ¹	3.0	2.8	4.0	3.2	3.0	32.7	29.3
New Jersey	9.7	7.8	9.4	8.0	9.9	108.1	116.0
New Mexico	0.9	0.8	1.0	0.8	0.8	10.2	10.4
New York	4.4	3.3	5.6	4.0	4.8	47.7	39.9
North Carolina	1.3	1.1	1.8	1.3	1.1	13.6	14.5
North Dakota	0.1	0.1	0.1	(Y)	(Y)	0.5	0.5
Ohio	1.6	1.4	1.2	1.2	1.1	13.3	13.1
Oklahoma	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.1	1.5	1.3
Oregon	2.3	2.2	3.0	2.2	2.7	27.1	24.6
Pennsylvania	5.8	5.8	6.1	4.7	5.6	58.1	40.5
South Carolina	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
South Dakota	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.3	3.2	2.3
Tennessee	1.1	0.7	1.1	0.8	0.8	9.9	8.5
Texas	6.9	7.5	6.8	7.4	6.4	72.3	71.1
Utah	2.6	1.9	2.5	2.4	2.3	27.1	27.5
Virginia	0.4	0.4	0.6	0.5	0.4	4.3	7.4
Washington	0.6	0.6	1.0	1.3	1.6	9.4	8.5
West Virginia	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Wisconsin	1.3	1.1	1.5	1.1	0.8	11.3	8.8
Wyoming	0.3	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	1.2	1.2
United States	200.5	174.1	208.1	182.2	190.0	2,182.9	2,164.3

(D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual operations.

(Y) Less than level of precision shown.

¹ New England includes Connecticut, Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, Rhode Island, and Vermont.

Commercial Sheep and Lamb Slaughter, Total Live Weight by Month – States and United States: 2012 and 2011 Total

[Data may not add to totals due to rounding]

State	January (1,000 pounds)	February (1,000 pounds)	March (1,000 pounds)	April (1,000 pounds)	May (1,000 pounds)	June (1,000 pounds)	July (1,000 pounds)
Alabama	(Y)	(Y)	4	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)
Alaska	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)
Arizona	27	29	36	32	25	19	30
Arkansas	(Y)	5	6	(Y)	6	7	8
California	3,669	3,414	4,002	2,989	3,851	3,851	2,818
Colorado	13,452	14,144	15,873	13,681	14,643	13,436	13,117
Delaware-Maryland	311	272	291	365	303	281	348
Florida	7	9	19	17	13	14	21
Georgia	39	22	32	61	76	30	37
Hawaii	(Y)	5	9	6	6	9	7
Idaho	22	24	23	24	26	27	29
Illinois	1,570	1,812	1,938	1,984	2,002	1,411	1,575
Indiana	279	269	293	386	328	306	360
Iowa	17	23	19	19	17	23	50
Kansas	15	17	28	26	26	22	48
Kentucky	103	95	112	129	128	139	160
Louisiana	17	24	19	18	15	19	24
Michigan	1,662	1,438	2,038	1,891	1,894	1,674	2,063
Minnesota	64	59	29	66	29	33	50
Mississippi	14	13	15	20	17	18	20
Missouri	35	32	41	43	46	51	48
Montana	16	18	17	22	23	29	34
Nebraska	9	(Y)	(Y)	6	6	(Y)	14
Nevada	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	11	(Y)	10
New England ¹	201	153	205	283	212	189	228
New Jersey	617	615	737	986	760	698	845
New Mexico	137	139	139	127	127	121	126
New York	257	271	345	425	331	362	363
North Carolina	58	61	78	85	88	73	83
North Dakota	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)
Ohio	98	63	53	140	135	75	142
Oklahoma	9	6	22	17	18	8	11
Oregon	261	279	330	277	355	245	361
Pennsylvania	298	299	403	548	442	455	582
South Carolina	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
South Dakota	17	23	22	33	29	30	33
Tennessee	49	46	46	57	66	51	82
Texas	231	331	359	271	458	400	499
Utah	283	317	337	332	326	265	283
Virginia	32	35	34	26	23	20	24
Washington	115	113	93	83	86	118	108
West Virginia	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Wisconsin	89	81	102	102	102	119	176
Wyoming	10	(Y)	9	11	(Y)	8	13
United States	24,222	24,681	28,308	25,740	27,182	24,776	24,949

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Commercial Sheep and Lamb Slaughter, Total Live Weight by Month – States and United States: 2012 and 2011 Total (continued)

[Data may not add to totals due to rounding]

State	August	September	October	November	December	2012 Total	2011 Total
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)
Alabama	4	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	35	29
Alaska	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	14	9
Arizona	26	23	37	24	25	332	324
Arkansas	5	7	10	(Y)	(Y)	69	48
California	3,854	3,055	3,832	3,415	3,317	42,068	41,474
Colorado	14,551	13,307	14,277	12,342	12,731	165,554	152,077
Delaware-Maryland	369	281	360	297	329	3,807	3,940
Florida	20	13	9	12	9	163	121
Georgia	38	53	68	52	54	562	316
Hawaii	6	6	(Y)	6	9	80	81
Idaho	42	38	43	34	28	360	310
Illinois	1,551	1,574	1,778	1,838	1,930	20,964	18,684
Indiana	416	315	451	288	358	4,050	3,950
Iowa	57	56	66	53	26	424	7,625
Kansas	49	39	50	28	25	372	308
Kentucky	167	135	176	128	129	1,600	1,388
Louisiana	14	19	24	20	14	228	233
Michigan	2,423	1,814	2,293	2,116	2,162	23,469	21,633
Minnesota	63	48	84	70	57	653	861
Mississippi	18	18	22	19	25	220	(D)
Missouri	83	56	63	46	58	601	527
Montana	37	59	53	47	52	406	361
Nebraska	20	23	27	(Y)	9	136	107
Nevada	9	7	14	11	6	83	96
New England ¹	279	243	356	287	258	2,894	2,568
New Jersey	805	651	806	671	818	9,007	9,759
New Mexico	128	121	143	110	112	1,530	1,523
New York	441	318	517	380	432	4,443	3,280
North Carolina	99	82	127	92	86	1,012	1,040
North Dakota	9	8	7	(Y)	(Y)	56	65
Ohio	173	145	129	127	115	1,396	1,410
Oklahoma	22	24	15	19	11	181	136
Oregon	326	309	394	297	351	3,785	3,423
Pennsylvania	646	648	626	483	550	5,979	3,966
South Carolina	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
South Dakota	41	38	49	38	29	383	287
Tennessee	80	55	78	55	61	726	623
Texas	719	828	688	712	688	6,184	5,662
Utah	361	266	324	311	306	3,714	3,845
Virginia	36	35	56	50	38	408	702
Washington	99	94	159	192	232	1,492	1,412
West Virginia	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Wisconsin	177	156	199	150	103	1,555	1,170
Wyoming	44	20	11	20	13	173	173
United States	28,446	25,137	28,582	24,964	25,690	312,678	297,352

