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Beef, Pork, and Red Meat Production Set Record Highs in 1999 Veal and Lamb & Mutton Set Record Lows

Red meat production in commercial plants and on farms for the United States totaled 46.3 billion pounds in 1999. This was 2 percent higher than the previous record high set in 1998. Red meat includes beef, veal, pork, and lamb and mutton. Red meat production in commercial plants totaled 46.1 billion pounds.

Beef production, at 26.5 billion pounds, was up 3 percent from a year earlier and 2 percent higher than the previous record high set in 1976. **Veal production** totaled 233 million pounds, down 11 percent from the previous record low set last year. **Pork production**, at 19.3 billion pounds, eclipsed the previous record high set a year earlier by 2 percent. **Lamb and mutton production** totaled 247 million pounds, falling 2 percent below the previous record low set a year ago.

Commercial cattle slaughter during 1999 totaled 36.1 million head, up 2 percent from 1998, with federal inspection comprising 98.2 percent of the total. The average live weight was 1,210 pounds, up 7 pounds from a year ago. **Steers** comprised 49.6 percent of the total federally inspected slaughter, **heifers** 32.8 percent, **dairy cows** 7.3 percent, **other cows** 8.5 percent, and **bulls** 1.8 percent.

Commercial calf slaughter totaled 1.28 million head, down 12 percent from a year ago with 97.6 percent under federal inspection. The average live weight was 291 pounds, up 6 pounds from a year earlier.

Commercial hog slaughter totaled 101.5 million head, up 1 percent from 1998 with 98.2 percent of the hogs slaughtered under federal inspection. The average live weight was up 3 pounds from last year, at 259 pounds. Barrows and gilts comprised 96.3 percent of the total federally inspected slaughter.

Commercial sheep and lamb slaughter, at 3.70 million head, was down 3 percent from 1998 with 96.1 percent comprised by federal inspection. The average live weight rose 1 pound from 1998 to 133 pounds.

There were 909 slaughtering plants under federal inspection on January 1, 2000, compared with 931 last year. Of these, 759 slaughtered at least one head of cattle during 1999 with 15 slaughtering over 55 percent of the total cattle killed. There were 728 plants that slaughtered hogs, with 12 accounting for over 50 percent of the total. Likewise, 9 of the 327 plants that slaughtered calves accounted for over 55 percent of the total and 2 of the 561 plants that slaughtered sheep or lambs in 1999 comprised nearly 40 percent of the total head.

Iowa, Kansas, Nebraska, and Texas accounted for over 50 percent of the United States commercial red meat production in 1999.

**Red Meat Production: Federally Inspected, Commercial and Farm
by Month and Total, United States, 1999 ¹**

Month	Beef		Veal		Pork ²		Lamb and Mutton		Total Red Meat ²	
	Fed Insp	Total	Fed Insp	Total	Fed Insp	Total	Fed Insp	Total	Fed Insp	Total
	<i>Million Pounds</i>	<i>Million Pounds</i>	<i>Million Pounds</i>	<i>Million Pounds</i>	<i>Million Pounds</i>	<i>Million Pounds</i>	<i>Million Pounds</i>	<i>Million Pounds</i>	<i>Million Pounds</i>	<i>Million Pounds</i>
Com'l ³										
Jan	2,136	2,170	17	18	1,597	1,628	17	18	3,767	3,833
Feb	1,965	1,998	17	17	1,473	1,501	20	20	3,474	3,537
Mar	2,196	2,231	20	20	1,707	1,737	28	29	3,951	4,017
Apr	2,123	2,155	17	18	1,604	1,629	20	21	3,765	3,822
May	2,122	2,151	16	17	1,396	1,417	17	18	3,552	3,603
Jun	2,290	2,321	18	19	1,560	1,584	17	17	3,885	3,940
Jul	2,229	2,256	18	19	1,469	1,489	17	17	3,732	3,781
Aug	2,277	2,307	19	20	1,540	1,565	18	19	3,854	3,910
Sep	2,243	2,275	19	20	1,594	1,618	19	19	3,876	3,932
Oct	2,229	2,265	18	19	1,675	1,698	19	20	3,941	4,001
Nov	2,111	2,144	18	19	1,683	1,707	21	22	3,832	3,892
Dec	2,077	2,113	20	20	1,679	1,705	23	24	3,798	3,862
Total Com'l	25,998	26,385	217	224	18,977	19,278	236	243	45,428	46,130
Farm		107		9		28		4		148
Total		26,492		233		19,306		247		46,278

¹ Months may not add to totals due to rounding.

² Excludes lard and rendered pork fat.

³ Based on packers' dressed weight and excludes farm slaughter.

**Number of Head Slaughtered: By Species,
Commercial and Farm, United States, 1999**

Species	Total Commercial	Farm ¹	Total Slaughter
	<i>Head</i>	<i>Head</i>	<i>Head</i>
Cattle	36,149,852	170,000	36,319,852
Calves	1,281,930	40,000	1,321,930
Hogs	101,544,172	150,000	101,694,172
Sheep	3,701,342	65,000	3,766,342

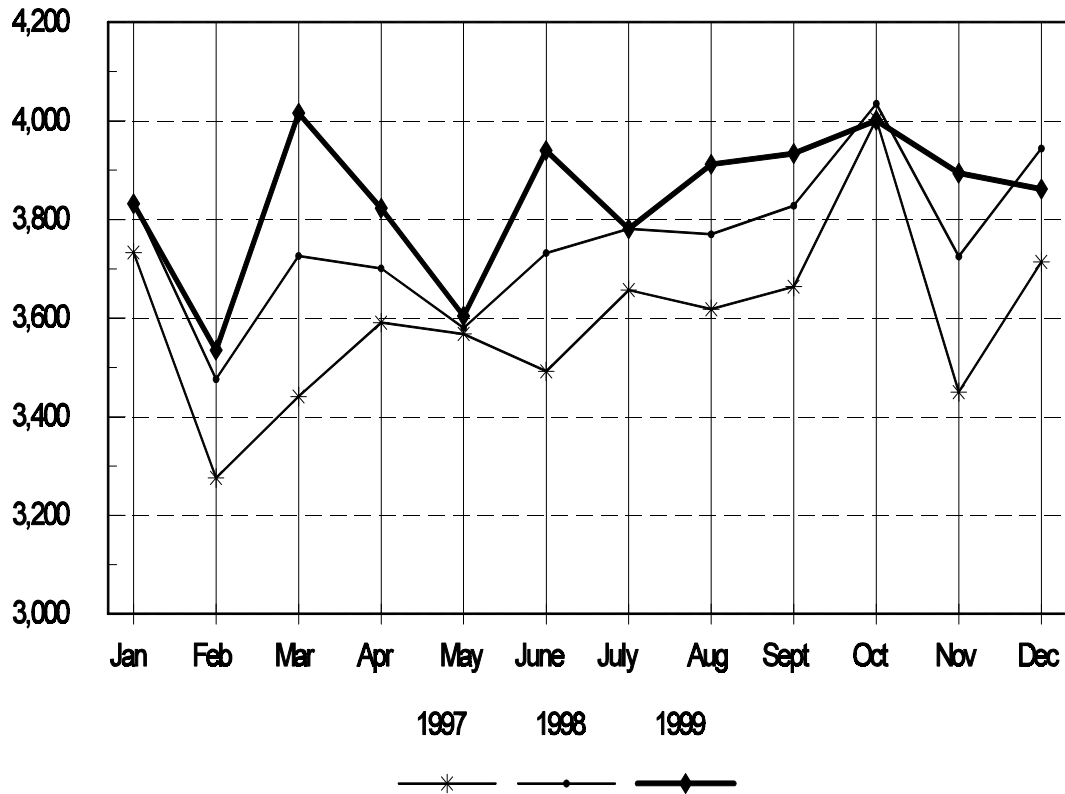
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**Federally Inspected Commercial Slaughter: Percent of Total
by Species, Month, and Total, United States, 1999**

Month	Species			
	Cattle	Calves	Hogs	Sheep
	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>
Jan	98.0	97.5	97.9	96.9
Feb	97.9	97.8	98.0	97.1
Mar	98.0	98.2	98.1	96.9
Apr	98.2	98.0	98.3	95.4
May	98.3	96.8	98.2	96.1
Jun	98.4	97.7	98.3	95.8
Jul	98.5	98.1	98.4	95.5
Aug	98.4	97.5	98.2	95.5
Sep	98.3	97.6	98.4	95.6
Oct	98.0	97.4	98.5	96.2
Nov	98.0	97.1	98.4	96.1
Dec	97.9	97.7	98.1	95.7
Total	98.2	97.6	98.2	96.1

U.S. Monthly Commercial Red Meat Production

Million Pounds



**Livestock Slaughter: Average Dressed Weight, Federal Inspection
by Classification and Month, United States, 1999 ¹**

Classification ²	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	
	<i>Pounds</i>	<i>Pounds</i>	<i>Pounds</i>	<i>Pounds</i>	<i>Pounds</i>	<i>Pounds</i>	
Cattle	739	741	738	732	724	730	
Steers ³	799	798	792	784	771	780	
Heifers ³	734	738	734	723	708	712	
Cows ³	564	567	571	567	567	562	
Bulls & Stags ³	864	868	893	893	898	902	
Calves & Vealers	168	173	175	183	190	181	
Hogs	191	191	192	192	192	192	
Barrow & Glts ⁴	188	187	188	188	188	188	
Sows ⁴	295	293	295	296	299	297	
Stags & Boars ⁴	224	224	228	235	235	237	
Sheep	67	68	69	68	68	65	
Mature Sheep ⁵	60	60	60	60	60	59	
Lambs & Yearlings ⁵	68	68	69	69	68	65	
	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Annual Average
	<i>Pounds</i>	<i>Pounds</i>	<i>Pounds</i>	<i>Pounds</i>	<i>Pounds</i>	<i>Pounds</i>	<i>Pounds</i>
Cattle	737	739	741	739	736	742	736
Steers ³	792	795	802	802	803	804	793
Heifers ³	720	723	727	731	735	736	727
Cows ³	557	553	551	549	552	563	560
Bulls & Stags ³	887	883	873	858	864	879	881
Calves & Vealers	170	167	169	181	181	184	176
Hogs	189	187	188	191	193	193	191
Barrow & Glts ⁴	185	183	184	187	189	190	187
Sows ⁴	297	291	295	295	299	301	296
Stags & Boars ⁴	228	234	240	235	233	233	232
Sheep	66	63	64	65	66	68	67
Mature Sheep ⁵	59	59	60	58	58	59	59
Lambs & Yearlings ⁵	66	64	64	66	67	68	67

¹ Based on packers' reported dressed weight.

² Species totals and classification reported by food inspectors, Inspection Operations, FSIS.

³ Included in cattle average dressed weight.

⁴ Included in hogs average dressed weight.

⁵ Included in sheep average dressed weight.

**Red Meat Production: Number of Pounds by Month, State,
and United States, 1999 ¹**

State	Jan	Feb	Mar
	<i>Million Pounds</i>	<i>Million Pounds</i>	<i>Million Pounds</i>
AL	14.0	14.1	17.0
AK			
AZ	28.2	27.1	30.9
AR	6.7	5.2	6.3
CA	89.0	81.2	93.9
CO	185.8	171.1	181.5
DE-MD	6.3	5.7	6.8
FL	3.3	3.0	3.8
GA	22.4	19.7	25.0
HI	1.1	1.1	1.2
ID	45.7	39.8	45.9
IL	213.1	200.3	228.9
IN	98.3	96.4	110.0
IA	527.9	497.9	573.6
KS	498.1	461.9	514.0
KY	48.9	39.3	45.5
LA	1.6	1.7	1.8
MI	28.2	27.5	32.6
MN	173.6	159.7	184.7
MS	24.8	22.2	24.2
MO	70.3	64.8	74.1
MT	2.0	1.8	1.8
NE	581.1	532.1	586.3
NV	0.1	0.1	0.1
N ENG ²	1.7	1.6	1.8
NJ	4.2	4.0	4.9
NM	1.1	1.3	1.3
NY	4.1	3.8	4.4
NC	156.6	142.8	168.2
ND	4.5	1.8	2.2
OH	27.0	25.6	29.6
OK	77.2	68.6	77.9
OR	3.1	3.1	3.7
PA	92.3	89.0	101.2
SC	17.6	17.4	19.8
SD	86.5	82.7	93.4
TN	20.2	16.4	21.8
TX	407.9	361.6	418.3
UT	39.4	37.1	43.4
VA	65.7	56.8	66.0
WA	49.2	51.1	54.2
WV	1.1	0.7	0.7
WI	102.3	97.4	113.9
WY	0.6	0.5	0.4
US	3,832.9	3,536.6	4,017.1

See footnotes at end of table.

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**Red Meat Production: Number of Pounds by Month, State,
and United States, 1999 ¹ (continued)**

State	Apr	May	Jun
	<i>Million Pounds</i>	<i>Million Pounds</i>	<i>Million Pounds</i>
AL	15.6	14.0	2.6
AK			
AZ	29.5	28.7	34.0
AR	5.4	5.0	5.4
CA	89.6	85.3	88.9
CO	168.4	178.7	194.7
DE-MD	6.3	5.9	5.6
FL	3.5	3.1	3.9
GA	24.0	23.9	26.4
HI	1.2	1.1	1.2
ID	44.0	42.3	51.0
IL	211.7	197.6	212.6
IN	104.2	87.7	99.1
IA	543.9	460.5	521.5
KS	511.3	509.4	550.1
KY	42.7	34.5	36.3
LA	1.6	1.5	1.4
MI	31.2	28.7	32.0
MN	172.4	155.5	170.1
MS	22.5	23.4	25.7
MO	69.3	59.8	65.3
MT	1.8	1.9	2.1
NE	554.9	532.4	602.1
NV		0.1	0.1
N ENG ²	1.7	1.7	1.8
NJ	4.3	4.2	4.8
NM	1.2	1.0	1.1
NY	4.3	3.8	4.3
NC	157.6	148.9	162.4
ND	1.9	2.0	2.4
OH	27.6	23.9	28.6
OK	75.6	67.5	77.0
OR	3.4	3.2	3.9
PA	96.6	92.9	103.3
SC	18.6	16.8	18.6
SD	85.4	71.0	82.3
TN	19.1	17.3	18.2
TX	407.6	419.1	443.2
UT	38.6	39.5	45.6
VA	62.0	54.7	60.4
WA	49.9	50.6	32.9
WV	0.5	0.6	0.5
WI	111.2	102.9	116.3
WY	0.3	0.3	0.4
US	3,822.4	3,603.3	3,940.2

See footnotes at end of table.

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**Red Meat Production: Number of Pounds by Month, State,
and United States, 1999 ¹ (continued)**

State	Jul	Aug	Sep
	<i>Million Pounds</i>	<i>Million Pounds</i>	<i>Million Pounds</i>
AL	2.4	2.6	2.6
AK		0.1	0.1
AZ	32.4	29.2	29.9
AR	5.8	6.0	6.2
CA	85.4	89.2	88.0
CO	184.1	190.0	176.7
DE-MD	4.7	6.0	5.7
FL	3.7	4.2	4.1
GA	24.4	25.3	25.7
HI	1.3	1.4	1.2
ID	51.5	52.8	51.7
IL	213.6	216.4	226.7
IN	94.4	99.9	103.2
IA	487.2	510.3	541.6
KS	541.4	546.5	538.3
KY	34.3	37.3	37.3
LA	1.3	1.5	1.6
MI	29.5	28.4	28.3
MN	157.5	166.7	173.3
MS	22.3	23.4	26.5
MO	60.6	66.8	67.1
MT	1.8	2.0	1.6
NE	572.6	593.8	589.5
NV	0.1	0.1	0.1
N ENG ²	1.8	1.9	2.1
NJ	4.3	4.7	4.8
NM	1.1	1.1	1.3
NY	4.5	4.7	4.6
NC	152.8	157.5	153.9
ND	2.3	2.4	2.7
OH	26.2	28.5	29.7
OK	71.8	76.1	74.1
OR	3.5	4.1	3.9
PA	96.4	103.0	97.2
SC	18.2	17.9	18.0
SD	74.0	79.8	82.0
TN	17.6	21.1	20.6
TX	436.1	426.5	431.4
UT	41.7	46.1	43.4
VA	57.0	57.4	56.9
WA	51.8	65.1	67.9
WV	0.5	0.8	0.9
WI	106.6	110.7	109.5
WY	0.4	0.7	0.5
US	3,780.7	3,910.2	3,932.5

See footnotes at end of table.

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**Red Meat Production: Number of Pounds by Month, State,
and United States, 1999 ¹ (continued)**

State	Oct	Nov	Dec	Year
	<i>Million Pounds</i>	<i>Million Pounds</i>	<i>Million Pounds</i>	<i>Million Pounds</i>
AL	2.9	2.9	2.7	93.4
AK	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.4
AZ	29.4	29.1	30.2	358.6
AR	6.2	5.9	5.8	69.8
CA	89.1	88.9	91.7	1,060.3
CO	165.0	170.9	171.1	2,137.9
DE-MD	5.5	5.5	5.5	69.6
FL	4.6	4.9	4.9	46.9
GA	27.7	29.4	28.3	302.2
HI	1.2	1.2	1.3	14.5
ID	52.5	54.3	50.1	581.5
IL	231.1	231.9	222.2	2,606.1
IN	106.7	107.4	111.0	1,218.4
IA	558.8	547.8	534.8	6,305.7
KS	539.9	483.9	503.0	6,197.9
KY	40.3	40.3	39.2	476.0
LA	1.7	1.6	1.6	19.1
MI	27.5	28.5	30.0	352.3
MN	186.3	181.3	182.6	2,063.6
MS	27.0	27.6	25.6	295.1
MO	69.7	70.6	73.2	811.7
MT	1.8	1.7	1.9	22.2
NE	596.1	564.6	552.6	6,858.2
NV	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.9
N ENG ²	2.2	2.3	2.2	22.8
NJ	4.4	4.5	5.5	54.6
NM	1.2	0.9	0.8	13.4
NY	4.7	4.5	5.0	52.8
NC	173.9	180.2	170.8	1,925.8
ND	2.7	2.4	2.9	30.2
OH	29.1	29.7	31.0	336.6
OK	81.4	85.1	87.1	919.2
OR	3.6	4.0	3.5	43.1
PA	110.6	106.4	104.9	1,193.9
SC	19.0	19.7	19.8	221.3
SD	84.9	84.3	90.4	996.6
TN	19.1	20.2	21.0	232.7
TX	411.1	377.5	370.3	4,910.5
UT	41.5	40.9	37.6	494.9
VA	65.5	70.2	66.0	738.5
WA	64.6	63.9	56.3	657.5
WV	1.4	1.2	1.0	9.8
WI	108.3	113.0	116.1	1,308.2
WY	0.3	0.6	0.5	5.6
US	4,000.7	3,891.8	3,862.2	46,130.3

¹ Includes total beef, veal, pork, and lamb and mutton, excluding farm slaughter.

² N ENG includes CT, ME, MA, NH, RI, and VT.

**Livestock Slaughter: Number of Head Slaughtered and Average Live Weight
by Species and Month, United States, 1999 ¹**

Species	Unit	Jan	Feb	Mar
Cattle				
Number				
Fed. Insp.	Thou	2,903.5	2,665.2	2,990.2
Other	Thou	57.9	57.3	60.2
Commercial ³	Thou	2,961.3	2,722.5	3,050.4
Live Weight/Head				
Fed. Insp.	Lbs	1,224	1,225	1,220
Other	Lbs	1,037	1,048	1,043
Commercial	Lbs	1,220	1,221	1,216
Calves				
Number				
Fed. Insp.	Thou	102.7	97.6	114.7
Other	Thou	2.6	2.2	2.1
Commercial ³	Thou	105.4	99.8	116.8
Live Weight/Head				
Fed. Insp.	Lbs	275	282	285
Other	Lbs	402	397	409
Commercial	Lbs	278	286	287
Hogs				
Number				
Fed. Insp.	Thou	8,372.8	7,746.2	8,945.1
Other	Thou	180.9	161.5	172.6
Commercial ³	Thou	8,553.7	7,907.7	9,117.7
Live Weight/Head				
Fed. Insp.	Lbs	259	259	259
Other	Lbs	241	240	240
Commercial	Lbs	259	259	259
Sheep and Lambs				
Number				
Fed. Insp.	Thou	260.4	290.9	410.7
Other	Thou	8.3	8.7	13.2
Commercial ³	Thou	268.7	299.5	423.9
Live Weight/Head				
Fed. Insp.	Lbs	135	136	138
Other	Lbs	101	96	103
Commercial	Lbs	134	135	137

See footnotes at end of table.

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**Livestock Slaughter: Number of Head Slaughtered and Average Live Weight
by Species and Month, United States, 1999 ¹ (continued)**

Species	Unit	Apr	May	Jun
Cattle				
Number				
Fed. Insp.	Thou	2,916.4	2,947.2	3,153.9
Other	Thou	54.6	49.6	52.8
Commercial ³	Thou	2,971.0	2,996.8	3,206.8
Live Weight/Head				
Fed. Insp.	Lbs	1,204	1,191	1,197
Other	Lbs	1,034	1,023	1,035
Commercial	Lbs	1,201	1,188	1,195
Calves				
Number				
Fed. Insp.	Thou	94.9	86.5	102.3
Other	Thou	1.9	2.9	2.4
Commercial ³	Thou	96.9	89.4	104.8
Live Weight/Head				
Fed. Insp.	Lbs	297	310	295
Other	Lbs	378	391	404
Commercial	Lbs	303	311	297
Hogs				
Number				
Fed. Insp.	Thou	8,386.2	7,302.7	8,176.2
Other	Thou	144.1	136.2	143.0
Commercial ³	Thou	8,530.2	7,438.9	8,319.2
Live Weight/Head				
Fed. Insp.	Lbs	260	260	260
Other	Lbs	235	219	228
Commercial	Lbs	260	259	259
Sheep and Lambs				
Number				
Fed. Insp.	Thou	295.0	259.6	258.6
Other	Thou	14.4	10.6	11.3
Commercial ³	Thou	309.4	270.2	270.0
Live Weight/Head				
Fed. Insp.	Lbs	137	137	132
Other	Lbs	94	98	101
Commercial	Lbs	136	135	130

See footnotes at end of table.

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**Livestock Slaughter: Number of Head Slaughtered and Average Live Weight
by Species and Month, United States, 1999 ¹ (continued)**

Species	Unit	Jul	Aug	Sep
Cattle				
Number				
Fed. Insp.	Thou	3,036.8	3,099.3	3,044.9
Other	Thou	46.1	51.0	54.1
Commercial ³	Thou	3,082.9	3,150.3	3,099.0
Live Weight/Head				
Fed. Insp.	Lbs	1,208	1,208	1,213
Other	Lbs	1,039	1,055	1,045
Commercial	Lbs	1,206	1,206	1,210
Calves				
Number				
Fed. Insp.	Thou	108.8	115.2	117.0
Other	Thou	2.1	3.0	2.8
Commercial ³	Thou	110.9	118.2	119.8
Live Weight/Head				
Fed. Insp.	Lbs	277	273	275
Other	Lbs	413	427	449
Commercial	Lbs	279	277	280
Hogs				
Number				
Fed. Insp.	Thou	7,778.2	8,255.9	8,501.0
Other	Thou	129.4	148.2	140.5
Commercial ³	Thou	7,907.6	8,404.1	8,641.4
Live Weight/Head				
Fed. Insp.	Lbs	257	254	256
Other	Lbs	221	234	235
Commercial	Lbs	256	254	255
Sheep and Lambs				
Number				
Fed. Insp.	Thou	253.3	283.0	294.1
Other	Thou	12.0	13.4	13.5
Commercial ³	Thou	265.2	296.3	307.6
Live Weight/Head				
Fed. Insp.	Lbs	133	128	128
Other	Lbs	95	100	97
Commercial	Lbs	132	127	127

See footnotes at end of table.

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**Livestock Slaughter: Number of Head Slaughtered and Average Live Weight
by Species and Month, United States, 1999 ¹ (continued)**

Species	Unit	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total ²
Cattle					
Number					
Fed. Insp.	Thou	3,033.2	2,881.5	2,814.2	35,486.3
Other	Thou	61.0	58.4	60.6	663.5
Commercial ³	Thou	3,094.2	2,939.9	2,874.8	36,149.9
Live Weight/Head					
Fed. Insp.	Lbs	1,217	1,220	1,228	1,212
Other	Lbs	1,045	1,039	1,063	1,042
Commercial	Lbs	1,214	1,216	1,225	1,210
Calves					
Number					
Fed. Insp.	Thou	101.8	100.4	109.6	1,251.4
Other	Thou	2.8	3.0	2.6	30.5
Commercial ³	Thou	104.6	103.4	112.2	1,281.9
Live Weight/Head					
Fed. Insp.	Lbs	295	296	300	288
Other	Lbs	395	439	391	409
Commercial	Lbs	298	299	302	291
Hogs					
Number					
Fed. Insp.	Thou	8,805.8	8,749.5	8,719.2	99,738.7
Other	Thou	137.4	146.2	165.5	1,805.5
Commercial ³	Thou	8,943.2	8,895.7	8,884.7	101,544.2
Live Weight/Head					
Fed. Insp.	Lbs	259	262	262	259
Other	Lbs	231	232	223	232
Commercial	Lbs	259	262	261	259
Sheep and Lambs					
Number					
Fed. Insp.	Thou	293.2	317.0	340.8	3,556.4
Other	Thou	11.7	12.8	15.1	145.0
Commercial ³	Thou	304.9	329.7	355.9	3,701.3
Live Weight/Head					
Fed. Insp.	Lbs	132	134	136	134
Other	Lbs	97	97	103	99
Commercial	Lbs	130	132	135	133

¹ Excludes slaughter on farms.

² Totals based on unrounded data.

³ Commercial may not equal the sum of the parts due to rounding.

**Livestock Slaughtered Under Federal Inspection: Number of Head
and Percentage by Classification and Month,
United States, 1999 ¹**

Classification	Months					
	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun
	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>
Cattle						
Steers	1,399	1,266	1,437	1,452	1,549	1,629
Heifers	972	925	1,011	959	906	1,029
All Cows	488	431	489	451	439	442
Dairy Cows	223	212	231	209	184	196
Other Cows	265	219	258	243	255	245
Bulls & Stags	45	43	54	53	52	55
Total ²	2,903	2,665	2,990	2,916	2,947	3,154
Hogs						
Barrows & Gilts	8,057	7,447	8,604	8,074	7,025	7,861
Sows	283	264	302	275	247	278
Stags & Boars	33	35	39	37	31	37
Total ²	8,373	7,746	8,945	8,386	7,303	8,176
Sheep						
Mature Sheep	13	13	17	17	15	17
Lambs & Yearlings	247	278	394	278	245	242
Total ²	260	291	411	295	260	259
	Percent of Total					
Cattle						
Steers	48.2	47.5	48.0	49.8	52.6	51.6
Heifers	33.5	34.7	33.8	32.9	30.8	32.6
All Cows	16.8	16.2	16.4	15.5	14.9	14.0
Dairy Cows	7.7	7.9	7.7	7.1	6.2	6.2
Other Cows	9.1	8.2	8.6	8.3	8.7	7.8
Bulls & Stags	1.5	1.6	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.7
Total ²	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Hogs						
Barrows & Gilts	96.2	96.1	96.2	96.3	96.2	96.1
Sows	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.3	3.4	3.4
Stags & Boars	0.4	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.5
Total ²	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Sheep						
Mature Sheep	4.9	4.5	4.1	5.8	5.7	6.5
Lambs & Yearlings	95.1	95.5	95.9	94.2	94.3	93.5
Total ²	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

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**Livestock Slaughtered Under Federal Inspection: Number
of Head and Percentage by Classification and Month,
United States, 1999 ¹ (continued)**

Classification	Months						Total ²
	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	
	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>
Cattle							
Steers	1,598	1,574	1,514	1,446	1,348	1,395	17,608
Heifers	961	1,004	1,009	1,030	960	882	11,648
All Cows	427	461	465	501	521	488	5,603
Dairy Cows	199	218	218	222	229	233	2,573
Other Cows	228	243	247	279	293	254	3,030
Bulls & Stags	52	60	56	56	51	50	627
Total ²	3,037	3,099	3,045	3,033	2,882	2,814	35,486
Hogs							
Barrows & Gilts	7,465	7,918	8,178	8,506	8,440	8,423	96,000
Sows	277	302	289	272	279	267	3,335
Stags & Boars	35	35	34	28	30	30	404
Total ²	7,778	8,256	8,501	8,806	8,749	8,719	99,739
Sheep							
Mature Sheep	15	16	17	15	16	17	188
Lambs & Yearlings	238	267	277	279	301	323	3,369
Total ²	253	283	294	293	317	341	3,556
	Percent of Total						
Cattle							
Steers	52.6	50.8	49.7	47.7	46.8	49.6	49.6
Heifers	31.6	32.4	33.1	34.0	33.3	31.3	32.8
All Cows	14.0	14.9	15.3	16.5	18.1	17.3	15.8
Dairy Cows	6.5	7.0	7.2	7.3	7.9	8.3	7.3
Other Cows	7.5	7.8	8.1	9.2	10.2	9.0	8.5
Bulls & Stags	1.7	1.9	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.8
Total ²	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Hogs							
Barrows & Gilts	96.0	95.9	96.2	96.6	96.5	96.6	96.3
Sows	3.6	3.7	3.4	3.1	3.2	3.1	3.3
Stags & Boars	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.4
Total ²	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Sheep							
Mature Sheep	5.9	5.7	5.7	5.0	5.1	5.1	5.3
Lambs & Yearlings	94.1	94.3	94.3	95.0	94.9	94.9	94.7
Total ²	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

¹ Species totals reported by food inspectors, Inspection Operations, FSIS.

