

# **FLORIDA AGRICULTURAL STATISTICS**



## **LIVESTOCK SUMMARY**

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## LIVESTOCK SUMMARY

### CATTLE AND CALVES ON FARMS

Florida's January 1, 1979 inventory of all cattle and calves, including both beef and dairy animals, totaled 2,180,000 head. This was 170,000 head less than a year earlier and represents a 7 percent decrease. On January 1, 1979, cows and heifers that have calved totaled 1,338,000 head, down 5 percent. Beef cows declined 64,000 from the previous year and milk cows were down 8,000 head.

Florida ranked 16th in the nation in total cattle, calves and milk cows on January 1, 1979, and 9th in beef cow numbers. A total of 673,000 cattle and calves were shipped out of Florida during 1978.

### CASH RECEIPTS

Cash receipts from Florida's cattle and calves marketed in 1978 totaled \$357,851,000 up 29 percent from 1977. Cattle prices in 1978 averaged \$43.30 per hundredweight, compared with \$29.60 in 1977. Calf prices averaged \$59.40 per hundredweight, compared to \$32.60 in 1977. Marketings of cattle and calves in 1978 totaled 724,005,000 pounds, down 20 percent from the previous year.

Receipts from hog marketings totaled \$36,275,000 in 1978, an increase of 30 percent from 1977. Prices received for hogs averaged \$44.00 per hundredweight in 1978, \$6.10 higher than the previous year's price.

### HOGS ON FARMS

The December 1, 1978 hog inventory in Florida totaled 360,000 head, up 13 percent from a year earlier. On December 1, 1978, there were 59,860,000 hogs and pigs in the United States, an increase of 6 percent from December 1, 1977.

### BEEES AND HONEY

Florida's 1978 honey production at 23,852,000 pounds, was up 66 percent from the record low 1977 crop. Yields

increased strongly due to improved weather and an excellent orange flow. Florida now ranks second in number of colonies and production in the U. S. following California in both categories.

### SURVEY METHODOLOGY

Primary data used in making cattle inventory estimates in this summary were obtained from probability surveys. Nationally, these surveys include approximately 70,000 farming operations heavily weighted to include operations having cattle. Information is collected by mail, telephone and personal interviews. Since all operations with cattle are not included in the sample, survey estimates are subject to sampling variability. This variability, as measured by the relative standard error, is about one percent at the national level for cattle inventory. This means that chances are approximately 95 out of 100 that a survey estimate will be within two percent of the complete coverage value if the same procedures were used to survey all producers. In Florida, approximately 1,400 cattle producers were surveyed with most of the large farms and ranches included in the count. As would be expected, the relative standard error for Florida and other states is greater than at the national level because of the smaller number of farms in the state samples.

Survey estimates are also subject to non-sampling errors such as omissions, duplications, recording and processing the data and mistakes in reporting. These errors cannot be measured directly, but they are minimized through rigid quality controls on the data collection process and a careful review of all reported data.

In setting the inventory estimates, survey information on births and deaths is used as well as inventory numbers. The survey results are combined with reliable data from other sources on slaughter, imports and exports to construct national and state balance sheets, which provide an additional check on survey inventory estimates.

Cash receipts from livestock marketings: Florida, 1969-1978 1/

Year	Cattle and calves	Hogs	Sheep and lambs	Milk	Poultry and eggs	Total 2/ livestock and products	Percent of total farm cash receipts
1,000 dollars							
1969	137,309	17,694	36	121,054	98,086	382,874	29
1970	153,811	18,016	25	126,864	97,129	402,525	31
1971	166,178	16,905	18	141,187	82,486	408,431	28
1972	191,252	21,720	20	149,524	88,885	467,434	28
1973	217,783	25,679	24	172,091	163,911	603,814	30
1974	140,313	22,150	17	211,423	156,313	543,582	25
1975	185,640	26,845	16	212,440	166,660	623,250	25
1976	208,877	19,867	29	240,150	189,969	683,221	27
1977	276,873	27,864	48	242,871	184,617	745,703	29
1978	357,851	36,275	3/	247,261	187,305	923,900	28

1/ Does not include government payments.

2/ Calendar year basis for cattle, calves, sheep, lambs, milk and total livestock and products. Total includes other items not shown separately and is otherwise not strictly comparable with components which reflect later revisions, and a marketing year of December previous year through November current year for hogs and for chickens beginning 1970.

3/ Separate estimates discontinued.

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CATTLE AND CALVES: NUMBER ON FARMS BY CLASSES, FLORIDA,  
JANUARY 1 AND JULY 1, 1971-79

KEPT FOR MILK			BEEF										
YEAR	MILK COWS	HEIFERS 1/	REPLACEMENT			500+ LBS			500- LBS			TOTAL	
			TOTAL	COWS	BULLS	REPLACE	I MENT	I HEIF	I STEERS	I CALVES	I CATTLE	AND	
			I LBS	I LBS				I HEIFERS	I ERS				
1,000 HEAD													
JAN 1													
1971	193	30	30	253	1,027	64	159	57	140	360	1,807	2,060	
1972	197	31	31	259	1,069	66	175	57	137	367	1,871	2,130	
1973	200	33	31	264	1,136	69	206	54	116	392	1,973	2,237	
1974	205	37	33	275	1,289	77	224	55	110	460	2,215	2,490	
1975	202	44	36	282	1,468	100	265	59	136	640	2,668	2,950	
1976	196	44	39	279	1,419	99	258	69	151	645	2,641	2,920	
1977	201	42	37	280	1,378	90	232	70	148	602	2,520	2,800	
1978	197	37	34	269	1,213	82	181	59	134	447	2,081	2,350	
1979	189	38	31	258	1,149	76	146	41	100	441	1,953	2,180	
JUL 1 3/													
1971	193	--	--	--	1,043	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	
1972	198	--	--	--	1,099	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	
1973	202	36	--	--	1,188	75	206	41	90	732	--	2,570	
1974	200	38	--	--	1,363	89	237	38	89	906	--	2,960	
1975	198	38	--	--	1,440	102	216	57	153	976	--	3,180	
1976	201	35	--	--	1,309	87	204	73	166	835	--	2,910	
1977	200	37	--	--	1,296	86	191	51	140	849	--	2,850	
1978	196	41	--	--	1,161	76	186	46	112	732	--	2,550	

1/ COWS AND HEIFERS THAT HAVE CALVED. 2/ INCLUDES SMALL NUMBER OF DAIRY BULLS.  
3/ SERIES FOR JULY 1 BEGAN 1971 FOR COWS ONLY, AND IN 1973 FOR OTHER CLASSES EX-  
CEPT DAIRY HEIFER CALVES UNDER 500 POUNDS NOT ESTIMATED SEPARATELY BUT IN-  
CLUDED WITH BEEF CALVES.

CATTLE AND CALVES: INVENTORY NUMBERS, CALF CROP AND DISPOSITION,  
FLORIDA, 1971-78

YEAR	ALL CATTLE AND CALVES	ALL COWS 3/	CALF CROP	INSHIP- MENTS	MARKETINGS		FARM SLAUGHTER 2/	DEATHS CATTLE AND CALVES
					CATTLE	CALVES		
1,000 HEAD								
1971	2,060	1,220	1,025	115	361	657	6	46
1972	2,130	1,266	1,087	91	300	692	7	72
1973	2,237	1,336	1,180	100	289	626	9	103
1974	2,490	1,494	1,320	70	350	442	18	120
1975	2,950	1,670	1,250	69	652	562	15	120
1976	2,920	1,615	1,170	65	568	669	11	107
1977	2,800	1,579	1,135	65	662	852	11	125
1978	2,350	1,410	1,060	76	478	711	10	107

1/ INCLUDES CUSTOM SLAUGHTER FOR USE ON FARMS WHERE PRODUCED, BUT EXCLUDES IN-  
TERFARM SALES WITHIN THE STATE. 2/ EXCLUDES CUSTOM SLAUGHTER FOR FARMERS AT  
COMMERCIAL ESTABLISHMENTS. 3/ COWS AND HEIFERS THAT HAVE CALVED.

CATTLE AND CALF SLAUGHTER: NUMBER OF HEAD, AVERAGE LIVEWEIGHT AND  
TOTAL LIVEWEIGHT, FLORIDA, 1969-78 1/

YEAR	NUMBER OF HEAD			AVERAGE LIVEWEIGHT POUNDS	TOTAL LIVEWEIGHT 1,000 POUNDS
	CATTLE	CALVES	TOTAL		
	1,000 HEAD				
1969	400.0	203.9	603.9	733	442,419
1970	392.5	160.3	552.8	773	427,283
1971	412.0	102.9	514.9	841	432,873
1972	368.0	92.7	460.7	838	386,220
1973	355.5	67.4	422.9	870	367,797
1974	406.5	108.5	515.0	822	423,090
1975	603.5	166.6	770.1	798	614,409
1976	578.0	209.3	787.3	778	612,842
1977	535.4	233.0	768.4	756	580,800
1978	490.6	161.8	652.4	817	532,994

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

CATTLE AND CALVES: MARKETINGS, CASH RECEIPTS AND INCOME, FLORIDA, 1969-78

YEAR	MARKETINGS 1/	PRICE PER 100 POUNDS		CASH RECEIPTS 2/	GROSS INCOME 3/
		CATTLE	CALVES		
	1,000 POUNDS	DOLLARS		1,000 DOLLARS	
1969	526,867	23.90	30.20	137,309	139,404
1970	549,560	25.20	33.10	153,811	156,606
1971	556,090	25.90	35.80	166,178	169,102
1972	510,910	30.00	46.00	191,252	195,293
1973	466,040	38.40	57.50	217,783	224,664
1974	453,575	31.00	30.80	140,313	150,532
1975	754,130	25.10	23.30	185,640	192,184
1976	712,640	28.90	30.20	208,877	213,774
1977	905,242	29.60	32.60	276,873	281,673
1978	724,005	43.30	59.40	357,851	366,225

1/EXCLUDES CUSTOM SLAUGHTER FOR USE ON FARMS WHERE PRODUCED AND INTERFARM SALES.

2/RECEIPTS FROM MARKETINGS AND SALES OF FARM SLAUGHTER.

3/CASH RECEIPTS PLUS THE VALUE OF HOME CONSUMPTION.

BEEF CATTLE: AVERAGE PRICE PER 100 POUNDS RECEIVED BY FARMERS,  
FLORIDA, 1969-78

YEAR	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN
	DOLLARS					
1969	22.00	22.80	23.60	25.10	25.20	25.40
1970	24.90	25.40	28.20	27.50	26.00	25.80
1971	24.30	26.50	26.20	26.30	26.70	25.60
1972	28.40	29.50	29.30	28.50	29.50	30.50
1973	32.70	35.90	39.80	38.90	39.30	39.30
1974	39.00	41.10	36.80	36.30	33.90	32.00
1975	23.20	23.80	23.60	25.60	27.30	27.70
1976	26.20	28.00	29.50	32.70	33.00	31.00
1977	27.50	28.90	30.50	31.90	31.40	29.50
1978	32.80	36.30	39.70	44.00	45.60	45.20

YEAR	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	ANNUAL AVERAGE
	DOLLARS						
1969	25.00	24.50	23.40	22.80	22.50	23.60	23.90
1970	25.40	25.40	23.70	23.40	22.60	22.00	25.20
1971	25.70	26.20	25.50	25.70	25.10	26.60	25.90
1972	31.60	31.50	31.00	31.20	30.20	29.70	30.00
1973	41.00	45.20	39.90	36.50	34.70	33.70	38.40
1974	30.90	29.20	27.10	23.20	22.10	22.20	31.00
1975	26.30	23.50	24.40	24.00	24.50	25.60	25.10
1976	30.80	27.80	26.60	25.60	24.50	25.90	28.90
1977	29.70	29.40	28.40	28.30	28.90	29.00	29.60
1978	46.10	47.80	48.20	48.50	49.50	54.30	43.30

CALVES: AVERAGE PRICE PER 100 POUNDS RECEIVED BY FARMERS,  
FLORIDA, 1969-78

YEAR	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN
DOLLARS						
1969	26.00	29.50	30.00	32.60	32.00	33.50
1970	30.70	32.60	34.60	35.10	36.30	35.40
1971	31.30	33.90	34.40	35.30	38.20	35.20
1972	39.70	41.00	43.40	45.50	45.50	46.40
1973	49.90	50.20	56.40	60.30	64.90	61.10
1974	51.30	46.60	48.00	45.00	38.10	34.10
1975	21.20	21.70	22.10	23.20	25.00	25.70
1976	26.80	29.50	30.50	35.70	34.80	34.60
1977	29.20	31.10	33.20	36.20	34.60	32.90
1978	39.40	44.60	52.20	55.30	63.00	59.20

YEAR	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	ANNUAL AVERAGE
DOLLARS							
1969	31.10	29.70	29.30	28.70	29.20	30.90	30.20
1970	35.00	33.30	32.20	31.80	30.00	30.80	33.10
1971	36.20	35.80	35.50	36.30	36.60	37.70	35.80
1972	47.70	46.80	47.10	48.00	47.60	46.50	46.00
1973	61.80	66.50	58.00	53.30	47.00	47.10	57.50
1974	31.60	28.00	23.10	21.60	19.90	19.70	30.80
1975	24.60	21.70	23.00	23.20	22.40	25.50	23.30
1976	31.40	31.10	28.10	28.10	26.50	27.60	30.20
1977	32.00	33.10	32.50	31.80	31.60	32.30	32.60
1978	63.50	63.10	67.50	63.40	67.40	74.40	59.40

STEERS AND HEIFERS: AVERAGE PRICE PER 100 POUNDS RECEIVED BY FARMERS.  
FLORIDA, 1969-78

YEAR	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN
	DOLLARS					
1969	24.50	24.90	26.00	26.80	27.10	28.60
1970	27.40	27.80	30.10	29.70	28.20	28.40
1971	27.00	28.90	28.80	28.70	29.20	28.30
1972	32.30	33.20	32.90	31.80	33.40	34.30
1973	37.70	41.10	45.30	44.10	45.00	44.60
1974	44.90	46.60	42.30	40.40	37.10	34.60
1975	28.40	28.30	27.00	29.10	31.50	31.40
1976	31.30	31.70	31.30	35.80	36.40	35.00
1977	30.80	31.60	32.30	33.90	34.10	33.80
1978	37.40	40.70	44.20	48.70	52.10	52.90

YEAR	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	ANNUAL AVERAGE
	DOLLARS						
1969	27.50	26.50	25.60	25.20	25.20	26.00	26.30
1970	28.20	28.00	26.60	27.00	25.90	25.30	28.00
1971	28.40	29.00	28.80	28.70	29.10	30.50	28.80
1972	35.60	35.30	34.70	35.60	34.50	34.60	33.90
1973	47.20	52.60	47.80	42.30	39.60	38.40	44.40
1974	35.80	33.70	33.30	28.90	27.80	27.80	36.20
1975	32.30	27.90	28.80	29.30	31.10	32.40	29.80
1976	34.50	32.00	29.60	29.50	28.70	29.80	32.60
1977	33.40	33.60	33.50	33.10	33.60	33.60	33.10
1978	53.50	55.90	56.40	56.40	58.00	64.70	49.30

COWS: AVERAGE PRICE PER 100 POUNDS RECEIVED BY FARMERS,  
FLORIDA, 1969-78 1/

YEAR	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN
	DOLLARS					
1969	18.40	19.30	19.90	21.00	20.20	20.70
1970	21.20	21.90	22.90	23.30	21.90	21.80
1971	20.80	22.10	22.50	22.00	22.10	22.10
1972	23.10	24.00	24.40	24.20	25.30	26.00
1973	28.10	30.70	33.00	33.40	32.50	32.40
1974	32.30	33.50	32.60	30.70	29.60	27.10
1975	18.40	18.80	18.80	19.90	21.10	20.90
1976	21.80	24.40	26.10	27.40	27.40	26.70
1977	23.20	24.60	26.60	26.70	25.90	25.20
1978	27.50	30.40	33.50	35.30	36.00	36.10

YEAR	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	ANNUAL AVERAGE
	DOLLARS						
1969	20.40	20.60	20.40	19.60	19.30	20.60	20.00
1970	21.10	20.40	20.10	20.30	19.10	19.40	21.00
1971	21.80	21.40	21.00	21.30	21.60	22.00	21.70
1972	26.30	26.20	25.40	25.90	25.80	26.10	25.10
1973	33.50	35.70	32.80	32.20	31.70	30.60	32.20
1974	25.90	22.70	20.10	18.30	17.40	17.60	25.00
1975	19.30	18.60	18.50	18.60	19.10	19.60	19.30
1976	25.20	23.60	22.40	21.80	21.20	22.30	24.30
1977	24.90	24.10	23.50	22.50	23.20	24.60	24.60
1978	36.10	35.80	37.20	38.40	40.00	43.30	34.70

1/ INCLUDES CULL DAIRY COWS SOLD FOR SLAUGHTER BUT NOT DAIRY COWS FOR HERD REPLACEMENT.