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¹ New England includes Connecticut, Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, Rhode Island, and Vermont.

**Commercial Sheep and Lamb Slaughter, Average Live Weight by Month – States and United States:
2012 and 2011 Average**

State	January	February	March	April	May	June	July
	(pounds)	(pounds)	(pounds)	(pounds)	(pounds)	(pounds)	(pounds)
Alabama	(Y)	(Y)	70	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)
Alaska	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)
Arizona	142	144	133	148	170	145	116
Arkansas	(Y)	94	105	(Y)	110	113	102
California	145	146	146	142	146	144	136
Colorado	170	171	173	181	188	183	173
Delaware-Maryland	100	102	100	99	97	94	92
Florida	71	72	70	59	67	61	70
Georgia	84	84	88	97	77	70	69
Hawaii	(Y)	100	129	109	114	114	105
Idaho	147	147	150	147	145	141	135
Illinois	156	160	157	129	154	141	132
Indiana	110	109	108	104	108	108	107
Iowa	144	152	153	153	154	140	137
Kansas	92	93	101	98	86	86	107
Kentucky	126	130	131	131	133	130	126
Louisiana	62	75	80	61	55	63	61
Michigan	135	139	134	138	139	129	131
Minnesota	119	122	118	163	126	134	121
Mississippi	57	62	67	70	67	67	66
Missouri	139	132	134	114	121	109	110
Montana	105	114	112	93	90	89	108
Nebraska	102	(Y)	(Y)	122	108	(Y)	146
Nevada	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	120	(Y)	108
New England ¹	94	96	91	79	87	90	89
New Jersey	86	86	83	79	84	84	83
New Mexico	150	153	155	156	157	154	152
New York	92	93	91	83	93	99	100
North Carolina	74	75	81	74	74	71	75
North Dakota	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)
Ohio	107	109	107	107	105	106	103
Oklahoma	96	108	125	124	135	108	114
Oregon	140	151	146	144	149	138	138
Pennsylvania	100	101	98	96	101	103	105
South Carolina	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
South Dakota	115	122	114	127	119	118	119
Tennessee	74	82	77	71	65	67	74
Texas	63	72	92	53	64	63	77
Utah	136	141	142	142	145	141	136
Virginia	93	94	103	95	95	101	98
Washington	178	180	175	178	164	153	160
West Virginia	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Wisconsin	137	143	141	136	141	146	143
Wyoming	139	(Y)	158	161	(Y)	145	138
United States	147	149	149	142	151	147	140

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**Commercial Sheep and Lamb Slaughter, Average Live Weight by Month – States and United States:
2012 and 2011 Average (continued)**

State	August	September	October	November	December	2012 Average ²	2011 Average ²
	(pounds)	(pounds)	(pounds)	(pounds)	(pounds)	(pounds)	(pounds)
Alabama	75	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	78	88
Alaska	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	139	136
Arizona	124	124	146	133	115	135	119
Arkansas	95	98	102	(Y)	(Y)	102	103
California	140	135	135	139	137	141	141
Colorado	173	178	167	160	158	173	160
Delaware-Maryland	97	95	93	94	93	96	97
Florida	62	58	76	72	76	66	61
Georgia	70	80	79	79	72	79	73
Hawaii	117	109	(Y)	117	102	113	125
Idaho	130	132	132	130	129	137	128
Illinois	129	135	131	142	139	141	138
Indiana	109	111	106	111	109	108	109
Iowa	134	144	126	130	142	138	150
Kansas	113	110	101	91	95	99	104
Kentucky	125	122	115	120	120	125	128
Louisiana	57	59	62	67	58	63	63
Michigan	127	128	129	135	130	132	130
Minnesota	129	127	124	122	119	126	135
Mississippi	74	73	87	79	85	71	(D)
Missouri	114	119	119	114	124	119	115
Montana	130	123	98	90	96	103	97
Nebraska	138	148	144	(Y)	133	133	136
Nevada	112	106	118	108	112	114	127
New England ¹	95	87	88	89	86	89	88
New Jersey	83	84	86	84	82	83	84
New Mexico	150	150	142	144	146	151	147
New York	101	95	92	95	89	93	82
North Carolina	75	73	72	74	76	74	72
North Dakota	122	121	114	(Y)	(Y)	121	130
Ohio	106	104	104	103	104	105	108
Oklahoma	114	127	119	106	120	118	106
Oregon	140	140	133	132	131	140	139
Pennsylvania	111	112	102	103	99	103	98
South Carolina	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
South Dakota	119	118	117	119	115	119	122
Tennessee	76	74	74	72	76	73	73
Texas	105	111	102	97	107	86	80
Utah	138	138	127	128	134	137	140
Virginia	98	94	94	95	95	96	95
Washington	157	147	155	153	142	158	166
West Virginia	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Wisconsin	136	142	134	134	128	138	133
Wyoming	131	146	148	151	137	143	144
United States	142	145	137	137	135	143	138

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² Averages are based on unrounded data.