² Totals and percentages based on unrounded data and may not equal sum of classes due to rounding.

**Cattle Slaughter: Number of Head Federally Inspected by Region,
Classification, and Month, United States, 1999**

Standard Federal Regions ¹	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun
	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>
1						
Steers	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.3
Heifers	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2
All Cows	1.0	1.1	1.2	1.1	1.1	1.2
Dairy Cows	1.0	1.0	1.2	1.1	1.0	1.0
Other Cows		0.1		0.1		0.1
Bulls & Stags	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2
Total Cattle ²	1.8	1.6	1.8	1.7	1.7	1.8
2						
Steers	1.2	1.1	1.2	1.2	1.1	1.2
Heifers	0.6	0.4	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.4
All Cows	4.3	4.3	4.8	4.6	4.2	4.7
Dairy Cows	4.1	4.0	4.5	4.5	4.0	4.6
Other Cows	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.1	0.2	0.2
Bulls & Stags	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.7	0.7	0.8
Total Cattle ²	6.7	6.4	7.1	6.9	6.4	7.2
3						
Steers	35.4	34.0	41.3	43.1	45.0	49.7
Heifers	6.1	6.5	7.5	6.8	6.6	7.0
All Cows	39.0	34.2	36.5	32.7	28.7	33.4
Dairy Cows	28.5	25.1	26.9	23.8	20.9	24.8
Other Cows	10.5	9.1	9.6	9.0	7.8	8.6
Bulls & Stags	1.5	1.8	1.6	2.1	1.9	2.3
Total Cattle ²	82.0	76.5	86.9	84.8	82.2	92.4
4						
Steers	1.4	1.7	2.0	1.4	1.3	1.1
Heifers	4.0	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.4	0.4
All Cows	66.4	61.6	77.0	75.0	71.7	59.2
Dairy Cows	24.5	24.2	27.7	26.1	22.8	23.6
Other Cows	41.9	37.4	49.3	48.9	48.9	35.6
Bulls & Stags	6.9	7.2	8.3	8.8	8.1	8.3
Total Cattle ²	78.8	70.9	87.8	85.6	81.6	69.1
5						
Steers	114.0	111.4	128.1	134.4	138.0	151.7
Heifers	52.0	43.7	54.2	50.2	52.3	49.0
All Cows	121.1	110.0	119.7	108.7	96.3	102.5
Dairy Cows	86.0	77.7	83.5	77.6	69.0	72.7
Other Cows	35.1	32.3	36.3	31.2	27.2	29.7
Bulls & Stags	7.6	8.4	10.2	9.3	8.5	10.2
Total Cattle ²	294.7	273.5	312.3	302.5	295.0	313.4

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**Cattle Slaughter: Number of Head Federally Inspected by Region,
Classification, and Month, United States, 1999 (continued)**

Standard Federal Regions ¹	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total ²
	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>
1							
Steers	0.2	0.2	0.4	0.5	0.4	0.3	3.5
Heifers	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.3	2.5
All Cows	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	0.9	1.2	13.2
Dairy Cows	1.1	1.1	1.0	1.0	0.9	1.2	12.5
Other Cows		0.1		0.1	0.1		0.7
Bulls & Stags	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	2.3
Total Cattle ²	1.6	1.7	1.8	2.0	1.8	2.1	21.5
2							
Steers	1.2	1.3	1.4	1.6	1.6	1.7	15.7
Heifers	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.5	5.4
All Cows	4.9	5.1	5.2	5.2	4.8	5.3	57.3
Dairy Cows	4.1	4.2	4.4	4.4	3.8	4.4	51.1
Other Cows	0.8	0.9	0.8	0.8	0.9	0.8	6.2
Bulls & Stags	0.8	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.9	9.3
Total Cattle ²	7.3	7.7	7.9	8.2	7.7	8.3	87.7
3							
Steers	42.2	44.9	36.9	47.7	41.2	34.6	495.9
Heifers	5.7	6.2	5.4	8.7	8.0	7.0	81.7
All Cows	38.0	40.5	39.5	41.3	39.8	44.3	447.9
Dairy Cows	27.7	29.2	28.4	29.6	28.6	31.9	325.4
Other Cows	10.4	11.2	11.1	11.6	11.3	12.4	122.6
Bulls & Stags	1.9	2.3	2.0	2.1	2.2	2.4	24.1
Total Cattle ²	87.9	93.8	83.8	99.8	91.3	88.3	1,049.6
4							
Steers	1.1	1.0	1.1	1.3	1.2	1.3	15.9
Heifers	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.4	8.3
All Cows	56.2	59.6	59.1	62.1	63.0	60.8	771.7
Dairy Cows	22.5	24.7	23.6	24.1	23.9	21.7	289.2
Other Cows	33.7	34.9	35.5	38.1	39.1	39.2	482.5
Bulls & Stags	8.4	9.2	9.3	9.9	8.7	7.9	101.1
Total Cattle ²	66.0	70.1	69.8	73.8	73.2	70.4	897.0
5							
Steers	147.4	145.6	139.6	132.9	134.1	127.8	1,604.9
Heifers	51.2	47.9	55.5	57.8	56.6	53.0	623.5
All Cows	99.7	115.0	110.6	113.7	125.1	124.3	1,346.6
Dairy Cows	71.5	81.6	79.8	81.5	90.5	92.3	963.6
Other Cows	28.1	33.4	30.9	32.2	34.6	32.0	383.0
Bulls & Stags	8.5	10.1	9.9	10.3	10.2	9.4	112.7
Total Cattle ²	306.8	318.6	315.6	314.7	326.0	314.5	3,687.7

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**Cattle Slaughter: Number of Head Federally Inspected by Region,
Classification, and Month, United States, 1999 (continued)**

Standard Federal Regions ¹	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun
	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>
6						
Steers	277.2	254.9	305.5	288.5	305.6	322.8
Heifers	193.8	169.8	186.1	201.8	197.5	215.0
All Cows	74.9	57.2	64.5	56.0	61.5	60.8
Dairy Cows	10.7	10.1	10.5	8.3	7.4	8.7
Other Cows	64.2	47.1	54.0	47.7	54.1	52.1
Bulls & Stags	14.3	12.2	16.5	15.2	16.0	13.1
Total Cattle ²	560.3	494.2	572.6	561.5	580.6	611.7
7						
Steers	702.4	619.6	696.5	716.7	761.6	798.1
Heifers	541.8	538.6	579.5	545.5	498.0	592.3
All Cows	77.6	71.0	80.6	73.5	80.6	78.5
Dairy Cows	11.4	12.3	12.2	10.2	10.7	11.4
Other Cows	66.2	58.8	68.4	63.3	69.9	67.1
Bulls & Stags	4.4	4.3	5.5	6.0	5.2	6.5
Total Cattle ²	1,326.3	1,233.5	1,362.1	1,341.7	1,345.4	1,475.4
8						
Steers	152.8	129.1	135.5	150.2	172.0	178.7
Heifers	127.0	125.1	136.2	108.2	115.0	136.7
All Cows	22.0	17.2	18.9	19.7	17.9	16.1
Dairy Cows	3.0	2.8	3.2	3.3	2.6	2.9
Other Cows	19.0	14.4	15.7	16.4	15.2	13.1
Bulls & Stags	3.8	4.0	4.8	5.0	4.6	5.6
Total Cattle ²	305.5	275.4	295.5	283.1	309.5	337.1
9						
Steers	59.6	54.9	65.5	59.4	59.3	70.4
Heifers	9.1	9.0	7.6	7.7	6.5	5.7
All Cows	49.4	46.2	53.6	52.2	49.6	52.9
Dairy Cows	41.0	41.5	46.4	42.4	35.2	35.9
Other Cows	8.4	4.7	7.2	9.8	14.4	17.0
Bulls & Stags	2.5	2.1	3.2	3.4	4.1	4.2
Total Cattle ²	120.6	112.3	129.9	122.8	119.5	133.2
10						
Steers	54.8	59.0	60.9	57.3	65.1	54.6
Heifers	37.1	31.4	38.5	38.0	29.5	21.9
All Cows	31.9	28.2	32.1	27.8	27.9	32.2
Dairy Cows	12.7	13.0	15.1	11.4	10.2	10.6
Other Cows	19.2	15.1	17.0	16.3	17.7	21.6
Bulls & Stags	3.1	2.4	2.7	2.6	3.0	4.0
Total Cattle ²	126.8	121.0	134.3	125.7	125.5	112.7

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**Cattle Slaughter: Number of Head Federally Inspected by Region,
Classification, and Month, United States, 1999 (continued)**

Standard Federal Regions ¹	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total ²
	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>
6							
Steers	326.1	294.9	308.9	265.3	241.5	260.5	3,451.6
Heifers	195.8	203.3	192.5	203.7	189.0	171.2	2,319.5
All Cows	58.7	62.0	67.8	83.3	78.3	60.4	785.4
Dairy Cows	10.4	10.6	11.1	10.2	9.8	10.3	118.1
Other Cows	48.2	51.4	56.7	73.2	68.5	50.1	667.3
Bulls & Stags	13.9	16.1	15.1	14.8	14.5	12.9	174.7
Total Cattle ²	594.5	576.3	584.2	567.1	523.3	505.0	6,731.2
7							
Steers	776.3	779.9	739.4	731.1	656.2	698.0	8,675.7
Heifers	550.8	571.1	581.3	590.7	541.3	499.2	6,630.1
All Cows	71.8	79.3	80.7	85.6	89.6	73.8	942.7
Dairy Cows	11.5	13.0	12.2	13.0	10.9	6.5	135.2
Other Cows	60.4	66.3	68.5	72.6	78.8	67.3	807.5
Bulls & Stags	5.6	6.3	6.1	5.4	4.1	4.6	64.0
Total Cattle ²	1,404.5	1,436.5	1,407.6	1,412.8	1,291.3	1,275.6	16,312.5
8							
Steers	163.1	167.2	142.5	128.2	135.4	141.6	1,796.3
Heifers	124.4	127.9	131.1	126.4	123.5	108.0	1,489.6
All Cows	15.1	15.8	17.3	17.3	19.8	23.9	220.9
Dairy Cows	2.8	2.9	3.1	3.0	2.8	5.3	37.7
Other Cows	12.3	12.8	14.3	14.2	17.0	18.6	183.1
Bulls & Stags	5.1	5.4	4.8	4.4	3.8	4.2	55.5
Total Cattle ²	307.7	316.2	295.7	276.3	282.5	277.7	3,562.2
9							
Steers	66.6	62.2	61.5	57.0	57.0	59.2	732.5
Heifers	5.9	7.9	6.9	7.3	5.8	6.9	86.3
All Cows	50.6	53.2	53.3	59.2	60.7	59.7	640.5
Dairy Cows	36.1	40.2	42.5	44.8	45.7	47.7	499.4
Other Cows	14.4	13.0	10.8	14.4	15.0	12.1	141.2
Bulls & Stags	3.4	3.8	3.3	3.5	3.3	3.4	40.1
Total Cattle ²	126.3	127.0	124.9	127.0	126.8	129.2	1,499.5
10							
Steers	73.6	77.1	82.8	80.9	79.9	70.0	816.1
Heifers	26.1	38.8	35.4	34.3	35.1	35.5	401.5
All Cows	30.4	29.9	30.6	32.5	39.1	34.1	376.7
Dairy Cows	10.9	10.9	11.7	10.7	11.7	12.2	141.2
Other Cows	19.5	19.0	18.9	21.8	27.5	21.9	235.5
Bulls & Stags	4.1	5.5	4.6	4.1	3.5	3.5	43.1
Total Cattle ²	134.2	151.3	153.5	151.7	157.7	143.1	1,637.4

¹ States included in regions are as follows: 1- CT, ME, MA, NH, RI, & VT; 2- NY & NJ; 3- DE-MD, PA, VA, & WV; 4- AL, FL, GA, KY, MS, NC, SC, & TN; 5- IL, IN, MI, MN, OH, & WI; 6- AR, LA, NM, OK, & TX; 7- IA, KS, MO, & NE; 8- CO, MT, ND, SD, UT, & WY; 9- AZ, CA, HI, & NV; 10- AK, ID, OR, & WA.

² Totals may not add due to rounding.

**Calf Slaughter: Number of Head Federally Inspected by Region,
Month, United States, 1999**

Standard Federal Regions ¹	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun
	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>
1	3.7	3.2	4.1	3.2	3.0	3.6
2	22.4	20.0	26.8	21.9	19.2	23.3
3	15.1	14.5	16.6	14.9	13.2	15.6
4	2.7	1.8	1.2	1.0	1.0	1.7
5	36.6	38.2	44.7	39.4	37.2	41.6
6	3.2	2.4	2.0	1.0	1.5	1.6
7	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
8						
9	16.5	15.6	17.1	11.7	9.9	12.9
10	2.5	1.9	1.8	1.6	1.5	2.0

See footnotes at end of table.

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**Calf Slaughter: Number of Head Federally Inspected by Region,
Month, United States, 1999 (continued)**

Standard Federal Regions ¹	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total ²
	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>
1	3.7	3.5	3.6	3.0	3.3	3.0	40.8
2	25.4	24.6	23.8	19.5	21.4	23.8	272.0
3	16.5	16.8	17.6	16.2	15.2	16.6	189.0
4	1.8	2.8	3.0	3.2	4.1	4.2	28.5
5	39.8	40.6	44.4	38.8	38.3	45.2	484.9
6	1.8	3.9	3.5	3.8	3.6	2.9	31.1
7	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	1.2
8							
9	16.8	20.1	18.8	14.8	12.3	11.5	177.9
10	2.8	2.7	2.2	2.4	2.0	2.3	26.0

¹ States included in regions are as follows: 1- CT, ME, MA, NH, RI, & VT; 2- NY & NJ; 3- DE-MD, PA, VA, & WV; 4- AL, FL, GA, KY, MS, NC, SC, & TN; 5- IL, IN, MI, MN, OH, & WI; 6- AR, LA, NM, OK, & TX; 7- IA, KS, MO, & NE; 8- CO, MT, ND, SD, UT, & WY; 9- AZ, CA, HI, & NV; 10- AK, ID, OR, & WA.

² Totals may not add due to rounding.

**Hog Slaughter: Number of Head Federally Inspected by Region,
Classification, and Month, United States, 1999**

Standard Federal Regions ¹	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun
	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>
1						
Barrows & Gilts	1.3	1.3	1.4	1.5	1.5	2.0
Sows		0.1		0.1		0.1
Stags & Boars						
Total Hogs ²	1.4	1.4	1.5	1.6	1.6	2.0
2						
Barrows & Gilts	9.9	11.9	11.3	11.2	10.7	13.2
Sows	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
Stags & Boars						
Total Hogs ²	10.0	12.0	11.5	11.4	10.8	13.4
3						
Barrows & Gilts	565.8	521.0	597.0	555.4	505.8	552.9
Sows	2.3	2.3	2.7	2.1	2.0	2.1
Stags & Boars	0.1					
Total Hogs ²	568.1	523.4	599.8	557.5	507.8	555.1
4						
Barrows & Gilts	1,235.1	1,118.6	1,296.3	1,209.0	1,110.3	1,205.3
Sows	86.5	71.4	95.3	82.5	76.7	82.7
Stags & Boars	0.9	0.8	1.5	1.3	1.1	1.3
Total Hogs ²	1,322.4	1,190.9	1,393.1	1,292.7	1,188.1	1,289.2
5						
Barrows & Gilts	1,948.9	1,842.9	2,126.7	1,976.9	1,716.3	1,938.3
Sows	103.4	102.2	111.9	109.5	99.5	114.3
Stags & Boars	7.8	8.7	9.5	8.5	6.9	8.8
Total Hogs ²	2,060.1	1,953.8	2,248.1	2,094.9	1,822.6	2,061.4

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**Hog Slaughter: Number of Head Federally Inspected by Region,
Classification, and Month, United States, 1999 (continued)**

Standard Federal Regions ¹	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total ²
	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>
1							
Barrows & Gilts	2.0	2.1	2.2	1.9	2.0	2.4	21.6
Sows	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1		0.1	0.7
Stags & Boars							0.1
Total Hogs ²	2.1	2.2	2.3	2.0	2.0	2.4	22.5
2							
Barrows & Gilts	12.3	13.5	13.1	11.1	12.4	18.0	148.7
Sows	0.1	0.6	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.1	2.0
Stags & Boars	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.8
Total Hogs ²	12.6	14.2	13.4	11.4	12.6	18.2	151.5
3							
Barrows & Gilts	522.1	550.5	548.0	587.7	618.9	603.8	6,729.0
Sows	2.2	2.3	2.4	2.3	2.7	3.0	28.3
Stags & Boars					0.1		0.4
Total Hogs ²	524.3	552.8	550.3	590.1	621.7	606.9	6,757.8
4							
Barrows & Gilts	1,140.4	1,185.6	1,184.5	1,292.0	1,321.9	1,257.9	14,556.8
Sows	77.4	91.2	87.4	83.4	87.8	90.4	1,012.6
Stags & Boars	1.4	1.4	1.5	1.6	2.4	2.5	17.6
Total Hogs ²	1,219.1	1,278.3	1,273.4	1,377.0	1,412.1	1,350.8	15,587.0
5							
Barrows & Gilts	1,869.9	2,006.6	2,100.3	2,180.0	2,122.6	2,146.0	23,975.3
Sows	100.7	79.5	72.8	64.2	67.1	68.1	1,093.0
Stags & Boars	5.7	1.2	1.2	1.5	1.6	1.5	63.0
Total Hogs ²	1,976.4	2,087.3	2,174.3	2,245.7	2,191.3	2,215.6	25,131.4

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**Hog Slaughter: Number of Head Federally Inspected by Region,
Classification, and Month, United States, 1999 (continued)**

Standard Federal Regions ¹	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun
	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>
6						
Barrows & Gilts	387.3	341.8	381.0	370.8	332.3	381.8
Sows	27.0	20.8	25.1	22.6	19.6	22.9
Stags & Boars		0.1	0.1		0.1	0.2
Total Hogs ²	414.3	362.7	406.2	393.4	352.0	405.0
7						
Barrows & Gilts	3,310.1	3,071.0	3,584.4	3,377.1	2,861.6	3,220.0
Sows	43.6	36.6	38.3	36.0	26.2	32.8
Stags & Boars	24.0	25.4	27.9	27.0	22.3	26.7
Total Hogs ²	3,377.7	3,133.0	3,650.6	3,440.1	2,910.1	3,279.5
8						
Barrows & Gilts	365.7	327.2	374.6	343.6	272.9	327.4
Sows	19.4	30.2	28.3	22.2	22.4	22.5
Stags & Boars						
Total Hogs ²	385.1	357.4	402.9	365.8	295.4	349.9
9						
Barrows & Gilts	204.7	184.0	200.1	200.4	186.0	186.1
Sows	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2
Stags & Boars						
Total Hogs ²	204.8	184.2	200.4	200.6	186.2	186.3
10						
Barrows & Gilts	28.6	27.2	30.9	27.9	27.9	34.1
Sows	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.3
Stags & Boars						
Total Hogs ²	28.9	27.4	31.2	28.2	28.1	34.4

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**Hog Slaughter: Number of Head Federally Inspected by Region,
Classification, and Month, United States, 1999 (continued)**

Standard Federal Regions ¹	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total ²
	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>
6							
Barrows & Gilts	364.3	398.3	384.1	414.1	425.5	429.6	4,611.0
Sows	23.9	27.5	30.2	26.1	27.7	26.9	300.3
Stags & Boars	0.8	0.5	1.0	1.3	1.4	1.4	6.9
Total Hogs ²	388.9	426.3	415.2	441.6	454.6	457.9	4,918.2
7							
Barrows & Gilts	3,052.4	3,239.0	3,406.0	3,463.2	3,397.4	3,376.8	39,359.1
Sows	42.9	61.7	56.4	59.5	54.3	48.1	536.4
Stags & Boars	27.3	32.0	30.0	23.3	24.0	23.9	314.0
Total Hogs ²	3,122.6	3,332.8	3,492.4	3,546.0	3,475.7	3,448.9	40,209.5
8							
Barrows & Gilts	283.4	300.5	310.4	334.0	319.8	357.9	3,917.5
Sows	29.4	38.7	39.0	35.6	39.2	29.7	356.7
Stags & Boars							0.1
Total Hogs ²	312.9	339.3	349.5	369.6	359.0	387.6	4,274.3
9							
Barrows & Gilts	187.2	187.8	195.9	189.7	185.7	197.8	2,305.4
Sows	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.1	2.2
Stags & Boars							0.2
Total Hogs ²	187.5	188.1	196.1	189.9	185.8	198.0	2,307.8
10							
Barrows & Gilts	31.6	34.3	33.7	32.2	34.3	32.8	375.1
Sows	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.2	3.2
Stags & Boars	0.1	0.1	0.1				0.5
Total Hogs ²	31.9	34.6	34.0	32.5	34.6	33.0	378.8

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**Sheep and Lamb Slaughter: Number of Head Federally Inspected by Region,
Classification, and Month, United States, 1999**

Standard Federal Regions ¹	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun
	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>
1						
Mature Sheep	0.5	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.5
Lambs & Yearlings	0.7	0.7	2.2	1.7	0.8	1.3
Total Sheep ²	1.2	1.0	2.6	2.2	1.3	1.7
2						
Mature Sheep	1.8	1.6	2.0	2.1	1.8	2.0
Lambs & Yearlings	7.3	6.3	13.6	11.4	8.7	9.2
Total Sheep ²	9.1	7.9	15.7	13.5	10.5	11.2
3						
Mature Sheep	0.8	0.4	0.8	1.5	0.6	0.7
Lambs & Yearlings	7.2	6.9	10.5	9.5	8.4	9.3
Total Sheep ²	8.0	7.3	11.2	11.1	9.0	10.1
4						
Mature Sheep	0.6	0.7	1.1	0.8	0.9	1.1
Lambs & Yearlings	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.4
Total Sheep ²	0.8	0.9	1.3	1.1	1.3	1.5
5						
Mature Sheep	3.3	3.6	4.7	4.6	4.0	5.0
Lambs & Yearlings	29.2	31.6	41.6	32.3	28.0	29.0
Total Sheep ²	32.6	35.2	46.3	36.9	32.0	34.0

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**Sheep and Lamb Slaughter: Number of Head Federally Inspected by Region,
Classification, and Month, United States, 1999 (continued)**

Standard Federal Regions ¹	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total ²
	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>
1							
Mature Sheep	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.4	0.5	0.4	5.4
Lambs & Yearlings	1.1	1.3	1.6	1.4	1.7	2.1	16.6
Total Sheep ²	1.6	1.8	2.1	1.8	2.2	2.5	22.0
2							
Mature Sheep	2.0	2.2	2.0	1.6	1.8	2.1	23.0
Lambs & Yearlings	8.4	8.9	8.8	8.6	8.2	11.3	110.7
Total Sheep ²	10.4	11.1	10.8	10.2	10.0	13.4	133.7
3							
Mature Sheep	0.6	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.5	0.6	7.7
Lambs & Yearlings	8.5	10.2	9.0	8.5	8.1	9.8	105.9
Total Sheep ²	9.1	10.6	9.4	8.8	8.6	10.4	113.6
4							
Mature Sheep	1.1	1.0	1.3	1.1	0.9	1.1	11.6
Lambs & Yearlings	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.4	4.1
Total Sheep ²	1.5	1.5	1.6	1.4	1.3	1.5	15.7
5							
Mature Sheep	4.3	4.6	4.8	4.5	4.9	5.4	53.7
Lambs & Yearlings	29.9	31.7	34.1	33.0	35.6	35.6	391.8
Total Sheep ²	34.2	36.3	38.9	37.6	40.5	41.0	445.6

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**Sheep and Lamb Slaughter: Number of Head Federally Inspected by Region,
Classification, and Month, United States, 1999 (continued)**

Standard Federal Regions ¹	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun
	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>
6						
Mature Sheep	3.9	3.8	4.4	4.3	4.3	4.1
Lambs & Yearlings	33.8	35.9	56.9	36.9	45.1	38.0
Total Sheep ²	37.7	39.7	61.3	41.2	49.5	42.0
7						
Mature Sheep	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.6	0.3	0.4
Lambs & Yearlings	40.4	47.1	60.8	40.3	37.0	42.4
Total Sheep ²	40.5	47.3	61.0	40.9	37.3	42.8
8						
Mature Sheep	1.4	2.0	2.5	2.1	1.8	2.2
Lambs & Yearlings	108.0	108.2	152.3	107.9	82.9	72.9
Total Sheep ²	109.4	110.2	154.8	110.0	84.7	75.1
9						
Mature Sheep	0.4	0.5	0.6	0.6	0.5	0.8
Lambs & Yearlings	20.2	40.3	55.2	37.0	33.0	38.6
Total Sheep ²	20.6	40.8	55.8	37.6	33.4	39.3
10						
Mature Sheep	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.2
Lambs & Yearlings	0.4	0.3	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.7
Total Sheep ²	0.5	0.4	0.7	0.6	0.6	1.0

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**Sheep and Lamb Slaughter: Number of Head Federally Inspected by Region,
Classification, and Month, United States, 1999 (continued)**

Standard Federal Regions ¹	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total ²
	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>
6							
Mature Sheep	3.4	3.7	4.1	3.8	4.1	4.9	48.9
Lambs & Yearlings	32.8	33.1	39.3	40.9	42.6	48.5	483.8
Total Sheep ²	36.2	36.8	43.5	44.7	46.7	53.4	532.6
7							
Mature Sheep	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	2.9
Lambs & Yearlings	34.0	42.8	43.0	45.7	46.0	48.7	528.1
Total Sheep ²	34.2	43.1	43.2	45.8	46.1	48.9	531.1
8							
Mature Sheep	2.0	2.4	2.2	2.0	2.1	2.2	24.8
Lambs & Yearlings	89.8	98.6	104.4	110.2	128.3	133.3	1,296.8
Total Sheep ²	91.8	100.9	106.7	112.2	130.4	135.5	1,321.6
9							
Mature Sheep	0.7	0.8	0.8	0.6	0.9	0.5	7.5
Lambs & Yearlings	32.7	38.9	36.1	29.4	29.3	32.8	423.6
Total Sheep ²	33.4	39.7	37.0	29.9	30.2	33.3	431.1
10							
Mature Sheep	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.2	2.1
Lambs & Yearlings	0.7	0.9	0.8	0.7	0.6	0.7	7.3
Total Sheep ²	0.9	1.1	1.1	0.9	0.9	0.9	9.4

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² Totals may not add due to rounding.