**SLAUGHTER CATTLE AND CALVES: ANNUAL AVERAGE PRICE PER 100 POUNDS BY MARKET CLASS  
AND GRADE, FLORIDA AUCTIONS, 1969-78**

CLASS AND GRADE	1969 16 MKT\$.	1970 16 MKT\$.	1971 15 MKT\$.	1972 15 MKT\$.	1973 15 MKT\$.	1974 14 MKT\$.	1975 14 MKT\$.	1976 14 MKT\$.	1977 14 MKT\$.	1978 14 MKT\$.
DOLLARS										
<b>STEERS</b>										
CHOICE	29.68	29.85	30.92	34.81	43.92	41.97	37.00	36.59	37.77	49.18
GOOD	27.54	28.43	28.68	33.03	42.61	32.82	29.42	33.84	34.66	46.04
STANDARD	25.03	25.58	26.04	30.72	39.50	28.64	25.95	30.11	31.49	42.19
UTILITY	22.54	22.97	23.19	26.11	34.87	25.90	20.09	27.19	27.09	41.88
CUTTER	19.37	19.82	19.75	21.07	32.50	--	15.71	26.19	24.86	34.50
ALL	26.55	27.10	27.21	31.73	41.11	31.21	27.92	31.69	32.60	44.46
<b>HEIFERS</b>										
CHOICE	28.49	28.38	29.36	33.99	42.88	40.20	32.61	33.83	34.46	48.69
GOOD	26.08	27.53	27.64	31.97	41.02	30.99	26.94	31.83	32.19	44.63
STANDARD	24.10	25.75	25.52	29.59	36.99	26.13	23.55	28.47	29.62	39.68
UTILITY	21.67	22.84	22.85	25.13	31.40	21.44	18.78	24.71	25.75	32.63
CUTTER	18.40	19.39	18.79	19.50	23.18	22.00	14.05	20.66	18.33	--
ALL	24.90	26.36	26.84	31.24	39.40	29.43	24.95	29.11	29.88	42.41
<b>COWS</b>										
STANDARD	23.34	24.45	25.72	29.24	35.29	30.03	24.60	29.12	30.19	40.88
COMMERCIAL	20.81	21.47	21.06	27.83	35.53	27.97	22.49	28.47	27.40	39.35
UTILITY	21.38	22.49	23.04	26.38	34.35	27.51	21.45	26.67	26.18	37.76
CUTTER	18.79	19.79	20.30	23.58	30.29	22.78	16.85	22.45	22.73	33.25
CANNER	15.35	16.13	16.41	19.18	24.19	16.97	11.91	17.29	18.37	26.88
ALL	19.97	21.00	21.67	25.11	32.16	24.97	18.42	23.83	23.74	35.13
<b>BULLS</b>										
ALL	23.10	25.12	25.84	29.26	38.17	31.24	22.73	28.84	29.16	41.67
<b>CALVES</b>										
CHOICE	36.76	40.70	38.93	46.05	55.02	30.50	27.89	35.99	39.17	63.15
GOOD	31.42	34.36	34.53	42.16	44.88	27.07	23.90	31.49	33.31	53.48
STANDARD	28.56	31.75	31.44	35.00	40.27	24.40	19.67	27.42	29.90	40.70
UTILITY	24.59	27.39	26.03	28.35	33.51	20.18	16.06	22.97	24.58	34.00
ALL	30.24	33.71	34.27	43.35	52.01	28.18	24.46	31.72	33.43	55.57

STOCKER CATTLE AND CALVES: ANNUAL AVERAGE PRICE PER 100 POUNDS BY MARKET CLASS  
AND GRADE, FLORIDA AUCTIONS, 1969-78

CLASS AND GRADE	1969 16 MKT\$.	1970 16 MKT\$.	1971 15 MKT\$.	1972 15 MKT\$.	1973 15 MKT\$.	1974 14 MKT\$.	1975 14 MKT\$.	1976 14 MKT\$.	1977 14 MKT\$.	1978 14 MKT\$.
DOLLARS										
STEERS										
PRIME	28.63	32.25	34.90	39.88	50.69	36.13	29.07	30.59	32.46	62.71
CHOICE	28.65	31.17	31.66	38.71	50.47	33.89	27.56	34.04	36.26	58.02
GOOD	27.66	29.39	30.19	36.80	48.48	30.50	23.83	32.26	33.43	52.50
STANDARD	25.61	27.28	27.37	33.75	43.23	26.44	18.97	28.03	29.66	44.46
UTILITY	22.36	23.38	22.90	27.47	34.99	22.67	14.44	22.21	23.90	35.14
INFERIOR	18.23	18.81	17.13	--	25.00	--	14.00	23.50	--	--
ALL	26.20	28.35	28.97	35.83	47.26	30.18	23.06	31.48	33.09	53.24
HEIFERS										
CHOICE	26.22	28.63	29.22	35.74	45.09	33.89	23.91	29.95	30.36	49.69
GOOD	25.35	27.42	28.17	35.06	45.31	30.60	19.74	27.24	28.13	46.72
STANDARD	24.21	26.09	26.65	33.49	42.83	26.78	16.11	23.79	25.13	38.96
UTILITY	21.66	23.09	22.93	28.63	36.02	24.43	13.22	20.59	20.51	33.72
INFERIOR	18.32	18.96	18.00	27.88	--	--	--	--	13.75	--
ALL	24.05	26.31	27.20	34.36	44.33	29.82	18.46	26.04	27.43	46.60
COWS										
GOOD	21.72	23.26	24.02	28.70	37.26	27.04	17.53	24.29	24.34	37.85
STANDARD	20.68	21.64	22.08	25.80	33.87	23.65	15.93	22.58	22.21	34.82
UTILITY	17.95	18.63	19.03	22.41	27.79	19.87	13.04	19.61	20.06	32.70
INFERIOR	14.42	15.06	15.41	17.99	21.63	16.17	9.36	13.66	15.76	24.55
ALL	19.03	20.01	20.91	25.24	32.29	22.46	14.39	21.51	21.87	35.77
BULLS										
ALL	23.99	26.16	26.59	31.20	41.40	28.71	20.22	28.57	29.21	44.43
CALVES										
PRIME	33.84	38.87	39.05	52.40	69.52	40.23	25.72	34.40	40.18	68.63
CHOICE	35.18	39.04	40.44	51.90	64.42	35.61	24.97	33.85	38.20	67.52
GOOD	32.62	36.59	37.71	49.10	60.48	32.97	20.86	29.90	33.41	59.64
STANDARD	29.82	33.14	34.13	44.28	54.39	29.92	16.07	25.20	28.31	48.41
UTILITY	25.42	27.74	28.13	35.26	43.65	24.95	12.27	19.51	21.83	37.55
INFERIOR	20.59	20.72	19.93	22.34	45.45	33.00	10.70	--	--	--
ALL	31.45	35.56	37.09	48.85	60.53	32.97	20.04	29.20	32.81	59.72

SLAUGHTER CATTLE: AVERAGE PRICE PER 100 POUNDS BY CLASS, GRADES, AND MONTHS,  
AND ANNUAL AVERAGE, 14 FLORIDA LIVESTOCK AUCTIONS, 1978

CLASS AND GRADE	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN
DOLLARS						
<b>SLAUGHTER STEERS</b>						
CHOICE	41.55	40.99	44.35	50.14	53.15	56.75
GOOD	38.27	39.23	42.86	47.45	51.65	51.32
STANDARD	33.94	37.34	39.22	42.90	46.04	47.30
UTILITY	30.88	30.88	37.69	42.67	39.86	--
ALL	36.71	38.38	41.24	45.85	49.39	49.63
<b>HEIFERS</b>						
CHOICE	39.20	40.34	44.97	45.50	47.45	53.69
GOOD	36.02	38.04	41.76	44.21	49.15	47.17
STANDARD	33.73	36.10	40.56	41.50	45.31	44.50
UTILITY	24.75	--	34.92	33.13	--	--
ALL	34.86	36.87	41.11	42.85	47.66	45.45
<b>COWS</b>						
STANDARD	--	--	--	--	--	--
COMMERCIAL	28.63	35.13	38.13	40.85	40.43	37.96
UTILITY	29.47	32.67	35.14	37.93	39.42	37.65
CUTTER	26.18	28.16	30.45	32.88	34.88	33.48
CANNER	21.17	22.04	24.17	26.53	29.13	28.20
ALL	27.33	30.14	32.57	35.29	36.81	35.22
<b>BULLS</b>						
ALL	31.97	35.42	38.10	42.31	42.82	41.30
<b>BULLOCKS</b>						
GOOD	30.00	38.30	41.45	43.85	48.00	--
STANDARD	33.72	34.72	38.83	39.30	44.33	39.85
ALL	33.35	36.00	39.97	42.33	46.17	39.85
<b>ALL GRADES AND CLASSES</b>						
STEERS	37.99	43.77	48.45	49.75	54.69	53.50
HEIFERS	33.48	36.94	42.10	44.25	48.80	46.40
COWS	27.25	30.04	32.51	35.25	36.76	35.18
BULLS	33.48	36.11	38.95	42.64	44.36	43.09
ALL CATTLE (EXCLUDING CALVES)	32.29	36.67	40.38	42.49	45.42	43.08

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SLAUGHTER CATTLE: AVERAGE PRICE PER 100 POUNDS BY CLASS, GRADES, AND MONTHS, AND ANNUAL AVERAGE, 14 FLORIDA LIVESTOCK AUCTIONS, 1978 (CONT.)

CLASS AND GRADE	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	ANNUAL AVERAGE
DOLLARS							
<b>SLAUGHTER STEERS</b>							
CHOICE	53.07	50.30	46.50	53.06	51.23	56.73	49.18
GOOD	51.58	48.68	47.73	49.39	50.06	55.08	46.04
STANDARD	43.56	46.50	44.17	45.44	46.08	47.83	42.19
UTILITY	--	--	--	39.63	--	--	38.32
ALL	48.62	48.56	46.05	46.53	48.11	52.47	44.46
<b>HEIFERS</b>							
CHOICE	48.44	51.47	54.96	52.35	50.21	57.65	48.69
GOOD	47.91	48.81	50.70	49.15	47.55	53.29	44.63
STANDARD	45.41	43.11	42.59	42.01	42.46	43.73	39.68
UTILITY	--	--	--	--	--	--	32.63
ALL	46.70	46.15	50.32	48.10	46.78	51.88	42.41
<b>COWS</b>							
STANDARD	--	--	40.00	41.75	--	--	40.88
COMMERCIAL	38.96	40.86	39.86	39.98	41.80	46.75	39.35
UTILITY	38.79	38.61	39.77	41.32	42.78	46.18	37.76
CUTTER	34.44	34.52	35.67	36.68	37.95	40.50	33.25
CANNER	28.89	28.17	28.84	29.64	30.36	33.11	26.88
ALL	36.13	35.74	37.30	38.62	40.06	43.49	35.13
<b>BULLS</b>							
ALL	42.88	41.31	42.95	43.68	46.13	52.23	41.71
<b>BULLOCKS</b>							
GOOD	--	--	--	--	--	--	42.02
STANDARD	36.92	--	42.00	36.75	42.50	45.50	37.78
ALL	36.92	--	42.00	36.75	42.50	45.50	39.32
<b>ALL GRADES AND CLASSES</b>							
STEERS	57.33	57.34	59.48	57.79	61.76	68.07	52.90
HEIFERS	48.89	49.50	51.38	50.24	52.85	59.89	46.05
COWS	36.10	35.78	37.23	38.42	40.02	43.33	35.23
BULLS	44.97	44.07	45.95	45.01	46.74	52.07	42.81
<b>ALL CATTLE (EXCLUDING CALVES)</b>							
	46.11	47.01	48.18	47.65	49.49	54.34	43.72

STOCKER CATTLE: AVERAGE PRICE PER 100 POUNDS BY CLASS, GRADES, AND MONTHS,  
AND ANNUAL AVERAGE, 14 FLORIDA LIVESTOCK AUCTIONS, 1978

CLASS AND GRADE	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN
DOLLARS						
<b>STOCKER STEERS</b>						
CHOICE	42.30	46.58	52.11	52.85	58.13	58.81
GOOD	37.64	43.66	48.41	49.89	55.29	53.86
STANDARD	33.57	37.58	40.79	42.70	48.50	46.77
UTILITY	--	33.15	35.39	36.48	41.16	--
ALL	38.07	44.07	48.75	49.95	54.92	53.63
<b>HEIFERS</b>						
CHOICE	35.83	39.52	44.50	47.35	51.43	50.05
GOOD	33.26	36.64	42.15	44.44	49.65	47.19
STANDARD	28.65	30.47	35.09	37.52	42.08	40.33
UTILITY	--	--	29.40	32.48	37.25	--
ALL	32.93	36.96	42.26	44.51	48.97	46.52
<b>COWS</b>						
GOOD	28.19	31.36	34.06	37.50	38.47	36.89
STANDARD	26.45	28.36	31.32	34.21	36.31	34.60
UTILITY	23.20	25.66	28.39	31.86	32.32	32.50
INFERIOR	17.20	23.17	19.29	23.87	24.79	27.87
ALL	26.57	29.27	32.13	34.91	36.48	34.97
<b>BULLS</b>						
ALL	33.48	37.40	40.57	43.25	46.00	45.33
<b>ALL GRADES AND CLASSES</b>						
STEERS	37.99	43.77	48.45	49.75	54.69	53.50
HEIFERS	33.48	36.94	42.10	44.25	48.80	46.40
COWS	27.25	30.04	32.51	35.25	36.76	35.18
BULLS	33.48	36.11	38.95	42.64	44.36	43.09
ALL CATTLE (EXCLUDING CALVES)	32.29	36.67	40.38	42.49	45.42	43.08

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STOCKER CATTLE: AVERAGE PRICE PER 100 POUNDS BY CLASS, GRADES, AND MONTHS, AND ANNUAL AVERAGE, 14 FLORIDA LIVESTOCK AUCTIONS, 1978 (CONT.)