Federally Inspected Plants and Head Slaughtered by Species – States and United States: 2012

[Data may not add to totals due to rounding]

State	Cattle		Calves		Hogs	
	Plants	Head	Plants	Head	Plants	Head
	(number)	(number)	(number)	(number)	(number)	(number)
Alabama	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	5	29,446
Alaska	3	589	1	6	(D)	(D)
Arizona	3	533,121	1	4	2	515
Arkansas	6	1,960	(D)	(D)	7	132,059
California	24	1,740,979	11	172,500	17	2,395,160
Colorado	20	2,494,626	(Y)	(Y)	16	11,374
Delaware-Maryland	18	33,006	11	3,555	(D)	(D)
Florida	(D)	(D)	6	783	15	66,889
Georgia	15	244,895	(D)	(D)	12	27,635
Hawaii	7	11,588	2	109	7	14,179
Idaho	10	23,339	1	58	9	135,882
Illinois	(D)	(D)	5	14,227	25	10,547,796
Indiana	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	10	8,496,645
Iowa	(D)	(D)	(Y)	(Y)	18	30,130,918
Kansas	24	6,200,195	1	321	(D)	(D)
Kentucky	23	8,242	1	357	(D)	(D)
Louisiana	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Michigan	22	553,168	9	13,761	(D)	(D)
Minnesota	20	845,797	(D)	(D)	20	10,722,714
Mississippi	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	2	56,142
Missouri	(D)	(D)	7	235	30	8,170,097
Montana	(D)	(D)	1	7	(D)	(D)
Nebraska	27	6,703,578	1	5	(D)	(D)
Nevada	3	1,195	(D)	(D)	3	601
New England ¹	18	17,517	18	7,867	18	21,530
New Jersey	11	37,459	12	67,734	7	109,946
New Mexico	6	534	2	3	6	442
New York	35	28,847	23	105,405	31	33,356
North Carolina	18	183,206	8	319	26	11,365,770
North Dakota	8	10,274	(D)	(D)	7	1,524
Ohio	11	44,543	2	124,800	11	937,301
Oklahoma	6	1,519	(D)	(D)	4	5,470,389
Oregon	13	56,271	(Y)	(Y)	12	167,958
Pennsylvania	71	964,640	39	116,603	67	2,883,207
South Carolina	6	161,579	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
South Dakota	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	4	4,687,774
Tennessee	13	41,510	6	782	16	708,439
Texas	34	6,493,604	8	9,008	27	305,224
Utah	10	569,183	1	2	(D)	(D)
Virginia	16	5,330	(D)	(D)	17	2,485,223
Washington	13	1,096,491	3	31,091	(D)	(D)
West Virginia	7	2,583	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Wisconsin	18	1,553,388	5	83,671	(D)	(D)
Wyoming	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
United States	627	32,425,463	206	759,718	600	112,265,380

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Federally Inspected Plants and Head Slaughtered by Species – States and United States: 2012 (continued)

[Data may not add to totals due to rounding]

State	Sheep and lambs		Goats		Bison	
	Plants	Head	Plants	Head	Plants	Head
	(number)	(number)	(number)	(number)	(number)	(number)
Alabama	(D)	(D)	4	334	(D)	(D)
Alaska	3	98	3	65	3	22
Arizona	2	306	2	165	1	5
Arkansas	5	401	5	117	1	1
California	18	282,127	16	33,156	(D)	(D)
Colorado	18	959,638	16	8,556	7	28,503
Delaware-Maryland	17	39,656	15	53,833	(D)	(D)
Florida	11	2,454	10	21,517	(D)	(D)
Georgia	12	4,523	11	20,941	(D)	(D)
Hawaii	6	705	4	73	(D)	(D)
Idaho	8	1,251	5	131	3	332
Illinois	18	131,494	15	33,837	2	76
Indiana	5	29,890	6	38,038	1	185
Iowa	2	353	1	50	1	69
Kansas	16	2,529	15	4,687	6	224
Kentucky	20	12,707	13	2,954	3	51
Louisiana	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Michigan	19	175,747	15	1,340	4	144
Minnesota	13	2,169	10	551	6	3,903
Mississippi	2	3,053	2	3,735	(D)	(D)
Missouri	28	4,380	22	2,438	6	129
Montana	7	782	4	27	3	265
Nebraska	10	335	9	55	(D)	(D)
Nevada	3	732	3	39	(D)	(D)
New England ¹	19	30,831	19	27,906	4	48
New Jersey	14	108,116	12	163,858	(D)	(D)
New Mexico	7	9,803	7	260	1	49
New York	28	39,528	(D)	(D)	(Y)	(Y)
North Carolina	14	13,052	15	26,494	2	45
North Dakota	6	116	(Y)	(Y)	3	5,001
Ohio	7	598	7	86	(D)	(D)
Oklahoma	5	587	5	3,468	1	2
Oregon	10	26,016	10	4,231	(D)	(D)
Pennsylvania	60	56,917	44	28,760	5	348
South Carolina	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
South Dakota	3	522	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Tennessee	10	9,797	11	18,163	3	10
Texas	22	18,851	22	17,712	(D)	(D)
Utah	7	22,784	4	96	1	86
Virginia	(D)	(D)	13	1,911		
Washington	9	1,866	7	614	(D)	(D)
West Virginia	(D)	(D)	6	83	(D)	(D)
Wisconsin	12	4,123	9	352	3	73
Wyoming	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
United States	507	2,012,146	431	557,899	85	41,073

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Federally Inspected Plants and Head Slaughtered by Species – States and United States: 2011

[Data may not add to totals due to rounding]