**Commercial Cattle Slaughter: Number of Head by Month,
State, and United States, 1999 ¹**

State	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun
	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>
AL	19.9	21.0	25.6	24.8	21.1	0.9
AK						
AZ	39.2	37.7	43.0	40.5	39.1	46.4
AR	1.9	1.9	2.2	1.8	1.6	1.8
CA	80.8	73.9	86.2	81.6	79.4	86.1
CO	230.8	207.8	217.3	210.8	234.7	252.5
DE-MD	3.0	2.8	3.3	2.8	2.7	3.0
FL	4.6	3.8	4.7	4.6	4.5	5.3
GA	28.4	25.6	33.2	32.3	32.1	35.7
HI	1.2	1.3	1.5	1.4	1.4	1.4
ID	61.7	53.9	62.2	59.4	58.3	68.7
IL	77.4	69.9	79.2	76.7	86.6	79.4
IN	3.6	3.6	3.9	3.3	2.9	3.1
IA	70.1	68.5	74.5	70.6	69.8	81.3
KS	636.0	596.1	670.8	675.4	682.8	724.9
KY	5.5	1.8	1.7	1.3	1.1	1.0
LA	2.0	2.1	2.5	2.4	1.8	1.9
MI	30.3	30.0	35.2	33.9	30.9	34.4
MN	55.6	49.7	55.5	52.6	50.1	55.4
MS	0.4	0.6	0.6	0.5	0.5	0.5
MO	7.8	7.4	8.2	7.6	6.8	7.0
MT	2.1	1.9	1.9	2.0	2.1	2.2
NE	622.0	570.7	619.4	598.0	595.0	671.8
NV	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
N ENG ²	2.1	1.8	2.0	1.9	1.9	1.9
NJ	1.9	1.8	2.0	1.8	1.8	2.2
NM	2.0	2.5	2.4	2.3	1.9	2.0
NY	5.0	4.8	5.3	5.4	4.7	5.1
NC	12.8	11.8	13.9	13.7	12.9	15.3
ND						
OH	11.5	10.8	11.4	11.2	9.9	12.8
OK	3.3	3.1	3.7	3.5	3.4	3.2
OR	1.1	1.1	1.3	1.1	1.1	1.2
PA	78.8	73.3	83.2	81.4	79.1	88.6
SC						
SD	22.5	21.4	24.4	23.7	22.6	24.3
TN	2.4	2.2	2.5	2.3	1.9	2.1
TX	559.0	495.3	572.2	562.0	582.2	612.1
UT	51.2	48.4	56.3	50.7	53.9	62.5
VA	2.3	2.1	2.1	1.3	1.2	1.5
WA	65.4	67.4	72.2	66.5	67.5	44.2
WV	1.4	1.0	0.9	0.8	0.8	0.7
WI	137.5	129.4	147.8	143.7	131.1	148.0
WY	0.7	0.5	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.5
US ³	2,961.3	2,722.5	3,050.4	2,971.0	2,996.8	3,206.8

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**Commercial Cattle Slaughter: Number of Head by Month,
State, and United States, 1999 ¹ (continued)**

State	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Year
	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>
AL	0.8	0.9	0.7	0.8	0.7	0.7	117.9
AK							
AZ	44.3	40.2	41.1	39.8	39.8	41.3	492.4
AR	1.6	1.8	1.7	1.9	1.7	1.9	21.8
CA	81.1	85.4	82.8	86.2	86.1	87.1	996.8
CO	230.4	235.0	218.2	202.8	207.4	204.9	2,652.6
DE-MD	2.6	3.2	3.0	3.2	3.1	3.0	35.9
FL	5.1	5.6	5.6	6.2	6.5	6.3	62.7
GA	33.6	34.7	34.9	37.8	38.8	36.9	404.0
HI	1.5	1.8	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5	17.5
ID	68.1	69.3	68.0	70.3	74.1	68.9	782.8
IL	90.3	87.4	91.0	89.0	90.6	78.3	995.7
IN	3.0	3.4	3.6	4.0	3.5	4.3	42.0
IA	70.7	76.3	75.5	78.0	72.7	59.6	867.5
KS	699.7	702.7	691.1	695.1	619.0	640.0	8,033.4
KY	0.9	1.0	1.4	1.8	1.7	1.8	20.9
LA	1.7	1.7	1.8	2.1	2.0	2.0	24.0
MI	32.0	30.6	30.9	30.2	30.9	32.6	381.8
MN	51.2	57.5	53.8	57.0	55.5	53.8	647.8
MS	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.3	5.6
MO	6.6	7.2	7.2	8.2	6.5	8.7	89.2
MT	2.0	2.2	1.9	2.2	2.0	2.1	24.5
NE	636.0	659.5	643.0	641.5	602.0	577.0	7,435.8
NV	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	1.0
N ENG ²	1.8	1.9	2.1	2.5	2.5	2.4	24.9
NJ	2.1	2.2	2.2	2.1	2.0	2.5	24.8
NM	2.0	2.0	2.2	2.1	1.7	1.5	24.6
NY	5.3	5.6	5.9	6.3	6.0	6.2	65.7
NC	14.7	16.5	15.8	16.6	15.5	15.0	174.4
ND							
OH	11.3	11.8	13.3	12.7	14.3	12.5	143.5
OK	2.7	3.1	3.1	3.3	2.9	3.2	38.4
OR	1.2	1.4	1.3	1.3	1.4	1.2	14.6
PA	84.5	89.6	79.8	95.9	87.4	84.5	1,006.1
SC							
SD	23.1	24.0	23.7	22.3	24.4	26.1	282.5
TN	1.9	2.1	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.5	27.8
TX	594.4	576.6	584.4	567.7	524.1	505.3	6,735.3
UT	55.6	59.0	55.9	53.4	53.5	49.3	649.6
VA	1.3	1.6	1.9	2.3	2.6	2.7	22.9
WA	66.4	82.0	85.5	81.5	83.5	74.4	856.5
WV	0.7	1.1	1.4	2.5	2.0	1.4	14.8
WI	136.6	147.2	144.2	144.5	152.9	156.6	1,719.4
WY	0.5	0.7	0.6	0.3	0.7	0.7	6.4
US ³	3,082.9	3,150.3	3,099.0	3,094.2	2,939.9	2,874.8	36,149.9

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**Commercial Cattle Slaughter: Total Live Weight by Month,
State, and United States, 1999 ¹**

State	Jan	Feb	Mar
	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>
AL	25,115	26,318	32,226
AK			
AZ	45,383	43,601	49,660
AR	1,670	1,626	1,879
CA	104,415	93,925	109,878
CO	283,202	257,533	268,002
DE-MD	3,558	3,322	4,031
FL	4,544	3,815	4,678
GA	32,024	28,955	37,401
HI	1,227	1,205	1,395
ID	76,828	66,527	77,304
IL	94,821	85,711	96,718
IN	3,777	3,829	4,108
IA	85,186	83,697	90,337
KS	771,551	716,981	799,620
KY	5,584	1,549	1,361
LA	1,482	1,703	1,846
MI	42,293	41,235	49,036
MN	73,111	67,421	76,237
MS	368	540	551
MO	9,452	9,216	9,953
MT	2,321	2,085	2,143
NE	782,854	724,480	781,579
NV	93	82	81
N ENG ²	2,181	1,990	2,170
NJ	2,279	2,038	2,185
NM	1,904	2,228	2,163
NY	5,677	5,252	5,835
NC	13,192	12,493	14,663
ND			
OH	13,036	12,064	12,917
OK	3,133	2,991	3,653
OR	1,367	1,391	1,716
PA	101,273	92,131	103,708
SC			
SD	29,788	29,328	34,156
TN	1,926	1,811	1,985
TX	644,543	571,504	657,576
UT	61,935	58,166	68,205
VA	2,116	1,989	2,037
WA	81,950	84,060	89,400
WV	1,331	937	802
WI	174,772	164,847	190,376
WY	749	608	556
US ³	3,612,644	3,324,180	3,709,209

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**Commercial Cattle Slaughter: Total Live Weight by Month,
State, and United States, 1999 ¹ (continued)**

State	Apr	May	Jun
	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>
AL	29,458	26,467	684
AK			
AZ	48,908	47,521	55,677
AR	1,586	1,399	1,602
CA	102,774	98,980	106,773
CO	253,168	274,119	300,566
DE-MD	3,470	3,376	3,740
FL	4,684	4,617	5,840
GA	36,809	36,581	40,690
HI	1,297	1,286	1,398
ID	72,248	70,137	83,810
IL	92,593	103,812	93,646
IN	3,391	2,974	3,162
IA	85,380	82,509	96,152
KS	793,825	794,313	857,692
KY	1,068	885	805
LA	1,857	1,380	1,449
MI	47,019	42,792	47,239
MN	71,838	66,784	73,695
MS	474	435	401
MO	8,904	8,141	7,817
MT	2,276	2,366	2,548
NE	741,716	725,665	818,847
NV	60	129	72
N ENG ²	2,120	2,057	2,071
NJ	2,016	1,991	2,523
NM	2,033	1,733	1,928
NY	5,978	5,294	5,610
NC	14,601	13,829	16,448
ND			
OH	11,551	10,184	14,017
OK	3,547	3,311	3,046
OR	1,543	1,418	1,777
PA	102,026	98,568	109,982
SC			
SD	33,039	30,830	32,967
TN	1,883	1,636	1,811
TX	640,172	661,479	701,630
UT	60,675	62,135	71,809
VA	1,264	1,226	1,452
WA	82,592	83,892	55,231
WV	740	770	700
WI	183,720	167,718	189,316
WY	475	477	576
US ³	3,568,896	3,559,386	3,832,344

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**Commercial Cattle Slaughter: Total Live Weight by Month,
State, and United States, 1999 ¹ (continued)**

State	Jul	Aug	Sep
	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>
AL	648	673	550
AK			
AZ	53,343	48,133	48,917
AR	1,373	1,609	1,445
CA	99,764	106,590	103,506
CO	280,365	288,263	268,109
DE-MD	3,245	3,948	3,630
FL	5,619	5,956	6,288
GA	38,149	39,262	39,343
HI	1,428	1,667	1,351
ID	84,653	86,974	85,201
IL	106,833	103,400	108,550
IN	3,157	3,611	3,752
IA	82,692	88,775	88,811
KS	842,745	847,712	834,241
KY	777	838	1,161
LA	1,305	1,405	1,512
MI	43,297	40,909	40,317
MN	67,842	75,970	71,710
MS	271	365	323
MO	7,200	7,966	7,816
MT	2,101	2,370	2,022
NE	778,017	800,409	792,418
NV	96	97	84
N ENG ²	1,954	2,123	2,226
NJ	2,389	2,541	2,533
NM	1,932	1,909	2,170
NY	5,789	6,048	6,318
NC	15,865	17,885	16,974
ND			
OH	11,789	12,524	14,270
OK	2,558	2,983	3,096
OR	1,576	1,813	1,742
PA	104,404	111,025	98,478
SC			
SD	31,793	33,183	33,565
TN	1,647	1,824	2,280
TX	689,827	669,018	677,795
UT	65,386	71,753	67,969
VA	1,198	1,560	1,778
WA	85,292	105,909	111,019
WV	688	1,067	1,230
WI	173,552	183,540	181,649
WY	531	856	669
US ³	3,717,527	3,799,015	3,750,968

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**Commercial Cattle Slaughter: Total Live Weight by Month,
State, and United States, 1999 ¹ (continued)**

State	Oct	Nov	Dec	Year
	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>
AL	626	604	596	143,964
AK				
AZ	48,544	48,874	50,348	588,908
AR	1,675	1,507	1,670	19,041
CA	107,849	108,535	108,947	1,251,937
CO	248,519	256,660	256,709	3,235,214
DE-MD	3,809	3,755	3,661	43,544
FL	6,901	6,917	6,852	66,710
GA	42,428	43,630	41,610	456,881
HI	1,336	1,333	1,371	16,295
ID	87,000	91,467	83,944	966,094
IL	107,632	110,989	95,962	1,200,667
IN	4,185	3,659	4,451	44,057
IA	92,523	87,447	73,863	1,037,371
KS	839,610	751,644	781,713	9,631,648
KY	1,471	1,404	1,494	18,399
LA	1,725	1,639	1,683	18,986
MI	40,872	42,124	45,408	522,541
MN	77,685	75,430	73,843	871,566
MS	377	467	246	4,818
MO	8,827	7,070	9,166	101,530
MT	2,341	2,083	2,498	27,154
NE	800,585	754,057	730,698	9,231,325
NV	74	75	91	1,034
N ENG ²	2,530	2,565	2,506	26,493
NJ	2,415	2,290	2,774	27,973
NM	1,926	1,601	1,470	22,997
NY	6,800	6,409	6,836	71,846
NC	17,901	16,340	16,272	186,461
ND				
OH	13,902	15,647	14,014	155,917
OK	3,340	2,770	3,185	37,614
OR	1,693	1,855	1,512	19,403
PA	119,052	108,555	105,531	1,254,731
SC				
SD	30,923	33,557	36,217	389,345
TN	2,160	2,171	2,126	23,260
TX	651,904	598,034	581,001	7,744,483
UT	65,116	64,214	58,720	776,083
VA	2,312	2,608	2,553	22,094
WA	106,115	105,267	92,928	1,083,655
WV	2,012	1,690	1,270	13,235
WI	182,954	194,199	200,152	2,186,798
WY	375	787	718	7,377
US ³	3,754,963	3,576,181	3,521,551	43,726,863

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**Commercial Cattle Slaughter: Average Live Weight by Month,
State, and United States, 1999 ¹**

State	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun
	<i>Pounds</i>	<i>Pounds</i>	<i>Pounds</i>	<i>Pounds</i>	<i>Pounds</i>	<i>Pounds</i>
AL	1,260	1,256	1,258	1,190	1,253	779
AK						
AZ	1,157	1,157	1,155	1,208	1,214	1,201
AR	864	857	860	864	870	904
CA	1,292	1,271	1,275	1,259	1,246	1,241
CO	1,227	1,239	1,233	1,201	1,168	1,190
DE-MD	1,205	1,206	1,211	1,232	1,230	1,230
FL	983	1,011	1,002	1,019	1,032	1,096
GA	1,129	1,133	1,125	1,140	1,140	1,139
HI	1,007	953	938	955	915	986
ID	1,245	1,235	1,243	1,216	1,203	1,220
IL	1,226	1,226	1,221	1,207	1,199	1,180
IN	1,056	1,076	1,049	1,043	1,038	1,034
IA	1,215	1,222	1,213	1,210	1,182	1,183
KS	1,213	1,203	1,192	1,175	1,163	1,183
KY	1,024	876	818	825	824	788
LA	756	803	746	786	754	774
MI	1,397	1,374	1,395	1,388	1,385	1,373
MN	1,316	1,358	1,373	1,366	1,333	1,330
MS	842	935	874	876	885	868
MO	1,206	1,238	1,212	1,172	1,197	1,110
MT	1,115	1,118	1,131	1,121	1,138	1,143
NE	1,259	1,269	1,262	1,240	1,220	1,219
NV	1,135	1,054	1,045	1,014	1,046	1,050
N ENG ²	1,046	1,077	1,107	1,110	1,089	1,063
NJ	1,176	1,115	1,087	1,114	1,105	1,144
NM	939	903	887	900	908	948
NY	1,129	1,095	1,102	1,112	1,119	1,091
NC	1,031	1,056	1,058	1,063	1,073	1,078
ND						
OH	1,129	1,120	1,135	1,031	1,026	1,094
OK	961	966	989	1,016	976	953
OR	1,243	1,290	1,332	1,345	1,318	1,444
PA	1,286	1,257	1,247	1,253	1,246	1,241
SC						
SD	1,326	1,369	1,402	1,391	1,365	1,359
TN	814	829	803	835	854	868
TX	1,153	1,154	1,149	1,139	1,136	1,146
UT	1,209	1,202	1,212	1,196	1,153	1,150
VA	940	953	982	959	997	981
WA	1,252	1,247	1,239	1,242	1,243	1,250
WV	923	971	882	945	945	975
WI	1,271	1,274	1,288	1,278	1,279	1,279
WY	1,099	1,150	1,165	1,157	1,166	1,104
US ³	1,220	1,221	1,216	1,201	1,188	1,195

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**Commercial Cattle Slaughter: Average Live Weight by Month,
State, and United States, 1999 ¹ (continued)**

State	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Year
	<i>Pounds</i>	<i>Pounds</i>	<i>Pounds</i>	<i>Pounds</i>	<i>Pounds</i>	<i>Pounds</i>	<i>Pounds</i>
AL	787	771	798	792	807	811	1,221
AK							
AZ	1,204	1,197	1,190	1,220	1,229	1,219	1,196
AR	872	872	867	894	871	894	874
CA	1,231	1,248	1,250	1,251	1,261	1,251	1,256
CO	1,217	1,227	1,229	1,225	1,237	1,253	1,220
DE-MD	1,225	1,218	1,211	1,208	1,198	1,204	1,214
FL	1,105	1,069	1,117	1,108	1,068	1,091	1,063
GA	1,136	1,132	1,126	1,124	1,123	1,127	1,131
HI	940	929	885	893	904	907	932
ID	1,243	1,255	1,253	1,238	1,234	1,219	1,234
IL	1,184	1,183	1,193	1,209	1,225	1,225	1,206
IN	1,050	1,063	1,048	1,046	1,045	1,038	1,049
IA	1,170	1,164	1,176	1,186	1,202	1,240	1,196
KS	1,205	1,206	1,207	1,208	1,214	1,221	1,199
KY	848	836	856	813	813	820	880
LA	768	820	822	822	828	830	792
MI	1,354	1,336	1,305	1,352	1,365	1,394	1,369
MN	1,325	1,321	1,332	1,362	1,360	1,372	1,346
MS	833	846	833	835	877	835	866
MO	1,093	1,104	1,090	1,081	1,094	1,058	1,138
MT	1,064	1,085	1,074	1,060	1,066	1,179	1,108
NE	1,223	1,214	1,232	1,248	1,253	1,266	1,241
NV	1,051	1,035	1,044	1,019	1,024	910	1,034
N ENG ²	1,079	1,090	1,057	1,003	1,031	1,046	1,063
NJ	1,119	1,141	1,146	1,125	1,121	1,129	1,127
NM	966	978	990	932	950	959	936
NY	1,092	1,076	1,069	1,076	1,074	1,103	1,094
NC	1,081	1,085	1,074	1,079	1,057	1,088	1,069
ND							
OH	1,046	1,060	1,071	1,097	1,091	1,123	1,086
OK	946	973	1,002	1,023	939	998	980
OR	1,354	1,321	1,296	1,316	1,343	1,290	1,325
PA	1,235	1,239	1,234	1,242	1,242	1,248	1,247
SC							
SD	1,377	1,383	1,416	1,384	1,378	1,385	1,378
TN	878	870	855	800	806	863	837
TX	1,161	1,160	1,160	1,148	1,141	1,150	1,150
UT	1,176	1,217	1,216	1,219	1,200	1,192	1,195
VA	926	948	922	999	1,005	962	966
WA	1,284	1,291	1,298	1,303	1,261	1,248	1,265
WV	939	946	861	812	842	890	892
WI	1,271	1,247	1,260	1,266	1,270	1,278	1,272
WY	1,144	1,206	1,161	1,215	1,142	1,078	1,145
US ³	1,206	1,206	1,210	1,214	1,216	1,225	1,210

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**Commercial Calf Slaughter: Number of Head by Month,
State, and United States, 1999 ¹**

State	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun
	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>
AL						
AK						
AZ						
AR	0.1	0.1		0.1	0.1	0.1
CA	15.0	14.1	15.8	11.3	9.9	12.6
CO						
DE-MD	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
FL						
GA						
HI						
ID						
IL	9.6	9.7	11.2	10.5	9.1	10.4
IN	5.5	7.9	9.7	8.0	8.1	10.1
IA						
KS						
KY	0.1	0.1	0.1			0.1
LA	1.4	0.9	1.0	0.7	1.2	1.1
MI	4.1	3.4	4.2	3.8	3.6	4.7
MN						
MS	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
MO	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2
MT						
NE						
NV						
N ENG ²	3.7	3.2	4.1	3.2	3.0	3.6
NJ	9.3	8.0	10.7	9.0	8.6	9.4
NM						
NY	13.1	12.0	16.2	13.0	10.6	13.9
NC						
ND						
OH	2.3	3.2	4.0	3.8	3.4	3.0
OK	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
OR						
PA	14.9	14.4	16.5	14.8	13.1	15.5
SC						
SD						
TN	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1		
TX	3.3	2.6	2.0	1.1	2.1	1.9
UT						
VA	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
WA						
WV						
WI	15.4	14.2	15.9	13.7	13.2	13.8
WY						
US ³	105.4	99.8	116.8	96.9	89.4	104.8

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**Commercial Calf Slaughter: Number of Head by Month,
State, and United States, 1999 ¹ (continued)**

State	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Year
	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>
AL							
AK							
AZ							
AR			0.1		0.2	0.3	1.0
CA	16.2	17.4	16.0	13.0	11.2	11.5	164.0
CO							
DE-MD	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	1.1
FL							
GA							
HI							
ID							
IL	8.9	9.5	10.9	9.4	9.1	11.6	119.8
IN	9.9	10.5	12.8	9.9	9.5	11.8	113.7
IA							
KS							
KY		0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.8
LA	1.1	1.7	1.8	1.4	1.2	0.9	14.2
MI	3.3	3.5	4.2	3.1	3.6	4.2	45.7
MN							
MS	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	1.1
MO	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.2	2.4
MT							
NE							
NV							
N ENG ²	3.8	3.5	3.6	3.0	3.3	3.0	40.9
NJ	8.5	9.0	9.4	8.6	9.1	10.4	109.8
NM							
NY	16.9	15.7	14.4	10.9	12.4	13.4	162.3
NC							
ND							
OH	3.8	3.8	3.7	3.5	3.4	4.6	42.5
OK	0.1		0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	1.1
OR							
PA	16.3	16.6	17.5	16.1	15.1	16.4	187.1
SC							
SD							
TN							0.6
TX	1.9	4.2	3.5	4.0	4.2	3.3	34.1
UT							
VA	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.8
WA							
WV							
WI	14.1	13.6	13.0	13.1	13.0	13.3	166.4
WY							
US ³	110.9	118.2	119.8	104.6	103.4	112.2	1,281.9

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**Commercial Calf Slaughter: Total Live Weight by Month,
State, and United States, 1999 ¹**

State	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun
	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>
AL						
AK						
AZ						
AR	28	45		27	36	26
CA	1,846	1,778	2,139	1,676	1,466	2,045
CO						
DE-MD	21	30	28	25	17	25
FL						
GA						
HI						
ID						
IL	4,077	4,062	4,673	4,425	3,744	4,254
IN	1,964	2,281	2,473	2,276	2,423	2,690
IA						
KS						
KY	31	26	28			29
LA	642	405	457	336	563	516
MI	1,028	870	1,137	1,103	1,065	1,325
MN						
MS	40	27	43	32	30	41
MO	68	67	80	71	64	59
MT						
NE						
NV						
N ENG ²	465	380	493	364	369	511
NJ	3,716	3,470	4,632	3,947	3,804	4,078
NM						
NY	1,101	1,032	1,402	1,174	1,027	1,422
NC						
ND						
OH	1,005	1,401	1,786	1,689	1,265	1,124
OK	37	44	37	36	38	33
OR						
PA	4,789	4,753	5,344	5,062	4,624	5,169
SC						
SD						
TN	29	24	24	19		
TX	1,470	1,192	1,044	556	977	933
UT						
VA	19	19	20	23	15	18
WA						
WV						
WI	5,614	5,542	6,610	5,596	5,424	5,673
WY						
US ³	29,326	28,511	33,482	29,330	27,781	31,072

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**Commercial Calf Slaughter: Total Live Weight by Month,
State, and United States, 1999 ¹ (continued)**

State	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Year
	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>
AL							
AK							
AZ							
AR			30		92	113	444
CA	2,164	2,266	2,170	1,898	1,823	1,784	23,055
CO							
DE-MD	28	29	26	28	26	34	317
FL							
GA							
HI							
ID							
IL	3,687	3,895	4,536	3,978	3,821	4,854	50,008
IN	2,750	2,812	3,253	2,838	2,862	3,595	32,216
IA							
KS							
KY		29	26	41	34	44	340
LA	533	802	869	676	579	420	6,798
MI	844	973	1,239	917	1,042	1,160	12,704
MN							
MS	35	42	37	35	61	25	448
MO	51	53	69	86	62	77	809
MT							
NE							
NV							
N ENG ²	554	542	499	400	435	402	5,414
NJ	3,638	3,932	4,092	3,751	4,011	4,587	47,657
NM							
NY	1,739	1,571	1,373	1,018	1,210	1,213	15,284
NC							
ND							
OH	1,482	1,469	1,457	1,417	1,354	1,838	17,284
OK	29		45	66	44	43	470
OR							
PA	5,113	5,113	5,410	5,333	4,883	5,377	60,972
SC							
SD							
TN							166
TX	901	1,761	1,519	1,656	1,761	1,351	15,121
UT							
VA	23	25	31	18	20	17	247
WA							
WV							
WI	5,769	5,596	5,345	5,400	5,402	5,588	67,561
WY							
US ³	30,891	32,717	33,585	31,114	30,912	33,908	372,628

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**Commercial Calf Slaughter: Average Live Weight by Month,
State, and United States, 1999 ¹**

State	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun
	<i>Pounds</i>	<i>Pounds</i>	<i>Pounds</i>	<i>Pounds</i>	<i>Pounds</i>	<i>Pounds</i>
AL						
AK						
AZ						
AR	483	492		500	463	469
CA	123	126	135	149	149	162
CO						
DE-MD	285	294	289	325	296	284
FL						
GA						
HI						
ID						
IL	425	418	417	422	413	409
IN	358	289	255	284	298	267
IA						
KS						
KY	470	430	428			450
LA	463	468	464	469	485	490
MI	250	258	268	290	299	284
MN						
MS	400	386	391	400	375	410
MO	360	372	348	369	365	320
MT						
NE						
NV						
N ENG ²	126	120	120	114	124	144
NJ	400	435	434	440	442	435
NM						
NY	84	86	87	91	97	102
NC						
ND						
OH	433	443	446	448	369	381
OK	417	462	412	442	443	450
OR						
PA	320	331	324	342	353	334
SC						
SD						
TN	321	310	316	302		
TX	446	455	516	513	473	498
UT						
VA	290	270	302	356	260	253
WA						
WV						
WI	366	389	415	409	411	411
WY						
US ³	278	286	287	303	311	297

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**Commercial Calf Slaughter: Average Live Weight by Month,
State, and United States, 1999 ¹ (continued)**

State	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Year
	<i>Pounds</i>	<i>Pounds</i>	<i>Pounds</i>	<i>Pounds</i>	<i>Pounds</i>	<i>Pounds</i>	<i>Pounds</i>
AL							
AK							
AZ							
AR			464		458	450	461
CA	134	130	136	146	163	155	141
CO							
DE-MD	275	286	305	293	307	262	290
FL							
GA							
HI							
ID							
IL	416	412	418	423	419	419	418
IN	277	267	255	286	301	305	283
IA							
KS							
KY		454	440	450	430	432	442
LA	485	482	491	479	480	476	479
MI	253	280	293	293	290	274	278
MN							
MS	438	418	411	425	436	414	410
MO	304	269	332	340	290	313	331
MT							
NE							
NV							
N ENG ²	148	156	138	132	133	133	132
NJ	427	439	435	435	443	441	434
NM							
NY	103	100	96	94	98	91	94
NC							
ND							
OH	389	389	394	399	399	399	407
OK	401		457	492	433	409	440
OR							
PA	313	308	310	332	323	328	326
SC							
SD							
TN							294
TX	479	415	434	415	419	410	444
UT							
VA	295	303	336	273	275	288	293
WA							
WV							
WI	409	410	410	413	415	420	406
WY							
US ³	279	277	280	298	299	302	291

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**Commercial Hog Slaughter: Number of Head by Month,
State, and United States, 1999 ¹**

State	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun
	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>
AL	7.3	6.8	7.8	7.4	6.5	7.8
AK						
AZ	0.7	0.6	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.5
AR						
CA	208.0	187.6	202.9	203.5	193.1	190.2
CO	2.2	2.1	2.2	1.7	1.5	1.5
DE-MD	24.3	20.8	24.3	23.0	22.1	18.3
FL	6.8	6.7	9.8	8.6	6.7	8.4
GA	25.2	19.5	21.8	18.7	18.8	20.6
HI	2.8	2.9	3.0	3.1	2.9	3.0
ID						
IL	781.6	742.5	847.4	773.8	669.0	773.5
IN	498.8	487.2	554.4	525.0	441.0	503.3
IA	2,470.4	2,325.4	2,690.1	2,544.9	2,132.8	2,403.9
KS	43.0	38.4	37.1	37.3	37.5	42.8
KY	233.0	199.0	230.8	217.8	175.8	185.5
LA	3.2	3.6	4.2	2.8	2.8	2.6
MI	10.6	9.6	10.4	9.9	9.4	10.9
MN	711.6	652.5	754.7	696.9	625.7	684.1
MS						
MO	334.1	310.8	359.7	337.4	290.3	323.5
MT	3.6	3.0	3.1	2.6	2.6	2.9
NE	551.1	476.7	582.0	534.3	460.8	520.0
NV						
N ENG ²	1.8	1.7	1.9	2.0	1.9	2.5
NJ	6.4	8.7	8.1	7.9	7.5	9.0
NM	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.1
NY	4.0	3.7	3.7	3.9	3.6	4.8
NC	827.6	757.8	886.9	822.6	772.7	839.4
ND	9.8	7.7	8.9	8.2	9.4	11.0
OH	101.2	97.5	115.7	107.6	93.0	109.6
OK	383.9	336.6	378.6	368.6	327.8	376.7
OR	14.6	14.6	16.8	14.9	14.4	18.0
PA	191.0	198.2	225.8	204.5	193.9	215.0
SC						
SD	376.2	348.6	391.5	354.7	282.7	335.9
TN	67.5	53.9	72.6	63.5	57.6	60.7
TX	29.2	27.6	30.4	29.6	28.2	27.7
UT	3.6	3.8	3.9	3.6	3.6	3.1
VA	354.3	305.7	350.7	330.7	292.4	322.2
WA						
WV	1.3	1.1	1.0	0.8	0.8	0.9
WI	34.1	34.8	40.6	42.4	38.7	42.9
WY	0.9	0.7	0.6	0.4	0.3	0.4
US ³	8,553.7	7,907.7	9,117.7	8,530.2	7,438.9	8,319.2