CLASS AND GRADE	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	ANNUAL AVERAGE
DOLLARS							
<b>STOCKER STEERS</b>							
CHOICE	62.49	62.16	65.07	64.34	66.92	73.69	58.02
GOOD	56.88	56.54	58.54	57.72	61.46	66.88	52.50
STANDARD	47.63	46.35	48.02	46.55	49.38	55.38	44.46
UTILITY	--	--	--	--	--	--	35.14
ALL	57.56	57.44	59.82	58.32	62.25	68.73	53.24
<b>HEIFERS</b>							
CHOICE	51.72	53.66	56.05	55.70	56.72	64.51	49.69
GOOD	48.88	49.30	51.14	50.07	53.12	59.73	46.72
STANDARD	41.08	41.86	42.54	42.83	44.75	49.32	38.96
UTILITY	--	--	--	--	--	--	33.72
ALL	49.07	49.75	51.47	50.43	53.46	60.56	46.60
<b>COWS</b>							
GOOD	36.87	36.99	38.79	39.67	41.98	45.73	37.85
STANDARD	35.53	35.58	36.76	36.90	39.18	41.41	34.82
UTILITY	32.66	32.20	33.72	34.17	36.82	37.74	32.70
INFERIOR	25.00	27.28	26.53	25.34	26.08	27.00	24.55
ALL	35.94	36.00	36.93	37.77	39.87	42.86	35.77
<b>BULLS</b>							
ALL	47.22	48.20	48.73	47.03	47.64	51.55	44.43
<b>ALL GRADES AND CLASSES</b>							
STEERS	57.33	57.34	59.48	57.79	61.76	68.07	52.90
HEIFERS	48.89	49.50	51.38	50.24	52.85	59.89	46.05
COWS	36.10	35.78	37.23	38.42	40.02	43.33	35.23
BULLS	44.97	44.07	45.95	45.01	46.74	52.07	42.81
ALL CATTLE (EXCLUDING CALVES)	46.11	47.01	48.18	47.65	49.49	54.34	43.72

CALVES: AVERAGE PRICE PER 100 POUNDS BY CLASS, GRADES, AND MONTHS,  
AND ANNUAL AVERAGE, 14 FLORIDA LIVESTOCK AUCTIONS, 1978

CLASS AND GRADE	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN
DOLLARS						
<b>SLAUGHTER CALVES:</b>						
OVER 250 LBS.						
PRIME	--	--	--	65.75	79.62	--
CHOICE	43.75	48.42	57.62	58.39	66.43	60.98
GOOD	38.67	40.77	47.51	50.68	56.07	54.71
STANDARD	35.01	37.20	41.32	41.18	45.81	47.65
UTILITY	--	--	34.00	--	--	--
ALL	38.21	41.41	49.86	53.11	60.62	56.30
<b>SLAUGHTER CALVES:</b>						
UNDER 250 LBS.						
PRIME	--	68.50	--	66.48	80.79	--
CHOICE	52.49	56.38	61.45	65.34	72.89	66.78
GOOD	42.25	46.65	49.72	56.33	62.73	58.21
STANDARD	33.27	36.29	38.94	40.68	44.58	46.83
UTILITY	--	--	--	--	--	--
ALL	42.23	48.91	54.19	60.31	68.87	60.63
<b>ALL SLAUGHTER CALVES:</b>						
PRIME	--	68.50	--	66.33	80.02	--
CHOICE	46.98	52.02	59.28	61.36	69.07	63.36
GOOD	39.35	42.34	48.10	52.37	57.84	55.88
STANDARD	34.63	37.02	40.59	41.01	45.56	47.31
UTILITY	--	--	34.00	--	--	--
ALL	39.11	43.63	51.26	55.69	63.42	57.90
<b>STOCKER CALVES:</b>						
OVER 300 LBS.						
PRIME	--	57.00	65.54	68.40	70.75	--
CHOICE	43.41	47.11	54.07	59.05	65.64	62.19
GOOD	39.55	43.94	49.76	52.74	58.91	55.76
STANDARD	33.96	38.20	42.75	45.02	51.05	47.86
UTILITY	--	33.39	36.75	38.37	42.17	--
ALL	39.41	44.05	49.99	52.75	58.93	55.64
<b>STOCKER CALVES:</b>						
UNDER 300 LBS.						
PRIME	52.00	69.20	--	72.69	84.25	65.60
CHOICE	46.99	53.83	62.81	66.33	76.18	71.47
GOOD	40.34	46.74	55.00	58.03	67.55	62.57
STANDARD	33.97	37.75	44.66	48.52	54.43	49.85
UTILITY	--	31.18	38.39	42.31	42.72	--
ALL	39.47	45.56	54.49	57.51	66.66	62.67
<b>ALL STOCKER CALVES:</b>						
PRIME	52.00	67.17	65.54	71.04	73.75	65.60
CHOICE	44.84	49.58	58.08	62.77	71.02	67.46
GOOD	39.93	45.27	52.41	55.37	63.27	59.52
STANDARD	33.97	37.92	43.90	47.05	52.83	48.87
UTILITY	--	31.61	37.95	41.17	42.58	--
ALL	39.44	44.78	52.29	55.23	62.88	59.48
AVERAGE ALL CALVES	39.37	44.62	52.18	55.29	62.96	59.20

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CALVES: AVERAGE PRICE PER 100 POUNDS BY CLASS, GRADES, AND MONTHS,  
AND ANNUAL AVERAGE, 14 FLORIDA LIVESTOCK AUCTIONS, 1978 (CONT.)

CLASS AND GRADE	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	ANNUAL AVERAGE
DOLLARS							
<b>SLAUGHTER CALVES:</b>							
OVER 250 LBS.							
PRIME	--	--	--	--	--	--	77.02
CHOICE	59.91	61.03	62.13	62.37	65.32	73.52	60.82
GOOD	54.88	56.10	57.38	56.25	59.56	67.24	52.26
STANDARD	48.34	46.16	45.88	46.08	46.63	55.35	39.84
UTILITY	--	--	--	--	--	--	34.00
ALL	56.53	57.26	58.63	57.06	60.35	70.37	53.75
<b>SLAUGHTER CALVES:</b>							
UNDER 250 LBS.							
PRIME	--	--	--	78.00	--	--	71.74
CHOICE	67.63	68.69	69.40	69.70	72.16	81.89	67.26
GOOD	58.80	60.03	62.45	61.83	64.51	71.37	57.16
STANDARD	46.76	48.58	49.48	50.77	47.86	56.48	42.63
UTILITY	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
ALL	60.69	61.73	64.58	63.65	65.67	73.91	59.98
<b>ALL SLAUGHTER CALVES:</b>							
PRIME	--	--	--	78.00	--	--	73.96
CHOICE	61.77	62.82	64.17	65.01	68.23	76.10	63.15
GOOD	55.83	56.98	58.30	57.39	61.03	68.92	53.48
STANDARD	47.18	47.21	47.58	47.90	47.20	56.16	40.70
UTILITY	--	--	--	--	--	--	34.00
ALL	57.59	58.31	59.96	58.73	62.23	71.70	55.57
<b>STOCKER CALVES:</b>							
OVER 300 LBS.							
PRIME	--	--	--	--	--	--	67.65
CHOICE	67.15	66.51	70.04	66.99	71.45	77.73	62.67
GOOD	59.18	59.82	63.21	61.02	64.31	70.96	56.19
STANDARD	48.44	48.25	52.12	50.59	52.54	58.78	46.58
UTILITY	--	--	--	--	--	--	37.19
ALL	60.88	60.87	64.39	61.57	65.52	72.16	56.69
<b>STOCKER CALVES:</b>							
UNDER 300 LBS.							
PRIME	--	--	--	--	--	--	69.39
CHOICE	75.30	76.72	81.67	76.86	81.42	87.18	72.78
GOOD	67.18	66.27	71.21	66.15	70.77	76.98	62.80
STANDARD	53.14	52.54	57.25	54.16	56.87	61.78	49.59
UTILITY	--	--	--	--	--	--	37.67
ALL	67.53	66.66	71.93	66.13	70.73	76.57	62.44
<b>ALL STOCKER CALVES:</b>							
PRIME	--	--	--	--	--	--	68.63
CHOICE	71.36	71.54	75.89	71.58	75.78	82.16	67.52
GOOD	63.77	63.47	67.71	63.59	67.54	74.31	59.64
STANDARD	51.35	51.10	55.43	52.97	55.44	60.89	48.41
UTILITY	--	--	--	--	--	--	37.55
ALL	64.61	64.10	68.57	63.93	68.16	74.60	59.72
<b>AVERAGE ALL CALVES</b>							
	63.48	63.07	67.46	63.38	67.41	74.40	59.13

CATTLE, CALVES, AND HOGS: NUMBER SOLD THROUGH FLORIDA AUCTION MARKETS,  
BY AREAS, 1969-78 1/

YEAR	NORTHWEST AND NORTHEAST FLORIDA			CENTRAL AND SOUTH FLORIDA		
	CATTLE	CALVES	HOGS	CATTLE	CALVES	HOGS
HEAD						
1969	138,401	141,403	320,347	160,163	268,748	--
1970	139,472	151,963	296,808	150,109	271,580	--
1971	136,771	190,030	315,288	144,864	276,951	--
1972	121,000	226,587	329,577	125,846	315,999	--
1973	102,279	214,594	284,331	120,205	320,603	--
1974	99,482	159,337	302,467	110,414	235,588	--
1975	161,146	199,229	296,717	183,365	306,817	--
1976	184,756	202,740	286,957	212,888	294,097	--
1977	233,072	154,032	322,425	251,880	230,258	--
1978	350,308	---	371,392	486,145	---	--

1/ CALVES INCLUDED WITH CATTLE BEGINNING 1978.

CATTLE, CALVES, AND HOGS: ESTIMATED RECEIPTS, AVERAGE WEIGHTS, AND PRICES,  
FLORIDA LIVESTOCK AUCTIONS, 1969-78

YEAR	CATTLE			CALVES			HOGS		
	HEAD	AVERAGE		HEAD	AVERAGE		HEAD	AVERAGE	
		AVERAGE WEIGHT PER CWT	PRICE		AVERAGE WEIGHT PER CWT	PRICE		AVERAGE WEIGHT PER CWT	PRICE
	NUMBER	LBS	DOLS	NUMBER	LBS	DOLS	NUMBER	LBS	DOLS
1969	298,564	719	22.68	410,151	284	31.09	320,347	173	23.13
1970	289,581	743	24.07	423,543	286	34.97	296,808	171	22.34
1971	281,635	766	24.78	466,981	298	36.86	315,288	173	17.59
1972	246,846	804	29.72	542,586	303	48.56	329,577	176	26.79
1973	222,484	820	37.65	535,197	314	59.87	284,361	180	39.22
1974	209,860	753	28.29	394,925	326	31.75	302,467	180	34.82
1975	344,511	696	20.57	506,046	322	21.44	296,717	178	48.94
1976	397,644	696	26.81	496,837	311	29.73	286,957	176	43.98
1977	484,952	674	27.48	384,290	319	32.90	322,425	164	37.90
1978	411,063	685	44.26	425,390	301	60.47	371,392	169	49.60

**OUTSHIPMENTS: NUMBER OF CATTLE AND CALVES SHIPPED OUT OF FLORIDA BY TRUCK FROM AREAS EAST AND SOUTH OF THE SUWANNEE RIVER, BY MONTHS, 1978**

MONTH	CATTLE				CALVES			
	ISLAUGHTER	STOCKER	DAIRY	TOTAL	ISLAUGHTER	STOCKER	DAIRY	TOTAL
					HEAD			
JAN	2,933	1,424	130	4,487	4,762	23,357	33	28,152
FEB	1,781	3,046	55	4,882	4,338	26,930	194	31,462
MAR	1,948	3,707	107	5,762	1,962	31,499	174	33,635
APR	1,834	4,998	235	7,067	1,023	23,387	--	24,410
MAY	1,652	8,226	70	9,948	1,462	39,003	66	40,531
JUN	1,968	3,102	222	5,292	2,145	34,693	66	36,904
JUL	1,064	5,099	115	6,278	3,355	42,648	39	46,042
AUG	3,189	3,460	83	6,732	4,969	75,134	12	80,115
SEP	1,557	7,394	396	9,347	5,002	88,098	24	93,124
OCT	1,492	3,089	299	4,880	4,237	93,750	169	98,156
NOV	1,289	4,055	50	5,394	4,403	49,822	37	54,262
DEC	530	2,752	48	3,330	4,274	28,116	89	32,479
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>21,237</b>	<b>50,352</b>	<b>1,810</b>	<b>73,399</b>	<b>41,932</b>	<b>556,437</b>	<b>903</b>	<b>599,272</b>

**INSHIPMENTS: NUMBER OF CATTLE AND CALVES SHIPPED INTO FLORIDA BY TRUCK TO AREAS EAST AND SOUTH OF THE SUWANNEE RIVER, BY MONTHS, 1978**

MONTH	CATTLE				CALVES			
	ISLAUGHTER	STOCKER	DAIRY	TOTAL	ISLAUGHTER	STOCKER	DAIRY	TOTAL
					HEAD			
JAN	11,655	626	3,546	15,827	2,121	1,219	42	3,382
FEB	12,547	1,107	2,911	16,565	2,054	1,036	68	3,158
MAR	13,855	781	3,385	18,021	895	616	43	1,554
APR	11,029	597	2,624	14,250	1,392	390	27	1,809
MAY	14,205	4,049	4,940	23,194	1,175	1,158	--	2,333
JUN	11,528	1,586	4,425	17,539	1,560	262	--	1,822
JUL	12,115	2,005	4,681	18,801	901	904	123	1,928
AUG	13,999	1,714	3,885	19,598	1,421	481	85	1,987
SEP	12,299	1,438	4,049	17,786	1,558	592	5	2,155
OCT	13,433	2,344	4,127	19,904	2,163	356	41	2,560
NOV	12,322	2,250	4,241	18,813	1,602	1,292	1	2,895
DEC	10,325	1,401	3,173	14,899	923	1,539	14	2,476
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>149,312</b>	<b>19,898</b>	<b>45,987</b>	<b>215,197</b>	<b>17,765</b>	<b>9,845</b>	<b>449</b>	<b>28,059</b>

CATTLE INSHIPMENTS: NUMBER OF HEAD SHIPPED INTO FLORIDA BY TRUCK TO AREAS EAST  
AND SOUTH OF THE SUWANNEE RIVER, BY CLASSES, 1969-78

YEAR	STEERS		HEIFERS		COWS		BULLS	
	ISLAUGHTER	STOCKER	ISLAUGHTER	STOCKER	DAIRY	ISLAUGHTER	STOCKER	DAIRY
	HEAD							
1969	50,101	10,524	4,710	6,206	7,240	18,602	8,392	39,788
1970	50,533	9,522	9,112	3,435	12,336	18,738	3,490	34,722
1971	76,473	11,101	9,397	4,194	11,777	25,659	6,870	29,921
1972	98,577	5,379	9,121	4,480	14,933	23,876	7,175	32,681
1973	99,821	3,296	21,267	9,883	13,680	19,135	8,193	30,736
1974	97,277	4,816	21,508	3,836	8,177	26,836	4,608	29,492
1975	66,858	3,908	16,294	2,867	12,831	47,053	4,175	28,659
1976	78,512	2,133	21,600	3,699	14,984	46,486	4,007	28,130
1977	70,138	1,904	14,139	1,834	19,548	43,817	2,841	26,665
1978	97,359	1,111	20,130	6,157	22,232	29,708	8,267	22,661

CATTLE INSHIPMENTS: NUMBER OF HEAD SHIPPED INTO FLORIDA BY TRUCK TO AREAS EAST  
AND SOUTH OF THE SUWANNEE RIVER, BY CLASSES, 1969-78

YEAR	CALVES			ALL CATTLE AND CALVES				
	ISLAUGHTER	STOCKER	DAIRY	ISLAUGHTER	STOCKER	DAIRY	TOTAL	
	HEAD							
1969	17,122	3,930	271	91,654	34,111	47,693	173,458	
1970	13,938	3,150	349	93,211	24,769	48,163	166,143	
1971	8,017	7,992	774	120,358	36,055	42,909	199,322	
1972	8,072	8,459	3,846	140,908	31,574	51,902	224,384	
1973	6,708	17,653	1,427	148,189	44,619	46,491	239,299	
1974	5,215	7,288	488	151,673	24,029	38,712	214,414	
1975	14,108	12,121	886	147,132	25,813	42,807	215,752	
1976	24,085	6,794	913	171,800	20,474	44,623	236,897	
1977	27,640	7,228	468	157,010	15,510	49,428	221,948	
1978	17,765	9,845	449	167,077	29,743	46,436	243,256	

CATTLE OUTSHIPMENTS: NUMBER OF HEAD SHIPPED OUT OF FLORIDA BY TRUCK FROM AREAS EAST AND SOUTH OF THE SUWANNEE RIVER, BY CLASSES, 1969-78

YEAR	STEERS		HEIFERS		COWS		BULLS	
	ISLAUGHTER	STOCKER	ISLAUGHTER	STOCKER	DAIRY	ISLAUGHTER	STOCKER	DAIRY
	HEAD							
1969	1,710	20,893	931	9,725	992	4,137	4,159	742 1,611
1970	1,477	21,815	560	15,557	1,077	6,373	10,374	498 2,917
1971	2,059	22,202	451	7,977	1,130	2,988	7,897	675 1,749
1972	1,621	25,075	815	6,149	686	4,141	8,131	655 3,054
1973	2,840	12,871	148	5,677	1,234	6,830	7,320	507 2,234
1974	13,632	5,036	1,958	7,494	968	11,605	9,861	812 3,211
1975	13,339	53,210	4,886	16,820	270	16,866	5,642	806 3,864
1976	4,518	41,559	3,353	13,213	493	18,990	4,406	626 2,746
1977	4,916	31,993	4,163	10,242	836	16,212	5,773	750 2,433
1978	3,929	30,204	2,642	13,953	1,047	13,303	4,563	585 3,173

CATTLE OUTSHIPMENTS: NUMBER OF HEAD SHIPPED OUT OF FLORIDA BY TRUCK FROM AREAS EAST AND SOUTH OF THE SUWANNEE RIVER, BY CLASSES, 1969-78