State	Cattle		Calves		Hogs	
	Plants	Head	Plants	Head	Plants	Head
	(number)	(number)	(number)	(number)	(number)	(number)
Alabama	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	6	64,324
Alaska	4	650	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Arizona	3	562,597	1	19	2	429
Arkansas	6	1,961	(D)	(D)	7	122,038
California	22	1,758,007	11	203,834	13	2,435,309
Colorado	21	2,493,717	(D)	(D)	17	6,133
Delaware-Maryland	18	39,211	12	3,445	14	18,110
Florida	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	15	94,949
Georgia	14	240,794	3	483	12	13,474
Hawaii	7	12,076	2	102	6	15,251
Idaho	11	105,518	(D)	(D)	9	119,486
Illinois	(D)	(D)	10	17,840	23	9,524,123
Indiana	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	9	8,410,137
Iowa	(D)	(D)	1	3	19	29,721,378
Kansas	24	6,390,072	2	189	(D)	(D)
Kentucky	21	9,008	3	569	(D)	(D)
Louisiana	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Michigan	24	589,553	7	17,920	22	113,238
Minnesota	21	870,941	(D)	(D)	20	10,338,544
Mississippi	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	2	55,824
Missouri	(D)	(D)	13	410	35	8,054,003
Montana	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	7	1,652
Nebraska	28	6,837,409	(Y)	(Y)	(D)	(D)
Nevada	3	1,425	(D)	(D)	3	553
New England ¹	19	16,216	18	15,524	18	20,875
New Jersey	11	40,892	13	76,234	7	109,204
New Mexico	6	2,462	4	567	6	179
New York	35	32,739	30	109,542	32	28,854
North Carolina	19	218,311	9	735	26	11,153,586
North Dakota	8	29,089	(D)	(D)	8	46,444
Ohio	12	53,475	(D)	(D)	12	979,469
Oklahoma	6	1,327	(D)	(D)	5	5,564,195
Oregon	12	47,970	(D)	(D)	11	172,815
Pennsylvania	71	973,479	39	114,304	69	2,802,407
South Carolina	6	161,642	3	18	(D)	(D)
South Dakota	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	5	4,716,202
Tennessee	13	48,256	5	674	16	680,713
Texas	36	6,805,049	10	18,211	26	381,067
Utah	10	546,040	(D)	(D)	8	63,929
Virginia	14	5,330	(D)	(D)	15	2,356,065
Washington	13	1,074,314	4	21,491	(D)	(D)
West Virginia	5	2,407	(D)	(D)	5	2,143
Wisconsin	19	1,713,293	9	97,562	15	515,862
Wyoming	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
United States	633	33,554,755	253	838,775	604	109,956,349

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Federally Inspected Plants and Head Slaughtered by Species – States and United States, 2011 (continued)

[Data may not add to totals due to rounding]

State	Sheep and lambs		Goats		Bison	
	Plants	Head	Plants	Head	Plants	Head
	(number)	(number)	(number)	(number)	(number)	(number)
Alabama	(D)	(D)	4	128	(D)	(D)
Alaska	3	69	3	67	(D)	(D)
Arizona	2	323	2	135	1	8
Arkansas	4	275	5	84	1	1
California	15	275,707	13	34,095	(D)	(D)
Colorado	20	952,120	18	5,671	12	29,996
Delaware-Maryland	17	40,789	16	56,524	(D)	(D)
Florida	11	1,975	10	24,006	(D)	(D)
Georgia	12	2,766	10	21,447	(Y)	(Y)
Hawaii	6	652	2	11	(D)	(D)
Idaho	8	1,220	4	184	3	1,242
Illinois	18	116,380	15	38,683	4	56
Indiana	4	29,000	(D)	(D)	1	302
Iowa	3	49,076	3	606	1	108
Kansas	14	1,901	10	4,220	7	270
Kentucky	17	10,744	16	2,864	3	32
Louisiana	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Michigan	22	164,439	16	1,817	6	161
Minnesota	15	4,104	(D)	(D)	8	3,384
Mississippi	2	2,705	2	3,919	(D)	(D)
Missouri	26	4,092	21	2,744	8	105
Montana	6	802	3	16	5	297
Nebraska	11	190	8	51	3	24
Nevada	3	753	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
New England ¹	19	27,106	19	25,648	5	44
New Jersey	13	115,963	13	187,432	(D)	(D)
New Mexico	7	10,077	6	250	1	40
New York	30	32,088	(D)	(D)	1	9
North Carolina	15	13,884	16	23,955	2	89
North Dakota	6	157	(Y)	(Y)	3	5,468
Ohio	7	806	7	112	(D)	(D)
Oklahoma	5	687	(D)	(D)	2	8
Oregon	10	23,639	9	4,048	1	29
Pennsylvania	60	39,441	46	25,464	9	569
South Carolina	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
South Dakota	3	337	2	27	2	344
Tennessee	10	8,432	8	14,175	4	38
Texas	25	20,468	22	26,761	(D)	(D)
Utah	7	24,450	4	105	1	143
Virginia	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	3	56
Washington	10	1,626	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
West Virginia	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Wisconsin	13	3,134	12	173	5	101
Wyoming	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
United States	507	2,000,152	419	589,149	111	44,180

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Cattle, Number of Federally Inspected Plants and Head Slaughtered by Size Group – United States: 2012

[Data may not add to totals due to rounding]

Size group	Plants	Head	Size group	Plants	Head
	(number)	(thousands)		(number)	(thousands)
1 - 999	443	151.0	300,000 - 499,999	10	4,245.2
1,000 - 9,999	101	250.2	500,000 - 999,999	9	5,097.0
10,000 - 49,999	22	548.5	1,000,000 +	14	17,953.0
50,000 - 99,999	10	681.9			
100,000 - 199,999	10	1,433.4	Total	627	32,425.5
200,000 - 299,999	8	2,065.2			

Calves, Number of Federally Inspected Plants and Head Slaughtered by Size Group – United States: 2012

[Data may not add to totals due to rounding]

Size group	Plants	Head	Size group	Plants	Head
	(number)	(thousands)		(number)	(thousands)
1 - 99	148	2.4	25,000 - 49,999	5	180.3
100 - 999	28	10.1	50,000 +	5	432.4
1,000 - 9,999	14	40.6			
10,000 - 24,999	6	93.9	Total	206	759.7

Hogs, Number of Federally Inspected Plants and Head Slaughtered by Size Group – United States: 2012

[Data may not add to totals due to rounding]