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**Commercial Hog Slaughter: Number of Head by Month,
State, and United States, 1999 ¹ (continued)**

State	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Year
	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>
AL	7.2	7.9	8.2	9.0	9.1	8.7	93.6
AK							
AZ	0.3	0.3	0.6	0.4	0.5	0.5	6.7
AR							
CA	191.1	191.5	199.0	192.8	188.4	202.4	2,350.4
CO	1.5	3.3	2.2	1.7	1.6	1.4	22.8
DE-MD	15.1	20.7	20.5	18.1	17.5	17.3	242.1
FL	8.6	9.6	9.0	10.2	12.3	13.1	109.7
GA	17.2	19.1	19.9	21.1	23.8	24.0	249.7
HI	3.1	2.9	3.0	2.9	2.9	3.6	36.0
ID							
IL	756.8	797.6	830.9	850.5	829.2	830.0	9,482.7
IN	484.2	519.0	532.8	543.0	540.0	552.6	6,181.3
IA	2,297.7	2,428.0	2,581.7	2,621.5	2,550.5	2,509.3	29,556.1
KS	42.4	44.3	42.2	42.8	41.6	39.4	488.8
KY	175.9	194.2	192.2	203.3	202.0	195.7	2,405.0
LA	2.3	2.1	2.4	2.9	3.5	4.3	36.7
MI	10.7	12.0	10.4	10.1	9.8	10.3	124.3
MN	643.6	673.4	713.3	754.2	731.6	742.5	8,384.1
MS							
MO	302.9	334.9	333.7	341.5	346.6	354.0	3,969.5
MT	2.6	2.7	2.1	2.0	2.5	2.2	31.8
NE	491.3	538.4	547.1	551.4	548.0	555.4	6,356.3
NV							
N ENG ²	2.6	2.8	3.0	2.9	3.1	3.1	29.2
NJ	8.4	9.1	8.7	7.4	9.3	13.5	104.0
NM	0.1	0.5	0.5	0.7	0.2	0.2	3.3
NY	4.5	5.4	5.2	4.4	3.6	5.0	52.1
NC	794.3	818.5	798.1	895.1	920.9	873.1	10,007.1
ND	10.9	12.0	13.6	12.8	12.7	12.6	129.6
OH	102.2	112.0	113.3	110.9	108.4	119.0	1,290.3
OK	355.3	388.9	376.4	402.8	412.5	416.8	4,524.9
OR	16.9	18.7	17.6	16.2	18.0	16.9	197.6
PA	204.3	220.0	225.6	230.1	240.5	248.1	2,597.1
SC							
SD	298.7	322.1	331.6	353.3	342.2	370.1	4,107.6
TN	58.7	70.1	67.7	62.7	66.0	69.8	770.8
TX	27.6	34.3	32.5	33.9	40.1	41.2	382.5
UT	3.1	4.2	4.7	4.3	5.0	6.3	49.1
VA	305.5	312.7	305.0	342.6	364.7	342.9	3,929.4
WA							
WV	0.9	1.2	1.1	1.1	1.4	1.2	12.8
WI	40.6	42.3	39.6	33.9	31.2	32.5	453.7
WY	0.4	1.2	0.7	0.3	0.5	0.5	6.9
US ³	7,907.6	8,404.1	8,641.4	8,943.2	8,895.7	8,884.7	101,544.2

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**Commercial Hog Slaughter: Total Live Weight by Month,
State, and United States, 1999 ¹**

State	Jan	Feb	Mar
	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>
AL	3,748	2,856	3,338
AK			
AZ	146	119	142
AR			
CA	45,028	39,782	43,395
CO	575	529	565
DE-MD	5,562	4,942	5,698
FL	1,243	1,340	1,855
GA	6,973	5,541	6,173
HI	582	563	612
ID			
IL	205,941	196,812	224,085
IN	126,316	123,573	141,105
IA	644,535	605,925	700,124
KS	12,775	11,520	10,820
KY	60,965	51,552	60,204
LA	707	833	899
MI	3,716	3,300	3,675
MN	184,826	168,925	195,573
MS			
MO	87,228	80,307	92,126
MT	844	686	700
NE	141,975	122,599	151,010
NV			
N ENG ²	458	432	496
NJ	626	889	791
NM	38	58	39
NY	730	669	672
NC	201,486	183,544	215,702
ND	2,368	1,831	2,218
OH	26,711	25,253	29,804
OK	101,275	89,549	101,421
OR	3,787	3,770	4,347
PA	47,007	48,602	55,099
SC			
SD	97,256	91,938	102,927
TN	29,288	23,566	31,634
TX	9,315	8,892	10,071
UT	656	664	708
VA	86,056	74,500	86,530
WA			
WV	506	324	345
WI	13,070	13,901	16,424
WY	225	179	155
US ³	2,215,150	2,044,799	2,362,701

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**Commercial Hog Slaughter: Total Live Weight by Month,
State, and United States, 1999 ¹ (continued)**

State	Apr	May	Jun
	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>
AL	3,051	2,717	3,323
AK			
AZ	129	137	99
AR			
CA	44,166	41,537	40,371
CO	447	388	388
DE-MD	5,379	5,289	4,398
FL	1,609	1,249	1,501
GA	5,236	5,361	5,837
HI	618	572	611
ID			
IL	205,241	177,059	205,692
IN	134,135	112,557	127,561
IA	665,180	555,532	627,784
KS	11,282	11,297	12,860
KY	56,642	45,620	47,969
LA	576	563	544
MI	3,696	3,549	3,988
MN	180,977	161,905	176,637
MS			
MO	86,651	74,461	81,712
MT	588	607	727
NE	138,504	119,504	134,939
NV			
N ENG ²	525	512	639
NJ	779	728	884
NM	37	35	32
NY	709	658	878
NC	201,236	190,509	206,676
ND	1,988	2,274	2,672
OH	27,837	24,333	28,270
OK	98,461	87,402	99,888
OR	3,973	3,581	4,456
PA	49,882	47,114	52,095
SC			
SD	92,472	74,448	87,696
TN	27,691	25,136	26,442
TX	9,954	8,768	9,573
UT	642	655	649
VA	81,847	72,171	79,582
WA			
WV	228	242	242
WI	17,458	15,997	17,802
WY	90	80	98
US ³	2,216,052	1,929,425	2,156,831

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**Commercial Hog Slaughter: Total Live Weight by Month,
State, and United States, 1999 ¹ (continued)**

State	Jul	Aug	Sep
	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>
AL	3,013	3,401	3,534
AK			
AZ	66	51	106
AR			
CA	40,708	40,177	41,475
CO	384	855	552
DE-MD	3,656	4,728	4,693
FL	1,458	1,714	1,461
GA	4,952	5,449	5,707
HI	650	620	605
ID			
IL	196,549	201,713	210,003
IN	121,164	128,629	132,604
IA	592,819	619,890	663,045
KS	12,135	12,293	12,384
KY	45,387	49,439	49,230
LA	471	458	498
MI	3,989	4,257	3,787
MN	163,770	170,251	182,999
MS			
MO	75,676	83,318	83,975
MT	666	698	526
NE	125,836	136,362	140,058
NV			
N ENG ²	648	701	762
NJ	817	889	860
NM	30	106	114
NY	702	852	826
NC	193,679	198,381	194,708
ND	2,602	2,856	3,230
OH	26,316	28,817	29,229
OK	92,902	98,980	96,459
OR	4,004	4,683	4,452
PA	48,589	52,472	54,551
SC			
SD	78,082	84,298	87,565
TN	25,588	30,886	29,813
TX	9,288	11,609	11,361
UT	601	730	791
VA	75,099	75,360	74,775
WA			
WV	258	339	335
WI	16,689	16,880	16,055
WY	99	301	166
US ³	2,025,988	2,132,256	2,207,612

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**Commercial Hog Slaughter: Total Live Weight by Month,
State, and United States, 1999 ¹ (continued)**

State	Oct	Nov	Dec	Year
	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>
AL	3,935	3,873	3,688	40,476
AK				
AZ	81	65	80	1,220
AR				
CA	41,275	40,725	44,115	502,754
CO	447	412	359	5,901
DE-MD	4,014	4,261	4,254	56,874
FL	1,783	2,097	2,138	19,448
GA	6,265	7,786	7,380	72,659
HI	608	590	736	7,366
ID				
IL	217,622	215,503	213,909	2,470,129
IN	137,658	139,093	142,015	1,566,409
IA	684,628	672,379	661,024	7,692,865
KS	12,883	12,379	11,855	144,484
KY	52,865	52,961	51,524	624,359
LA	601	670	771	7,590
MI	3,906	3,897	3,969	45,730
MN	196,552	192,266	194,723	2,169,403
MS				
MO	86,916	89,624	91,076	1,013,069
MT	515	629	581	7,767
NE	143,280	143,291	146,040	1,643,399
NV				
N ENG ²	770	838	776	7,555
NJ	743	896	1,242	10,144
NM	150	39	34	714
NY	753	596	1,054	9,100
NC	221,313	230,719	218,097	2,456,050
ND	3,051	2,915	3,096	31,100
OH	28,818	28,689	30,925	335,002
OK	106,588	111,755	113,577	1,198,256
OR	4,024	4,530	4,027	49,635
PA	56,054	59,136	60,319	630,921
SC				
SD	93,247	91,472	97,748	1,079,149
TN	27,593	29,198	30,577	337,411
TX	10,422	12,440	13,314	125,006
UT	758	817	997	8,668
VA	85,948	92,110	86,529	970,508
WA				
WV	337	434	382	3,970
WI	14,017	13,239	13,600	185,133
WY	77	133	115	1,719
US ³	2,316,042	2,328,982	2,320,418	26,256,256

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**Commercial Hog Slaughter: Average Live Weight by Month,
State, and United States, 1999 ¹**

State	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun
	<i>Pounds</i>	<i>Pounds</i>	<i>Pounds</i>	<i>Pounds</i>	<i>Pounds</i>	<i>Pounds</i>
AL	516	418	426	415	421	426
AK						
AZ	211	188	198	196	183	180
AR						
CA	216	212	214	217	215	212
CO	259	257	261	258	258	258
DE-MD	229	237	235	234	239	240
FL	183	199	190	188	186	178
GA	277	284	283	280	284	283
HI	205	196	203	199	197	206
ID						
IL	263	265	264	265	265	266
IN	253	254	255	256	255	253
IA	261	261	260	261	260	261
KS	297	300	292	302	302	300
KY	262	259	261	260	260	259
LA	221	230	213	204	204	207
MI	352	342	352	375	377	365
MN	260	259	259	260	259	258
MS						
MO	261	258	256	257	256	253
MT	237	229	228	225	237	253
NE	258	257	259	259	259	260
NV						
N ENG ²	252	259	261	265	266	261
NJ	98	103	98	98	97	99
NM	210	211	213	212	217	218
NY	181	179	180	181	181	183
NC	243	242	243	245	247	246
ND	242	239	248	243	243	244
OH	264	259	258	259	262	258
OK	264	266	268	267	267	265
OR	260	259	259	267	248	248
PA	246	245	244	244	243	242
SC						
SD	259	264	263	261	263	261
TN	434	437	436	436	437	436
TX	319	322	331	336	310	345
UT	183	175	183	178	184	206
VA	243	244	247	248	247	247
WA						
WV	381	304	341	290	301	281
WI	384	400	405	412	413	414
WY	244	256	249	255	253	253
US ³	259	259	259	260	259	259

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**Commercial Hog Slaughter: Average Live Weight by Month,
State, and United States, 1999 ¹ (continued)**

State	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Year
	<i>Pounds</i>	<i>Pounds</i>	<i>Pounds</i>	<i>Pounds</i>	<i>Pounds</i>	<i>Pounds</i>	<i>Pounds</i>
AL	417	432	432	436	428	423	432
AK							
AZ	202	147	179	186	139	150	182
AR							
CA	213	210	208	214	216	218	214
CO	258	256	256	263	257	260	258
DE-MD	242	228	229	222	243	246	235
FL	169	179	162	175	171	163	177
GA	288	286	287	297	327	307	291
HI	213	210	205	209	205	207	204
ID							
IL	260	253	253	256	260	258	260
IN	250	248	249	254	258	257	253
IA	258	255	257	261	264	263	260
KS	286	278	293	301	298	301	296
KY	258	255	256	260	262	263	260
LA	207	214	205	210	192	179	207
MI	371	353	364	386	397	384	368
MN	254	253	257	261	263	262	259
MS							
MO	250	249	252	255	259	257	255
MT	254	254	254	256	256	264	244
NE	256	253	256	260	262	263	259
NV							
N ENG ²	252	249	258	268	267	252	259
NJ	97	97	99	100	96	92	98
NM	213	216	214	217	224	211	215
NY	154	157	159	170	166	210	175
NC	244	242	244	247	251	250	245
ND	239	237	238	239	229	245	240
OH	258	257	258	260	265	260	260
OK	262	254	256	265	271	272	265
OR	236	250	253	248	252	238	251
PA	238	238	242	244	246	243	243
SC							
SD	261	262	264	264	267	264	263
TN	436	440	441	440	442	438	438
TX	336	339	349	307	310	323	327
UT	191	175	170	178	164	159	177
VA	246	241	245	251	253	252	247
WA							
WV	294	283	300	296	307	308	309
WI	411	399	405	413	424	419	408
WY	246	249	247	262	258	251	251
US ³	256	254	255	259	262	261	259

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**Commercial Sheep and Lamb Slaughter: Number of Head by Month,
State, and United States, 1999 ¹**

State	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun
	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>
AL						
AK						
AZ	0.1		0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
AR						
CA						
CO	107.9	107.8	151.8	106.9	81.6	71.1
DE-MD						
FL						
GA	0.3	0.2	0.5	0.4	0.3	0.4
HI						
ID	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3
IL						
IN	1.8	1.9	3.3	3.5	2.7	3.0
IA	40.1	46.8	60.2	40.4	36.7	41.8
KS	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.2
KY	0.4	0.5	0.6	0.6	0.8	0.9
LA	0.2	0.3	0.5	0.2	0.2	0.2
MI	15.3	16.7	21.4	16.5	15.1	17.7
MN						
MS						
MO						
MT	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.3
NE	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1
NV						
N ENG ²	1.3	1.2	2.7	2.4	1.4	1.8
NJ	7.7	6.7	10.7	10.0	8.6	9.2
NM	2.8	3.3	3.6	3.8	3.0	2.8
NY	1.4	1.2	5.0	3.6	1.9	2.0
NC	0.2	0.1	0.3	0.1	0.1	0.1
ND			0.1			
OH	0.5	0.3	0.7	1.3	0.5	0.8
OK			0.1	0.1	0.1	0.3
OR	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.4	0.5	0.9
PA	5.1	4.8	7.7	7.6	6.2	6.9
SC						
SD	0.1	0.3	0.4	0.9	1.2	1.6
TN	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.3
TX	37.0	38.8	60.3	41.2	50.3	42.1
UT	1.8	2.5	3.0	2.6	2.2	2.7
VA	1.2	1.1	1.2	1.0	0.9	1.0
WA	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
WV						
WI	0.6	0.5	0.8	0.7	0.6	0.9
WY	0.1	0.1	0.1		0.1	0.1
US ³	268.7	299.5	423.9	309.4	270.2	270.0

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**Commercial Sheep and Lamb Slaughter: Number of Head by Month,
State, and United States, 1999 ¹ (continued)**

State	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Year
	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>
AL							
AK							
AZ			0.1	0.1		0.1	0.9
AR							
CA							
CO	88.5	96.7	103.5	108.9	126.8	131.9	1,283.6
DE-MD							
FL							
GA	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.7	4.5
HI							
ID	0.3	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.4	4.0
IL							
IN	3.2	3.4	3.2	2.8	3.2	3.9	35.9
IA	33.4	42.0	42.1	44.8	45.0	47.5	520.9
KS	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.2	2.3
KY	0.9	0.8	1.0	0.8	0.7	0.7	8.6
LA	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	2.8
MI	18.3	18.9	19.4	18.2	18.8	18.2	214.6
MN							
MS							
MO							
MT	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.3	3.5
NE	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.1	1.5
NV							
N ENG ²	1.7	2.0	2.4	2.2	2.6	2.8	24.4
NJ	8.7	9.0	8.9	8.6	8.2	10.7	106.9
NM	2.7	2.7	2.8	2.5	2.6	2.3	34.9
NY	1.7	2.2	1.9	1.7	1.9	2.7	27.3
NC	0.1		0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	1.3
ND	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.8
OH	0.8	1.4	1.1	0.8	0.8	0.8	9.9
OK	0.4	0.5	0.4	0.5	0.3	0.4	3.1
OR	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	7.2
PA	6.1	7.2	6.1	5.4	4.9	6.7	74.7
SC							
SD	1.1	1.8	0.9	1.2	1.4	1.2	12.1
TN	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.5	3.7
TX	36.0	36.2	42.9	44.5	47.2	56.2	532.6
UT	2.7	3.0	3.0	2.6	2.8	2.9	31.6
VA	0.9	1.1	1.3	1.2	1.2	1.0	13.0
WA	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.1	1.7
WV							
WI	1.1	1.3	1.1	0.9	0.8	0.9	10.4
WY	0.1	0.3	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	1.5
US ³	265.2	296.3	307.6	304.9	329.7	355.9	3,701.3

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**Commercial Sheep and Lamb Slaughter: Total Live Weight
by Month, State, and United States, 1999 ¹**

State	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun
	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>
AL						
AK						
AZ	7		14	16	9	7
AR						
CA						
CO	15,493	15,668	22,411	16,097	11,982	10,353
DE-MD						
FL						
GA	25	19	59	43	39	41
HI						
ID	33	25	40	32	30	36
IL						
IN	177	182	339	332	282	290
IA	5,726	6,658	8,982	6,205	5,427	5,546
KS	12	27	29	17	15	18
KY	61	62	79	92	122	123
LA	17	40	53	19	15	20
MI	1,943	2,180	2,771	2,061	1,923	2,201
MN						
MS						
MO						
MT	31	24	25	24	29	33
NE	11	10	20	10	7	14
NV						
N ENG ²	129	116	269	218	142	187
NJ	708	620	933	834	769	824
NM	334	402	426	449	361	337
NY	157	146	489	313	207	227
NC	15	14	24	10	11	10
ND			7			
OH	48	37	67	119	50	88
OK			15	17	11	34
OR	46	46	67	58	65	102
PA	528	513	803	666	527	649
SC						
SD	14	41	51	115	145	186
TN	14	18	28	20	20	21
TX	4,719	5,002	7,849	5,345	6,542	5,580
UT	216	297	362	307	260	322
VA	116	111	117	100	89	94
WA	9	11	13	13	11	16
WV						
WI	70	67	108	89	67	101
WY	12	14	12		7	17
US ³	35,941	40,513	57,919	41,958	36,433	35,154

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**Commercial Sheep and Lamb Slaughter: Total Live Weight
by Month, State, and United States, 1999 ¹ (continued)**

State	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Year
	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>
AL							
AK							
AZ			16	5		6	94
AR							
CA							
CO	13,309	13,369	13,955	15,302	17,966	19,194	185,099
DE-MD							
FL							
GA	30	38	40	25	31	63	456
HI							
ID	42	72	56	45	39	44	494
IL							
IN	314	335	323	275	330	416	3,595
IA	4,355	5,477	5,687	6,096	6,259	6,706	73,125
KS	24	31	27	21	31	17	269
KY	122	104	127	108	85	79	1,165
LA	17	19	20	20	12	13	264
MI	2,237	2,375	2,407	2,211	2,258	2,263	26,830
MN							
MS							
MO							
MT	39	54	51	48	44	43	446
NE	13	17	18	15	20	8	162
NV							
N ENG ²	168	205	247	225	262	274	2,442
NJ	799	840	856	799	785	1,015	9,782
NM	324	321	333	296	308	273	4,163
NY	200	244	223	182	200	242	2,831
NC	7		5	9	9	7	125
ND	10	10	14	11	7	10	95
OH	83	163	121	103	99	103	1,080
OK	42	56	47	56	30	43	359
OR	88	86	93	83	88	85	907
PA	575	673	570	510	468	677	7,159
SC							
SD	121	203	102	142	155	147	1,424
TN	23	33	25	19	29	40	292
TX	4,591	4,567	5,513	5,777	6,216	7,516	69,216
UT	321	358	356	311	333	350	3,794
VA	90	111	132	120	120	100	1,302
WA	18	23	23	20	23	15	195
WV							
WI	120	156	123	111	96	100	1,208
WY	18	40	25	6	13	17	187
US ³	34,937	37,514	39,084	39,769	43,583	47,899	490,705

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**Commercial Sheep and Lamb Slaughter: Average Live Weight
by Month, State, and United States, 1999 ¹**

State	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun
	<i>Pounds</i>	<i>Pounds</i>	<i>Pounds</i>	<i>Pounds</i>	<i>Pounds</i>	<i>Pounds</i>
AL						
AK						
AZ	124		128	114	96	82
AR						
CA						
CO	144	145	148	151	147	146
DE-MD						
FL						
GA	89	81	120	117	123	114
HI						
ID	117	106	126	119	118	123
IL						
IN	97	98	103	96	103	98
IA	143	142	149	154	148	133
KS	111	108	118	117	112	121
KY	149	132	124	145	160	140
LA	95	118	110	94	90	92
MI	127	131	130	125	127	124
MN						
MS						
MO						
MT	127	126	130	130	129	127
NE	94	101	117	120	92	121
NV						
N ENG ²	101	100	98	90	102	103
NJ	92	93	87	84	90	90
NM	121	121	119	119	120	120
NY	109	118	97	88	108	111
NC	87	97	95	88	94	92
ND			124			
OH	103	106	98	89	106	105
OK			117	145	127	116
OR	129	129	130	131	134	119
PA	103	106	105	88	85	94
SC						
SD	111	130	140	126	119	117
TN	76	88	89	79	84	61
TX	128	129	130	130	130	133
UT	120	121	120	120	120	120
VA	99	104	98	98	100	97
WA	108	96	101	94	96	131
WV						
WI	120	123	129	127	117	108
WY	133	130	133		138	122
US ³	134	135	137	136	135	130

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**Commercial Sheep and Lamb Slaughter: Average Live Weight
by Month, State, and United States, 1999 ¹ (continued)**

State	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Year
	<i>Pounds</i>	<i>Pounds</i>	<i>Pounds</i>	<i>Pounds</i>	<i>Pounds</i>	<i>Pounds</i>	<i>Pounds</i>
AL							
AK							
AZ			110	87		106	106
AR							
CA							
CO	150	138	135	141	142	145	144
DE-MD							
FL							
GA	83	100	97	84	97	95	101
HI							
ID	126	131	126	126	124	120	123
IL							
IN	98	98	102	97	102	106	100
IA	130	130	135	136	139	141	140
KS	114	122	122	118	115	110	116
KY	139	129	133	130	131	120	136
LA	77	76	83	92	78	76	94
MI	122	125	124	121	120	124	125
MN							
MS							
MO							
MT	128	121	130	130	128	126	128
NE	106	101	120	102	124	97	109
NV							
N ENG ²	98	102	102	104	102	99	100
NJ	92	94	96	93	96	95	91
NM	119	119	118	119	118	119	119
NY	115	113	116	110	107	89	104
NC	104		91	104	105	102	95
ND	120	129	127	123	117	129	126
OH	110	114	106	125	119	126	109
OK	116	115	114	113	112	112	116
OR	124	124	127	125	124	124	126
PA	94	94	94	94	95	101	96
SC							
SD	112	115	116	116	107	121	117
TN	71	84	82	73	83	85	80
TX	128	126	128	130	132	134	130
UT	120	120	119	120	120	120	120
VA	100	101	100	100	101	102	100
WA	132	132	132	128	128	116	118
WV							
WI	106	116	112	118	114	115	116
WY	136	121	120	109	116	139	126
US ³	132	127	127	130	132	135	133

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**Federally Inspected Slaughter: Number of Head, By State
and United States, January 1999 ¹**

State	Cattle							Calves
	Total ²	Steers	Heifers	Cows			Bulls and Stags	
				All ²	Dairy	Other		
	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000
AL	19.1			18.7	4.4	14.3	0.4	
AK								
AZ	39.0	37.2	1.4	0.3	0.3			
AR	1.4	0.3	0.2	0.8	0.1	0.7	0.1	
CA	80.4	22.1	7.5	48.5	40.6	7.9	2.4	14.8
CO	230.1	121.2	108.4	0.4	0.3	0.1	0.1	
DE-MD	2.9	2.1	0.6	0.2	0.2			0.1
FL	4.6	0.5	0.2	3.7	0.9	2.7	0.3	
GA	26.9	0.2		23.8	4.3	19.5	2.9	
HI	1.2	0.2	0.2	0.6	0.1	0.5	0.1	
ID	60.6	27.4	11.0	20.0	6.1	13.9	2.1	
IL	74.3	39.2	35.1					9.5
IN	0.4	0.3	0.1	0.1	0.1			5.5
IA	68.8	26.1	22.4	19.4	7.8	11.7	0.9	
KS	632.4	363.9	266.9	1.5	0.2	1.3	0.1	
KY	4.0	0.3	3.6					
LA								
MI	28.2	18.4	0.9	8.8	6.3	2.5	0.1	4.0
MN	52.5	9.0	5.7	33.5	17.3	16.2	4.2	
MS								
MO	4.9	1.2	0.6	2.7	0.6	2.1	0.4	0.1
MT	0.7	0.2	0.2	0.1		0.1	0.1	
NE	620.2	311.3	251.9	53.9	2.9	51.0	3.0	
NV	0.1							
N ENG ³	1.8	0.3	0.2	1.0	1.0		0.2	3.7
NJ	1.9	0.6	0.2	0.8	0.7	0.1	0.3	9.3
NM	1.7	0.3	0.2	1.2	1.0	0.2		
NY	4.7	0.6	0.4	3.5	3.4	0.1	0.3	13.1
NC	11.8	0.1	0.1	9.4	4.7	4.7	2.2	
ND								
OH	5.2	0.4	0.3	3.9	2.3	1.7	0.6	2.2
OK								
OR								
PA	78.2	33.2	5.4	38.2	28.1	10.2	1.4	14.9
SC								
SD	20.7	2.0	0.5	15.7	1.2	14.5	2.4	
TN	1.4	0.3	0.1	0.9	0.2	0.6	0.1	
TX	556.1	276.6	193.4	72.0	9.2	62.9	14.2	2.8
UT	50.2	29.1	17.7	2.8	1.1	1.7	0.6	
VA	0.8	0.1	0.1	0.6	0.2	0.3		0.1
WA	65.4	26.8	25.9	11.8	6.5	5.3	0.9	
WV	0.1							
WI	134.2	46.8	9.9	74.8	60.0	14.8	2.7	15.3
WY								
US ⁴	2,903.5	1,399.1	971.8	487.6	222.8	264.8	45.0	102.7

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**Federally Inspected Slaughter: Number of Head, By State
and United States, January 1999 ¹ (continued)**

State	Hogs				Sheep		
	Total ²	Barrows & Gilts	Sows	Stags & Boars	Total ²	Mature Sheep	Lambs & Yearlings
	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>
AL	6.0	0.1	5.1	0.8			
AK							
AZ							
AR							
CA	201.6	201.6	0.1				
CO	1.3	1.2	0.1		107.8		107.8
DE-MD	24.1	24.1					
FL	6.8	6.3	0.4				
GA	15.3	12.1	3.2				
HI	2.8	2.8					
ID					0.1		0.1
IL	746.0	673.8	65.0	7.2			
IN	490.8	490.8			1.5	1.1	0.4
IA	2,466.7	2,406.5	36.1	24.0	39.8	0.1	39.7
KS	35.9	28.7	7.2				
KY	229.1	222.2	6.9		0.4	0.3	0.1
LA	0.1	0.1					
MI	8.6	3.8	4.8		15.0	1.9	13.1
MN	704.6	704.6					
MS							
MO	327.8	327.6	0.2				
MT	1.8	1.7	0.1		0.1		
NE	547.4	547.3	0.1				
NV							
N ENG ³	1.4	1.3			1.2	0.5	0.7
NJ	6.3	6.2	0.1		7.7	1.2	6.5
NM					2.2	1.6	0.6
NY	3.7	3.6			1.4	0.6	0.8
NC	815.3	807.6	7.7		0.1		0.1
ND	8.5	8.5					
OH	85.2	75.1	10.2				
OK	381.4	374.6	6.8				
OR	14.4	14.2	0.2		0.2	0.1	0.2
PA	190.5	190.0	0.5		5.1	0.5	4.6
SC							
SD	371.1	351.9	19.2				
TN	66.7	4.8	61.8		0.2	0.1	0.1
TX	14.7	7.6	7.1		35.4	2.2	33.1
UT					1.5	1.3	0.2
VA	353.2	351.6	1.6		0.9	0.1	0.8
WA					0.1		0.1
WV	0.2	0.1	0.1				
WI	24.8	0.9	23.3	0.6			
WY							
US ⁴	8,372.8	8,057.2	282.7	32.9	260.4	12.9	247.5

¹ Accumulated totals based on unrounded data.