YEAR	CALVES		ALL CATTLE AND CALVES				
	ISLAUGHTER	STOCKER	DAIRY	ISLAUGHTER	STOCKER	DAIRY	TOTAL
	HEAD						
1969	8,699	351,127	2,514	15,983	386,994	4,263	407,240
1970	9,926	423,540	2,431	19,142	473,293	4,110	496,545
1971	14,559	541,026	1,502	20,507	580,338	3,370	604,215
1972	9,440	593,744	1,956	16,474	635,681	3,312	655,467
1973	8,088	543,008	971	18,283	570,718	2,727	591,728
1974	8,260	348,046	1,064	36,773	372,312	2,862	411,947
1975	64,745	328,920	880	101,514	406,760	1,974	510,248
1976	72,852	409,883	456	101,121	470,396	1,578	573,095
1977	53,832	480,444	1,221	80,070	529,746	2,999	612,815
1978	41,932	556,437	903	63,169	606,789	2,713	672,671

DESTINATION OF FEEDER CALVES: NUMBER SHIPPED OUT OF FLORIDA BY TRUCK FROM AREAS  
EAST AND SOUTH OF THE SUWANNEE RIVER, 1972-78

STATE	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976	1977	1978
HEAD							
ALABAMA	15,104	17,736	18,545	12,062	16,192	14,114	21,268
ARIZONA	48,599	46,277	18,178	11,973	22,736	5,574	14,505
ARKANSAS	9,438	6,467	4,933	3,377	2,673	6,213	1,951
CALIFORNIA	42,429	51,061	15,226	12,930	31,710	72,314	78,140
COLORADO	2,275	8,073	3,501	1,266	3,048	3,126	8,099
GEORGIA	100,850	102,539	85,803	65,734	61,518	65,935	62,702
ILLINOIS	2,619	1,196	2,351	1,160	2,352	1,994	3,020
INDIANA	890	3,114	3,310	2,511	3,093	1,722	432
IOWA	3,065	1,631	1,559	866	900	4,640	3,623
KANSAS	13,061	13,717	5,383	5,624	3,958	14,916	10,083
KENTUCKY	545	1,253	925	937	901	3,878	2,968
LOUISIANA	4,529	809	2,187	124	768	970	3,715
MICHIGAN	1,180	1,817	2,131	1,259	488	263	876
MISSISSIPPI	9,526	16,472	8,021	4,603	6,394	10,060	13,003
MISSOURI	4,517	4,915	5,263	3,476	14,585	12,345	11,822
NEBRASKA	1,154	630	--	140	1,340	868	3,823
NEW MEXICO	10,498	12,160	10,627	16,211	12,097	27,732	22,677
N. CAROLINA	430	399	4,294	1,176	821	191	475
OHIO	2,582	243	13,475	2,744	980	10,295	899
OKLAHOMA	36,198	22,651	15,698	13,388	35,131	60,981	43,925
PENNSYLVANIA	291	35	982	396	49	--	137
S. CAROLINA	110	205	6,271	5,413	1,182	1,521	1,156
TENNESSEE	3,072	11,625	8,692	3,264	6,629	11,593	5,992
TEXAS	277,824	213,281	104,738	150,882	175,674	143,523	237,920
VIRGINIA	91	235	117	27	1,211	166	957
WISCONSIN	1,236	1,657	1,328	859	81	832	1,048
TOTAL 26 STATES	592,113	540,198	343,538	322,402	406,511	475,766	555,216
ALL STATES 1/	592,482	541,777	348,046	328,920	409,883	480,162	556,437
NO. STATES	33	34	36	38	35	32	33

1/ INCLUDES 2,482 FEEDER CALVES TO CANADA FOR 1975.

**SLAUGHTER CATTLE AND CALVES: PERCENTAGE DISTRIBUTION BY MARKET, CLASS AND GRADE,  
NUMBER OF HEAD GRADED, FLORIDA AUCTIONS, 1969-78**

CLASS AND GRADE	YEAR AND NUMBER OF MARKETS										
	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976	1977	1978	
	(16)	(16)	(15)	(15)	(15)	(14)	(14)	(14)	(14)	1/	
PERCENT											
<b>STEERS</b>											
CHOICE	20.0	16.2	11.2	16.0	14.7	6.1	5.9	5.6	5.2	8.1	
GOOD 2/	43.6	44.5	40.8	36.7	39.4	45.9	47.7	40.4	35.6	46.4	
STANDARD 2/	20.8	25.2	33.5	37.0	40.4	41.7	40.9	45.5	51.4	43.5	
UTILITY	11.7	11.9	13.5	10.1	5.5	6.3	5.3	8.2	7.6	1.9	
CUTTER	3.7	2.0	1.0	.2	--	--	.2	.3	.2	.1	
CANNER	.2	.2	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	
ALL	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	
<b>HEIFERS</b>											
CHOICE	5.3	4.1	8.5	10.0	12.2	11.8	5.0	2.9	1.6	6.4	
GOOD 2/	47.9	52.0	54.3	59.2	51.3	42.2	43.6	29.3	21.0	43.6	
STANDARD 2/	33.3	31.5	31.7	26.4	30.4	37.3	40.4	54.7	69.0	49.9	
UTILITY	11.7	10.7	5.2	4.3	5.7	8.6	10.9	12.8	8.4	.1	
CUTTER	1.8	1.7	.3	.1	.4	.1	.1	.3	--	--	
CANNER	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	
ALL	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	
<b>COWS</b>											
STND & COMM'L	1.3	.8	.9	6.2	2.7	2.0	1.5	1.4	.7	.4	
UTILITY	55.2	56.4	60.3	57.7	57.7	56.5	47.0	46.0	44.9	52.9	
CUTTER	35.4	33.8	31.3	28.0	29.7	31.4	37.7	40.0	41.3	38.4	
CANNER	8.1	9.0	7.5	8.1	9.9	10.1	13.8	12.6	13.1	8.3	
ALL	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	
<b>ALL SLAUGHTER CATTLE (EXCLUDING CALVES)</b>											
CHOICE	3.1	2.0	1.6	1.6	.9	1.2	1.4	.8	.6	.7	
GOOD	11.5	10.0	8.0	6.9	4.1	6.4	12.2	7.5	6.2	4.4	
STND & COMM'L	8.8	7.7	7.9	12.3	8.4	7.5	12.1	13.2	16.2	5.2	
UTILITY	44.3	47.2	51.6	49.8	52.1	52.5	40.2	42.1	39.5	52.2	
CUTTER	26.4	26.3	25.0	22.9	26.1	24.5	25.0	27.7	28.4	30.8	
CANNER	5.9	6.8	5.9	6.5	8.4	7.9	9.1	8.7	9.1	6.7	
ALL	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	
<b>CALVES 3/</b>											
PRIME	.1	--	--	1.1	4.1	2.0	.6	.2	.3	.2	
CHOICE	6.1	8.1	12.6	41.2	49.5	33.3	26.1	21.9	17.6	32.5	
GOOD	49.4	55.0	64.3	50.5	39.3	53.4	61.1	59.8	56.1	58.8	
STANDARD	38.2	32.5	21.1	6.7	5.9	10.5	11.2	16.8	24.5	8.5	
UTILITY	6.1	4.4	2.0	.5	1.2	.8	1.0	1.3	1.5	--	
CULL	.1	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	
ALL	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	
<b>TOTAL HEAD</b>											
GRADED (000)	136	109	87	70	64	80	157	143	135	90	

1/ 14 MARKETS FOR JANUARY THROUGH MAY AND 10-11 MARKETS FOR JUNE THROUGH DEC.

2/ U. S. GRADES REVISED FEBRUARY 23, 1976. 3/ U. S. GRADES OF SLAUGHTER VEALERS AND CALVES WERE REVISED EFFECTIVE JANUARY 1, 1972. GRADE REQUIREMENTS WERE RELAXED WHICH RESULTED IN LARGER PROPORTIONS QUALIFYING FOR HIGHER GRADES.

STOCKER CATTLE AND CALVES: PERCENTAGE DISTRIBUTION BY MARKET, CLASS AND GRADE,  
NUMBER OF HEAD GRADED, FLORIDA AUCTIONS. 1969-78

CLASS AND GRADE	YEAR AND NUMBER OF MARKETS									
	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976	1977	1978
	(16)	(16)	(15)	(15)	(15)	(14)	(14)	(14)	(14)	1
PERCENT										
STEERS										
PRIME	.1	.5	.2	--	1.3	.2	.1	--	.2	.1
CHOICE	13.6	15.8	17.2	21.6	23.4	19.9	15.0	16.5	18.6	33.5
GOOD	34.9	37.4	40.3	42.6	48.0	57.5	60.3	60.8	59.7	52.7
STANDARD	36.7	37.1	35.8	31.1	23.9	19.7	21.6	20.7	20.5	13.5
UTILITY	13.2	9.0	6.5	4.7	3.4	2.7	3.0	2.0	1.0	.2
INFERIOR	1.5	.2	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
ALL	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
HEIFERS										
CHOICE	1.5	5.1	4.9	9.9	14.6	11.2	4.4	5.1	12.1	30.6
GOOD	33.6	38.3	46.6	51.9	56.9	60.7	58.4	59.3	58.6	56.2
STANDARD	44.5	42.8	40.9	34.7	25.0	24.9	33.1	32.2	27.4	13.1
UTILITY	18.9	13.7	7.6	3.5	3.5	3.2	4.1	3.4	1.9	.1
INFERIOR	1.5	.1	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
ALL	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
COWS										
CHOICE	.1	.7	1.0	2.3	4.1	1.6	.4	.3	1.1	2.6
GOOD	10.0	12.4	17.1	25.5	23.9	18.4	12.7	15.7	22.4	45.0
STANDARD	38.8	38.7	42.1	39.6	36.5	34.4	34.2	43.7	44.1	34.4
UTILITY	41.0	36.9	31.2	26.7	30.2	41.9	46.4	37.7	29.5	16.5
INFERIOR	10.1	11.3	8.6	5.9	5.3	3.7	6.3	2.6	2.9	1.5
ALL	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
ALL STOCKER CATTLE (EXCLUDING CALVES)										
PRIME	--	.2	.1	--	.7	.1	--	--	.1	--
CHOICE	5.7	8.4	8.8	12.1	14.8	12.0	8.8	10.0	14.0	27.7
GOOD	28.0	30.3	34.7	38.3	48.2	59.1	58.0	59.8	58.6	55.4
STND & COMM'L	38.5	38.0	38.3	34.2	25.9	20.8	29.7	24.8	23.5	14.9
UTILITY	23.8	20.1	15.8	13.8	9.4	7.5	3.5	5.2	3.6	1.8
INFERIOR	4.0	3.0	2.3	1.6	1.0	.5	--	.2	.2	.2
ALL	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
CALVES										
PRIME	.3	.4	.1	.1	.3	.1	.1	--	.1	--
CHOICE	15.2	15.9	21.3	28.0	30.3	24.3	15.2	16.7	18.0	29.0
GOOD	44.7	50.9	50.7	53.2	53.3	57.4	57.0	57.4	55.7	53.5
STANDARD	30.6	27.4	24.5	17.1	14.2	16.3	24.4	23.2	24.2	16.3
UTILITY	8.3	5.4	3.4	1.6	1.9	1.9	3.3	2.7	2.0	1.1
INFERIOR	.9	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	.1
ALL	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
TOTAL HEAD GRADED (000)	252	278	303	316	307	220	221	232	246	176

1/ 14 MARKETS FOR JANUARY THROUGH MAY AND 10-11 MARKETS FOR JUNE THROUGH DEC.

HOGS AND PIGS ON FLORIDA FARMS, DECEMBER 1, 1975-78

ITEM	1975	1976	1977	1978	1978 AS % OF 1977
1,000 HEAD					
NUMBER ON FARMS	<u>24</u>	<u>292</u>			PERCENT
ALL HOGS AND PIGS	240	320	320	360	113
KEPT FOR BREEDING	34	44	55	68	124
MARKET	206	276	265	292	110
 MARKET HOGS AND PIGS BY WEIGHT GROUP					
UNDER 60 POUNDS	78	102	117	117	100
60 - 119 POUNDS	64	79	66	105	159
120 - 179 POUNDS	49	75	58	38	66
180 POUNDS AND OVER	15	20	24	32	133
1,000 DOLLARS					
TOTAL INVENTORY VALUE	15,840	14,880	18,240	27,360	150

HOGS AND PIGS: INVENTORY NUMBERS, PIG CROP, AND DISPOSITION, FLORIDA, 1969-78

YEAR	SPRING		FALL		INSHIP	MARKET	FARM	DEATHS
	DEC	INVENTORY	SOWS	PIG FARROW				
	PREV YEAR	FARROWING	CROP	ING	CROP	MENTS	INGS	SLAUGHTER
1,000 HEAD								
1969	348	36	256	35	231	8	443	14
1970	331	37	266	39	269	3	435	16
1971	374	39	289	39	269	4	509	18
1972	363	31	229	32	221	4	444	17
1973	310	28	204	27	192	4	347	15
1974	304	28	199	26	182	3	338	17
1975	292	22	150	21	141	12	302	13
1976	240	22	158	28	193	15	239	9
1977	320	30	201	33	215	11	377	10
1978	360	37	241	36	245	5	395	12

1/ INCLUDES CUSTOM SLAUGHTER FOR USE ON FARMS WHERE PRODUCED, BUT EXCLUDES INTERFARM SALES WITHIN STATE.

2/ EXCLUDES CUSTOM SLAUGHTER FOR FARMERS AT COMMERCIAL ESTABLISHMENTS.

HOGS: MARKETINGS, CASH RECEIPTS AND INCOME, FLORIDA, 1969-78

YEAR	MARKETINGS 1/	PRICE PER 100 POUNDS	CASH RECEIPTS 2/	GROSS INCOME 3/
				1,000 DOLLARS
		1,000 POUNDS	DOLLARS	1,000 DOLLARS
1969	84,257	21.00	17,694	18,699
1970	82,265	21.90	18,016	19,277
1971	101,836	16.60	16,905	17,861
1972	89,750	24.20	21,720	23,078
1973	69,780	36.80	25,679	27,445
1974	64,955	34.10	22,150	24,005
1975	60,057	44.70	26,845	28,391
1976	46,855	42.40	19,867	21,069
1977	73,520	37.90	27,864	29,532
1978	82,443	44.00	36,275	38,049

1/ EXCLUDES CUSTOM SLAUGHTER FOR USE ON FARMS WHERE PRODUCED AND INTERFARM SALES WITHIN THE STATE. 2/ RECEIPTS FROM MARKETINGS AND SALE OF FARM SLAUGHTER.

3/ CASH RECEIPTS PLUS THE VALUE OF HOME CONSUMPTION.

HOGS: OUTSHIPMENTS AND INSHIPMENTS, EAST AND SOUTH OF THE SUWANNEE RIVER,  
BY CLASSES, BY MONTHS, FLORIDA, 1978

MONTH	OUTSHIPMENTS 1/			INSHIPMENTS 2/				
	ISLAUGHTER	FEEDER	BREEDER	TOTAL	ISLAUGHTER	FEEDER	BREEDER	TOTAL
	HEAD				HEAD			
JAN	7,504	1	1	7,506	3,904	207	59	4,170
FEB	5,205	655	8	5,868	7,418	76	160	7,654
MAR	5,320	1,059	39	6,418	6,304	324	112	6,740
APR	4,681	2,846	352	7,879	6,353	--	63	6,416
MAY	4,409	3,894	8	8,311	4,308	60	124	4,492
JUN	10,051	3,886	20	13,957	842	613	40	1,495
JUL	9,354	1,115	36	10,505	2	15	134	151
AUG	11,320	2,709	57	14,086	12	346	279	637
SEP	9,966	1,642	3	11,611	63	470	42	575
OCT	11,634	1,779	39	13,452	152	552	144	848
NOV	13,541	1,098	22	14,661	104	2	87	193
DEC	9,066	461	14	9,541	1,102	1	66	1,169
TOTAL	102,051	21,145	599	123,795	30,564	2,666	1,310	34,540

1/ OUTSHIPMENTS REPRESENT MOVEMENT OF LIVESTOCK BY TRUCK TO DESTINATIONS OUTSIDE FLORIDA. 2/ INSHIPMENTS REPRESENT MOVEMENT OF LIVESTOCK BY TRUCK FROM AREAS OUTSIDE OF FLORIDA.