Size group	Plants	Head	Size group	Plants	Head
	(number)	(thousands)		(number)	(thousands)
1 - 999	368	120.2	1,000,000 - 1,999,999	3	3,858.2
1,000 - 9,999	129	379.5	2,000,000 - 2,999,999	12	30,095.5
10,000 - 99,999	49	1,894.3	3,000,000 - 3,999,999	1	3,846.1
100,000 - 249,999	14	2,156.3	4,000,000 +	12	64,046.3
250,000 - 499,999	7	2,403.2			
500,000 - 999,999	5	3,465.7	Total	600	112,265.4

Sheep and Lambs, Number of Federally Inspected Plants and Head Slaughtered by Size Group – United States: 2012

[Data may not add to totals due to rounding]

Size group	Plants	Head	Size group	Plants	Head
	(number)	(thousands)		(number)	(thousands)
1 - 999	419	59.0	100,000 - 249,999	2	271.0
1,000 - 9,999	71	231.7	250,000 +	3	1,213.5
10,000 - 24,999	10	162.8			
25,000 - 99,999	2	74.2	Total	507	2,012.1

Cattle, Number of Federally Inspected Plants and Head Slaughtered by Size Group – United States: 2011

[Data may not add to totals due to rounding]

Size group	Plants	Head	Size group	Plants	Head
	(number)	(thousands)		(number)	(thousands)
1 - 999	448	147.8	300,000 - 499,999	12	4,670.0
1,000 - 9,999	100	250.4	500,000 - 999,999	10	5,861.9
10,000 - 49,999	22	510.8	1,000,000 +	14	18,300.5
50,000 - 99,999	10	641.9			
100,000 - 199,999	10	1,432.5	Total	633	33,554.8
200,000 - 299,999	7	1,739.0			

(D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual operations.

(Y) Less than level precision shown.

Calves, Number of Federally Inspected Plants and Head Slaughtered by Size Group – United States: 2011

[Data may not add to totals due to rounding]

Size group	Plants	Head	Size group	Plants	Head
	(number)	(thousands)		(number)	(thousands)
1 - 99	183	2.8	25,000 - 49,999	6	233.7
100 - 999	34	9.5	50,000 +	5	450.8
1,000 - 9,999	20	72.6			
10,000 - 24,999	4	69.3	Total	253	838.8

Hogs, Number of Federally Inspected Plants and Head Slaughtered by Size Group – United States: 2011

[Data may not add to totals due to rounding]

Size group	Plants	Head	Size group	Plants	Head
	(number)	(thousands)		(number)	(thousands)
1 - 999	374	118.4	1,000,000 - 1,999,999	3	4,896.0
1,000 - 9,999	126	355.4	2,000,000 - 2,999,999	11	27,085.1
10,000 - 99,999	49	1,979.4	3,000,000 - 3,999,999	1	3,895.8
100,000 - 249,999	15	2,177.4	4,000,000 +	12	63,253.2
250,000 - 499,999	8	2,863.7			
500,000 - 999,999	5	3,332.0	Total	604	109,956.3

Sheep and Lambs, Number of Federally Inspected Plants and Head Slaughtered by Size Group – United States: 2011

[Data may not add to totals due to rounding]

Size group	Plants	Head	Size group	Plants	Head
	(number)	(thousands)		(number)	(thousands)
1 - 999	420	59.3	100,000 - 249,999	2	249.4
1,000 - 9,999	69	213.1	250,000 +	3	1,199.7
10,000 - 24,999	10	151.5			
25,000 - 99,999	3	127.2	Total	507	2,000.2

Livestock Slaughter Plants, Number by Type of Inspection – States and United States: January 1, 2012 and 2013

[Data includes 'Temporarily Closed' plants]

State	Under federal inspection		Other		Total	
	2012	2013	2012	2013	2012	2013
	(number)	(number)	(number)	(number)	(number)	(number)
Alabama	9	6	56	56	65	62
Alaska	4	4	(Y)	(Y)	4	4
Arizona	3	3	9	9	12	12
Arkansas	9	7	20	20	29	27
California	35	34	40	38	75	72
Colorado	25	23	15	14	40	37
Delaware-Maryland	22	19	3	3	25	22
Florida	24	19	(Y)	(Y)	24	19
Georgia	21	17	59	59	80	76
Hawaii	10	10	(Y)	(Y)	10	10
Idaho	12	11	16	16	28	27
Illinois	37	33	57	57	94	90
Indiana	10	11	89	97	99	108
Iowa	24	22	122	117	146	139
Kansas	27	26	65	64	92	90
Kentucky	26	27	19	17	45	44
Louisiana	1	1	32	29	33	30
Michigan	32	26	30	30	62	56
Minnesota	27	26	102	133	129	159
Mississippi	5	4	13	13	18	17
Missouri	41	36	101	101	142	137
Montana	7	7	144	142	151	149
Nebraska	33	31	84	82	117	113
Nevada	3	3	(Y)	(Y)	3	3
New England ¹	21	19	16	15	37	34
New Jersey	16	16	1	1	17	17
New Mexico	7	7	8	8	15	15
New York	39	37	28	24	67	61
North Carolina	34	31	22	25	56	56
North Dakota	9	8	42	41	51	49
Ohio	19	17	124	137	143	154
Oklahoma	9	8	59	57	68	65
Oregon	12	13	17	16	29	29
Pennsylvania	93	87	120	115	213	202
South Carolina	9	8	19	19	28	27
South Dakota	6	6	83	82	89	88
Tennessee	18	18	6	6	24	24
Texas	53	47	46	168	99	215
Utah	11	11	13	13	24	24
Virginia	20	20	38	35	58	55
Washington	14	15	4	4	18	19
West Virginia	6	8	24	22	30	30
Wisconsin	24	24	90	108	114	132
Wyoming	(Y)	(Y)	27	23	27	23
United States	867	806	1,863	2,016	2,730	2,822

(Y) Less than level of precision shown.

¹ New England includes Connecticut, Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, Rhode Island, and Vermont.