² Totals may not add due to rounding.

³ N ENG includes CT, ME, MA, NH, RI, and VT.

⁴ States with no data printed are still included in the US total. Data not printed to avoid disclosing individual operation.

**Federally Inspected Slaughter: Number of Head, By State
and United States, February 1999 ¹**

State	Cattle							Calves
	Total ²	Steers	Heifers	Cows			Bulls and Stags	
				All ²	Dairy	Other		
	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000
AL	19.9			19.4	5.3	14.1	0.5	
AK								
AZ	37.5	34.7	2.3	0.4	0.4			
AR	1.3	0.3	0.2	0.8	0.1	0.7	0.1	
CA	73.5	19.9	6.5	45.1	40.9	4.1	2.0	14.0
CO	207.1	100.9	105.9	0.3	0.2	0.1	0.1	
DE-MD	2.7	2.0	0.5	0.2	0.2			0.1
FL	3.8	0.8	0.1	2.6	0.9	1.7	0.2	
GA	24.1	0.1		20.6	4.2	16.5	3.3	
HI	1.3	0.3	0.2	0.7	0.2	0.6	0.1	
ID	52.8	25.2	7.8	18.3	7.4	10.9	1.4	
IL	66.7	36.3	30.4					9.7
IN	0.5	0.3	0.1					
IA	67.3	23.2	23.7	19.5	7.8	11.7	1.0	
KS	592.5	316.1	275.3	1.0	0.2	0.8	0.1	
KY	0.4	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1			
LA								
MI	27.9	20.2	0.4	7.2	5.5	1.7	0.1	3.3
MN	47.1	9.4	3.0	29.9	14.9	14.9	4.8	
MS								
MO	4.8	1.2	0.6	2.5	0.7	1.8	0.5	0.1
MT	0.6	0.2	0.2	0.1		0.1	0.1	
NE	568.8	279.0	239.0	48.1	3.6	44.5	2.7	
NV	0.1							
N ENG ³	1.6	0.2	0.2	1.1	1.0	0.1	0.2	3.2
NJ	1.8	0.5	0.2	0.8	0.8	0.1	0.3	8.0
NM	2.0	0.3	0.2	1.5	1.1	0.4		
NY	4.6	0.6	0.3	3.4	3.2	0.2	0.3	12.0
NC	10.9	0.1	0.1	8.6	3.9	4.6	2.1	
ND								
OH	5.0	0.3	0.2	3.9	2.3	1.5	0.6	3.1
OK								
OR								
PA	72.9	31.9	5.9	33.4	24.6	8.8	1.7	14.3
SC								
SD	19.7	1.6	0.8	13.9	1.3	12.6	3.3	
TN	1.3	0.3		0.8	0.3	0.5	0.1	
TX	489.9	254.3	169.4	54.2	8.5	45.7	12.0	2.1
UT	47.7	26.3	18.1	2.8	1.2	1.6	0.5	
VA	0.8	0.1	0.1	0.6	0.3	0.3	0.1	0.1
WA	67.4	33.1	23.5	9.8	5.6	4.2	0.9	
WV								
WI	126.4	44.9	9.6	69.0	54.9	14.1	2.9	14.2
WY								
US ⁴	2,665.2	1,265.9	925.2	430.8	211.6	219.2	43.2	97.6

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**Federally Inspected Slaughter: Number of Head, By State
and United States, February 1999 ¹ (continued)**

State	Hogs				Sheep		
	Total ²	Barrows & Gilts	Sows	Stags & Boars	Total ²	Mature Sheep	Lambs & Yearlings
	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000
AL	5.5	0.1	4.6	0.8			
AK							
AZ							
AR							
CA	181.0	180.8	0.1				
CO	1.2	1.1	0.1		107.7		107.7
DE-MD	20.7	20.7					
FL	6.7	6.4	0.3				
GA	10.7	8.2	2.5				
HI	2.9	2.9					
ID					0.1		0.1
IL	709.5	636.8	64.3	8.3			
IN	478.8	478.8			1.7	1.2	0.5
IA	2,322.1	2,266.9	29.7	25.4	46.6	0.2	46.4
KS	32.5	26.0	6.5				
KY	197.0	192.2	4.8		0.5	0.4	
LA	0.1	0.1					
MI	7.6	3.2	4.3	0.1	16.4	1.9	14.5
MN	646.6	646.6					
MS							
MO	305.2	304.9	0.2				
MT	1.2	1.2					
NE	473.3	473.2	0.1				
NV							
N ENG ³	1.4	1.3	0.1		1.0	0.3	0.7
NJ	8.6	8.5	0.1		6.7	1.0	5.7
NM					2.7	2.0	0.7
NY	3.4	3.4			1.2	0.6	0.6
NC	746.8	738.3	8.5		0.1		0.1
ND	7.0	6.9					
OH	85.1	76.8	8.3				
OK	333.8	329.2	4.6				
OR	14.4	14.2	0.2		0.2	0.1	0.1
PA	197.7	197.1	0.5		4.8	0.3	4.5
SC							
SD	345.4	315.4	30.0		0.2		0.2
TN	53.1	4.1	49.0		0.2	0.1	0.1
TX	15.1	7.6	7.4	0.1	37.0	1.8	35.2
UT					2.2	2.0	0.3
VA	304.8	303.2	1.6		0.9	0.1	0.8
WA					0.1		0.1
WV	0.2		0.1				
WI	26.1	0.6	25.2	0.4			
WY							
US ⁴	7,746.2	7,447.0	264.0	35.2	290.9	13.2	277.6

¹ Accumulated totals based on unrounded data.

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³ N ENG includes CT, ME, MA, NH, RI, and VT.

⁴ States with no data printed are still included in the US total. Data not printed to avoid disclosing individual operation.

**Federally Inspected Slaughter: Number of Head, By State
and United States, March 1999 ¹**

State	Cattle							Calves
	Total ²	Steers	Heifers	Cows			Bulls and Stags	
				All ²	Dairy	Other		
	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000
AL	24.5			23.9	4.7	19.2	0.6	
AK								
AZ	42.7	39.2	2.3	1.3	1.3			
AR	1.6	0.3	0.2	1.0	0.1	0.9	0.1	
CA	85.6	26.0	5.1	51.4	44.9	6.5	3.0	15.7
CO	216.5	105.7	110.1	0.6	0.5	0.1	0.1	
DE-MD	3.3	2.6	0.5	0.2	0.2			0.1
FL	4.7	1.0	0.1	3.3	1.1	2.2	0.3	
GA	31.5	0.2	0.1	27.4	5.3	22.1	3.8	
HI	1.5	0.3	0.2	0.9	0.2	0.7	0.1	
ID	61.1	29.3	9.4	20.6	8.3	12.3	1.7	
IL	75.7	39.0	36.6					11.1
IN	0.5	0.3	0.1					9.7
IA	72.8	25.6	26.8	19.4	7.7	11.6	0.9	
KS	666.4	370.5	294.6	1.1	0.1	1.0	0.1	
KY	0.5	0.3	0.1					
LA								
MI	33.0	23.9	0.3	8.6	6.4	2.2	0.1	4.2
MN	52.8	9.9	4.4	32.6	15.6	17.0	5.9	
MS								
MO	5.4	1.2	0.8	2.8	0.6	2.2	0.5	0.1
MT	0.6	0.3	0.2	0.1		0.1	0.1	
NE	617.5	299.1	257.2	57.3	3.7	53.6	4.0	
NV	0.1							
N ENG ³	1.8	0.2	0.2	1.2	1.2		0.2	4.1
NJ	2.0	0.7	0.2	0.8	0.7	0.1	0.3	10.7
NM	2.1	0.3	0.2	1.4	1.2	0.2		
NY	5.1	0.5	0.3	4.0	3.8	0.2	0.3	16.1
NC	12.7	0.1	0.1	10.0	5.1	4.9	2.5	
ND								
OH	5.7	0.4	0.2	4.5	2.4	2.1	0.7	3.8
OK								
OR								
PA	82.8	38.6	6.9	35.8	26.5	9.3	1.5	16.5
SC								
SD	22.4	2.0	1.1	15.3	1.3	14.0	4.0	
TN	1.6	0.3	0.1	1.1	0.3	0.9	0.1	
TX	568.0	304.8	185.6	61.3	8.8	52.5	16.4	1.5
UT	55.5	27.4	24.6	2.9	1.3	1.5	0.6	
VA	0.8	0.1	0.1	0.5	0.2	0.3		0.1
WA	72.1	30.9	29.0	11.4	6.7	4.6	0.9	
WV	0.1							
WI	144.7	54.6	12.5	74.0	58.9	15.1	3.5	15.9
WY								
US ⁴	2,990.2	1,436.7	1,010.7	489.0	231.0	258.0	53.8	114.7

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**Federally Inspected Slaughter: Number of Head, By State
and United States, March 1999 ¹ (continued)**

State	Hogs				Sheep		
	Total ²	Barrows & Gilts	Sows	Stags & Boars	Total ²	Mature Sheep	Lambs & Yearlings
	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000
AL	6.5	0.1	5.2	1.2			
AK							
AZ							
AR							
CA	197.0	196.8	0.1				
CO	1.3	1.2	0.1		151.8		151.8
DE-MD	24.2	24.2					
FL	9.8	9.4	0.3				
GA	12.1	9.0	3.1				
HI	3.0	3.0					
ID					0.2		0.2
IL	809.8	734.9	65.8	9.1			
IN	546.2	546.2			2.9	1.6	1.2
IA	2,686.3	2,627.0	31.4	27.9	59.7	0.1	59.6
KS	31.7	25.1	6.5				
KY	229.2	222.0	6.9	0.3	0.6	0.6	
LA	0.1	0.1					
MI	8.6	3.3	5.2	0.1	21.1	2.6	18.5
MN	748.5	748.5					
MS							
MO	354.3	354.1	0.2				
MT	1.4	1.4			0.1		0.1
NE	578.3	578.2	0.1				
NV							
N ENG ³	1.5	1.4			2.6	0.4	2.2
NJ	8.1	8.0	0.1		10.7	1.4	9.3
NM					2.7	2.0	0.7
NY	3.4	3.3			5.0	0.6	4.4
NC	873.7	862.9	10.7	0.1	0.2		0.1
ND	8.5	8.4					
OH	102.7	93.2	9.4				
OK	374.0	366.8	7.2				
OR	16.6	16.4	0.2		0.4	0.1	0.3
PA	225.4	224.7	0.7		7.6	0.4	7.2
SC							
SD	388.9	360.9	28.1		0.2		0.2
TN	72.1	5.0	67.1		0.3	0.2	0.1
TX	15.1	8.2	6.9	0.1	58.4	2.3	56.1
UT					2.7	2.5	0.3
VA	350.0	348.2	1.8		1.0	0.1	0.9
WA					0.1		0.1
WV	0.2		0.1				
WI	32.3	0.6	31.4	0.3			
WY							
US ⁴	8,945.1	8,603.8	302.2	39.1	410.7	16.8	393.9

¹ Accumulated totals based on unrounded data.

² Totals may not add due to rounding.

³ N ENG includes CT, ME, MA, NH, RI, and VT.

⁴ States with no data printed are still included in the US total. Data not printed to avoid disclosing individual operation.

**Federally Inspected Slaughter: Number of Head, By State
and United States, April 1999 ¹**

State	Cattle							Calves
	Total ²	Steers	Heifers	Cows			Bulls and Stags	
				All ²	Dairy	Other		
	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000
AL	23.8			23.1	4.6	18.5	0.7	
AK								
AZ	40.3	32.8	2.2	5.2	5.2			
AR	1.4	0.2	0.2	0.9		0.8	0.1	
CA	81.1	26.3	5.3	46.2	36.9	9.3	3.3	11.0
CO	210.0	120.7	88.5	0.8	0.7	0.1	0.1	
DE-MD	2.8	2.0	0.5	0.2	0.2			0.1
FL	4.6	0.6	0.2	3.4	0.8	2.6	0.4	
GA	30.7	0.2		26.6	4.0	22.6	3.9	
HI	1.4	0.3	0.2	0.8	0.3	0.5	0.1	
ID	58.3	26.6	13.0	17.3	5.9	11.4	1.5	
IL	73.6	40.4	33.2					10.4
IN	0.4	0.3	0.1					8.0
IA	69.2	26.6	24.6	16.9	6.8	10.2	1.0	
KS	671.3	384.0	285.9	1.3	0.1	1.2	0.1	
KY	0.3	0.2	0.1					
LA								
MI	31.8	19.0	3.0	9.7	7.5	2.2	0.1	3.7
MN	49.9	16.5	3.0	25.8	12.3	13.5	4.6	
MS								
MO	5.1	1.0	0.8	2.9	0.4	2.4	0.5	0.1
MT	0.6	0.2	0.2	0.1		0.1	0.1	
NE	596.1	305.0	234.2	52.4	2.9	49.5	4.5	
NV	0.1							
N ENG ³	1.7	0.2	0.2	1.1	1.1	0.1	0.2	3.2
NJ	1.8	0.6	0.2	0.8	0.7	0.1	0.3	9.0
NM	2.0	0.5	0.3	1.1	1.0	0.1	0.1	
NY	5.1	0.6	0.3	3.8	3.7		0.5	12.9
NC	13.0	0.1	0.1	10.1	5.8	4.2	2.7	
ND								
OH	5.8	0.4	0.2	4.5	2.5	1.9	0.7	3.7
OK								
OR								
PA	81.2	41.0	6.3	32.0	23.4	8.6	2.0	14.8
SC								
SD	22.1	1.3	0.9	15.8	1.3	14.5	4.1	
TN	1.6	0.3	0.1	1.2	0.3	0.9	0.1	
TX	557.3	287.7	201.3	53.3	6.9	46.4	15.0	0.7
UT	50.0	27.8	18.5	3.0	1.3	1.7	0.6	
VA	0.8	0.1	0.1	0.6	0.2	0.4	0.1	0.1
WA	66.4	30.2	24.9	10.4	5.5	4.9	1.0	
WV								
WI	141.0	57.8	10.6	68.8	55.2	13.5	3.8	13.6
WY								
US ⁴	2,916.4	1,452.4	959.4	451.3	208.5	242.8	53.3	94.9

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**Federally Inspected Slaughter: Number of Head, By State
and United States, April 1999 ¹ (continued)**

State	Hogs				Sheep		
	Total ²	Barrows & Gilts	Sows	Stags & Boars	Total ²	Mature Sheep	Lambs & Yearlings
	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000
AL	6.2	0.1	4.9	1.2			
AK							
AZ							
AR							
CA	197.2	197.1	0.1				
CO	1.0	0.9	0.1		106.9		106.9
DE-MD	22.9	22.9					
FL	8.6	8.2	0.4				
GA	10.8	8.3	2.5				
HI	3.1	3.1					
ID					0.1		0.1
IL	741.1	674.9	58.1	8.1			
IN	519.2	519.2			2.8	1.6	1.1
IA	2,542.3	2,485.9	29.5	27.0	40.2	0.5	39.7
KS	33.1	26.9	6.2				
KY	216.8	210.1	6.8		0.6	0.6	
LA	0.1	0.1					
MI	8.1	2.8	5.2	0.1	16.3	2.5	13.8
MN	693.1	693.0					
MS							
MO	333.4	333.2	0.2				
MT	1.0	1.0					
NE	531.3	531.1	0.1				
NV							
N ENG ³	1.6	1.5	0.1		2.2	0.5	1.7
NJ	7.9	7.8	0.1		10.0	1.3	8.6
NM					2.8	2.0	0.8
NY	3.5	3.5			3.6	0.8	2.8
NC	810.2	802.3	7.9		0.1		0.1
ND	7.9	7.8					
OH	96.6	86.7	10.0				
OK	365.3	359.0	6.3				
OR	14.7	14.5	0.2		0.3	0.1	0.2
PA	204.2	203.7	0.5		7.5	0.6	6.9
SC							
SD	353.0	331.0	22.1		0.8		0.8
TN	63.1	4.4	58.7		0.2	0.1	0.1
TX	13.4	6.6	6.8		38.3	2.3	36.1
UT					2.3	2.0	0.2
VA	330.3	328.8	1.5		1.0	0.3	0.7
WA					0.1		0.1
WV	0.1		0.1				
WI	36.9	0.4	36.2	0.3			
WY							
US ⁴	8,386.2	8,073.9	275.4	36.9	295.0	17.1	277.9

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³ N ENG includes CT, ME, MA, NH, RI, and VT.

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**Federally Inspected Slaughter: Number of Head, By State
and United States, May 1999 ¹**

State	Cattle							Calves
	Total ²	Steers	Heifers	Cows			Bulls and Stags	
				All ²	Dairy	Other		
	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000
AL	20.2			19.8	2.5	17.3	0.5	
AK								
AZ	38.9	32.6	1.4	5.0	5.0			
AR	1.2	0.2	0.1	0.7		0.7	0.1	
CA	79.0	26.3	5.0	43.7	30.1	13.6	3.9	9.6
CO	234.1	140.1	93.3	0.6	0.5	0.1	0.1	
DE-MD	2.7	2.0	0.5	0.2	0.2			0.1
FL	4.5	0.5	0.1	3.6	0.9	2.6	0.3	
GA	31.0	0.1	0.1	27.2	3.6	23.7	3.5	
HI	1.4	0.3	0.2	0.8	0.1	0.7	0.1	
ID	57.2	29.2	8.8	17.3	5.1	12.2	1.9	
IL	84.1	46.6	37.5					9.0
IN	0.4	0.2	0.1					8.1
IA	68.5	25.6	21.6	20.2	8.1	12.1	1.1	
KS	679.0	399.5	277.9	1.5	0.1	1.5	0.1	
KY	0.3	0.2	0.1	0.1		0.1		
LA								
MI	28.9	18.4	2.7	7.6	6.2	1.4	0.1	3.5
MN	47.6	14.9	3.4	25.1	12.6	12.5	4.2	
MS								
MO	4.6	0.9	0.6	2.7	0.4	2.3	0.4	0.1
MT	0.6	0.2	0.2	0.1		0.1	0.1	
NE	593.3	335.6	197.9	56.2	2.2	54.0	3.6	
NV	0.1	0.1						
N ENG ³	1.7	0.2	0.2	1.1	1.0		0.2	3.0
NJ	1.8	0.6	0.2	0.7	0.6	0.1	0.3	8.6
NM	1.6	0.3	0.3	1.0	0.9	0.1		
NY	4.6	0.5	0.2	3.4	3.4		0.4	10.6
NC	12.3	0.1		9.3	4.8	4.5	2.9	
ND								
OH	5.7	0.4	0.2	4.4	2.3	2.1	0.7	3.3
OK								
OR								
PA	78.8	42.9	6.0	28.0	20.5	7.5	1.8	13.1
SC								
SD	21.3	2.4	0.9	14.3	1.1	13.2	3.8	
TN	1.5	0.3	0.1	1.0	0.3	0.7	0.1	
TX	577.0	305.0	197.0	59.2	6.1	53.0	15.9	1.0
UT	53.2	29.2	20.5	2.8	1.0	1.9	0.6	
VA	0.6	0.1	0.1	0.4	0.1	0.3		0.1
WA	67.4	35.4	20.5	10.5	5.1	5.4	1.0	
WV								
WI	128.3	57.5	8.4	59.0	47.8	11.2	3.5	13.2
WY								
US ⁴	2,947.2	1,549.2	906.4	439.3	183.9	255.4	52.3	86.5

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**Federally Inspected Slaughter: Number of Head, By State
and United States, May 1999 ¹ (continued)**

State	Hogs				Sheep		
	Total ²	Barrows & Gilts	Sows	Stags & Boars	Total ²	Mature Sheep	Lambs & Yearlings
	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000
AL	5.4	0.1	4.3	1.0			
AK							
AZ							
AR							
CA	182.8	182.7	0.1				
CO	0.9	0.8	0.1		81.5		81.5
DE-MD	22.1	22.1					
FL	6.7	6.4	0.4				
GA	10.7	8.0	2.7				
HI	2.9	2.9					
ID					0.1		0.1
IL	637.7	578.4	52.8	6.5			
IN	436.1	436.1			2.2	1.4	0.9
IA	2,130.4	2,088.1	20.0	22.3	36.5	0.3	36.2
KS	33.9	27.8	6.0				
KY	175.0	169.5	5.5		0.8	0.7	
LA	0.1	0.1					
MI	7.7	2.8	4.8	0.1	14.9	2.5	12.4
MN	623.1	623.0					
MS							
MO	287.8	287.7	0.1				
MT	1.0	1.0					
NE	458.1	458.0					
NV							
N ENG ³	1.6	1.5			1.3	0.5	0.8
NJ	7.5	7.4	0.1		8.6	1.1	7.5
NM					2.4	1.8	0.6
NY	3.4	3.3			1.9	0.7	1.2
NC	759.4	749.6	9.8		0.1		0.1
ND	9.2	9.1					
OH	84.6	75.5	9.2				
OK	325.8	321.1	4.7				
OR	14.2	14.1	0.2		0.3	0.1	0.3
PA	193.6	193.1	0.4		6.2	0.3	5.9
SC							
SD	281.7	259.4	22.2		1.1		1.1
TN	57.3	4.5	52.8		0.2		0.2
TX	12.3	6.5	5.8	0.1	47.0	2.5	44.5
UT					2.0	1.7	0.2
VA	292.0	290.5	1.4		0.8	0.1	0.7
WA					0.1		0.1
WV	0.1		0.1				
WI	33.4	0.4	32.7	0.3			
WY							
US ⁴	7,302.7	7,025.2	246.9	30.5	259.6	14.8	244.7

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**Federally Inspected Slaughter: Number of Head, By State
and United States, June 1999 ¹**

State	Cattle							Calves
	Total ²	Steers	Heifers	Cows			Bulls and Stags	
				All ²	Dairy	Other		
	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000
AL								
AK								
AZ	46.2	41.5	1.1	3.5	3.5			
AR	1.3	0.3	0.1	0.9	0.1	0.8	0.1	
CA	85.5	28.6	4.3	48.6	32.3	16.3	4.0	12.4
CO	251.8	144.3	106.8	0.6	0.5	0.1	0.1	
DE-MD	3.0	2.3	0.4	0.3	0.3			0.1
FL	5.3	0.4	0.1	4.5	1.5	3.0	0.3	
GA	34.6	0.1	0.1	30.6	3.9	26.6	3.9	
HI	1.4	0.3	0.2	0.8	0.1	0.7	0.2	
ID	67.5	36.2	8.1	20.5	5.5	15.0	2.8	
IL	76.6	42.2	34.4					10.4
IN	0.4	0.2	0.1					10.1
IA	79.8	33.5	24.3	20.8	8.3	12.5	1.2	
KS	721.2	390.2	329.5	1.4	0.1	1.2	0.1	
KY	0.3	0.2	0.1					
LA								
MI	32.4	24.8	1.4	6.1	3.9	2.2	0.1	4.6
MN	52.9	16.6	4.9	26.3	13.0	13.3	5.2	
MS								
MO	4.6	1.1	0.5	2.6	0.4	2.2	0.4	0.1
MT	0.7	0.3	0.2	0.1		0.1	0.1	
NE	669.8	373.3	238.0	53.8	2.5	51.3	4.8	
NV	0.1	0.1						
N ENG ³	1.8	0.3	0.2	1.2	1.0	0.1	0.2	3.6
NJ	2.2	0.7	0.2	0.9	0.8	0.1	0.3	9.4
NM	1.8	0.3	0.2	1.2	1.0	0.2		
NY	5.0	0.5	0.2	3.8	3.8		0.5	13.9
NC	14.5	0.1	0.1	11.4	6.3	5.1	3.0	
ND								
OH	6.0	0.3	0.2	4.8	2.6	2.2	0.6	2.8
OK								
OR								
PA	88.4	47.2	6.5	32.5	24.4	8.2	2.2	15.5
SC								
SD	22.6	3.6	2.1	12.1	1.2	10.9	4.8	
TN	1.7	0.3	0.1	1.2	0.3	0.9	0.1	
TX	607.8	322.1	214.6	58.1	7.2	50.9	13.0	1.3
UT	61.7	30.4	27.6	3.1	1.2	1.9	0.6	
VA	0.9	0.1	0.1	0.7	0.2	0.5	0.1	0.1
WA	44.1	17.8	13.7	11.6	5.0	6.6	1.1	
WV								
WI	145.0	67.5	8.1	65.3	53.2	12.1	4.2	13.8
WY								
US ⁴	3,153.9	1,628.7	1,028.6	441.6	196.3	245.3	55.1	102.3

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**Federally Inspected Slaughter: Number of Head, By State
and United States, June 1999 ¹ (continued)**

State	Hogs				Sheep		
	Total ²	Barrows & Gilts	Sows	Stags & Boars	Total ²	Mature Sheep	Lambs & Yearlings
	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000
AL	6.7	0.1	5.3	1.2			
AK							
AZ							
AR							
CA	183.0	182.9	0.2				
CO	1.0	0.9	0.1		71.1		71.1
DE-MD	18.3	18.3					
FL	8.4	8.0	0.4				
GA	11.5	8.3	3.2				
HI	3.0	2.9					
ID					0.2		0.1
IL	740.5	669.2	63.0	8.4			
IN	497.9	497.9			2.4	1.6	0.8
IA	2,401.4	2,348.5	26.2	26.7	41.5	0.4	41.1
KS	39.5	33.1	6.5				
KY	184.9	178.7	6.2		0.9	0.8	0.1
LA	0.1	0.1					
MI	9.3	3.8	5.4	0.1	17.4	2.9	14.5
MN	681.6	681.6					
MS							
MO	320.7	320.7	0.1				
MT	1.3	1.3			0.1		0.1
NE	517.9	517.8	0.1				
NV							
N ENG ³	2.0	2.0	0.1		1.7	0.5	1.3
NJ	8.9	8.8	0.1		9.2	1.3	7.9
NM					2.2	1.6	0.5
NY	4.5	4.4			2.0	0.7	1.3
NC	825.4	815.2	10.2				
ND	10.7	10.7	0.1				
OH	95.7	85.4	10.2				
OK	374.3	368.9	5.4				
OR	17.8	17.6	0.2		0.7	0.2	0.5
PA	214.7	214.2	0.5		6.8	0.6	6.2
SC							
SD	334.6	312.5	22.1		1.4		1.4
TN	60.5	4.7	55.8		0.3		0.3
TX	14.7	7.4	7.0	0.2	39.6	2.4	37.2
UT					2.4	2.1	0.3
VA	321.9	320.4	1.5		0.9	0.1	0.8
WA					0.1		0.1
WV	0.2		0.1				
WI	36.4	0.5	35.6	0.3			
WY							
US ⁴	8,176.2	7,861.0	278.0	37.2	258.6	16.9	241.7

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**Federally Inspected Slaughter: Number of Head, By State
and United States, July 1999 ¹**

State	Cattle							Calves
	Total ²	Steers	Heifers	Cows			Bulls and Stags	
				All ²	Dairy	Other		
	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000
AL								
AK								
AZ	44.2	39.4	1.1	3.6	3.6			
AR	1.2	0.2	0.1	0.8		0.7	0.1	
CA	80.6	26.9	4.4	46.1	32.4	13.6	3.2	16.0
CO	229.8	128.6	100.8	0.3	0.2	0.1	0.1	
DE-MD	2.6	2.0	0.4	0.2	0.2			0.1
FL	5.1	0.4	0.1	4.2	0.8	3.4	0.3	
GA	32.6	0.1		28.6	4.1	24.4	3.8	
HI	1.5	0.2	0.3	0.9	0.1	0.8	0.1	
ID	67.0	33.8	10.7	19.5	5.7	13.8	3.0	
IL	87.4	51.0	36.4					8.8
IN	0.3	0.2	0.1					9.9
IA	69.1	28.2	20.8	18.9	8.1	10.9	1.0	
KS	696.7	402.2	293.3	1.1	0.1	1.0	0.1	
KY	0.3	0.2	0.1	0.1		0.1		
LA								
MI	30.1	22.8	2.0	5.1	3.6	1.5	0.1	3.2
MN	48.9	15.2	4.0	25.3	12.6	12.7	4.4	
MS								
MO	4.6	1.2	0.6	2.4	0.5	1.9	0.4	0.1
MT	0.7	0.4	0.2	0.1		0.1	0.1	
NE	634.2	344.7	236.1	49.4	2.8	46.6	4.0	
NV	0.1	0.1						
N ENG ³	1.6	0.2	0.1	1.1	1.1		0.2	3.7
NJ	2.1	0.7	0.2	0.9	0.9	0.1	0.3	8.5
NM	1.6	0.2	0.1	1.3	1.1	0.2		
NY	5.2	0.5	0.2	4.0	3.3	0.7	0.5	16.9
NC	14.1	0.1		11.0	5.9	5.1	3.1	
ND								
OH	6.3	0.3	0.2	5.2	2.9	2.2	0.6	3.7
OK								
OR								
PA	84.4	40.1	5.3	37.1	27.2	9.9	1.8	16.3
SC								
SD	21.8	2.7	2.5	12.1	1.4	10.8	4.4	
TN	1.5	0.2	0.1	1.1	0.3	0.8	0.1	
TX	590.9	325.7	195.5	56.0	8.9	47.1	13.8	1.5
UT	55.0	31.2	20.8	2.5	1.2	1.3	0.4	
VA	0.8	0.1		0.6	0.2	0.4	0.1	0.1
WA	66.3	39.2	15.3	10.8	5.2	5.7	1.0	
WV								
WI	133.8	57.7	8.6	64.0	52.4	11.6	3.5	14.1
WY								
US ⁴	3,036.8	1,597.7	960.7	426.5	198.7	227.8	51.9	108.8

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**Federally Inspected Slaughter: Number of Head, By State
and United States, July 1999 ¹ (continued)**

State	Hogs				Sheep		
	Total ²	Barrows & Gilts	Sows	Stags & Boars	Total ²	Mature Sheep	Lambs & Yearlings
	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000
AL	6.3		5.0	1.2			
AK							
AZ							
AR							
CA	184.1	183.9	0.2				
CO	1.0	0.9	0.1		88.5		88.4
DE-MD	15.1	15.1					
FL	8.6	8.3	0.2	0.1			
GA	10.3	7.7	2.6				
HI	3.1	3.0	0.1				
ID					0.2		0.2
IL	723.5	664.2	53.9	5.4			
IN	477.8	477.8			2.4	1.4	0.9
IA	2,295.2	2,230.8	37.0	27.3	33.1	0.2	32.9
KS	38.6	32.8	5.7				
KY	175.5	168.9	6.6		0.9	0.8	0.1
LA	0.1	0.1					
MI	9.1	4.0	5.1	0.1	18.1	2.8	15.3
MN	641.3	641.2					
MS							
MO	299.8	299.7	0.1				
MT	1.3	1.2			0.1		0.1
NE	489.0	489.0					
NV							
N ENG ³	2.1	2.0	0.1		1.6	0.4	1.1
NJ	8.3	8.2	0.1	0.1	8.7	1.3	7.4
NM					2.0	1.5	0.5
NY	4.2	4.2	0.1		1.7	0.7	1.0
NC	783.8	776.8	7.0				
ND	10.7	10.6	0.1				
OH	91.6	82.2	9.4				
OK	353.7	348.9	4.8				
OR	16.7	16.6	0.1		0.6	0.1	0.4
PA	203.9	203.5	0.4		6.1	0.4	5.6
SC							
SD	297.5	268.3	29.2		0.9		0.9
TN	58.6	3.9	54.7		0.3		0.3
TX	16.8	7.7	8.4	0.8	33.9	1.8	32.1
UT					2.2	2.0	0.3
VA	305.1	303.5	1.6		0.8	0.1	0.7
WA					0.1		0.1
WV	0.2		0.1				
WI	33.1	0.6	32.2	0.3			
WY							
US ⁴	7,778.2	7,465.5	277.3	35.5	253.3	14.9	238.4

¹ Accumulated totals based on unrounded data.