HOGS: INSHIPMENTS AND OUTSHIPMENTS, BY TRUCK, EAST AND SOUTH OF  
THE SUWANNEE RIVER, BY CLASSES, BY FLORIDA, 1969-78

YEAR	INSHIPMENTS			OUTSHIPMENTS				
	ISLAUGHTER	FEEDER	BREEDER	TOTAL	ISLAUGHTER	FEEDER	BREEDER	TOTAL
	HEAD				HEAD			
1969	171,243	5,676	609	177,528	47,756	6,441	49	54,246
1970	189,966	2,995	980	193,941	37,287	6,489	203	43,979
1971	213,405	2,758	467	216,630	32,251	1,043	214	33,508
1972	164,088	4,243	302	168,633	36,938	8,685	57	45,680
1973	113,885	2,654	475	117,014	34,454	6,457	82	40,993
1974	125,145	2,445	641	128,231	40,022	5,666	109	45,797
1975	93,840	12,505	549	106,894	79,434	9,025	266	88,725
1976	64,399	13,520	1,154	79,073	74,935	9,798	545	85,278
1977	42,213	8,402	1,501	52,116	66,670	19,615	237	86,522
1978	30,564	2,666	1,310	34,540	102,051	21,145	599	123,795

SPECIAL FEEDER PIG SALES SUMMARY: NUMBER SOLD, AVERAGE WEIGHT AND PRICE  
BY GRADE, FLORIDA, 1977-78 1/

MONTH	HEAD SOLD	PRICE PER 100 POUNDS BY GRADE							WEIGHT PER HEAD	VALUE PER HEAD
		NO 1	NO 2	NO 3	NO 4	UTIL 2/	CULL 2/	ALL GRADES		
		NUMBER	DOLLARS						LBS	DOLS
JAN	7,722	60.47	58.49	52.03	44.60	46.38	42.86	55.93	65	36.35
FEB	9,145	62.46	59.51	52.40	48.66	45.06	40.53	56.20	70	39.34
MAR	9,246	74.42	72.41	61.77	45.56	48.44	41.18	68.65	67	46.00
APR	12,927	79.60	78.66	65.84	52.10	48.40	43.59	73.89	64	47.29
MAY	12,788	82.28	81.77	69.69	56.36	41.62	36.78	75.88	62	47.05
JUN	12,372	78.26	73.97	62.74	50.22	50.82	35.49	71.35	57	40.67
JUL	11,667	67.63	68.70	63.73	47.23	61.02	40.00	66.39	64	42.49
AUG	10,201	80.80	82.55	76.30	67.32	61.03	---	80.03	60	48.02
SEP	11,773	90.90	93.22	82.94	61.88	84.58	42.34	88.22	58	51.17
OCT	16,073	81.92	88.69	79.38	60.74	71.89	34.93	83.16	63	52.39
NOV	12,001	90.55	85.07	74.06	75.96	65.66	45.34	82.62	56	46.27
DEC	15,753	77.55	82.66	76.00	67.34	47.82	---	80.01	59	47.21
<b>TOTAL &amp; AVERAGE</b>										
1978	141,668	77.62	77.69	67.32	56.00	55.29	39.03	73.38	63	46.23
1977	124,893	58.78	52.30	46.02	40.47	34.16	29.22	49.92	64	32.15

1/ FROM SAMPLES OF SPECIAL FEEDER SALES. 2/ UNEVEN PRICES OF CULL AND UTILITY GRADES DUE TO LIMITED NUMBERS.

COMMERCIAL HOG SLAUGHTER: NUMBER OF HEAD, AVERAGE LIVEWEIGHT, AND TOTAL  
LIVEWEIGHT, FLORIDA, 1969-78 1/

YEAR	NUMBER	AVERAGE LIVEWEIGHT	TOTAL LIVEWEIGHT
		HEAD	POUNDS
1969	539,000	198	106,649,000
1970	591,000	199	117,875,000
1971	662,500	201	133,381,000
1972	497,500	202	100,543,000
1973	349,700	189	65,951,000
1974	340,100	191	64,841,000
1975	256,000	196	50,072,000
1976	251,500	197	49,643,000
1977	264,600	210	55,642,000
1978	202,400	222	44,862,000

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

HOGS: AVERAGE WEIGHTS, PRICES AND VALUE PER HEAD, FLORIDA, 1977-78 1/

MONTH	SLAUGHTER				FEEDER			
	PRICE		VALUE		PRICE		VALUE	
	WEIGHT	PER CWT	PER HEAD	WEIGHT	PER CWT	PER HEAD		
	POUNDS	DOLLARS		POUNDS	DOLLARS			
JAN	230	40.91	94.09	65	55.93	36.36		
FEB	235	44.31	104.13	70	56.21	39.35		
MAR	238	44.30	105.43	67	68.65	46.00		
APR	232	43.37	100.62	64	73.90	47.30		
MAY	232	47.03	109.11	62	75.88	47.05		
JUN	232	46.52	107.93	57	71.36	40.68		
JUL	232	44.33	102.85	64	66.39	42.49		
AUG	233	47.08	109.70	60	80.03	48.02		
SEP	237	46.90	111.15	58	88.22	51.17		
OCT	239	49.02	117.16	63	83.16	52.39		
NOV	244	45.74	111.61	56	82.62	46.27		
DEC	239	46.45	111.02	59	80.01	47.21		
1978 AVERAGE	236	45.57	107.55	62	74.48	46.18		
1977 AVERAGE	229	40.13	91.95	64	49.81	32.00		

1/ FROM SAMPLES ON AUCTION AND SPECIAL FEEDER SALES. "SLAUGHTER" INCLUDES  
BARROWS, GILTS, AND SOWS. "FEEDER" INCLUDES BARROWS AND GILTS ONLY.

HOGS: AVERAGE PRICE PER 100 POUNDS RECEIVED BY FARMERS. FLORIDA, 1969-78

YEAR	DEC 1/	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY
	DOLLARS					
1969	16.70	17.50	18.30	18.90	18.60	21.40
1970	25.10	25.80	26.20	23.90	22.60	23.10
1971	14.40	14.50	18.00	15.30	14.80	16.80
1972	19.00	22.70	24.80	22.60	22.00	24.40
1973	28.70	30.50	33.90	34.40	34.00	34.60
1974	39.00	39.00	39.20	33.50	29.50	27.10
1975	37.10	36.50	36.50	37.50	39.00	44.10
1976	48.30	46.50	45.30	43.60	45.80	46.70
1977	34.10	37.60	37.60	35.10	34.00	39.80
1978	39.00	41.00	44.30	44.30	43.40	47.00

YEAR	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	ANNUAL AVERAGE
	DOLLARS						
1969	23.10	23.60	24.30	23.60	24.20	24.10	21.00
1970	23.80	23.70	19.50	18.90	17.40	15.70	21.90
1971	17.50	18.40	17.50	17.00	18.40	18.70	16.60
1972	25.90	26.60	27.10	28.00	27.60	27.10	24.20
1973	36.40	42.10	53.90	41.90	40.70	40.60	36.80
1974	26.90	34.40	34.20	33.30	35.80	35.90	34.10
1975	47.00	53.30	55.20	56.60	58.10	48.00	44.70
1976	48.50	47.10	41.70	38.40	32.70	32.00	42.40
1977	41.60	42.30	41.30	38.20	39.00	37.70	37.90
1978	46.50	44.30	47.10	46.90	49.00	46.00	44.00

1/ DECEMBER PRECEEDING YEAR.

BEES AND HONEY: NUMBER OF COLONIES, PRODUCTION AND VALUE.  
FLORIDA, 1969-78

YEAR	HONEY				BEESWAX			
	COLONIES	YIELD	PRODUCTION	PRICE	PRODUCTION	PRICE	VALUE	
	OF BEES	PER COLONY	PER POUND	TOTAL VALUE	PER POUND	1,000 POUNDS	1,000 DOLLARS	
	1,000 POUNDS	DOLLARS	DOLLARS	1,000 POUNDS	DOLLARS	1,000 DOLLARS	DOLLARS	
1969	337	75	25,275	.201	5,080	455	.62	282
1970	364	69	25,116	.158	3,968	452	.64	289
1971	342	65	22,230	.186	4,135	400	.63	252
1972	350	76	26,600	.291	7,741	426	.63	268
1973	364	92	33,488	.415	13,898	569	.74	421
1974	368	44	16,192	.443	7,173	259	1.20	311
1975	360	68	24,480	.442	10,820	343	.95	326
1976	360	76	27,360	.424	11,601	465	1.11	516
1977	360	40	14,400	.442	6,365	216	1.61	348
1978	356	67	23,852	.494	11,783	334	1.73	578

BEES AND HONEY: NUMBER OF COLONIES, PRODUCTION AND VALUE,  
UNITED STATES, 1969-78

YEAR	HONEY				BEESWAX			
	COLONIES	YIELD	PRODUCTION	PRICE	PRODUCTION	PRICE	VALUE	
	OF BEES	PER COLONY	PER POUND	TOTAL VALUE	PER POUND	1,000 POUNDS	1,000 DOLLARS	
	1,000 POUNDS	DOLLARS	DOLLARS	1,000 POUNDS	DOLLARS	1,000 DOLLARS	DOLLARS	
1969	4,433	60	267,485	.18	46,742	5,171	.61	3,162
1970	4,285	52	221,712	.17	38,514	4,374	.60	2,634
1971	4,107	48	197,826	.22	43,125	3,597	.61	2,204
1972	4,085	53	215,607	.30	65,049	3,997	.62	2,482
1973	4,124	58	239,089	.44	106,108	4,251	.74	3,161
1974	4,210	45	187,855	.51	95,766	3,450	1.14	3,937
1975	4,206	47	199,179	.51	100,575	3,405	1.03	3,495
1976	4,285	46	198,392	.50	99,046	3,352	1.12	3,768
1977	4,346	41	178,499	.53	94,559	3,095	1.58	4,876
1978	4,084	56	230,309	.55	125,599	3,936	1.74	6,835

**LIVESTOCK INVENTORIES: NUMBER ON FARMS AND RANK OF SELECTED STATES, JANUARY 1, 1979**

STATE	TOTAL CATTLE AND CALVES		BEEF COWS		MILK COWS		HOGS AND PIGS 1/	
	HEAD	IRANK	HEAD	IRANK	HEAD	IRANK	HEAD	IRANK
	1,000		1,000		1,000		1,000	
ALABAMA	1,820	22	901	16	84	32	700	18
ARIZONA	1,200	34	287	32	70	35	144	28
ARKANSAS	2,000	17	1,040	12	90	31	400	21
CALIFORNIA	4,700	7	930	15	860	3	190	27
COLORADO	3,090	11	843	17	72	34	330	24
FLORIDA	2,180	16	1,149	9	189	16	360	22
GEORGIA	1,650	26	731	19	129	24	1,800	10
IDAHO	1,900	19	584	25	141	21	79	32
ILLINOIS	2,850	12	747	18	236	12	6,550	2
INDIANA	1,750	24	482	27	202	14	4,400	3
IOWA	7,300	2	1,684	6	374	8	15,100	1
KANSAS	6,200	4	1,754	5	136	22	1,960	8
KENTUCKY	2,600	14	1,070	10	265	11	1,150	14
LOUISIANA	1,350	31	703	20	127	25	140	29
MICHIGAN	1,250	33	138	38	402	6	810	16
MINNESOTA	3,650	10	530	26	850	4	4,100	4
MISSISSIPPI	1,790	23	950	14	103	28	410	20
MISSOURI	5,550	5	2,284	2	276	10	4,100	5
MONTANA	2,607	13	1,453	7	27	44	222	26
NEBRASKA	6,450	3	1,977	4	123	26	3,650	6
NEW MEXICO	1,500	28	602	22	33	42	50	34
NEW YORK	1,711	25	75	40	904	2	140	30
N. CAROLINA	1,080	35	402	28	143	20	2,350	7
N. DAKOTA	1,967	18	961	13	97	29	335	23
OHIO	1,850	20	388	29	382	7	1,900	9
OKLAHOMA	5,300	6	2,138	3	112	27	315	25
OREGON	1,475	29	597	23	93	30	100	31
PENNSYLVANIA	1,840	21	171	37	703	5	820	15
S. DAKOTA	3,750	9	1,391	8	169	19	1,620	12
TENNESSEE	2,350	15	1,050	11	210	13	1,300	13
TEXAS	13,900	1	5,890	1	310	9	800	17
VIRGINIA	1,550	27	588	24	172	18	670	19
WASHINGTON	1,375	30	380	30	190	15	64	33
WISCONSIN	4,100	8	228	36	1,810	1	1,650	11
WYOMING	1,300	32	613	21	11	48	30	35
OTHER STATES	3,929		1,278		758		1,121	
UNITED STATES	110,864		36,989		10,853		59,860	

1/ DECEMBER 1, 1978.

CATTLE AND CALVES: NUMBER ON FARMS BY CLASSES. UNITED STATES,  
JANUARY 1 AND JULY 1, 1971-79 1/

YEAR	KEPT FOR MILK			OTHER				TOTAL CATTLE AND CALVES
	MILK COWS	HEIFERS 2/ LBS + 3/	TOTAL	BEEF COWS	500 POUNDS AND OVER 1/ OTHER COWS	HEIFERS BULLS STEERS 4/ 500 POUNDS	TOTAL UNDER POUNDS	
1,000 HEAD								

JAN 1

1971	11,909	3,843	15,752	37,878	2,328	12,777	15,610	30,235	98,828	114,578
1972	11,776	3,828	15,604	38,810	2,377	13,386	15,999	31,688	102,260	117,862
1973	11,622	3,872	15,494	40,932	2,467	13,866	16,553	32,229	106,047	121,539
1974	11,297	3,941	15,238	43,182	2,643	15,045	17,760	33,922	112,552	127,788
1975	11,220	4,087	15,307	45,712	2,985	15,402	16,333	36,291	116,723	132,028
1976	11,087	3,958	15,045	43,888	2,845	14,589	17,083	34,531	112,936	127,980
1977	11,035	3,888	14,923	41,389	2,665	14,586	16,885	32,363	107,888	122,810
1978	10,939	3,896	14,835	38,809	2,544	13,815	16,779	29,595	101,542	116,375
1979	10,853	3,936	14,789	36,989	2,401	12,950	16,321	27,413	96,074	110,864

JUL 1 5/

1971	11,839	--	--	38,813	--	--	--	--	--	--
1972	11,693	--	--	40,092	--	--	--	--	--	--
1973	11,393	3,923	15,316	42,644	2,647	14,506	17,850	38,504	116,151	131,467
1974	11,215	3,871	15,086	45,745	2,913	15,259	18,423	41,952	124,292	139,378
1975	11,148	3,924	15,072	46,905	3,068	15,040	17,323	42,793	125,129	140,201
1976	11,058	3,942	15,000	42,882	2,759	14,977	18,671	39,370	118,659	133,659
1977	10,977	4,005	14,982	41,194	2,685	14,351	18,652	38,331	115,213	130,195
1978	10,823	3,957	14,780	37,654	2,458	14,129	17,869	34,805	106,915	121,695

1/ INCLUDES ALASKA AND HAWAII. 2/ COWS AND HEIFERS THAT HAVE CALVED. 3/ MILK REPLACEMENT HEIFERS WHICH HAVE NOT CALVED. 4/ EXCLUDES HEIFERS FOR MILK COW REPLACEMENTS BUT INCLUDES HEIFERS FOR BEEF COW REPLACEMENTS AND OTHER HEIFERS 500 POUNDS AND OVER. 5/ SERIES FOR JULY 1 BEGAN FOR COWS ONLY AND IN 1973 FOR OTHER CLASSES.