Annual Federally Inspected Slaughter, Number of Head by Species, Class, and Week – United States: 2012 and 2011 Total

Week ending	Total cattle	Steers	Heifers	All cows	Dairy cows	Other cows	Bulls	Total calves
	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)
January 7, 2012	560.8	275.3	154.1	122.6	58.2	64.4	8.8	14.2
January 14	645.9	303.9	190.0	141.2	62.6	78.6	10.7	16.2
January 21	619.3	292.0	183.8	133.4	60.9	72.5	10.1	14.2
January 28	601.1	290.9	174.5	126.1	59.2	66.9	9.6	15.3
February 4	591.1	286.4	165.9	128.4	63.4	65.0	10.3	14.5
February 11	598.7	276.1	188.5	124.3	64.1	60.2	9.8	14.4
February 18	610.4	284.9	197.2	119.2	60.5	58.7	9.0	14.4
February 25	587.1	284.7	177.6	115.5	61.1	54.4	9.3	14.1
March 3	620.2	294.3	197.4	119.0	61.2	57.7	9.5	13.7
March 10	632.3	303.5	193.9	124.6	67.0	57.6	10.2	13.8
March 17	617.9	299.9	191.8	115.6	60.0	55.6	10.6	13.2
March 24	602.9	290.6	185.9	115.8	61.5	54.3	10.6	12.9
March 31	605.6	291.9	186.7	116.8	63.3	53.4	10.3	13.6
April 7	620.0	298.0	197.2	114.4	63.1	51.3	10.4	13.1
April 14	581.1	276.8	185.0	109.9	59.2	50.8	9.4	12.7
April 21	598.8	301.3	172.2	114.7	57.0	57.8	10.5	13.5
April 28	615.9	315.9	177.9	111.2	52.6	58.5	11.0	13.1
May 5	627.1	320.4	182.6	113.9	55.7	58.2	10.3	12.8
May 12	641.5	335.1	179.4	116.3	57.3	59.0	10.6	12.9
May 19	644.4	342.6	177.9	113.3	54.6	58.8	10.6	13.1
May 26	641.4	340.6	173.9	116.4	57.2	59.2	10.6	13.4
June 2	597.9	317.4	168.5	103.0	49.9	53.1	9.0	12.0
June 9	659.8	343.0	184.5	121.4	55.2	66.2	11.0	13.4
June 16	654.5	352.6	171.2	119.0	53.4	65.6	11.7	11.7
June 23	654.0	348.0	180.2	114.6	52.5	62.1	11.2	12.9
June 30	653.4	351.5	174.8	116.0	52.7	63.3	11.1	13.9
July 7	575.6	314.4	152.2	100.8	44.8	56.0	8.2	13.0
July 14	644.9	340.3	169.1	124.8	57.0	67.8	10.6	15.1
July 21	652.9	340.6	168.1	132.4	60.3	72.1	11.7	16.3
July 28	634.1	331.8	169.5	121.9	55.9	66.0	10.9	15.3
August 4	644.3	333.2	179.6	120.9	59.0	61.8	10.7	15.6
August 11	640.3	339.0	172.7	118.1	57.3	60.8	10.5	15.9
August 18	643.2	324.5	186.8	121.7	61.0	60.7	10.2	15.6
August 25	652.0	331.1	183.3	125.7	60.0	65.8	12.0	15.4
September 1	641.2	315.7	184.1	129.2	62.8	66.5	12.1	16.0
September 8	551.0	280.1	152.4	108.6	55.9	52.7	9.8	14.3
September 15	650.4	317.1	194.0	127.9	63.4	64.5	11.4	16.6
September 22	625.2	315.1	169.2	129.0	63.3	65.7	11.9	15.6
September 29	649.1	315.3	189.5	132.3	64.5	67.7	12.0	16.2
October 6	623.3	314.5	168.2	129.2	63.4	65.8	11.4	15.9
October 13	633.1	314.0	175.0	132.9	63.0	69.9	11.2	15.5
October 20	638.7	311.3	180.7	135.4	62.6	72.9	11.3	16.1
October 27	645.7	318.2	177.6	138.3	62.9	75.5	11.6	15.7
November 3	645.3	305.5	190.2	138.8	62.5	76.3	10.9	15.3
November 10	632.4	300.6	174.4	145.4	64.3	81.1	12.0	15.5
November 17	626.8	299.2	174.0	142.2	65.3	76.9	11.4	16.0
November 24	580.3	281.5	171.3	117.8	50.0	67.8	9.7	14.1
December 1	639.4	303.0	181.5	143.3	65.1	78.2	11.5	17.3
December 8	641.0	302.4	178.0	147.7	68.0	79.7	12.8	16.3
December 15	640.7	312.9	174.2	141.9	66.6	75.4	11.7	16.4
December 22	631.4	307.7	175.4	136.8	67.5	69.3	11.5	16.7
December 29, 2012	476.6	237.0	140.9	93.5	43.1	50.4	5.1	12.2
2012 Total	32,341.7	16,123.5	9,244.8	6,423.5	3,092.7	3,330.8	550.0	756.9
2011 Total ¹	33,554.5	16,538.6	9,725.8	6,711.5	2,913.9	3,797.6	578.6	838.8

See footnote(s) at end of table.

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Annual Federally Inspected Slaughter, Number of Head by Species, Class, and Week – United States: 2012 and 2011 Total (continued)