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³ N ENG includes CT, ME, MA, NH, RI, and VT.

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**Federally Inspected Slaughter: Number of Head, By State
and United States, August 1999 ¹**

State	Cattle							Calves
	Total ²	Steers	Heifers	Cows			Bulls and Stags	
				All ²	Dairy	Other		
	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000
AL								
AK								
AZ	40.1	35.1	1.1	3.8	3.8			
AR	1.3	0.3	0.1	0.9	0.1	0.8	0.1	
CA	85.0	26.7	6.5	48.3	36.3	12.0	3.6	17.2
CO	234.3	127.7	106.2	0.3	0.3		0.1	
DE-MD	3.2	2.5	0.4	0.3	0.3			0.1
FL	5.6	0.3	0.1	4.8	1.0	3.8	0.4	
GA	33.9	0.1		29.2	4.6	24.6	4.5	
HI	1.8	0.3	0.3	1.1	0.1	1.0	0.1	
ID	68.2	31.4	14.4	18.8	5.6	13.3	3.6	
IL	84.3	49.4	34.9					9.4
IN	0.4	0.3	0.1					10.5
IA	74.5	30.1	22.8	20.5	9.2	11.3	1.1	
KS	699.4	400.7	297.0	1.4	0.2	1.3	0.2	
KY	0.3	0.2	0.1					
LA								
MI	28.7	21.3	2.0	5.3	3.6	1.8	0.1	3.4
MN	54.9	15.7	4.3	29.6	13.7	15.8	5.4	
MS								
MO	5.1	1.1	0.4	3.1	0.6	2.5	0.4	0.1
MT	0.9	0.6	0.1	0.1		0.1	0.1	
NE	657.6	347.9	250.9	54.2	3.1	51.1	4.6	
NV	0.1	0.1						
N ENG ³	1.7	0.2	0.2	1.1	1.1	0.1	0.2	3.5
NJ	2.2	0.8	0.2	1.0	0.8	0.1	0.3	9.0
NM	1.6	0.1	0.1	1.4	1.3	0.1	0.1	
NY	5.5	0.6	0.2	4.1	3.4	0.8	0.6	15.7
NC	15.9	0.1		12.4	6.9	5.5	3.4	
ND								
OH	6.5	0.4	0.2	5.4	3.0	2.3	0.5	3.7
OK								
OR								
PA	89.4	42.3	5.7	39.3	28.6	10.7	2.2	16.6
SC								
SD	22.5	3.2	2.2	12.5	1.4	11.1	4.6	
TN	1.7	0.2	0.1	1.3	0.3	1.0	0.1	
TX	572.5	294.4	203.1	59.1	8.8	50.3	15.9	3.6
UT	58.1	35.4	19.4	2.8	1.3	1.6	0.6	
VA	1.1	0.1		0.9	0.3	0.6	0.1	0.1
WA	81.9	44.9	24.3	10.9	5.3	5.6	1.8	
WV	0.1							
WI	143.8	58.6	6.4	74.7	61.2	13.5	4.1	13.6
WY								
US ⁴	3,099.3	1,574.2	1,004.0	461.3	218.4	243.0	59.7	115.2

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**Federally Inspected Slaughter: Number of Head, By State
and United States, August 1999 ¹ (continued)**

State	Hogs				Sheep		
	Total ²	Barrows & Gilts	Sows	Stags & Boars	Total ²	Mature Sheep	Lambs & Yearlings
	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000
AL	6.9		5.8	1.1			
AK							
AZ							
AR							
CA	184.9	184.6	0.2				
CO	2.3	2.2	0.1		96.6		96.6
DE-MD	20.7	20.7					
FL	9.6	9.2	0.3				
GA	11.4	8.4	3.0				
HI	2.9	2.9					
ID					0.4		0.4
IL	762.7	730.4	31.5	0.8			
IN	512.3	512.3			2.7	1.7	0.9
IA	2,425.5	2,338.6	54.9	32.0	41.7	0.2	41.5
KS	39.3	32.7	6.6				
KY	193.6	186.6	7.0		0.8	0.7	0.1
LA	0.1	0.1					
MI	10.4	5.4	5.0	0.1	18.7	2.7	16.0
MN	670.3	670.2					
MS							
MO	332.1	332.0	0.1				
MT	1.7	1.7			0.2		0.2
NE	535.9	535.7	0.1				
NV							
N ENG ³	2.2	2.1	0.1		1.8	0.5	1.3
NJ	9.1	8.5	0.5	0.1	9.0	1.4	7.6
NM					2.0	1.5	0.5
NY	5.1	5.1			2.1	0.8	1.4
NC	806.8	799.5	7.1	0.3			
ND	11.8	11.7	0.1				
OH	98.4	87.6	10.8				
OK	386.9	381.0	5.9				
OR	18.5	18.3	0.2		0.5	0.1	0.4
PA	219.5	219.0	0.6		7.1	0.3	6.8
SC							
SD	320.6	282.1	38.6		1.5		1.5
TN	70.0	3.5	66.5		0.3		0.3
TX	19.0	9.5	9.0	0.5	34.4	2.2	32.2
UT					2.6	2.3	0.3
VA	312.3	310.7	1.6		1.0	0.1	0.9
WA					0.2		0.1
WV	0.2	0.1	0.1				
WI	33.2	0.7	32.1	0.3			
WY							
US ⁴	8,255.9	7,918.3	302.3	35.3	283.0	16.2	266.8

¹ Accumulated totals based on unrounded data.

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³ N ENG includes CT, ME, MA, NH, RI, and VT.

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**Federally Inspected Slaughter: Number of Head, By State
and United States, September 1999 ¹**

State	Cattle							Calves
	Total ²	Steers	Heifers	Cows			Bulls and Stags	
				All ²	Dairy	Other		
	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000
AL								
AK								
AZ	40.9	35.3	1.0	4.6	4.6			
AR	1.1	0.3	0.1	0.6	0.1	0.6	0.1	
CA	82.4	25.8	5.7	47.8	37.9	9.8	3.1	15.9
CO	217.6	106.1	111.1	0.4	0.3	0.1	0.1	
DE-MD	3.0	2.2	0.5	0.3	0.3			0.1
FL	5.6	0.4	0.1	4.8	1.3	3.5	0.4	
GA	34.0	0.1		28.9	3.7	25.1	5.0	
HI	1.5	0.2	0.2	1.0		0.9	0.1	
ID	66.9	30.6	13.9	19.5	6.1	13.4	2.9	
IL	87.7	48.0	39.7					10.8
IN	0.4	0.2	0.1					12.8
IA	73.7	27.3	23.7	21.4	8.5	12.8	1.3	
KS	688.0	381.9	304.8	1.2	0.1	1.1	0.1	
KY	0.4	0.3	0.1					
LA								
MI	29.1	19.5	4.2	5.3	4.5	0.8	0.1	4.1
MN	50.9	15.8	3.7	26.5	12.5	14.0	4.8	
MS								
MO	4.8	1.0	0.5	2.8	0.5	2.3	0.4	0.1
MT	0.7	0.3	0.2	0.1		0.1	0.1	
NE	641.1	329.1	252.3	55.4	3.0	52.3	4.3	
NV	0.1	0.1						
N ENG ³	1.8	0.4	0.2	1.1	1.0		0.2	3.6
NJ	2.2	0.7	0.2	1.0	0.9	0.1	0.3	9.4
NM	1.7	0.1	0.1	1.5	1.3	0.1	0.1	
NY	5.7	0.6	0.3	4.2	3.5	0.7	0.6	14.4
NC	15.2	0.1		12.2	6.6	5.6	2.9	
ND								
OH	6.5	0.4	0.1	5.4	3.2	2.3	0.5	3.6
OK								
OR								
PA	79.6	34.6	4.8	38.3	27.8	10.5	1.9	17.4
SC								
SD	22.2	2.8	1.4	13.9	1.4	12.5	4.1	
TN	2.0	0.2	0.1	1.6	0.3	1.2	0.1	
TX	580.5	308.4	192.3	64.9	9.2	55.8	14.9	3.1
UT	55.0	33.1	18.4	2.9	1.3	1.6	0.5	
VA	1.1	0.1	0.1	0.9	0.3	0.5	0.1	0.1
WA	85.5	51.4	21.4	11.0	5.5	5.4	1.7	
WV	0.1							
WI	141.1	55.8	7.6	73.3	59.6	13.7	4.5	13.0
WY								
US ⁴	3,044.9	1,514.3	1,009.2	465.2	217.8	247.4	56.2	117.0

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**Federally Inspected Slaughter: Number of Head, By State
and United States, September 1999 ¹ (continued)**

State	Hogs				Sheep		
	Total ²	Barrows & Gilts	Sows	Stags & Boars	Total ²	Mature Sheep	Lambs & Yearlings
	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000
AL	7.1		5.7	1.4			
AK							
AZ							
AR							
CA	192.8	192.7	0.1				
CO	1.2	1.1	0.1		103.4	0.1	103.2
DE-MD	20.5	20.5					
FL	9.0	8.6	0.3				
GA	12.0	8.9	3.1				
HI	3.0	2.9					
ID					0.3		0.3
IL	798.2	770.1	27.3	0.8			
IN	527.1	527.1			2.6	1.7	0.8
IA	2,579.3	2,500.7	48.6	30.0	41.8	0.2	41.6
KS	38.3	30.8	7.5				
KY	191.5	185.4	6.2		0.9	0.8	0.1
LA	0.1	0.1					
MI	8.9	3.8	5.0	0.1	19.1	2.9	16.3
MN	710.3	710.2					
MS							
MO	330.3	330.1	0.2				
MT	1.2	1.1			0.1		0.1
NE	544.6	544.4	0.2				
NV							
N ENG ³	2.3	2.2	0.1		2.1	0.5	1.6
NJ	8.6	8.4	0.1	0.1	8.9	1.4	7.6
NM					2.1	1.6	0.5
NY	4.8	4.7			1.9	0.7	1.2
NC	788.4	781.7	6.7		0.1		
ND	13.2	13.2					
OH	97.9	88.3	9.6				
OK	373.9	367.0	6.9				
OR	17.4	17.1	0.2		0.6	0.2	0.4
PA	225.2	224.7	0.5		6.0	0.2	5.8
SC							
SD	330.2	291.4	38.8		0.6		0.6
TN	67.4	3.6	63.8		0.3	0.2	0.1
TX	19.4	8.4	10.0	1.0	40.9	2.5	38.4
UT					2.5	2.1	0.4
VA	304.4	302.8	1.7		1.1	0.1	1.0
WA					0.2		0.1
WV	0.2	0.1	0.1				
WI	31.9	0.7	30.9	0.3			
WY							
US ⁴	8,501.0	8,178.2	288.9	33.9	294.1	16.6	277.4

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**Federally Inspected Slaughter: Number of Head, By State
and United States, October 1999 ¹**

State	Cattle							Calves
	Total ²	Steers	Heifers	Cows			Bulls and Stags	
				All ²	Dairy	Other		
	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000
AL								
AK								
AZ	39.7	32.6	0.8	6.3	6.3			
AR	1.2	0.4	0.2	0.6	0.1	0.6	0.1	
CA	85.7	24.1	6.4	52.0	38.4	13.5	3.4	12.7
CO	202.1	100.5	101.1	0.5	0.4		0.1	
DE-MD	3.1	2.2	0.6	0.3	0.3			0.1
FL	6.2	0.4		5.4	1.3	4.1	0.4	
GA	36.6	0.1		31.2	3.7	27.4	5.2	
HI	1.5	0.3	0.2	0.9	0.1	0.9	0.1	
ID	69.1	32.2	13.1	21.5	5.6	15.9	2.3	
IL	85.6	46.6	39.0					9.4
IN	0.5	0.3	0.1					9.9
IA	76.1	25.6	24.8	24.5	9.8	14.7	1.2	
KS	691.9	375.7	314.6	1.4	0.1	1.3	0.1	
KY	0.6	0.3	0.2	0.1		0.1		
LA								
MI	28.3	18.1	4.9	5.2	5.2		0.1	3.1
MN	53.9	14.7	4.3	29.3	13.9	15.4	5.6	
MS								
MO	5.2	1.3	0.6	2.9	0.4	2.5	0.4	0.1
MT	0.8	0.3	0.3	0.1		0.1	0.1	
NE	639.6	328.5	250.6	56.8	2.7	54.1	3.6	
NV	0.1	0.1						
N ENG ³	2.0	0.5	0.2	1.1	1.0	0.1	0.2	3.0
NJ	2.1	0.7	0.1	1.0	0.8	0.1	0.3	8.6
NM	1.5	0.1	0.1	1.3	1.1	0.2		
NY	6.1	0.8	0.4	4.2	3.6	0.7	0.6	10.8
NC	15.8	0.1		12.6	7.1	5.5	3.2	
ND								
OH	5.9	0.4	0.1	4.8	2.6	2.2	0.5	3.4
OK								
OR								
PA	95.6	45.3	8.1	40.2	29.1	11.2	2.0	16.0
SC								
SD	20.5	2.0	1.3	13.6	1.5	12.1	3.7	
TN	1.8	0.3	0.1	1.3	0.3	1.0	0.1	
TX	563.5	264.7	203.5	80.6	8.6	72.0	14.7	3.5
UT	52.4	25.2	23.7	3.0	1.1	1.9	0.5	
VA	1.0	0.1	0.1	0.8	0.3	0.4	0.1	0.1
WA	81.4	48.0	21.0	10.8	5.0	5.8	1.6	
WV	0.1							
WI	140.4	52.8	9.3	74.3	59.8	14.5	4.0	13.0
WY								
US ⁴	3,033.2	1,446.3	1,030.1	501.3	222.3	279.0	55.6	101.8

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**Federally Inspected Slaughter: Number of Head, By State
and United States, October 1999 ¹ (continued)**

State	Hogs				Sheep		
	Total ²	Barrows & Gilts	Sows	Stags & Boars	Total ²	Mature Sheep	Lambs & Yearlings
	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000
AL	7.8		6.2	1.5			
AK							
AZ							
AR							
CA	186.7	186.6	0.1				
CO	0.9	0.8	0.1		108.8		108.8
DE-MD	18.0	18.0	0.1				
FL	10.2	9.8	0.4				
GA	13.0	9.5	3.6				
HI	2.9	2.9					
ID					0.2		0.2
IL	821.6	798.7	22.0	0.8			
IN	538.0	538.0			2.4	1.7	0.7
IA	2,619.2	2,545.7	50.2	23.3	44.6		44.6
KS	39.2	30.3	8.9				
KY	202.2	197.2	5.0		0.8	0.7	0.1
LA	0.1	0.1					
MI	8.6	2.9	5.5	0.1	17.9	2.5	15.5
MN	751.8	751.8					
MS							
MO	338.5	338.3	0.2				
MT	1.1	1.1			0.1		0.1
NE	549.0	548.9	0.1				
NV							
N ENG ³	2.0	1.9	0.1		1.8	0.4	1.4
NJ	7.4	7.2	0.1	0.1	8.6	1.1	7.4
NM					1.8	1.3	0.5
NY	4.0	3.9			1.6	0.5	1.1
NC	881.0	873.2	7.7	0.1	0.1		
ND	12.4	12.3	0.1				
OH	97.8	88.0	9.7				
OK	400.1	392.8	7.4				
OR	16.0	15.8	0.2		0.5	0.1	0.4
PA	229.7	229.1	0.5		5.4	0.2	5.2
SC							
SD	351.7	316.3	35.4		1.0		1.0
TN	62.3	3.3	58.9		0.2	0.2	0.1
TX	20.4	13.4	5.7	1.3	42.4	2.4	40.0
UT					2.2	1.9	0.3
VA	342.2	340.5	1.6		1.1	0.1	1.0
WA					0.1		0.1
WV	0.2	0.1	0.1				
WI	27.9	0.5	26.8	0.6			
WY							
US ⁴	8,805.8	8,506.0	271.8	28.0	293.2	14.5	278.6

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**Federally Inspected Slaughter: Number of Head, By State
and United States, November 1999 ¹**

State	Cattle							Calves
	Total ²	Steers	Heifers	Cows			Bulls and Stags	
				All ²	Dairy	Other		
	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000
AL								
AK								
AZ	39.6	31.6	0.6	7.4	7.4			
AR	1.2	0.3	0.1	0.6	0.1	0.6	0.1	
CA	85.6	25.0	5.0	52.4	38.2	14.1	3.2	11.1
CO	206.7	108.5	97.8	0.3	0.3		0.1	
DE-MD	3.1	2.2	0.6	0.3	0.2	0.1		0.1
FL	6.5	0.4		5.8	0.8	5.0	0.2	
GA	37.7	0.2		33.1	4.1	29.0	4.4	
HI	1.5	0.3	0.2	0.9	0.1	0.9	0.1	
ID	73.0	36.8	7.2	27.0	6.2	20.8	2.0	
IL	87.4	48.7	38.8					9.1
IN	0.5	0.3	0.1					9.5
IA	70.9	24.9	25.4	19.8	7.9	11.9	0.8	
KS	615.3	339.8	273.9	1.5	0.1	1.4	0.1	
KY	0.5	0.3	0.2	0.1		0.1		
LA								
MI	29.1	19.0	4.4	5.6	5.6		0.1	3.5
MN	53.1	13.1	4.5	30.3	14.0	16.2	5.2	
MS								
MO	4.7	0.7	0.5	3.1	0.4	2.7	0.4	0.1
MT	0.8	0.3	0.3	0.1		0.1	0.1	
NE	600.4	290.8	241.5	65.2	2.4	62.8	2.9	
NV	0.1	0.1						
N ENG ³	1.8	0.4	0.3	0.9	0.9	0.1	0.2	3.3
NJ	2.0	0.7	0.2	0.8	0.7	0.1	0.3	9.0
NM	1.3	0.1	0.1	1.1	1.1			
NY	5.7	0.9	0.3	3.9	3.1	0.8	0.5	12.4
NC	14.6	0.1		11.4	7.5	4.0	3.0	
ND								
OH	5.9	0.3	0.1	5.0	2.8	2.1	0.4	3.3
OK								
OR								
PA	86.9	38.8	7.4	38.6	28.0	10.6	2.1	15.1
SC								
SD	22.5	1.6	1.6	16.1	1.4	14.7	3.1	
TN	1.8	0.3	0.1	1.4	0.3	1.1	0.1	
TX	520.0	241.0	188.7	75.9	8.4	67.5	14.4	3.4
UT	52.2	24.8	23.7	3.2	1.1	2.1	0.4	
VA	1.2	0.2		0.9	0.3	0.6	0.1	0.1
WA	83.4	42.3	27.8	12.0	5.4	6.6	1.3	
WV	0.1		0.1					
WI	150.0	52.7	8.7	84.2	68.0	16.2	4.4	13.0
WY								
US ⁴	2,881.5	1,348.5	960.4	521.3	228.5	292.7	51.4	100.4

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**Federally Inspected Slaughter: Number of Head, By State
and United States, November 1999 ¹ (continued)**

State	Hogs				Sheep		
	Total ²	Barrows & Gilts	Sows	Stags & Boars	Total ²	Mature Sheep	Lambs & Yearlings
	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000
AL	7.7		5.3	2.3			
AK							
AZ							
AR							
CA	182.6	182.4	0.1				
CO	1.0	0.9	0.1		126.7		126.7
DE-MD	17.5	17.5					
FL	12.3	11.9	0.3				
GA	14.9	10.1	4.9				
HI	2.9	2.8					
ID					0.2		0.2
IL	796.4	769.7	25.8	0.8			
IN	536.0	536.0			2.8	2.0	0.8
IA	2,548.1	2,477.1	47.0	24.0	44.6	0.1	44.6
KS	37.7	30.5	7.1				
KY	200.6	194.4	6.3		0.6	0.6	
LA	0.1	0.1					
MI	8.2	2.5	5.5	0.1	18.6	2.6	16.0
MN	729.7	729.7					
MS							
MO	344.3	344.2	0.2				
MT	1.4	1.3			0.1		0.1
NE	545.7	545.6					
NV							
N ENG ³	2.0	2.0			2.2	0.5	1.7
NJ	9.3	9.1	0.1	0.1	8.2	1.2	7.0
NM					1.9	1.5	0.4
NY	3.3	3.3			1.8	0.6	1.2
NC	906.1	898.2	7.9		0.1		
ND	12.2	12.2					
OH	94.3	84.3	10.0				
OK	410.6	402.7	7.8				
OR	17.8	17.6	0.2		0.6	0.2	0.3
PA	239.9	239.2	0.6		4.9	0.2	4.7
SC							
SD	340.4	301.4	39.0		1.2		1.2
TN	65.5	3.9	61.6		0.3	0.1	0.2
TX	24.3	14.6	8.4	1.4	44.5	2.6	41.9
UT					2.3	2.0	0.3
VA	364.1	362.2	1.9		1.1	0.1	1.0
WA					0.2	0.1	0.1
WV	0.3	0.1	0.1				
WI	26.7	0.4	25.7	0.7			
WY							
US ⁴	8,749.5	8,440.5	279.4	29.6	317.0	16.2	300.8

¹ Accumulated totals based on unrounded data.

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³ N ENG includes CT, ME, MA, NH, RI, and VT.

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**Federally Inspected Slaughter: Number of Head, By State
and United States, December 1999 ¹**

State	Cattle							Calves
	Total ²	Steers	Heifers	Cows			Bulls and Stags	
				All ²	Dairy	Other		
	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000
AL								
AK								
AZ	41.1	34.1	0.7	6.3	6.2	0.1		
AR	1.3	0.4	0.2	0.7	0.1	0.6	0.1	
CA	86.5	24.7	6.0	52.5	41.4	11.1	3.3	11.4
CO	204.2	113.8	88.0	2.3	2.2	0.1	0.1	
DE-MD	3.0	2.0	0.7	0.3	0.3			0.1
FL	6.3	0.4	0.1	5.4	1.0	4.4	0.4	
GA	35.7	0.1		31.5	3.4	28.1	4.1	
HI	1.5	0.2	0.2	1.0	0.1	0.9	0.1	
ID	67.8	31.8	11.0	22.9	6.4	16.5	2.1	
IL	74.6	40.2	34.3					11.5
IN	0.5	0.3	0.1					11.8
IA	58.2	28.0	22.9	6.8	2.7	4.1	0.4	
KS	636.9	370.6	264.8	1.4	0.1	1.3	0.1	
KY	0.7	0.4	0.2					
LA								
MI	30.7	19.9	3.6	7.0	7.0		0.1	4.1
MN	50.5	13.7	4.4	27.7	13.4	14.3	4.7	
MS								
MO	5.7	1.4	0.7	3.1	0.6	2.4	0.4	0.1
MT	0.7	0.2	0.2	0.2		0.2	0.1	
NE	574.9	297.9	210.8	62.5	3.1	59.4	3.6	
NV	0.1	0.1						
N ENG ³	2.1	0.3	0.3	1.2	1.2		0.2	3.0
NJ	2.5	0.9	0.2	1.0	0.8	0.2	0.4	10.4
NM	1.2	0.1		1.1	1.1			
NY	5.9	0.7	0.3	4.3	3.7	0.6	0.5	13.4
NC	14.1	0.1		11.4	5.7	5.7	2.6	
ND								
OH	5.6	0.4	0.1	4.7	3.2	1.5	0.4	4.5
OK								
OR								
PA	84.2	32.4	6.3	43.3	31.3	12.0	2.2	16.4
SC								
SD	24.1	1.6	0.7	18.2	2.0	16.2	3.7	
TN	1.6	0.3	0.1	1.2	0.3	0.9	0.1	
TX	501.6	260.0	170.9	57.8	8.7	49.1	12.8	2.7
UT	48.2	25.7	18.9	3.2	1.2	2.0	0.4	
VA	0.9	0.1		0.7	0.2	0.4	0.1	0.1
WA	74.4	37.6	24.4	11.1	5.7	5.4	1.4	
WV	0.1							
WI	152.7	53.3	10.4	84.8	68.6	16.2	4.1	13.3
WY								
US ⁴	2,814.2	1,394.9	882.0	487.8	233.4	254.3	49.5	109.6

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**Federally Inspected Slaughter: Number of Head, By State
and United States, December 1999 ¹ (continued)**

State	Hogs				Sheep		
	Total ²	Barrows & Gilts	Sows	Stags & Boars	Total ²	Mature Sheep	Lambs & Yearlings
	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000
AL	7.2		4.7	2.5			
AK							
AZ							
AR							
CA	194.0	193.8	0.1				
CO	0.7	0.6	0.1		131.9		131.8
DE-MD	17.2	17.2					
FL	13.1	12.7	0.4				
GA	14.7	10.4	4.4				
HI	3.6	3.5					
ID					0.2		0.2
IL	786.8	759.6	26.5	0.8			
IN	548.1	548.1			3.5	2.4	1.1
IA	2,508.0	2,443.6	40.5	23.9	47.4	0.1	47.4
KS	36.6	29.2	7.4				
KY	194.0	187.7	6.3		0.6	0.6	
LA	0.2	0.2					
MI	8.6	3.1	5.5	0.1	17.9	2.4	15.5
MN	739.3	739.2					
MS							
MO	351.0	350.8	0.1				
MT	1.1	1.0			0.1		0.1
NE	553.2	553.2					
NV							
N ENG ³	2.4	2.4	0.1		2.5	0.4	2.1
NJ	13.5	13.3	0.1	0.1	10.7	1.5	9.3
NM					1.7	1.2	0.4
NY	4.7	4.6			2.7	0.6	2.0
NC	856.9	849.0	7.8		0.1		
ND	12.2	12.1					
OH	105.6	95.5	10.1				
OK	415.0	408.4	6.6				
OR	16.7	16.5	0.2		0.5	0.2	0.4
PA	247.7	247.1	0.6		6.6	0.5	6.2
SC							
SD	368.4	338.9	29.5		1.0		1.0
TN	69.2	3.7	65.5		0.5	0.2	0.2
TX	24.7	14.8	8.5	1.4	51.4	3.7	47.7
UT					2.5	2.2	0.4
VA	341.8	339.5	2.3		0.9		0.9
WA					0.1		0.1
WV	0.2	0.1	0.1				
WI	27.1	0.4	26.1	0.7			
WY							
US ⁴	8,719.2	8,422.9	266.8	29.5	340.8	17.5	323.3