CATTLE AND CALVES: INVENTORY NUMBER, CALF CROP AND DISPOSITION,  
UNITED STATES, 1971-78

YEAR	ON HAND JANUARY 1			MARKETINGS 1/			FARM	DEATHS
	ALL CATTLE AND CALVES	ALL COWS 3/	CALF CROP	INSHIP- MENTS	CATTLE	CALVES	SLAUGHTER 2/	CATTLE AND CALVES
1,000 HEAD								

1971	114,578	49,786	46,738	22,673	49,143	12,086	456	1,634	2,808
1972	117,862	50,585	47,682	24,831	51,043	12,164	503	1,780	3,346
1973	121,539	52,553	49,194	24,133	48,369	11,652	570	2,099	4,388
1974	127,788	54,478	50,873	18,103	48,383	9,514	729	2,006	4,104
1975	132,028	56,931	50,183	20,095	54,331	12,253	750	2,396	4,596
1976	127,980	54,974	47,440	21,238	55,410	12,525	722	1,821	3,369
1977	122,810	52,424	46,088	23,241	56,342	12,722	700	2,000	4,000
1978	116,375	49,748	43,839	23,281	54,437	11,965	550	1,900	3,780

1/ INCLUDES CUSTOM SLAUGHTER FOR USE ON FARMS WHERE PRODUCED, BUT EXCLUDES INTERFARM SALES WITHIN STATES. 2/ EXCLUDES CUSTOM SLAUGHTER FOR FARMERS AT COMMERCIAL ESTABLISHMENTS. 3/ COWS AND HEIFERS THAT HAVE CALVED.

CATTLE AND CALVES: INVENTORY NUMBERS, CALF CROP AND DISPOSITION,  
BY MAJOR STATES, 1978 1/

STATE	ON HAND JAN 1, 1978			CATTLE AND CALVES					
	ALL CATTLE	ALL COWS THAT HAVE CALVED	CALF CROP	INSHIPMENTS	MAR-2/	FARM-3/	SLGHTR	DEATHS	ON HAND JAN 1, 1979
	CALVES	CALVED							
1,000 HEAD									
ALABAMA	2,130	1,100	950	10	1,173	7	90	1,820	
ARIZONA	1,135	365	285	1,003	1,158	2	63	1,200	
ARKANSAS	2,120	1,170	1,070	7	1,065	11	121	2,000	
CALIFORNIA	4,430	1,812	1,570	1,871	2,861	45	265	4,700	
COLORADO	3,180	929	780	2,593	3,307	6	150	3,090	
FLORIDA	2,350	1,410	1,060	76	1,189	10	107	2,180	
GEORGIA	1,975	968	760	12	998	8	91	1,650	
IDAHO	1,870	700	710	291	859	12	100	1,900	
ILLINOIS	2,950	973	900	680	1,527	8	145	2,850	
INDIANA	2,025	780	655	186	997	12	107	1,750	
IOWA	7,800	2,180	2,030	2,700	4,929	11	290	7,300	
KANSAS	6,000	1,800	1,730	3,150	4,453	6	221	6,200	
KENTUCKY	3,120	1,530	1,270	75	1,689	16	160	2,600	
LOUISIANA	1,425	856	689	1	682	9	74	1,350	
MICHIGAN	1,470	600	510	72	682	9	111	1,250	
MINNESOTA	3,700	1,400	1,280	662	1,741	22	229	3,650	
MISSISSIPPI	2,130	1,210	1,010	20	1,267	8	95	1,790	
MISSOURI	6,000	2,700	2,450	40	2,637	23	280	5,550	
MONTANA	2,680	1,436	1,443	205	1,558	13	150	2,607	
NEBRASKA	6,500	2,160	1,960	2,800	4,562	3	245	6,450	
NEW MEXICO	1,550	651	560	1,000	1,523	7	80	1,500	
NEW YORK	1,760	1,000	910	17	851	10	115	1,711	
N. CAROLINA	1,100	561	491	5	446	10	60	1,080	
N. DAKOTA	2,050	1,080	1,050	62	1,085	13	97	1,967	
OHIO	2,025	853	750	150	932	11	132	1,850	
OKLAHOMA	5,900	2,300	2,000	977	3,326	11	240	5,300	
OREGON	1,490	715	630	108	643	30	80	1,475	
PENNSYLVANIA	1,900	902	770	95	768	32	125	1,840	
S. DAKOTA	3,925	1,638	1,590	586	2,165	6	180	3,750	
TENNESSEE	2,700	1,360	1,160	41	1,392	5	154	2,350	
TEXAS	14,500	6,550	5,300	2,900	8,234	16	550	13,900	
VIRGINIA	1,620	750	668	12	642	13	95	1,550	
WASHINGTON	1,275	540	491	206	450	72	75	1,375	
WISCONSIN	4,100	2,030	1,990	100	1,751	21	318	4,100	
WYOMING	1,280	595	605	390	903	4	68	1,300	
OTHER STATES	4,210	2,144	1,762	178	1,957	48	217	3,929	
UNITED STATES	116,375	49,748	43,839	23,281	66,402	550	5,680	110,864	

1/ BALANCE SHEET ESTIMATES BY STATES: THE SUM OF INVENTORY JAN 1, 1978, CALF CROP AND INSHIPPMENTS IS EQUAL TO THE SUM OF MARKETINGS, FARM SLAUGHTER, DEATHS AND INVENTORY JAN 1, 1979. 2/ EXCLUDES INTERFARM SALES, BUT INCLUDES CUSTOM SLAUGHTER FOR USE ON FARMS WHERE PRODUCED. 3/ EXCLUDES CUSTOM SLAUGHTER FOR FARMERS AT COMMERCIAL ESTABLISHMENTS.

CATTLE AND CALVES: MARKETINGS, CASH RECEIPTS AND INCOME,  
UNITED STATES, 1969-78

YEAR	MARKETINGS 1/	PRICE PER 100 POUNDS		CASH RECEIPTS 2/	GROSS INCOME 3/
		CATTLE	CALVES		
	1,000 POUNDS	DOLLARS		1,000 DOLLARS	
1969	47,185,719	26.20	31.60	12,571,611	12,778,918
1970	49,459,720	27.10	34.50	13,691,776	13,934,696
1971	50,685,799	29.00	36.40	14,985,864	15,246,533
1972	53,141,798	33.50	44.70	18,236,654	18,579,140
1973	51,022,731	42.80	56.60	22,336,212	22,814,030
1974	50,208,435	35.60	35.20	17,843,774	18,349,615
1975	54,877,016	32.30	27.20	17,524,133	17,982,388
1976	57,169,770	33.70	34.20	19,301,613	19,803,246
1977	58,426,941	34.50	36.90	20,221,533	20,703,847
1978	57,185,759	48.50	59.10	28,109,480	28,652,867

1/ EXCLUDES CUSTOM SLAUGHTER FOR USE ON FARMS WHERE PRODUCED AND INTERFARM SALES WITHIN STATES. 2/ RECEIPTS FROM MARKETINGS AND SALES OF FARM SLAUGHTER.

3/ CASH RECEIPTS PLUS THE VALUE OF HOME CONSUMPTION.

CATTLE AND CALF SLAUGHTER: NUMBER OF HEAD, AVERAGE LIVEWEIGHT AND TOTAL LIVEWEIGHT, UNITED STATES, 1969-78 1/

YEAR	CATTLE			CALVES		
	NUMBER OF HEAD	AVERAGE LIVEWEIGHT	TOTAL LIVEWEIGHT	NUMBER OF HEAD	AVERAGE LIVEWEIGHT	TOTAL LIVEWEIGHT
	1,000 HEAD	POUNDS	MIL POUNDS	1,000 HEAD	POUNDS	MIL POUNDS
1969	35,298.3	1,016	35,865	4,862.8	236	1,147
1970	35,086.7	1,035	36,319	4,072.3	244	994
1971	36,650.7	1,028	36,650	3,689.2	249	919
1972	35,842.4	1,037	37,185	3,052.9	251	767
1973	33,686.8	1,043	35,143	2,248.8	256	576
1974	36,811.5	1,039	38,247	2,987.4	257	769
1975	40,911.2	996	40,733	5,209.4	283	1,477
1976	42,654.4	1,018	43,442	5,350.1	367	1,428
1977	41,856.4	1,024	42,849	5,517.1	249	1,371
1978	39,552.1	1,036	40,986	4,170.2	243	1,012

1/ INCLUDES SLAUGHTER UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION AND OTHER COMMERCIAL SLAUGHTER;  
EXCLUDES FARM SLAUGHTER. COMMERCIAL SLAUGHTER NOT ESTIMATED IN ALASKA.

CATTLE AND CALVES: MARKETINGS, CASH RECEIPTS AND INCOME, BY STATES, 1978

STATE	MARKETINGS 1/	AVERAGE PRICE		CASH RECEIPTS 2/	GROSS INCOME 3/
		CATTLE	CALVES		
	1,000 POUNDS	DOLLARS		1,000 DOLLARS	
ALABAMA	921,630	43.20	54.00	409,398	420,543
ALASKA	820	54.70	37.00	435	641
ARIZONA	1,131,205	50.80	61.60	579,379	580,817
ARKANSAS	742,770	50.50	50.00	374,427	386,081
CALIFORNIA	2,739,361	48.80	51.00	1,338,058	1,367,627
COLORADO	3,469,060	51.00	63.50	1,771,468	1,777,535
DELAWARE	6,890	40.90	57.60	2,958	3,653
FLORIDA	724,005	43.30	59.40	357,851	366,225
GEORGIA	565,790	42.30	55.70	258,865	264,702
HAWAII	62,300	39.10	40.00	24,370	25,699
IDAHO	795,600	49.90	66.80	407,097	416,686
ILLINOIS	1,447,835	48.40	54.50	701,925	718,893
INDIANA	926,365	45.60	56.10	424,325	441,043
IOWA	5,024,960	50.90	56.50	2,559,186	2,585,269
KANSAS	4,638,880	52.10	60.20	2,418,300	2,429,074
KENTUCKY	1,210,560	46.60	56.00	576,277	595,775
LOUISIANA	396,390	42.90	59.10	192,762	200,901
MARYLAND	112,687	41.40	57.20	50,312	52,777
MICHIGAN	688,375	44.20	61.60	306,805	318,350
MINNESOTA	1,706,285	43.50	58.20	745,689	769,397
MISSISSIPPI	739,810	42.50	59.80	351,123	358,840
MISSOURI	2,207,542	48.30	57.20	1,080,328	1,110,446
MONTANA	1,051,010	51.50	70.30	582,260	592,365
NEBRASKA	4,781,230	50.10	60.70	2,400,432	2,406,444
NEVADA	192,557	48.40	61.20	97,782	101,099
N. ENGLAND STATES	191,503	41.90	55.20	83,037	90,594
N. JERSEY	33,985	36.70	55.70	13,937	15,478
N. MEXICO	1,228,942	52.90	60.80	654,354	659,723
NEW YORK	338,704	36.60	58.20	140,961	148,113
N. CAROLINA	272,118	39.90	55.20	116,798	123,534
N. DAKOTA	732,350	48.40	60.10	373,077	386,306
OHIO	793,660	48.00	60.20	385,551	403,384
OKLAHOMA	2,840,420	49.60	60.30	1,420,502	1,440,984
OREGON	495,760	46.70	53.50	237,150	264,027
PENNSYLVANIA	528,122	43.90	64.30	240,599	266,968
S. CAROLINA	250,705	42.70	55.00	117,933	122,769
S. DAKOTA	2,036,540	49.40	64.90	1,019,505	1,031,598
TENNESSEE	922,290	41.00	57.80	391,049	396,084
TEXAS	7,313,000	47.70	60.10	3,516,168	3,530,392
UTAH	329,450	47.60	58.70	161,800	164,874
VIRGINIA	449,508	40.60	60.40	199,155	208,153
WASHINGTON	353,635	47.40	54.90	170,416	213,534
W. VIRGINIA	110,990	41.10	57.90	50,157	58,455
WISCONSIN	978,955	38.90	57.10	415,218	441,189
WYOMING	701,205	54.70	71.70	390,301	395,826
UNITED STATES	57,185,759	48.50	59.10	28,109,480	28,652,867

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3/ CASH RECEIPTS PLUS THE VALUE OF HOME CONSUMPTION.

BEEF CATTLE: AVERAGE PRICE PER 100 POUNDS RECEIVED BY FARMERS,  
UNITED STATES, 1969-78

YEAR	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN
DOLLARS						
1969	23.80	24.30	25.40	26.70	28.60	29.40
1970	26.40	27.40	29.00	28.70	27.90	28.10
1971	26.10	28.90	28.80	29.10	29.50	28.90
1972	31.80	32.90	32.50	32.20	33.30	34.50
1973	37.90	40.70	43.80	42.80	43.60	43.90
1974	44.20	43.60	40.70	39.20	37.30	32.60
1975	27.40	26.80	27.80	31.60	35.30	36.80
1976	32.80	33.90	33.40	38.00	37.10	36.40
1977	32.20	33.20	33.80	35.30	36.30	34.00
1978	37.70	40.50	44.00	47.20	50.50	51.10

YEAR	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	ANNUAL AVERAGE
DOLLARS							
1969	27.90	26.90	26.10	25.40	24.90	25.60	26.20
1970	28.10	27.10	26.80	26.50	25.10	24.40	27.10
1971	28.50	29.30	29.20	29.30	29.90	30.30	29.00
1972	34.60	33.60	34.00	34.80	33.00	34.80	33.50
1973	44.60	51.70	46.70	42.70	39.60	37.70	42.80
1974	35.30	37.00	32.60	30.60	28.20	27.70	35.60
1975	35.20	32.30	34.00	33.40	32.30	33.50	32.30
1976	33.60	33.00	32.30	32.20	31.20	32.40	33.70
1977	34.90	34.50	34.70	35.10	34.30	35.50	34.40
1978	50.10	49.30	52.20	53.20	51.90	54.60	48.50

CALVES: AVERAGE PRICE PER 100 POUNDS RECEIVED BY FARMERS,  
UNITED STATES, 1969-78

YEAR	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN
DOLLARS						
1969	28.30	29.60	30.50	32.10	33.40	33.60
1970	33.60	35.10	36.40	35.90	35.80	35.30
1971	33.50	35.70	35.50	35.40	36.00	35.60
1972	39.70	41.20	41.80	41.50	42.90	44.00
1973	49.40	53.00	58.50	56.60	58.90	58.50
1974	54.10	53.30	49.60	47.40	42.70	37.40
1975	23.90	24.50	24.80	26.90	29.10	29.10
1976	30.80	33.80	34.80	38.20	38.80	37.70
1977	33.40	35.70	36.60	38.20	38.40	35.80
1978	41.00	44.90	50.00	53.70	59.50	58.70

YEAR	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	ANNUAL AVERAGE
DOLLARS							
1969	32.10	31.50	31.50	31.30	31.30	32.60	31.50
1970	34.60	34.00	33.80	34.00	33.20	32.70	34.50
1971	35.10	36.40	36.30	36.90	37.80	38.40	36.30
1972	45.10	45.00	45.60	47.10	46.80	46.60	44.70
1973	59.20	68.20	61.20	57.70	52.80	50.10	56.60
1974	36.00	34.30	30.10	27.70	25.70	25.00	35.20
1975	27.70	25.40	26.90	26.60	28.30	30.00	27.20
1976	34.90	34.20	32.90	33.00	32.10	32.80	34.20
1977	36.40	37.10	38.00	37.20	36.80	37.50	36.90
1978	60.10	61.90	65.70	66.40	67.20	72.10	59.10

STEERS AND HEIFERS: AVERAGE PRICE PER 100 POUNDS RECEIVED BY FARMERS,  
UNITED STATES, 1969-78

YEAR	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN
DOLLARS						
1969	26.10	26.30	27.20	28.60	30.80	31.90
1970	28.40	29.10	30.70	30.50	29.50	29.80
1971	28.00	31.00	30.70	31.10	31.40	30.90
1972	34.50	35.20	34.70	34.10	35.10	36.60
1973	40.80	43.40	46.30	44.90	45.70	46.10
1974	47.40	46.50	42.80	41.10	39.20	34.30
1975	30.90	29.50	30.30	34.90	39.30	41.60
1976	36.70	36.60	35.20	40.50	39.40	39.00
1977	35.00	35.80	35.90	37.40	38.90	36.70
1978	40.60	43.10	46.70	50.20	53.90	54.80

YEAR	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	ANNUAL AVERAGE
DOLLARS							
1969	30.20	28.90	27.70	27.20	27.10	27.80	28.30
1970	30.00	29.00	28.60	28.50	27.30	26.60	29.00
1971	30.50	31.40	31.20	31.40	32.60	33.10	31.10
1972	37.00	35.60	35.80	36.50	35.30	32.40	35.60
1973	47.30	55.10	49.10	44.70	42.00	39.90	45.30
1974	38.30	40.50	35.40	33.40	31.70	31.00	38.30
1975	39.90	36.40	38.20	37.80	36.90	38.50	36.30
1976	35.80	35.40	34.80	34.70	34.60	36.00	36.50
1977	37.80	37.30	37.50	38.30	38.00	39.20	37.30
1978	53.50	52.30	55.20	56.30	55.00	57.90	51.70