Week ending	Total hogs	Barrows and gilts	Sows	Boars	Total sheep	Mature sheep	Lambs and yearlings
	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)
January 7, 2012	2,064.3	2,007.3	51.8	5.3	31.9	2.0	29.9
January 14	2,217.5	2,151.5	59.5	6.5	35.7	1.9	33.8
January 21	2,216.7	2,152.6	57.5	6.6	33.8	2.1	31.7
January 28	2,154.1	2,095.4	52.3	6.4	37.2	1.8	35.4
February 4	2,131.1	2,067.9	56.9	6.2	35.7	1.7	34.0
February 11	2,112.3	2,049.0	56.8	6.5	37.9	2.2	35.7
February 18	2,151.8	2,087.9	57.1	6.8	35.9	1.9	34.0
February 25	2,124.3	2,062.8	54.9	6.6	37.9	2.1	35.7
March 3	2,153.1	2,090.7	55.7	6.7	37.6	2.0	35.6
March 10	2,132.7	2,071.3	54.8	6.7	39.5	2.0	37.5
March 17	2,179.5	2,117.1	55.8	6.6	42.6	2.5	40.1
March 24	2,132.0	2,070.0	55.6	6.3	40.3	1.9	38.4
March 31	2,125.7	2,062.1	55.9	7.7	42.5	1.9	40.6
April 7	2,124.1	2,064.9	53.3	5.8	42.4	2.7	39.6
April 14	2,052.1	1,990.5	54.8	6.8	45.4	2.9	42.5
April 21	2,082.6	2,020.1	56.0	6.5	34.6	2.1	32.5
April 28	2,086.1	2,022.6	57.8	5.7	34.7	2.0	32.7
May 5	2,079.0	2,015.1	56.9	7.0	37.5	2.1	35.4
May 12	2,089.3	2,025.9	56.8	6.7	36.3	2.2	34.1
May 19	2,117.2	2,053.9	56.9	6.4	37.0	3.2	33.8
May 26	2,070.2	2,007.2	57.0	6.0	37.8	2.1	35.7
June 2	1,822.7	1,774.0	43.5	5.2	30.2	1.8	28.4
June 9	2,004.9	1,938.4	59.7	6.8	36.2	2.0	34.2
June 16	1,959.5	1,893.4	59.7	6.5	37.4	2.2	35.3
June 23	1,959.6	1,895.4	57.2	7.0	36.3	2.9	33.4
June 30	2,003.2	1,939.6	56.5	7.0	39.1	2.6	36.5
July 7	1,745.0	1,697.1	43.2	4.7	31.1	3.0	28.1
July 14	1,960.5	1,895.6	57.7	7.2	38.2	2.6	35.7
July 21	1,961.3	1,897.7	56.5	7.2	40.4	3.4	37.0
July 28	2,009.9	1,941.6	61.4	6.9	37.8	2.5	35.3
August 4	2,040.1	1,969.9	62.9	7.3	40.1	3.5	36.6
August 11	2,046.3	1,978.2	61.3	6.8	40.9	2.8	38.1
August 18	2,176.0	2,108.1	60.7	7.2	41.3	3.3	38.1
August 25	2,272.2	2,204.4	60.8	7.0	39.6	3.6	36.0
September 1	2,277.7	2,210.1	60.9	6.7	41.0	4.4	36.6
September 8	2,067.4	2,008.8	53.6	5.0	34.7	2.8	31.9
September 15	2,427.5	2,355.2	64.9	7.4	42.7	4.5	38.2
September 22	2,401.7	2,327.0	66.7	8.0	41.6	5.0	36.6
September 29	2,340.8	2,268.5	66.0	6.4	41.3	5.3	36.0
October 6	2,356.7	2,283.9	67.3	5.5	40.7	5.5	35.2
October 13	2,388.0	2,317.7	62.7	7.5	38.5	3.4	35.1
October 20	2,381.9	2,310.9	63.8	7.2	40.5	4.4	36.1
October 27	2,368.8	2,300.8	60.5	7.6	46.8	4.7	42.1
November 3	2,358.6	2,291.8	60.2	6.6	37.1	3.0	34.2
November 10	2,355.7	2,285.5	64.2	6.0	41.6	3.7	37.9
November 17	2,373.9	2,304.2	62.0	7.7	39.5	2.2	37.4
November 24	2,065.5	2,015.9	43.6	6.0	30.4	1.7	28.7
December 1	2,398.2	2,325.9	64.5	7.8	39.8	2.2	37.6
December 8	2,362.8	2,290.1	65.5	7.1	44.0	2.1	42.0
December 15	2,297.5	2,224.8	65.1	7.6	44.1	2.2	41.9
December 22	2,357.8	2,288.6	62.2	6.9	44.9	2.4	42.5
December 29, 2012	1,764.0	1,725.0	35.0	4.0	33.0	2.0	31.0
2012 Total	111,901.4	108,554.0	3,004.0	343.4	2,004.9	142.6	1,862.3
2011 Total ¹	109,956.2	106,600.2	3,027.0	329.0	2,000.2	140.7	1,859.5

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**Annual Federally Inspected Slaughter, Number of Head by Species and Week – United States:
2012 and 2011 Total (continued)**

Week ending	Goats (total head)	Bison (total head)
January 7, 2012	8,931	802
January 14	9,762	804
January 21	10,725	1,052
January 28	8,821	1,023
February 4	9,175	782
February 11	10,013	891
February 18	9,597	665
February 25	8,880	801
March 3	9,437	839
March 10	9,406	575
March 17	9,762	578
March 24	9,874	811
March 31	11,452	850
April 7	12,919	830
April 14	11,591	726
April 21	8,919	723
April 28	9,629	722
May 5	9,989	696
May 12	10,613	838
May 19	9,259	864
May 26	11,390	949
June 2	8,751	771
June 9	10,930	876
June 16	11,238	850
June 23	10,390	799
June 30	10,362	798
July 7	9,680	665
July 14	10,496	992
July 21	14,880	851
July 28	11,201	802
August 4	11,161	648
August 11	12,002	795
August 18	15,358	714
August 25	9,501	789
September 1	12,118	716
September 8	10,575	879
September 15	11,479	755
September 22	11,082	755
September 29	11,183	643
October 6	10,716	746
October 13	10,522	672
October 20	10,586	829
October 27	16,046	661
November 3	7,628	763
November 10	9,665	882
November 17	11,564	1,005
November 24	10,625	575
December 1	9,724	977
December 8	9,689	808
December 15	11,801	810
December 22	13,749	796
December 29, 2012	9,852	550
2012 Total	554,698	40,993
2011 Total ¹	589,149	44,180

¹ Includes data from week ending January 8, 2011 through December 31, 2011.