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**Federally Inspected Slaughter: Number of Head,
By State and United States, January - December 1999 ¹**

State	Cattle							Calves
	Total ²	Steers	Heifers	Cows			Bulls and Stags	
				All ²	Dairy	Other		
	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000
AL	107.6			104.9	21.5	83.4	2.7	
AK								
AZ	490.0	426.1	16.0	47.8	47.6	0.1	0.1	
AR	15.5	3.5	1.8	9.3	0.8	8.5	0.9	
CA	990.9	302.4	67.7	582.4	450.4	132.0	38.5	161.6
CO	2,644.2	1,418.1	1,217.8	7.2	6.3	1.0	1.1	
DE-MD	35.6	26.1	6.1	3.0	2.9	0.1	0.4	1.1
FL	62.7	6.3	1.2	51.4	12.4	39.1	3.7	
GA	389.1	1.6	0.5	338.7	49.0	289.8	48.3	
HI	17.5	3.2	2.5	10.3	1.3	9.0	1.4	
ID	769.3	370.5	128.3	243.2	73.7	169.5	27.3	
IL	958.1	527.6	430.4	0.1			0.1	119.2
IN	5.2	3.2	1.3	0.4	0.4		0.3	113.7
IA	848.8	324.7	284.0	228.1	92.7	135.5	12.0	
KS	7,990.8	4,495.2	3,478.5	15.8	1.4	14.4	1.3	
KY	8.6	3.0	4.9	0.6	0.1	0.5	0.1	
LA								
MI	358.0	245.3	29.8	81.6	65.3	16.3	1.2	44.8
MN	614.9	164.5	49.6	341.8	165.9	175.9	59.0	
MS								
MO	59.5	13.5	7.2	33.6	6.2	27.4	5.2	1.2
MT	8.3	3.6	2.3	1.3	0.1	1.3	1.0	
NE	7,413.4	3,842.4	2,860.4	665.1	34.9	630.3	45.5	
NV	1.0	0.7	0.2	0.1		0.1		
N ENG ³	21.5	3.5	2.5	13.2	12.5	0.7	2.3	40.8
NJ	24.7	8.4	2.1	10.5	9.2	1.3	3.7	109.8
NM	20.1	2.6	1.9	15.0	13.1	1.9	0.5	
NY	63.1	7.3	3.3	46.8	41.8	4.9	5.7	162.2
NC	164.9	1.1	0.6	129.6	70.2	59.4	33.6	
ND								
OH	69.9	4.4	2.3	56.5	32.3	24.2	6.8	41.1
OK								
OR								
PA	1,002.4	468.1	74.6	436.8	319.4	117.4	22.9	187.0
SC								
SD	262.5	26.8	16.1	173.5	16.5	157.1	46.0	
TN	19.7	3.5	1.0	13.9	3.5	10.4	1.4	
TX	6,685.1	3,444.8	2,315.2	752.2	99.2	653.0	172.9	27.4
UT	639.2	345.7	252.1	35.1	14.4	20.7	6.3	
VA	10.8	1.3	0.7	8.0	3.0	4.9	0.8	0.8
WA	855.9	437.5	271.6	132.2	66.5	65.7	14.5	
WV	0.7	0.3	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	
WI	1,681.5	659.9	110.1	866.2	699.8	166.5	45.3	166.1
WY								
US ⁴	35,486.3	17,608.0	11,648.4	5,603.0	2,573.3	3,029.7	626.9	1,251.4

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**Federally Inspected Slaughter: Number of Head,
By State and United States, January - December 1999 ¹ (continued)**

State	Hogs						Sheep
	Total ²	Barrows & Gilts	Sows	Stags & Boars	Total ²	Mature Sheep	Lambs & Yearlings
	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>
AL	79.1	0.7	62.2	16.3			
AK							
AZ							
AR							
CA	2,267.7	2,265.9	1.8	0.1			
CO	14.0	12.7	1.2	0.1	1,282.7	0.4	1,282.3
DE-MD	241.5	241.2	0.3				
FL	109.7	105.3	4.2	0.3			
GA	147.5	108.8	38.7				
HI	36.0	35.5	0.4	0.1			
ID					2.3	0.2	2.1
IL	9,073.8	8,460.8	556.2	56.8			
IN	6,108.4	6,108.3	0.1		29.7	19.6	10.1
IA	29,524.4	28,759.4	451.2	313.9	517.6	2.2	515.3
KS	436.3	354.0	82.3				
KY	2,389.4	2,314.7	74.4	0.3	8.2	7.6	0.5
LA	1.2	1.1	0.1				
MI	103.8	41.3	61.4	1.0	211.5	30.2	181.2
MN	8,340.1	8,339.7	0.2	0.1			
MS							
MO	3,925.3	3,923.3	1.9	0.1			
MT	15.4	15.1	0.3		0.9	0.1	0.9
NE	6,323.5	6,322.5	1.0				
NV							
N ENG ³	22.5	21.6	0.7	0.1	22.0	5.4	16.6
NJ	103.6	101.4	1.5	0.7	106.9	15.2	91.7
NM					26.5	19.8	6.6
NY	47.9	47.3	0.5	0.1	26.8	7.8	19.1
NC	9,853.9	9,754.3	99.0	0.6	0.9	0.3	0.6
ND	124.2	123.7	0.5				
OH	1,135.4	1,018.5	116.9				
OK	4,494.9	4,420.5	74.3				
OR	195.2	192.7	2.1	0.4	5.5	1.6	3.9
PA	2,591.9	2,585.3	6.3	0.2	74.1	4.5	69.7
SC							
SD	4,083.7	3,729.5	354.2		10.0	0.1	9.9
TN	765.9	49.5	716.3		3.4	1.3	2.1
TX	210.1	112.4	90.9	6.8	503.2	28.6	474.6
UT					27.5	24.2	3.3
VA	3,922.1	3,901.8	20.2	0.1	11.6	1.2	10.4
WA					1.6	0.3	1.3
WV	2.3	0.8	1.5				
WI	369.9	6.6	358.3	5.0			
WY							
US ⁴	99,738.7	95,999.5	3,335.5	403.6	3,556.4	187.6	3,368.8

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**Federally Inspected Plants and Head Slaughtered: Number
by Species, State, and United States, 1999 ¹**

State	Cattle		Calves		Hogs		Sheep and Lambs	
	Plants	Head	Plants	Head	Plants	Head	Plants	Head
	<i>Number</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>1,000</i>
AL	3	107.6			8	79.0		
AK								
AZ	4	488.2						
AR	21	15.5						
CA	26	991.0	14	161.5	13	2,264.1		
CO	21	2,639.2			18	14.0	19	1,280.7
DE-MD	20	35.6	11	1.1	19	240.8		
FL	27	62.7			28	109.7		
GA	14	389.1			14	147.5		
HI	8	17.4			8	36.0		
ID	17	767.8					11	2.3
IL	9	957.8	5	119.2	19	9,071.0		
IN	6	5.2	4	113.7	10	6,106.6	6	29.7
IA	7	848.8			18	29,474.1	4	517.6
KS	12	7,971.9			7	436.3		
KY	21	8.6			26	2,382.3	13	8.2
LA					2	1.2		
MI	29	357.4	12	44.8	27	103.8	28	211.5
MN	28	614.3			27	8,321.5		
MS								
MO	53	59.5	6	1.2	52	3,922.1		
MT	12	8.3			12	15.4	12	0.9
NE	29	7,393.9			20	6,311.2		
NV	3	1.0						
N ENG ²	28	21.5	24	40.8	26	22.5	25	22.0
NJ	14	24.7	14	109.8	10	103.6	14	106.8
NM	6	20.0					5	26.5
NY	49	63.1	43	162.2	43	47.9	46	26.8
NC	10	164.9			19	9,817.1	7	0.9
ND					13	124.2		
OH	11	69.9	4	41.1	10	1,135.4		
OK					10	4,479.4		
OR					13	195.2	11	5.5
PA	120	1,000.9	79	187.0	107	2,591.9	100	74.1
SC								
SD	7	262.1			7	4,070.2	6	10.0
TN	16	19.7			22	765.8	12	3.4
TX	36	6,668.6	9	27.3	26	210.0	20	503.2
UT	7	637.2					4	27.5
VA	12	10.8	8	0.8	12	3,905.7	10	11.6
WA	10	855.5					5	1.6
WV	3	0.7			4	2.3		
WI	14	1,679.4	7	166.1	9	369.9		
WY								
Oth Sts ³	46	175.2	87	74.6	69	2,677.2	203	683.5
US ⁴	759	35,414.8	327	1,251.2	728	99,554.9	561	3,554.3

¹ Includes data from week ending Jan 9, 1999 through Jan 1, 2000.

² N ENG includes CT, ME, MA, NH, RI, and VT.

³ Includes data for states with no data printed to avoid disclosing individual operations.

⁴ Total may not add due to rounding.

**Goats: Federally Inspected Plants and Head Slaughtered,
by State, and United States, 1999 ¹**

State	Plants	Head	State	Plants	Head
	<i>Number</i>	<i>Number</i>		<i>Number</i>	<i>Number</i>
AL			N ENG ²	21	11,236
AK			NJ	14	163,684
AZ	1	9	NM		
AR	9	62	NY	32	21,179
CA	11	8,322	NC	7	56
CO	9	377	ND	5	16
DE-MD	16	13,148	OH	5	65
FL	14	6,816	OK	5	5,819
GA	10	28,403	OR	8	731
HI			PA	60	37,644
ID	4	15	SC	4	864
IL	5	10,758	SD		
IN	4	30,106	TN	7	11,914
IA	2	135	TX		
KS	2	771	UT		
KY	7	1,168	VA	7	15,455
LA			WA		
MI			WV		
MN			WI		
MS			WY		
MO	24	1,483			
MT	5	221	Oth Sts ³	62	122,151
NE					
NV			US ⁴	360	492,608

¹ Includes data from week ending Jan 9, 1999 through Jan 1, 2000.

² N ENG includes CT, ME, MA, NH, RI, and VT.

³ Includes data for states with no data printed to avoid disclosing individual operations.

⁴ Total may not add due to rounding.

**Cattle: Number of Federally Inspected Plants and Head Slaughtered,
by Size Group, United States, 1999 ¹**

Size Group	Plants	Head	Size Group	Plants	Head
	<i>Number</i>	<i>1,000</i>		<i>Number</i>	<i>1,000</i>
1 - 999	554	173.6	300,000 - 499,999	10	4,296.2
1,000 - 9,999	109	352.1	500,000 - 999,999	7	4,604.4
10,000 - 49,999	26	651.2	1,000,000 - 1,499,999	11	13,464.8
50,000 - 99,999	13	919.4	1,500,000 +	4	6,403.3
100,000 - 199,999	18	2,776.1			
200,000 - 299,999	7	1,773.7	Total ²	759	35,414.8

¹ Includes data from week ending Jan 9, 1999 through Jan 1, 2000.

² Total may not add due to rounding.

**Calves: Number of Federally Inspected Plants and Head Slaughtered,
by Size Group, United States, 1999 ¹**

Size Group	Plants	Head	Size Group	Plants	Head
	<i>Number</i>	<i>1,000</i>		<i>Number</i>	<i>1,000</i>
1 - 99	236	2.6	50,000 - 74,999	5	322.2
100 - 999	42	14.9	75,000 +	4	389.3
1,000 - 9,999	23	97.6			
10,000 - 24,999	8	134.0	Total ²	327	1,251.2
25,000 - 49,999	9	290.6			

¹ Includes data from week ending Jan 9, 1999 through Jan 1, 2000.

² Total may not add due to rounding.

**Hogs: Number of Federally Inspected Plants and Head Slaughtered,
by Size Group, United States, 1999 ¹**

Size Group	Plants	Head	Size Group	Plants	Head
	<i>Number</i>	<i>1,000</i>		<i>Number</i>	<i>1,000</i>
1 - 999	438	164.8	1,500,000 - 1,999,999	9	16,160.9
1,000 - 9,999	166	439.8	2,000,000 - 2,999,999	9	19,547.7
10,000 - 99,999	70	2,895.6	3,000,000 - 3,999,999	6	21,618.4
100,000 - 249,999	13	2,177.8	4,000,000 +	6	29,632.6
250,000 - 499,999	4	1,270.6			
500,000 - 999,999	5	3,181.5	Total ²	728	99,554.9
1,000,000 - 1,499,999	2	2,465.3			

¹ Includes data from week ending Jan 9, 1999 through Jan 1, 2000.

² Total may not add due to rounding.

**Sheep and Lambs: Number of Federally Inspected Plants and Head Slaughtered,
by Size Group, United States, 1999 ¹**

Size Group	Plants	Head	Size Group	Plants	Head
	<i>Number</i>	<i>1,000</i>		<i>Number</i>	<i>1,000</i>
1 - 999	488	44.1	100,000 - 499,999	6	1,634.9
1,000 - 9,999	51	172.4	500,000+	2	1,378.2
10,000 - 24,999	9	148.0			
25,000 - 99,999	5	176.7	Total ²	561	3,554.3

¹ Includes data from week ending Jan 9, 1999 through Jan 1, 2000.

² Total may not add due to rounding.

**Livestock Slaughter Plants: Number by Type of Inspection,
State, and United States, January 1, 1999-2000**

State	Under Federal Inspection		Other		Total	
	1999	2000	1999	2000	1999	2000
	<i>Number</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Number</i>
AL	9	8	50	45	59	53
AK	1	3			1	3
AZ	4	4	11	15	15	19
AR	24	24	22	27	46	51
CA	30	32	45	39	75	71
CO	25	24	22	23	47	47
DE-MD	23	23	3	3	26	26
FL	32	32			32	32
GA	20	17	61	62	81	79
HI	12	12			12	12
ID	17	17	33	33	50	50
IL	26	25	106	103	132	128
IN	12	12	95	93	107	105
IA	22	22	152	157	174	179
KS	13	14	135	110	148	124
KY	27	24	45	45	72	69
LA	3	2	66	66	69	68
MI	34	33	35	35	69	68
MN	31	32	124	120	155	152
MS	5	7	63	63	68	70
MO	56	55	80	55	136	110
MT	13	12	133	144	146	156
NE	34	33	82	81	116	114
NV	3	3			3	3
N ENG	30	31	37	38	67	69
NJ	16	17	4	3	20	20
NM	7	4	16	16	23	20
NY	54	53	16	14	70	67
NC	21	21	45	40	66	61
ND	14	13	39	33	53	46
OH	16	14	153	155	169	169
OK	11	11	80	80	91	91
OR	15	13	10	9	25	22
PA	129	126	230	200	359	326
SC	7	6	20	18	27	24
SD	9	10	84	83	93	93
TN	25	22	23	15	48	37
TX	46	42	118	108	164	150
UT	8	8	20	20	28	28
VA	14	14	42	41	56	55
WA	12	12	4	4	16	16
WV	4	4	35	37	39	41
WI	16	17	100	101	116	118
WY	1	1	23	23	24	24
US	931	909	2,462	2,357	3,393	3,266

**Annual Federally Inspected Slaughter: Number of Head
by Species and Week, United States, 1999**

Week Ending	Total Cattle	Steers	Heifers	Dairy Cows	Other Cows	Bulls & Stags	Total Calves
	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>
Jan 9	688.3	330.4	229.5	54.5	64.5	9.5	27.6
Jan 16	736.3	351.2	243.9	56.1	72.7	12.3	24.9
Jan 23	731.3	347.7	249.1	56.6	65.8	12.1	25.9
Jan 30	676.0	324.2	228.4	54.3	58.3	10.8	24.2
Feb 6	662.6	322.7	220.0	54.7	54.7	10.5	24.4
Feb 13	675.0	314.9	237.3	54.0	57.6	11.3	24.6
Feb 20	665.5	317.9	231.7	52.5	52.5	10.7	24.0
Feb 27	662.1	310.4	236.2	50.4	54.4	10.7	24.5
Mar 6	671.8	328.4	224.7	51.2	56.1	11.4	24.4
Mar 13	650.2	309.6	226.9	49.1	53.8	10.9	24.7
Mar 20	646.8	317.0	214.8	49.3	54.2	11.6	25.3
Mar 27	648.6	305.1	216.9	52.3	61.2	13.1	25.1
Apr 3	640.2	306.2	220.2	47.7	54.6	11.5	22.8
Apr 10	651.0	325.0	215.6	47.6	51.5	11.4	22.1
Apr 17	658.4	322.9	218.6	48.2	56.1	12.6	22.2
Apr 24	694.3	343.8	233.1	47.1	58.0	12.2	22.3
May 1	714.2	374.2	224.5	47.2	55.9	12.4	20.7
May 8	701.1	367.6	218.1	44.3	59.0	12.2	21.9
May 15	708.7	369.0	218.2	46.2	62.5	12.9	21.3
May 22	734.9	388.0	220.3	47.3	65.2	14.1	21.4
May 29	729.4	380.9	223.8	45.0	66.8	12.9	21.3
Jun 5	619.3	309.5	211.9	39.4	47.8	10.7	19.3
Jun 12	718.9	376.0	230.9	43.4	56.4	12.1	22.6
Jun 19	723.5	378.1	233.8	43.9	55.4	12.4	22.7
Jun 26	714.8	371.5	231.7	44.0	54.8	12.9	23.9
Jul 3	709.4	372.4	223.7	46.0	55.1	12.3	23.6
Jul 10	619.7	330.0	195.6	38.9	45.8	9.4	22.8
Jul 17	705.7	369.2	221.6	45.9	56.4	12.6	26.0
Jul 24	694.5	359.5	220.3	47.6	54.2	12.9	25.2
Jul 31	688.8	360.9	220.5	46.6	48.6	12.1	25.5
Aug 7	676.9	351.9	215.1	46.0	51.7	12.3	26.1
Aug 14	710.8	356.3	233.0	51.2	56.5	13.8	26.4
Aug 21	723.2	358.7	242.4	52.3	55.8	13.9	25.7
Aug 28	725.4	378.7	225.1	51.0	56.4	14.3	25.7
Sep 4	731.7	363.1	246.5	49.8	58.5	13.8	27.1
Sep 11	617.3	308.3	204.7	44.5	48.3	11.5	25.1
Sep 18	724.2	366.2	237.5	49.5	57.8	13.2	28.2
Sep 25	713.9	350.5	238.0	52.6	59.4	13.3	26.7
Oct 2	718.6	359.5	234.7	51.3	60.1	12.9	26.4
Oct 9	721.4	349.2	245.2	51.3	62.9	12.8	25.0
Oct 16	710.8	337.2	244.0	51.5	65.0	13.1	23.5
Oct 23	711.0	334.9	243.4	51.9	67.4	13.4	24.5
Oct 30	692.2	320.3	233.7	55.4	69.5	13.2	23.6
Nov 6	690.5	323.5	229.1	54.0	71.2	12.7	22.9
Nov 13	674.4	313.1	221.3	55.8	71.4	12.8	23.9
Nov 20	676.6	311.6	227.2	55.3	70.0	12.4	23.9
Nov 27	580.2	272.6	197.5	45.3	55.4	9.3	19.4
Dec 4	677.3	328.0	215.0	55.5	66.5	12.3	26.5
Dec 11	661.2	322.9	207.8	55.5	62.7	12.4	25.0
Dec 18	678.9	334.8	219.8	53.4	59.0	11.9	25.2
Dec 25	508.3	250.2	160.7	42.9	45.3	9.3	21.7
Jan 1	548.3	286.7	163.9	44.3	45.6	7.8	21.5
Total	35,414.8	17,562.4	11,627.5	2,571.9	3,026.4	626.6	1,251.2

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by Species and Week, United States, 1999 (continued)**

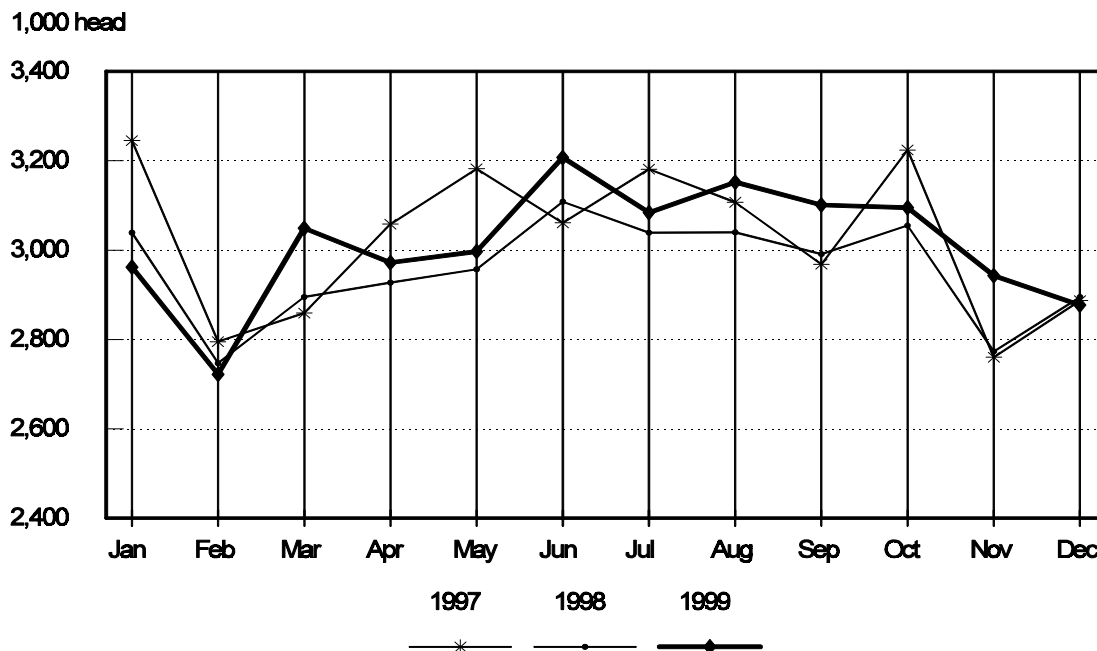
Week Ending	Total Hogs	Barrows & Gilts	Sows	Stags & Boars	Total Sheep	Mature Sheep	Lambs & Yearlings
	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>
Jan 9	2,071.0	2,003.2	62.6	5.3	61.1	3.6	57.5
Jan 16	2,123.8	2,041.2	74.4	8.2	65.2	3.4	61.8
Jan 23	2,021.5	1,938.4	73.9	9.2	64.9	2.8	62.0
Jan 30	1,972.5	1,892.3	70.2	10.0	67.1	3.1	64.0
Feb 6	1,925.1	1,847.6	68.7	8.8	69.6	3.4	66.2
Feb 13	1,943.1	1,867.2	66.4	9.5	71.0	3.3	67.7
Feb 20	1,925.6	1,852.0	64.7	8.9	74.0	3.3	70.7
Feb 27	1,952.4	1,880.1	64.2	8.1	76.2	3.1	73.1
Mar 6	1,958.1	1,883.5	65.1	9.5	77.9	3.3	74.6
Mar 13	1,936.7	1,864.9	63.9	7.9	82.4	2.9	79.5
Mar 20	1,961.9	1,884.3	68.5	9.1	93.2	3.2	90.0
Mar 27	1,953.2	1,877.7	67.1	8.4	103.7	4.7	99.1
Apr 3	1,886.9	1,817.5	61.5	7.9	83.9	4.2	79.7
Apr 10	1,855.3	1,785.4	62.4	7.4	76.3	4.1	72.3
Apr 17	1,980.5	1,908.6	63.0	8.8	66.5	4.3	62.3
Apr 24	1,968.4	1,895.9	64.3	8.2	64.1	3.7	60.5
May 1	1,866.1	1,793.9	63.3	9.0	57.7	3.6	54.1
May 8	1,796.6	1,727.9	61.0	7.7	61.9	3.8	58.2
May 15	1,855.1	1,787.2	60.7	7.2	73.1	3.3	69.7
May 22	1,828.1	1,757.6	62.6	7.9	72.1	4.0	68.1
May 29	1,771.5	1,703.1	61.0	7.4	52.1	3.7	48.4
Jun 5	1,608.9	1,550.6	51.9	6.4	47.8	3.3	44.5
Jun 12	1,836.4	1,765.7	62.7	8.0	57.1	3.4	53.7
Jun 19	1,824.0	1,750.0	65.5	8.5	58.5	3.7	54.8
Jun 26	1,799.8	1,730.1	61.2	8.6	60.3	3.9	56.4
Jul 3	1,854.4	1,780.8	64.0	9.6	60.0	4.1	55.9
Jul 10	1,572.9	1,510.8	55.2	7.0	54.5	3.2	51.3
Jul 17	1,891.6	1,819.8	63.5	8.3	56.8	3.5	53.2
Jul 24	1,766.9	1,694.8	63.9	8.2	58.2	3.4	54.8
Jul 31	1,815.0	1,739.3	67.6	8.2	59.0	3.2	55.8
Aug 7	1,836.9	1,764.7	64.4	7.8	58.5	3.5	54.9
Aug 14	1,874.2	1,798.1	68.3	7.8	62.5	3.5	58.9
Aug 21	1,869.9	1,790.9	70.9	8.1	66.2	3.6	62.6
Aug 28	1,916.8	1,837.0	71.1	8.7	68.3	3.9	64.5
Sep 4	1,972.5	1,892.7	70.3	9.5	68.9	4.3	64.6
Sep 11	1,759.4	1,693.6	58.8	6.9	62.5	3.7	58.8
Sep 18	1,988.3	1,911.5	69.3	7.4	68.7	3.5	65.2
Sep 25	2,017.3	1,944.1	65.6	7.7	68.0	3.8	64.2
Oct 2	2,051.9	1,978.3	66.3	7.4	66.7	3.6	63.0
Oct 9	2,026.0	1,953.1	65.6	7.3	69.8	3.6	66.2
Oct 16	2,095.6	2,024.8	65.5	5.3	67.7	3.3	64.4
Oct 23	2,060.7	1,991.9	62.5	6.2	71.7	3.5	68.2
Oct 30	2,093.3	2,021.8	64.2	7.3	70.8	3.5	67.3
Nov 6	2,114.4	2,038.4	68.6	7.4	72.2	3.8	68.5
Nov 13	2,042.3	1,965.2	69.7	7.4	77.1	3.8	73.4
Nov 20	2,031.0	1,955.3	68.0	7.7	74.4	3.8	70.6
Nov 27	1,784.4	1,731.5	47.7	5.2	64.9	3.2	61.6
Dec 4	2,041.3	1,967.0	67.2	7.0	76.2	3.6	72.6
Dec 11	1,995.9	1,919.5	68.5	7.8	83.4	3.8	79.6
Dec 18	2,162.5	2,092.4	63.8	6.3	86.7	4.1	82.6
Dec 25	1,638.3	1,585.9	46.8	5.6	63.9	4.1	59.9
Jan 1	1,659.0	1,608.3	46.1	4.7	59.0	3.5	55.5
Total	99,555.0	95,817.5	3,334.0	403.5	3,554.3	187.6	3,366.7

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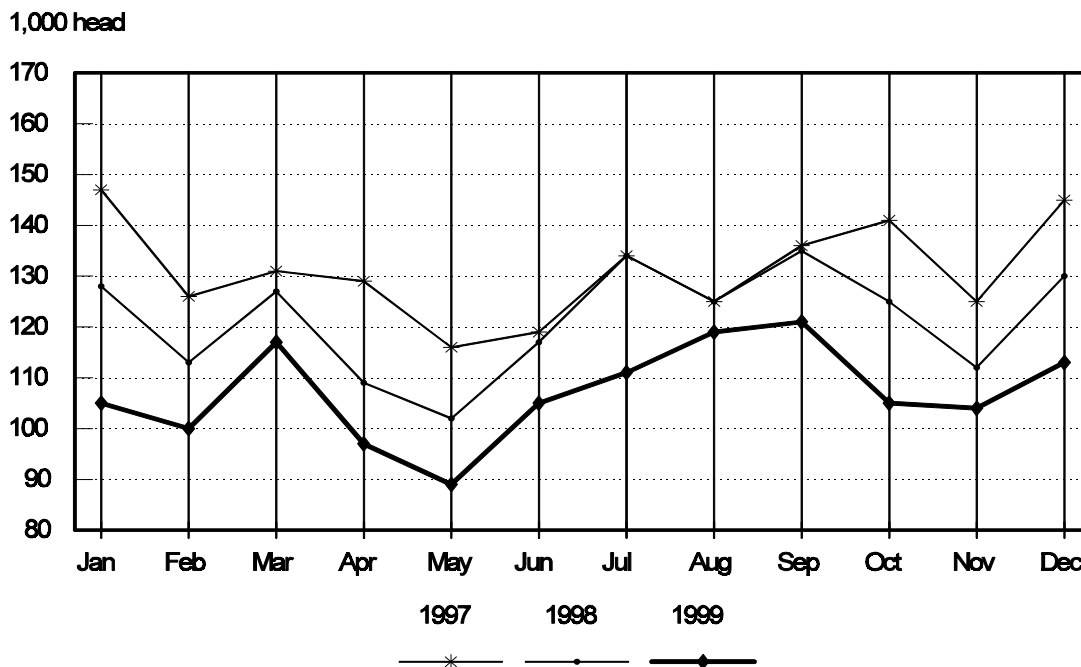
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by Species and Week, United States, 1999 (continued)**