COWS: AVERAGE PRICE PER 100 POUNDS RECEIVED BY FARMERS,  
UNITED STATES, 1969-78

YEAR	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN
	DOLLARS					
1969	16.60	17.70	18.70	19.20	20.50	20.70
1970	19.80	21.10	22.00	21.80	21.50	21.60
1971	19.30	20.60	20.80	20.70	21.20	21.20
1972	21.80	23.20	23.70	23.50	24.60	24.90
1973	26.20	29.80	33.20	32.60	33.10	32.80
1974	31.80	32.90	32.20	30.60	28.80	24.90
1975	16.50	18.10	18.70	20.10	22.00	21.90
1976	22.00	25.00	26.90	28.90	28.90	26.70
1977	23.00	24.10	25.90	26.80	26.50	24.40
1978	26.50	30.10	32.90	35.30	37.80	36.40

YEAR	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	ANNUAL AVERAGE
	DOLLARS						
1969	20.10	20.00	19.50	18.90	18.20	19.00	19.10
1970	20.60	20.00	19.90	19.70	18.70	18.50	20.30
1971	20.70	21.00	20.90	20.80	20.70	21.00	20.70
1972	25.00	25.30	25.10	25.20	24.80	25.10	24.40
1973	33.40	37.60	35.30	33.30	29.90	29.40	32.00
1974	23.60	24.00	21.60	19.00	17.10	16.90	24.80
1975	20.50	19.60	20.30	19.60	20.00	20.10	19.80
1976	26.00	24.50	23.30	22.50	20.70	21.30	24.50
1977	24.00	24.10	24.30	23.00	23.00	24.00	24.30
1978	36.80	36.20	37.90	39.10	39.30	41.80	35.80

CATTLE AND CALVES ON FEED: NUMBER ON FEED, 39 FEEDING STATES, JAN 1, 1973-79 1/

STATE	1973	1974	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	IAS % OF 1978
	1,000 HEAD							PERCENT
ARIZONA	655	609	319	510	361	422	490	116
CALIFORNIA	1,181	1,209	688	960	812	845	796	94
COLORADO	1,050	930	755	925	915	1,020	1,080	106
IDAHO	205	172	185	203	248	249	224	90
ILLINOIS	585	530	500	630	620	650	490	75
INDIANA	276	263	250	285	290	315	280	89
IOWA	1,922	1,715	1,200	1,530	1,520	1,690	1,620	96
KANSAS	1,250	1,160	920	1,340	1,315	1,400	1,440	103
MICHIGAN	245	220	200	210	215	200	180	90
MINNESOTA	494	464	380	430	340	400	400	100
MISSOURI	310	250	200	260	255	220	180	82
MONTANA	160	122	79	80	83	81	80	99
NEBRASKA	1,581	1,525	1,160	1,390	1,580	1,700	1,800	106
NEW MEXICO	226	232	135	212	163	206	202	98
N. DAKOTA	47	49	36	36	35	33	38	115
OHIO	300	280	290	320	325	295	225	76
OKLAHOMA	272	292	232	286	305	360	345	96
OREGON	69	80	68	80	88	98	75	77
PENNSYLVANIA	87	86	83	90	92	98	86	88
S. DAKOTA	378	381	345	365	370	365	340	93
TEXAS	2,245	2,205	1,327	1,882	1,710	1,850	2,000	108
WASHINGTON	180	160	135	168	176	184	188	102
WISCONSIN	143	136	135	136	130	130	106	82
23 STATES	13,861	13,070	9,622	12,328	11,948	12,811	12,665	99
ALABAMA	37	38	42	45	44	40	33	83
ARKANSAS	18	19	21	21	24	25	19	76
FLORIDA	58	55	60	81	73	72	65	90
GEORGIA	65	63	68	80	84	101	80	79
HAWAII	15	16	11	16	15	14	11	79
KENTUCKY	38	39	37	35	40	50	45	90
LOUISIANA	12	10	10	12	15	14	13	93
MARYLAND	21	21	22	23	22	21	20	95
MISSISSIPPI	14	9	10	14	14	12	13	108
NEVADA	50	51	36	25	19	18	17	94
NEW JERSEY	5	5	5	3	3	4	4	100
NEW YORK	14	14	10	9	10	11	11	100
N. CAROLINA	45	48	45	46	50	40	40	100
S. CAROLINA	26	30	26	34	30	31	25	81
TENNESSEE	14	11	10	16	18	20	27	135
UTAH	53	58	52	60	60	62	55	89
VIRGINIA	39	31	31	40	45	50	43	86
WEST VIRGINIA	11	12	11	11	9	10	10	100
WYOMING	31	39	38	39	55	60	60	100
OTHER STATES	5	4	3	3	2	3	3	100
UNITED STATES	14,432	13,643	10,170	12,941	12,580	13,469	13,259	98

1/ CATTLE AND CALVES ON FEED ARE ANIMALS FOR SLAUGHTER MARKET BEING FED A FULL RATION OF GRAIN OR OTHER CONCENTRATES AND ARE EXPECTED TO PRODUCE A CARCASS THAT WILL GRADE GOOD OR BETTER.

CATTLE AND CALVES ON FEED: NUMBER BY QUARTERS, BY STATES, JANUARY 1, 1977-79 1/

STATE	1977	1978					1979	AS % OF JAN 1978
		JAN	JAN	APR	JUL	OCT		
		1,000 HEAD					PERCENT	
ARIZONA	361	422	352	376	442	490	116	
CALIFORNIA	812	845	535	686	844	796	94	
COLORADO	915	1,020	940	910	935	1,080	106	
IDAHO	248	249	242	228	219	224	90	
ILLINOIS	620	650	610	460	400	490	75	
INDIANA	290	315	265	205	190	280	89	
IOWA	1,520	1,690	1,560	1,300	1,250	1,620	96	
KANSAS	1,315	1,400	1,365	1,390	1,400	1,440	103	
MICHIGAN	215	200	190	160	155	180	90	
MINNESOTA	340	400	400	330	280	400	100	
MISSOURI	255	220	185	135	125	180	82	
MONTANA	83	81	60	52	30	80	99	
NEBRASKA	1,580	1,700	1,700	1,450	1,640	1,800	106	
N. MEXICO	163	206	191	157	193	202	98	
N. DAKOTA	35	33	28	38	27	38	115	
OHIO	325	295	250	170	155	225	76	
OKLAHOMA	305	360	335	337	355	345	96	
OREGON	88	98	76	70	68	75	77	
PENNSYLVANIA	92	98	82	55	58	86	88	
S. DAKOTA	370	365	260	265	250	340	93	
TEXAS	1,710	1,850	1,810	1,870	2,030	2,000	108	
WASHINGTON	176	184	183	174	201	188	102	
WISCONSIN	130	130	122	106	100	106	82	
23 STATES	11,948	12,811	11,741	10,924	11,347	12,665	99	

1/ CATTLE AND CALVES ON FEED ARE ANIMALS FOR SLAUGHTER MARKET BEING FED A FULL RATION OF GRAIN OR OTHER CONCENTRATES AND ARE EXPECTED TO PRODUCE A CARCASS THAT WILL GRADE GOOD OR BETTER.

CATTLE PLACED ON FEED: NUMBER BY QUARTERS, BY STATES, OCT 1977-DEC 1978 1/

STATE	1977 OCT-DEC	1978				10CT-DEC 1978 AS % OF 10CT-DEC 1977
		JAN-MAR	APR-JUN	JUL-SEP	OCT-DEC	
		1,000 HEAD				PERCENT
ARIZONA	267	139	212	255	232	87
CALIFORNIA	609	302	563	494	470	77
COLORADO	761	665	632	649	760	100
IDAHO	183	116	103	126	143	78
ILLINOIS	410	225	110	210	330	80
INDIANA	190	70	75	100	175	92
IOWA	1,382	707	635	850	1,275	92
KANSAS	1,112	900	937	939	929	84
MICHIGAN	97	47	48	67	98	101
MINNESOTA	300	220	140	148	300	100
MISSOURI	150	60	45	60	145	97
MONTANA	59	36	15	16	72	122
NEBRASKA	1,455	1,090	1,020	1,190	1,340	92
N. MEXICO	139	91	64	127	94	68
N. DAKOTA	26	11	24	10	29	112
OHIO	166	65	44	84	145	87
OKLAHOMA	255	210	218	235	214	84
OREGON	61	36	42	43	47	77
PENNSYLVANIA	61	15	16	29	50	82
S. DAKOTA	265	110	140	130	245	92
TEXAS	1,405	1,232	1,345	1,425	1,410	100
WASHINGTON	115	100	97	123	102	89
WISCONSIN	83	43	33	42	51	61
23 STATES	9,551	6,490	6,558	7,352	8,656	91

1/ INCLUDES CATTLE PLACED ON FEED AFTER BEGINNING OF QUARTER AND MARKETED BEFORE END OF QUARTER.

HOGS AND PIGS: NUMBER ON FARMS, SOWS FARROWING AND PIG CROP,  
UNITED STATES, 1975-78

ITEM	1975	1976	1977	1978	1978 AS % OF 1977
	1,000 HEAD		PERCENT		
<b>NUMBER ON FARMS - DEC 1:</b>					
ALL HOGS AND PIGS	49,267	54,934	56,539	59,860	106
KEPT FOR BREEDING	7,574	8,011	8,604	9,558	111
MARKET	41,693	46,923	47,935	50,303	105
<b>SOWS FARROWING:</b>					
DECEMBER 1/ - FEBRUARY	2,159	2,456	2,742	2,740	100
MARCH - MAY	2,814	3,321	3,308	3,275	99
DECEMBER 1/ - MAY	4,973	5,777	6,050	6,015	99
JUNE - AUGUST	2,507	2,965	3,087	3,158	102
SEPTEMBER - NOVEMBER	2,445	2,885	2,922	3,217	110
JUNE - NOVEMBER	4,952	5,850	6,009	6,375	106
<b>PIG CROP:</b>					
DECEMBER 1/ - MAY	35,530	42,177	42,960	42,341	99
JUNE - NOVEMBER	35,656	42,218	43,202	45,840	106
YEAR	71,186	84,395	86,162	88,181	102
<b>PIGS PER LITTER:</b>					
DECEMBER 1/ - MAY	7.14	7.30	7.10	7.04	99
JUNE - NOVEMBER	7.20	7.22	7.19	7.19	100
<b>TOTAL INVENTORY VALUE</b>					
	1,000 DOLLARS		3,959,360	2,582,568	3,575,279
			4,986,498		139

1/ DECEMBER PRECEDING YEAR.

HOGS AND PIGS: INVENTORY NUMBERS, PIG CROP, DISPOSITION,  
UNITED STATES, 1969-78

YEAR	INVENTORY	PIG CROP	INSHIPMENTS	MARKETING	FARM SLAUGHTER	DEATHS
	DECEMBER 1		1/	2/	1/	2/
<b>1,000 HEAD</b>						
1969	60,829	88,676	3,092	88,074	1,134	6,343
1970	57,046	101,714	3,211	86,919	1,235	6,532
1971	67,285	97,924	3,639	98,644	1,210	6,584
1972	62,412	90,574	3,360	89,555	1,158	6,617
1973	59,017	88,123	3,902	82,419	1,095	6,914
1974	60,614	83,744	3,979	85,504	1,321	6,819
1975	54,693	71,186	3,806	73,595	1,193	5,631
1976	49,267	84,395	4,191	75,744	1,175	6,001
1977	54,934	86,162	4,258	80,917	1,145	6,754
1978	56,539	88,181	4,561	81,266	1,102	7,053

1/ INCLUDES CUSTOM SLAUGHTER FOR USE ON FARMS WHERE PRODUCED, BUT EXCLUDES INTERFARM SALES WITHIN STATES.

2/ EXCLUDES CUSTOM SLAUGHTER FOR FARMERS AT COMMERCIAL ESTABLISHMENTS.

HOGS: MARKETINGS, CASH RECEIPTS AND INCOME, BY STATES, 1978

STATE	MARKETINGS 1/	PRICE PER 100 POUNDS	CASH RECEIPTS	
			2/	GROSS INCOME 3/
	1,000 POUNDS	DOLLARS	1,000 DOLLARS	
ALABAMA	201,482	45.10	90,868	106,368
ALASKA	334	67.00	224	233
ARIZONA	35,898	50.40	18,093	18,825
ARKANSAS	108,603	46.00	49,957	54,620
CALIFORNIA	51,690	48.30	24,966	27,748
COLORADO	105,413	46.50	49,017	53,049
DELAWARE	18,843	45.80	8,630	8,825
FLORIDA	82,443	44.00	36,275	38,049
GEORGIA	449,301	44.00	197,692	209,387
HAWAII	13,135	60.50	7,947	8,462
IDAHO	17,665	44.00	7,773	8,380
ILLINOIS	2,350,703	46.40	1,090,726	1,097,977
INDIANA	1,428,651	46.40	662,894	666,992
IOWA	4,850,815	47.00	2,279,883	2,316,543
KANSAS	697,475	47.00	327,813	334,581
KENTUCKY	321,650	46.20	148,602	164,449
LOUISIANA	33,319	43.30	14,427	18,337
MARYLAND	46,833	46.10	21,590	23,667
MICHIGAN	202,602	47.60	96,439	102,544
MINNESOTA	1,394,135	46.70	651,061	668,321
MISSISSIPPI	90,605	46.80	42,403	48,974
MISSOURI	1,219,895	46.80	570,911	591,915
MONTANA	76,672	44.80	34,349	35,930
NEBRASKA	1,095,467	47.10	515,965	526,798
NEVADA	2,679	49.10	1,315	1,451
N. ENGLAND STATES	29,834	45.00	13,427	14,611
N. JERSEY	19,145	44.00	8,424	9,198
N. MEXICO	20,891	47.90	10,007	10,378
NEW YORK	38,892	44.90	17,463	19,281
N. CAROLINA	645,337	46.70	301,372	324,868
N. DAKOTA	90,400	45.30	40,951	43,932
OHIO	568,918	47.50	270,236	275,650
OKLAHOMA	90,350	46.30	41,832	47,582
OREGON	30,813	46.30	14,266	15,412
PENNSYLVANIA	157,519	46.30	72,931	86,365
S. CAROLINA	141,625	45.10	63,873	69,374
S. DAKOTA	582,280	47.40	276,001	278,731
TENNESSEE	351,305	46.70	164,059	182,973
TEXAS	313,473	43.80	137,301	141,874
UTAH	12,275	45.30	5,561	6,025
VIRGINIA	151,040	45.50	68,723	78,551
WASHINGTON	17,375	48.40	8,410	10,470
W. VIRGINIA	20,731	45.40	9,412	12,331
WISCONSIN	517,642	45.90	237,598	245,986
WYOMING	8,488	44.80	3,803	4,233
UNITED STATES	18,704,641	46.60	8,715,470	9,010,250

1/ EXCLUDES CUSTOM SLAUGHTER FOR USE ON FARMS WHERE PRODUCED AND INTERFARM SALES WITHIN STATES. 2/ RECEIPTS FROM MARKETINGS AND SALES OF FARM SLAUGHTER.  
 3/ CASH RECEIPTS PLUS THE VALUE OF HOME CONSUMPTION.

HOGS: MARKETINGS, CASH RECEIPTS AND INCOME, UNITED STATES, 1969-78

YEAR	MARKETINGS 1/	PRICE PER 100 LBS 2/	CASH RECEIPTS	GROSS INCOME 3/
			DOLLARS	1,000 DOLLARS
1969	20,708,223	22.20	4,586,965	4,700,280
1970	20,347,354	22.70	4,619,946	4,750,844
1971	23,147,614	17.50	4,045,843	4,144,396
1972	20,922,577	25.10	5,246,914	5,387,954
1973	19,606,900	38.40	7,529,002	7,736,731
1974	20,299,581	34.20	6,946,761	7,166,161
1975	16,960,920	46.10	7,836,359	8,105,085
1976	17,085,365	43.30	7,400,479	7,668,931
1977	18,409,468	39.40	7,257,959	7,520,536
1978	18,704,641	46.60	8,715,470	9,010,250

1/ EXCLUDES CUSTOM SLAUGHTER FOR USE ON FARMS WHERE PRODUCED AND INTERFARM SALES WITHIN STATES. 2/ RECEIPTS FROM MARKETINGS AND SALES OF FARM SLAUGHTER.