Statistical Methodology

Data Sources: Primary data for the commercial livestock slaughter estimates are obtained from electronic reports completed by inspectors from the Food Safety and Inspection Service (FSIS), USDA, which provide daily counts of animals slaughtered in Federally Inspected (FI) plants, in addition to total live and dressed weights. These counts are combined with data from State-administered Non-Federally Inspected (NFI) slaughter plants to derive total commercial slaughter estimates. More than 95 percent of the total U.S. slaughter for any species is under Federal Inspection.

There are approximately 800 livestock slaughter plants in the U.S. operating under Federal Inspection and over 2,000 Non-Federally Inspected (State-inspected or custom-exempt) slaughter plants. Slaughter from State-inspected Talmedge-Aiken plants is included in FI totals (see Terms and Definitions, page 69). To prevent duplication in reporting between FI and NFI plants and assure all FI plants are included, certificates prepared by FSIS identifying operating status are constantly monitored.

Revision Policy: Number of head slaughtered, live weights, and dressed weights are subject to revision the following month after the monthly release. Annual totals are published in the slaughter summary each April which includes any revisions made to current and previous year's published data. Revisions are generally the result of late reports received from slaughter plants and are usually less than one-half of one percent. No revisions will be made to the previous year's data after the publication of the annual summary in April.

Procedures and Reliability: The livestock slaughter data is obtained electronically on a daily basis and summarized approximately two weeks after the week of slaughter. An edit compares each plant's data with the historical data for that plant. Data are checked for unusual values for head kill, patterns of kill, average weights, and dressing percent, based on each plant's past operating profile. In addition, the edit provides a listing of missing reports for follow-up contact with FSIS. Average live and dressed weights and dressing percentages by State are compared with the previous weeks as an additional check. Fluctuations are frequently the result of plants permanently or temporarily closing and a shift in the species reported.

The FSIS District Veterinary Medical Specialists (DVMS) are contacted by e-mail or telephone for missing or potentially erroneous slaughter data. This assures that plants slaughtering a large number of head or several species are accounted for each week. Any corrections FSIS makes to the slaughter data are included in the summary.

Computer imputation may be necessary for incomplete reports. The imputation of live and dressed weights is based on the current week reported data of plants of similar size and location. Imputation for live and dressed weight data for cattle and hogs is less than 10 percent and 7 percent, respectively. The imputation for calves and sheep is more frequent and variable. If no data is received electronically or by other means, for plants slaughtering fewer than 50 total head weekly of only one species, data are imputed. The imputation of head for any plant is based on the historical data for that particular plant. The imputation of head slaughtered is rare but when necessary, the imputed head kill for missing plants usually is less than 1 percent of the U.S. head kill totals.

FI data are summarized weekly and accumulated to a monthly total for this release. These weekly totals are published by USDA's Agricultural Marketing Service (AMS) in **Livestock, Meat, Wool Market News**, Weekly Summary, and Statistics and are also available on the NASS website. NFI data are summarized monthly only.

Livestock slaughter estimates are based on a census of operating plants and therefore, have no sampling error. However, they may be subject to non-sampling errors such as omissions, duplications and mistakes in reporting, recording and processing the data. These errors are minimized through rigid quality controls in the edit and summarization process, and a careful review of all reported data for consistency and reasonableness.

No data are published when an individual plant's data could be divulged. If not published, these data are still included in U.S. and region totals. A review of the data is made annually to determine the publishable data.

Terms and Definitions Used for Livestock Slaughter Estimates

Average Live Weight: The weight of the whole animal, before slaughter. Excludes post-mortem condemnations.

Commercial Production: Includes slaughter and meat production in federally inspected and other plants, but excludes animals slaughtered on farms.

Custom-Exempt Plants: Plants that do not sell meat but operate on a custom basis only are custom-exempt. The animals and meat are not inspected, but the facilities must meet health standards. These are considered NFI plants and head kill is included in NFI totals.

Dressed Weight: The weight of a chilled animal carcass. Beef with kidney knob in; veal with hide off; lamb and mutton with pluck out; pork with leaf fat and kidneys out, jowls on and head off.

Dressing Percent: Usually expressed as a percentage yield of chilled carcass in relation to the weight of the live animal on hoof. For example, a live hog that weighed 200 pounds on hoof and yielded a carcass weighing 140 pounds would have a dressing percentage of 70.

Federally Inspected (FI) Plants: Plants that transport meat interstate must employ federal inspectors to assure compliance with USDA standards. Any state whose commercial plants operate entirely under federal inspection may still have custom-exempt establishments for which NFI estimates are made.

Food and Meat Inspection: Includes examination, checking, or testing of a carcass and/or meat against established government standards and involves checking the facility for cleanliness, health of animals, or parts of animals and quality of the meat produced.

Non-Federally Inspected (NFI) Plants: Plants which sell and transport only intrastate. State inspectors assure compliance with individual state standards for these NFI plants. Mobile slaughtering units are excluded and are considered farm slaughter.

Number of Head: Includes post-mortem condemnations.

Plant, Slaughter: An establishment where animals are killed and butchered.

Red Meat: Red meat production is the carcass weight after slaughter excluding condemnation and is comprised of beef, veal, pork, and lamb and mutton. The FI red meat production is equal to the total carcass weight after slaughter. The NFI meat production formula is $(\text{NFI head kill}) \times (\text{live weight}) \times (\text{FI dressing percentage}) = \text{NFI red meat production}$.

Slaughter: Killing and butchering of animals primarily for food.

Slaughter, Farm: Animals slaughtered on farms primarily for home consumption. Excludes custom slaughter for farmers at commercial establishments, but includes mobile slaughtering on farms. These estimates appear only in the annual slaughter release.

Talmedge-Aiken (TA) Plants: Slaughter plants in which USDA is responsible for inspection. However, federal inspection is carried out by state employees. These plants are considered to be federally inspected.

Total Live Weight: The total live weight of animals, before slaughter. Excludes post-mortem condemnations.

Wholesome Meat Act: Legislation that specifies that all meat produced for sale in the U.S. must be inspected. Meat that is transported interstate must be inspected in compliance with Federal (USDA) Standards.

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