Week Ending	Goats	Equine
	<i>Total Head</i>	<i>Total Head</i>
Jan 9	8,894	878
Jan 16	10,643	1,233
Jan 23	7,214	1,198
Jan 30	8,364	1,161
Feb 6	7,957	1,252
Feb 13	8,199	1,230
Feb 20	8,114	1,095
Feb 27	7,666	931
Mar 6	8,209	1,204
Mar 13	10,691	1,091
Mar 20	9,376	1,277
Mar 27	14,140	1,652
Apr 3	12,823	1,221
Apr 10	8,606	1,183
Apr 17	7,386	1,156
Apr 24	7,122	1,199
May 1	8,289	1,156
May 8	7,881	1,369
May 15	8,498	1,305
May 22	8,760	1,273
May 29	8,611	1,377
Jun 5	7,232	1,217
Jun 12	8,823	1,521
Jun 19	8,422	1,265
Jun 26	8,820	1,303
Jul 3	8,840	1,197
Jul 10	7,904	1,106
Jul 17	9,222	834
Jul 24	8,764	1,053
Jul 31	8,796	1,198
Aug 7	8,951	1,154
Aug 14	9,601	1,230
Aug 21	9,943	1,269
Aug 28	9,648	1,303
Sep 4	11,151	1,445
Sep 11	9,379	1,318
Sep 18	9,625	1,322
Sep 25	10,400	1,381
Oct 2	9,625	1,278
Oct 9	9,484	1,255
Oct 16	9,896	1,293
Oct 23	10,765	1,079
Oct 30	10,146	1,093
Nov 6	9,373	1,169
Nov 13	10,493	1,333
Nov 20	10,450	1,256
Nov 27	9,933	1,189
Dec 4	9,356	1,228
Dec 11	13,570	1,237
Dec 18	13,204	1,369
Dec 25	12,151	908
Jan 1	11,181	569
Total	492,591	62,813

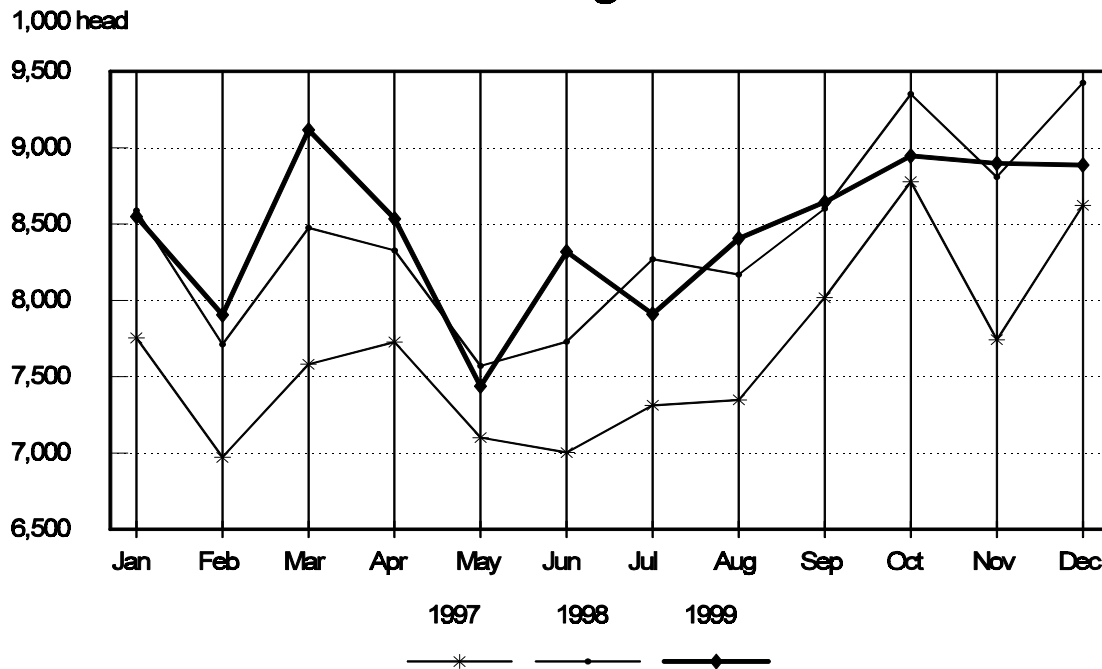
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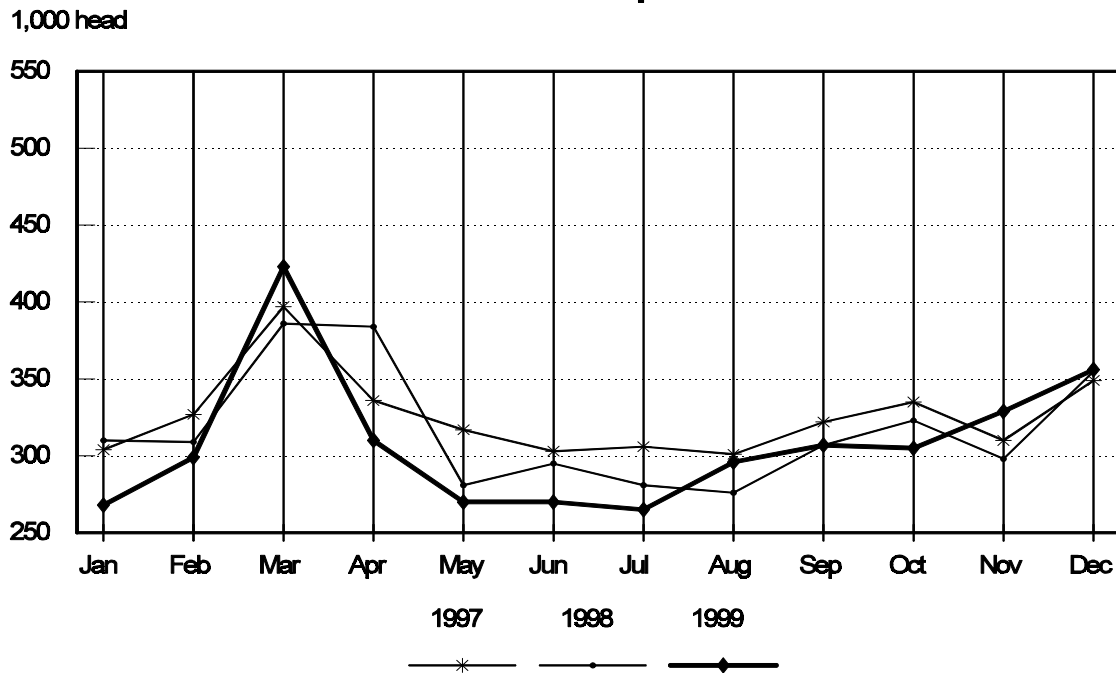
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U.S. Monthly Commercial Slaughter Hogs



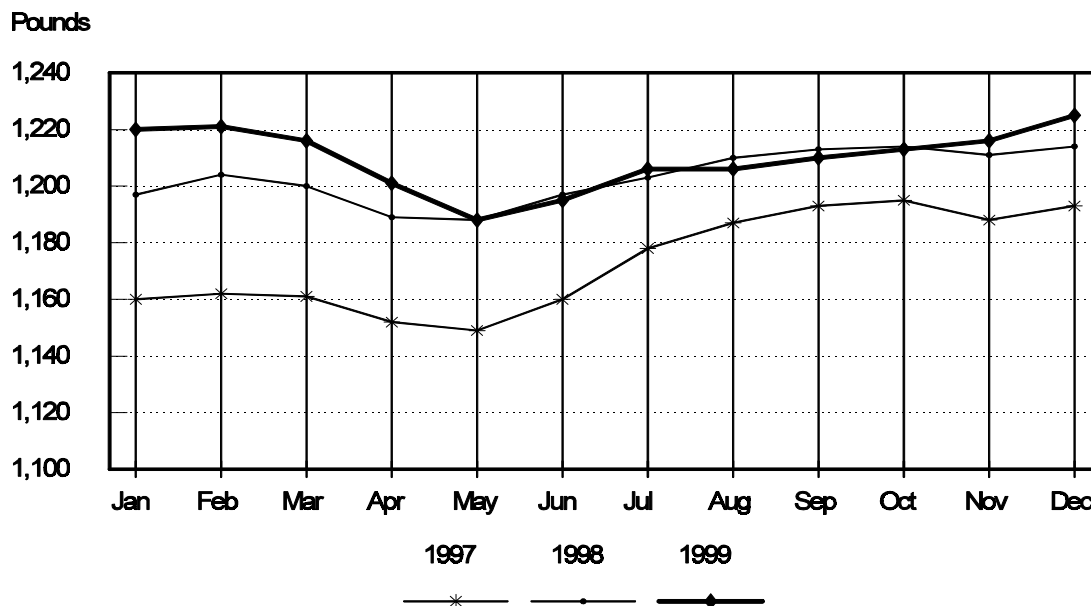
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U.S. Monthly Commercial Slaughter

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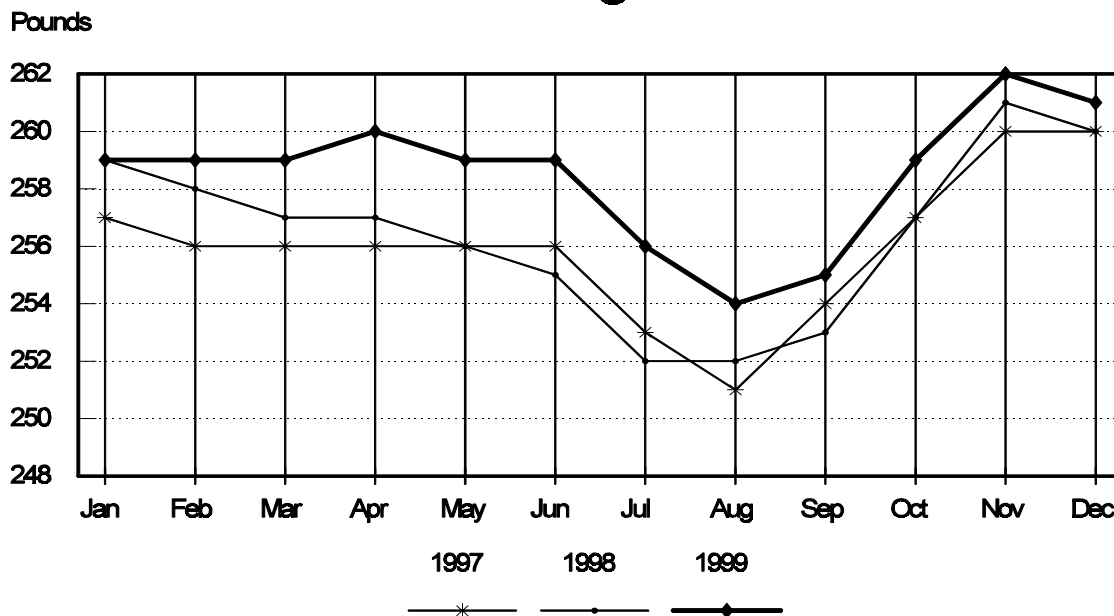
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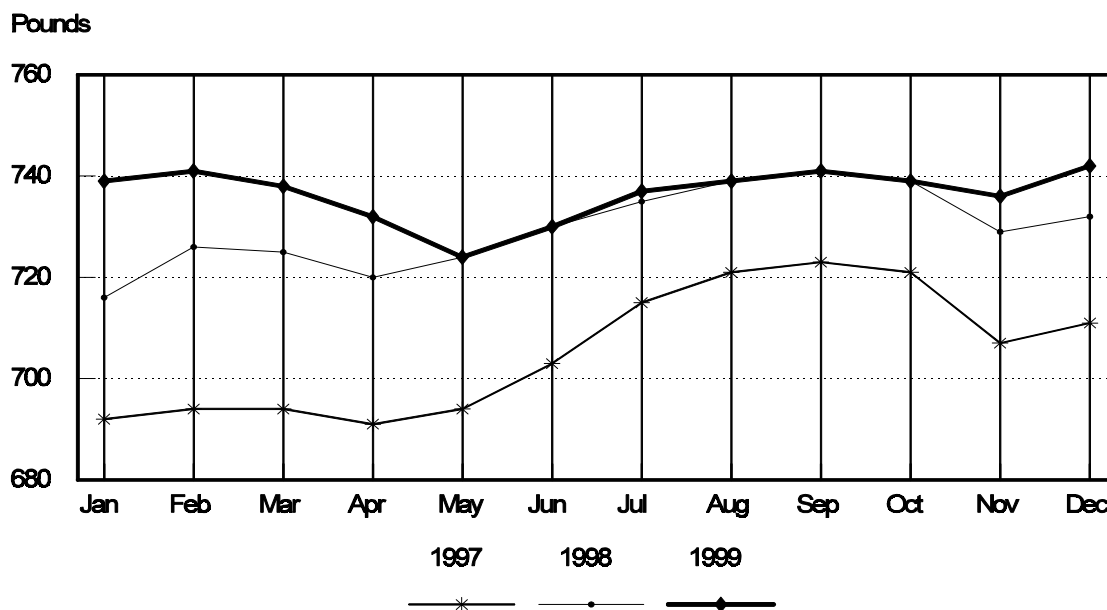
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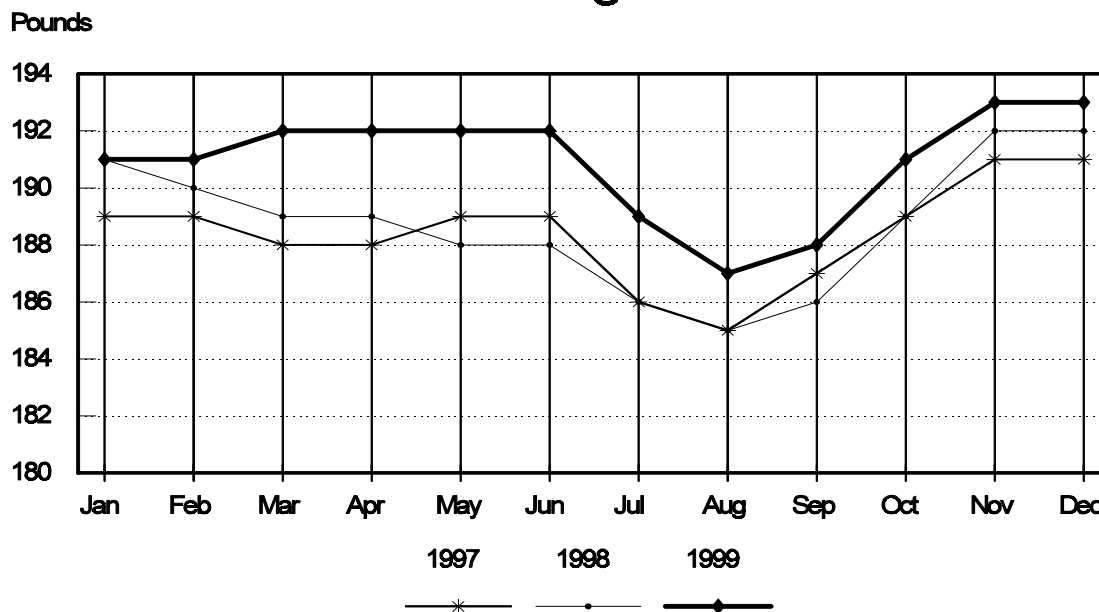
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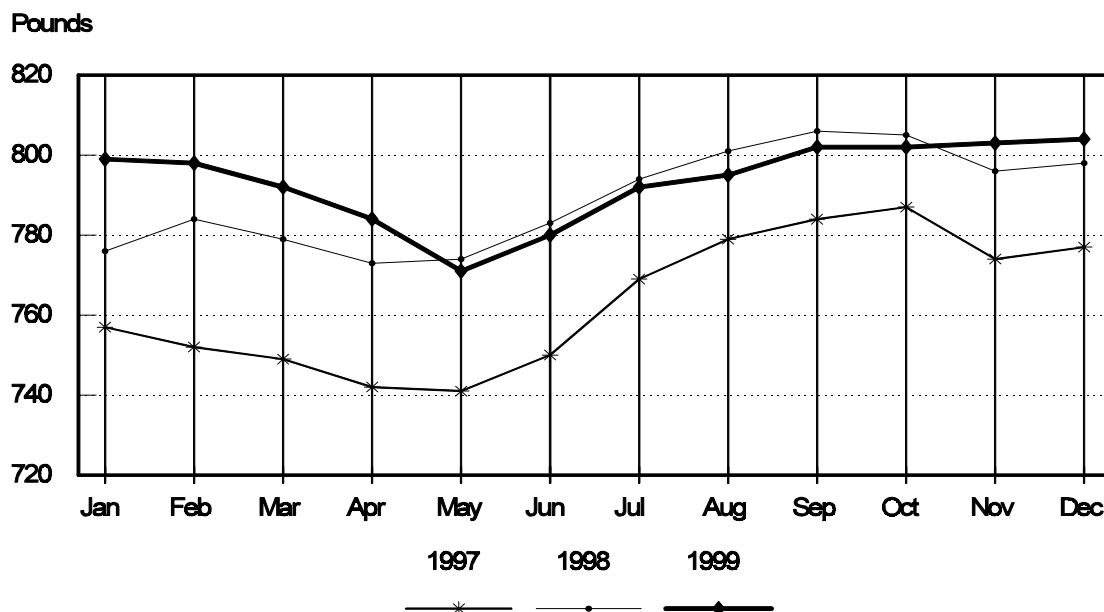
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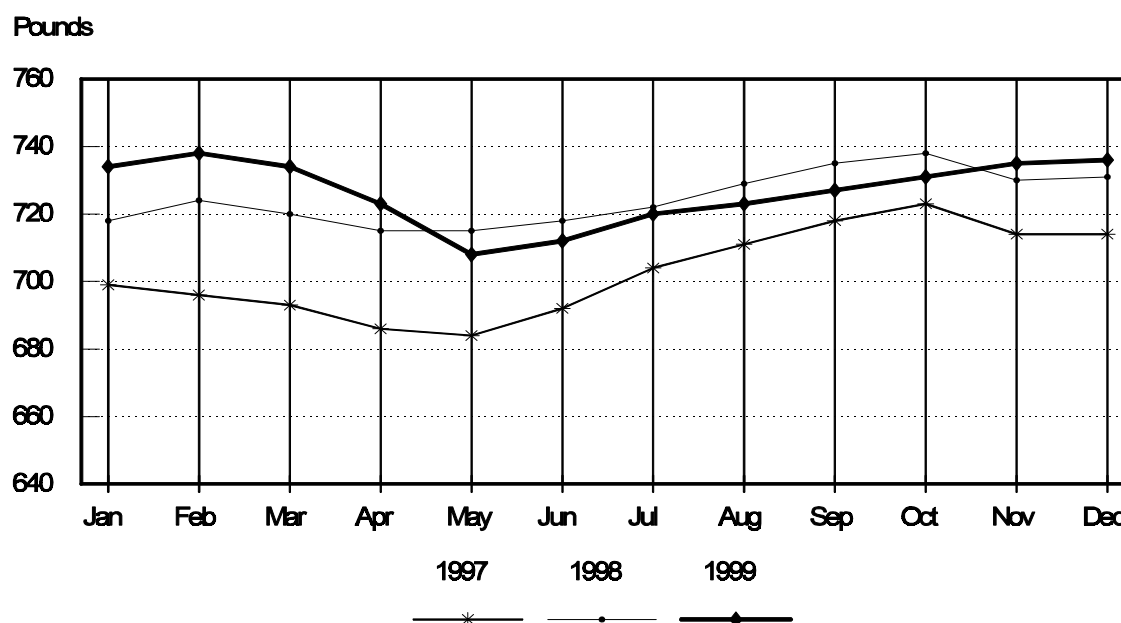
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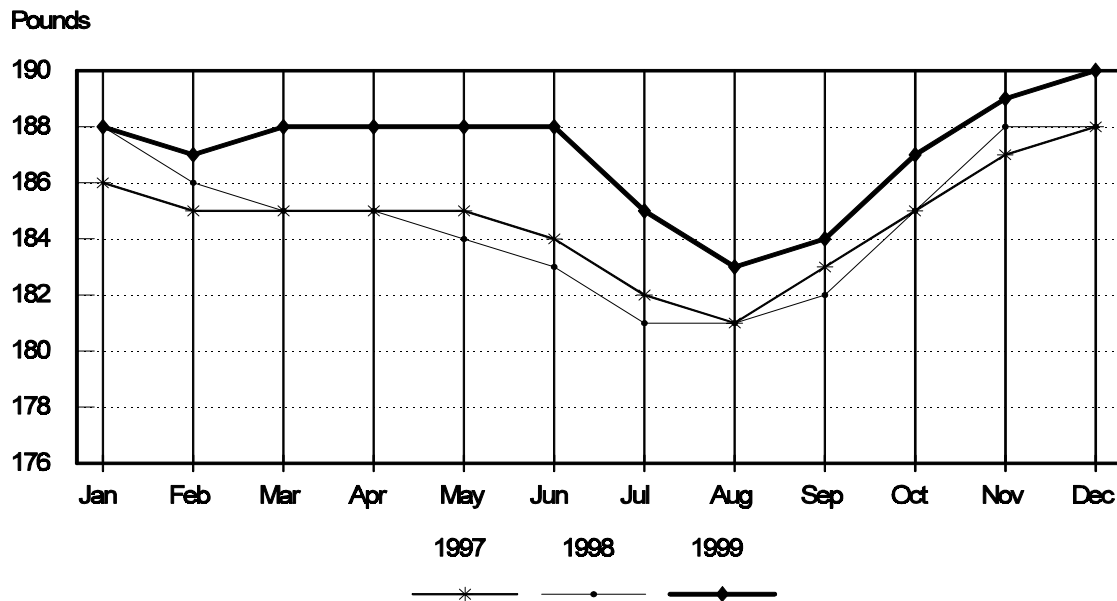
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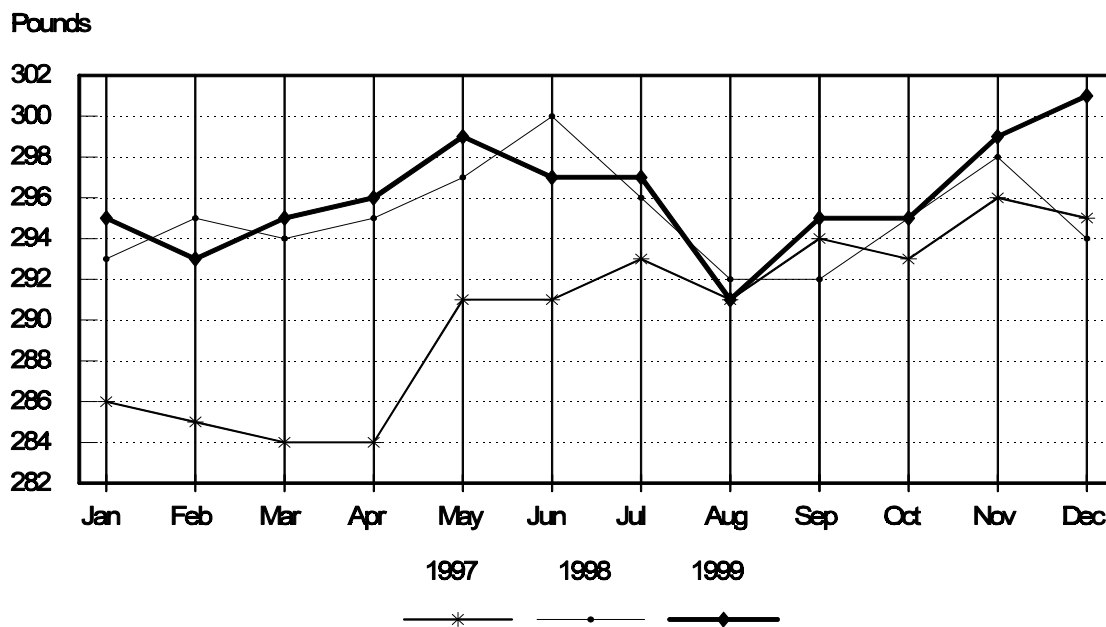
U.S. Monthly Federally Inspected Average Dressed Weight Heifers



U.S. Monthly Federally Inspected Average Dressed Weight Barrows and Gilts



U.S. Monthly Federally Inspected Average Dressed Weight Sows



Livestock Slaughter Estimates

Data Sources: Primary data for the commercial livestock slaughter estimates are obtained from the **Weekly Livestock Slaughter Report** (LS-149) questionnaires completed by inspectors from the Food Safety and Inspection Service (FSIS), USDA, which provide actual counts of animals slaughtered in Federally Inspected (FI) plants. These counts are combined with data from State-administered Non-Federally Inspected (NFI) slaughter plants to derive total commercial slaughter estimates. Over 95 percent of the total U.S. slaughter for any species is under FI. The LS-149 forms collect number of head slaughtered daily under FI by species and class as well as head kill after condemnation and total live and dressed weights.

Slightly over 900 plants in the U.S. are operated under Federal Inspection and 2,400 plants under State inspection. Slaughter from State-inspected Talmedge-Aiken plants is included in FI totals (see Types of Plants, page 98). To prevent duplication in reporting between NFI and FI plants and assure all FI plants are included, certificates prepared by FSIS identifying operating status are constantly monitored.

Revision Policy: Revisions are generally the result of late or corrected data and are less than one-half of 1 percent. Revisions for the previous month and the year-to-date totals are noted in each monthly release by an (*) or a footnote. Final data are published in the annual summary.

Procedures and Reliability: Individual inspectors may be contacted by telephone if the **Weekly Livestock Slaughter Report** questionnaire is not received by NASS in time for summarization. This assures that all plants slaughtering a large number of head or several species are accounted for each week.

All head kill data are tabulated on a weekly basis approximately two weeks after the kill week. A computer edit compares each plant's data with the historical data for that plant. The edit provides a missing reports listing for follow-up telephone contact and imputes missing weight data. In addition, data are checked for unusual values for species, class, head kill, and pattern of kill generally, based on each plant's past operating profile.

Usually, if no form is received by mail, data for plants slaughtering fewer than 50 total head weekly of only one species are imputed. Imputation of live and dressed weight data may also be necessary on partially completed forms for any plant. The imputation is also based on the data history of each respective plant and represents the recent operating characteristics until final data are tabulated. Imputed head kill for missing plants usually is less than 1 percent of the U.S. head kill totals. Imputation for live and dressed weight data for cattle is about 15 percent and for hogs about 10 percent. The imputation for calves and sheep is more frequent and variable.

Head kill for FI slaughter before condemnation is for the actual days of the survey month, while head kill after condemnation and live and dressed weight data are for full weeks only. Average live and dressed weight and dressing percentages by State are compared with the previous week as an additional check. Fluctuations are frequently the result of plants permanently or temporarily closing and a shift in the kind of animal reported.

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

Livestock slaughter estimates are based on a census of operating plants, and, therefore, have no sampling error. However, they may be subject to 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.

Generally, no data are published if less than three plants operate for a species in a State or if one plant has 60 percent or more of the total commercial slaughter for a species. These data are included in U.S. totals. A review of the reported data is made annually.

Types of Plants

There are generally **four types** of slaughtering plants.

(1)

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.

(2)

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.

(3)

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.

(4)

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.

Terms and Definitions

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

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: Is 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.

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.

Live Weight: The gross weight of a live animal when received at the slaughter plant.

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

Red Meat: Red meat production is the carcass weight after slaughter including beef, veal, pork, and lamb and mutton. It is derived using the number of head times average dressed weight for FI and NFI separately. FI head kill must be adjusted for condemnations using the factor derived from the FSIS inspection reports.

The FI meat production formula is $(\text{FI head kill}) \times (1 - \text{condemnation factor}) \times (\text{average dressed weight}) = \text{FI red meat production}$. The condemnation factor is the number of animals condemned as a percentage of the total kill. It has been fairly stable for the last five years; running about 1.75 head per 100 head for calves, .5 per 100 for cattle, .35 per 100 for hogs and .25 per 100 for sheep. 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.

Wholesome Meat Act: Legislation that specifies that all meat produced for sale in the U.S. must be inspected; and further, meat that is transported interstate must be inspected in compliance with federal (USDA) standards.

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