3/ CASH RECEIPTS PLUS THE VALUE OF HOME CONSUMPTION.

HOG SLAUGHTER: NUMBER OF HEAD, AVERAGE LIVEWEIGHT AND TOTAL LIVEWEIGHT, UNITED STATES, 1969-78 1/

YEAR	NUMBER OF HEAD	AVERAGE LIVEWEIGHT	TOTAL LIVEWEIGHT
		1,000 HEAD	POUNDS
1969	83,892.8	239	20,010
1970	85,867.4	240	20,626
1971	94,488.2	239	22,544
1972	84,759.9	239	20,259
1973	76,795.0	241	18,525
1974	81,761.9	244	19,975
1975	68,686.8	240	16,458
1976	73,783.9	238	17,566
1977	77,303.0	237	18,330
1978	77,315.2	240	18,555

1/ INCLUDES SLAUGHTER UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION AND OTHER COMMERCIAL SLAUGHTER; EXCLUDES FARM SLAUGHTER. COMMERCIAL SLAUGHTER NOT ESTIMATED IN ALASKA.

HOGS: AVERAGE PRICE PER 100 POUNDS RECEIVED BY FARMERS, UNITED STATES, 1969-78

YEAR	DEC 1/	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY
DOLLARS						
1969	17.80	18.70	19.60	20.00	19.70	22.30
1970	25.80	26.40	27.50	25.60	23.80	23.00
1971	15.10	15.30	19.10	16.90	15.90	17.00
1972	19.70	22.80	25.60	23.30	22.50	24.90
1973	29.60	31.00	34.30	38.20	35.10	35.30
1974	38.20	40.10	39.30	35.00	30.60	26.30
1975	38.40	38.20	38.50	38.60	39.30	45.10
1976	47.60	47.70	48.00	45.60	47.00	47.60
1977	36.60	38.10	39.40	37.20	36.00	40.70
1978	41.80	43.90	47.40	46.40	45.00	47.90

YEAR	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	ANNUAL AVERAGE
DOLLARS							
1969	24.00	24.90	25.90	24.90	24.80	25.00	22.20
1970	23.20	23.80	21.60	19.70	17.90	15.40	22.70
1971	17.50	19.00	18.50	17.90	19.50	18.80	17.50
1972	25.60	27.50	28.00	28.10	27.40	26.80	25.10
1973	37.30	41.30	56.30	43.80	40.90	40.50	38.40
1974	24.20	34.20	36.00	33.70	37.10	36.80	34.20
1975	47.40	53.90	56.10	58.60	58.30	49.10	46.10
1976	49.20	47.60	42.60	39.70	32.90	31.20	43.30
1977	42.00	44.80	42.80	40.30	39.90	37.80	39.40
1978	47.60	45.40	47.40	48.00	50.80	47.30	46.60

1/ DECEMBER PRECEEDING YEAR.

**HOGS: TOTAL HEAD SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION,  
UNITED STATES, 1969-78**

YEAR	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN
	1,000 HEAD					
1969	6,814	6,245	6,808	6,852	6,045	5,591
1970	6,170	5,507	6,415	6,678	5,877	5,685
1971	7,489	6,379	8,266	7,794	6,932	6,983
1972	6,400	6,280	7,800	6,732	6,793	6,313
1973	6,641	5,712	6,651	5,992	6,638	5,711
1974	6,804	5,584	6,568	6,867	7,077	5,894
1975	6,349	5,540	5,751	6,361	5,375	5,077
1976	5,400	4,873	6,324	5,827	5,086	5,146
1977	5,840	5,825	7,238	6,395	5,877	5,695
1978	6,243	6,092	7,070	6,458	6,557	6,027

YEAR	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	TOTAL
	1,000 HEAD						
1969	5,739	5,708	6,611	7,100	5,825	6,344	75,682
1970	5,774	6,045	7,034	7,662	7,350	7,990	78,187
1971	6,220	6,922	7,379	7,190	7,566	7,547	86,667
1972	5,276	6,512	6,420	7,048	6,988	6,197	78,759
1973	4,996	5,569	5,348	6,613	6,534	5,859	72,264
1974	5,722	6,363	6,523	7,023	6,403	6,243	77,071
1975	4,657	4,627	5,217	5,379	5,085	5,508	64,926
1976	4,905	5,968	6,361	6,929	7,110	6,525	70,454
1977	4,908	6,148	6,514	6,508	6,885	6,186	74,019
1978	5,631	6,481	6,441	6,841	7,042	6,434	77,315

SHEEP AND LAMBS: NUMBER ON FARMS BY CLASSES, UNITED STATES, JANUARY 1, 1969-79

YEAR	STOCK SHEEP						SHEEP AND LAMBS ON FEED	ALL SHEEP AND LAMBS		
	LAMBS		ONE YEAR AND OLDER							
	WETHERS EWES	& RAMS	WETHERS EWES	& RAMS	TOTAL					
1,000 HEAD										
1969	2,473	501	14,707	675	18,355	2,995	21,350			
1970	2,422	475	13,923	613	17,433	2,990	20,423			
1971	2,280	463	13,609	594	16,946	2,785	19,731			
1972	1,974	402	12,909	560	15,845	2,894	18,739			
1973	1,883	354	12,049	482	14,768	2,873	17,641			
1974	1,804	359	11,058	464	13,685	2,625	16,310			
1975	1,510	404	10,083	437	12,436	2,079	14,515			
1976	1,345	350	9,314	396	11,427	1,884	13,311			
1977	1,407	380	8,886	362	11,035	1,731	12,766			
1978	1,489	326	8,540	370	10,725	1,623	12,348			
1979	1,667	369	8,243	378	10,657	1,567	12,224			

SHEEP AND LAMBS: INVENTORY NUMBERS, LAMB CROP AND DISPOSITION,  
UNITED STATES, 1969-78 1/

YEAR	ON HAND JANUARY 1		INSHIP- LAMB CROP	MENTS SHEEP AND LAMBS	MARKETINGS 2/1 SHEEP AND LAMBS	FARM SLAUGHTER SHEEP AND LAMBS	DEATHS SHEEP LAMBS
	ALL SHEEP	EWES					
	1 AND LAMBS	1 YEAR					
1,000 HEAD							
1969	21,350	14,707	13,723	4,119	2,282	12,873	233
1970	20,423	13,923	13,465	4,032	1,983	12,840	249
1971	19,731	13,609	12,998	4,004	2,202	12,627	236
1972	18,739	12,909	12,599	3,976	2,170	12,383	224
1973	17,641	12,049	11,500	3,275	2,198	10,879	202
1974	16,310	11,058	10,509	2,629	2,172	9,888	217
1975	14,515	10,083	9,857	2,343	1,771	8,997	212
1976	13,311	9,314	8,808	2,466	8,071	8,071	197
1977	12,766	8,886	8,606	2,173	1,504	7,405	198
1978	12,348	8,540	8,020	2,147	1,464	6,594	174

1/ HAWAII NOT AVAILABLE. 2/ INCLUDES CUSTOM SLAUGHTER FOR USE ON FARMS WHERE PRODUCED, BUT EXCLUDES INTERFARM SALES WITHIN STATES. 3/ EXCLUDES CUSTOM SLAUGHTER FOR FARMERS AT COMMERCIAL ESTABLISHMENTS.

SHEEP AND LAMB SLAUGHTER: NUMBER OF HEAD, AVERAGE AND TOTAL LIVEWEIGHT,  
FLORIDA AND UNITED STATES, 1969-78 1/

YEAR	FLORIDA			UNITED STATES 2/		
	NUMBER OF HEAD	AVERAGE LIVEWEIGHT POUNDS	TOTAL LIVEWEIGHT 1,000 POUNDS	NUMBER OF HEAD	AVERAGE LIVEWEIGHT POUNDS	TOTAL LIVEWEIGHT MIL. POUNDS
1969	.8	64	51	10,690.7	104	1,107
1970	.6	72	43	10,551.8	104	1,099
1971	.7	73	51	10,729.2	104	1,111
1972	.7	66	46	10,301.0	105	1,081
1973	.5	72	36	9,597.0	107	1,028
1974	.3	87	26	8,846.6	105	928
1975	.3	73	22	7,834.9	104	819
1976	.4	65	26	6,713.5	109	730
1977	.3	72	21	6,355.8	108	686
1978	.4	71	26	5,368.9	112	601

1/ INCLUDES SLAUGHTER UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION AND OTHER COMMERCIAL SLAUGHTER;  
EXCLUDES FARM SLAUGHTER. 2/ COMMERCIAL SLAUGHTER NOT ESTIMATED IN ALASKA.

SHEEP AND LAMBS: MARKETINGS, CASH RECEIPTS AND INCOME, UNITED STATES, 1969-78

YEAR	MARKETINGS 1/	PRICE PER 100 POUNDS		CASH RECEIPTS 2/	GROSS INCOME 3/
		SHEEP	LAMBS		
	1,000 POUNDS	DOLLARS		1,000 DOLLARS	
1969	1,446,504	8.10	27.20	343,431	348,987
1970	1,435,918	7.52	26.40	333,746	339,437
1971	1,447,047	6.56	25.90	322,982	328,381
1972	1,411,461	7.62	29.10	353,803	359,528
1973	1,278,090	12.90	35.10	389,585	396,480
1974	1,177,539	11.20	37.00	368,747	376,617
1975	1,072,665	11.30	42.10	385,210	393,683
1976	961,780	13.20	46.90	391,672	400,728
1977	896,568	13.40	51.30	390,503	400,408
1978	854,455	21.70	62.70	461,435	472,665

1/ EXCLUDES CUSTOM SLAUGHTER FOR USE ON FARMS WHERE PRODUCED AND INTERFARM SALES  
WITHIN STATES. 2/ RECEIPTS FROM MARKETINGS AND SALES OF FARM SLAUGHTER.

3/ CASH RECEIPTS PLUS THE VALUE OF HOME CONSUMPTION.

**SHEEP: AVERAGE PRICE PER 100 POUNDS RECEIVED BY FARMERS,  
UNITED STATES, 1969-78**

YEAR	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN
	DOLLARS					
1969	7.18	7.63	8.24	8.73	8.34	8.07
1970	7.95	8.22	8.45	8.11	8.07	8.04
1971	6.90	7.03	7.34	7.08	6.87	6.50
1972	6.17	6.69	7.12	6.74	7.08	6.92
1973	9.36	10.80	12.10	12.10	11.40	12.00
1974	14.70	15.80	15.10	13.60	12.20	10.60
1975	9.85	10.30	10.60	11.70	11.60	11.30
1976	12.60	12.80	13.90	15.30	14.70	12.80
1977	13.80	13.90	15.40	14.40	13.00	12.00
1978	16.50	18.40	19.70	19.50	19.20	19.30

YEAR	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	ANNUAL AVERAGE
	DOLLARS						
1969	8.24	8.53	8.39	8.35	8.15	9.05	8.24
1970	7.99	7.43	7.16	7.09	6.97	6.67	7.69
1971	6.23	6.78	6.39	6.05	6.13	6.22	6.58
1972	7.08	7.32	7.33	7.31	7.78	8.35	7.28
1973	12.40	15.70	13.50	13.30	13.00	14.20	12.70
1974	10.50	10.90	9.80	8.20	8.10	8.90	11.30
1975	11.80	10.80	11.30	10.80	10.80	11.80	11.20
1976	13.40	12.90	12.90	11.90	11.50	13.00	13.20
1977	12.30	12.40	13.40	13.20	14.10	14.60	13.40
1978	19.40	20.80	24.40	24.90	24.70	25.50	21.70

LAMBS: AVERAGE PRICE PER 100 POUNDS RECEIVED BY FARMERS,  
UNITED STATES, 1969-78

YEAR	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN
	DOLLARS					
1969	25.20	26.70	27.40	28.00	28.00	27.70
1970	28.10	27.90	27.50	26.30	26.80	27.20
1971	23.10	23.90	25.50	26.70	27.10	28.10
1972	26.90	28.20	28.70	28.60	30.40	30.70
1973	32.60	35.30	39.20	35.10	33.60	36.20
1974	39.30	39.20	36.00	37.40	41.20	42.70
1975	36.80	37.90	39.80	43.00	45.0	44.80
1976	47.90	47.20	50.20	54.90	60.10	51.10
1977	48.30	49.60	49.10	50.80	55.00	50.90
1978	60.70	63.20	67.10	63.90	66.50	61.80

YEAR	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	ANNUAL AVERAGE
	DOLLARS						
1969	28.00	27.30	26.90	27.60	27.30	27.20	27.20
1970	27.00	26.70	26.20	26.10	25.20	23.40	26.40
1971	27.10	27.40	25.90	25.40	25.20	25.40	25.90
1972	31.40	30.20	29.10	28.20	27.60	28.70	29.10
1973	35.40	41.80	33.10	32.50	33.80	35.40	35.10
1974	37.90	37.50	33.20	33.20	35.20	36.10	37.00
1975	43.10	39.90	40.50	42.60	44.20	46.30	42.10
1976	46.80	41.50	41.80	42.60	41.90	44.70	46.90
1977	50.60	49.10	51.30	52.60	52.40	56.90	51.30
1978	58.80	58.50	63.70	62.50	61.40	65.70	62.70

SHEEP AND LAMBS: NUMBER ON FARMS BY STATES, JANUARY 1, 1979

STATE	STOCK SHEEP				TOTAL	ON FEED	ALL SHEEP			
	LAMBS		ONE YEAR AND OLDER							
	EWES	I W. & R.	EWES	I W. & R.						
1,000 HEAD										
ARIZONA	48	33	288	11	380	85	465			
CALIFORNIA	85	16	838	26	965	185	1,150			
COLORADO	64	6	393	12	475	320	795			
FLORIDA 1/										
IDAHO	73	6	369	8	456	10	466			
ILLINOIS	25	8	127	7	167	17	184			
INDIANA	23	6	124	7	160	11	171			
IOWA	64	21	220	15	320	60	380			
KANSAS	13	7	125	5	150	58	208			
KENTUCKY	2	1	18	1	22	--	22			
MARYLAND	3	1	14	1	19	--	19			
MICHIGAN	14	3	75	3	95	26	121			
MINNESOTA	38	8	160	4	210	45	255			
MISSOURI	19	6	83	4	112	14	126			
MONTANA	111	9	324	11	455	20	475			
NEBRASKA	17	4	76	3	100	75	175			
NEVADA	15	1	89	2	107	7	114			
N. MEXICO	92	8	432	23	555	49	604			
NEW YORK	10	9	42	2	63	--	63			
N. DAKOTA	32	8	115	5	160	38	198			
OHIO	36	10	236	8	290	60	350			
OKLAHOMA	12	3	57	3	75	14	89			
OREGON	68	11	260	11	350	110	460			
PENNSYLVANIA	11	4	55	5	75	--	75			
S. DAKOTA	124	21	534	17	696	44	740			
TENNESSEE	2	1	9	1	13	--	13			
TEXAS	355	108	1,667	120	2,250	165	2,415			
UTAH	59	5	388	10	462	24	486			
VIRGINIA	21	9	125	5	160	--	160			
WASHINGTON	11	3	39	3	56	--	56			
W. VIRGINIA	16	6	88	5	115	--	115			
WISCONSIN	17	2	63	3	85	10	95			
WYOMING	176	20	759	30	985	120	1,105			
OTHER STATES	11	5	51	7	74	--	74			
UNITED STATES	1,667	369	8,243	378	10,657	1,567	12,224			

1/ ESTIMATES DISCONTINUED.

SHEEP AND LAMBS: INVENTORY NUMBERS, LAMB CROP, DISPOSITION, FLORIDA,  
JANUARY 1, 1969-78

YEAR	ON HAND JAN 1	LAMB CROP	SHEEP AND LAMBS		
	ALL SHEEP AND LAMBS		MARKETINGS 1/	FARM SLAUGHTER 2/	DEATHS
	1,000 HEAD				
1969	5.6	3.2	2.7	.3	.8
1970	5.0	3.1	2.1	.4	.9
1971	4.7	2.9	1.6	.4	1.0
1972	4.6	2.9	1.6	.6	.8
1973	4.5	2.9	1.6	.7	.8
1974	4.3	2.8	1.4	.7	.8
1975	4.2	2.7	1.3	.8	.7
1976	4.1	2.8	1.4	.5	.5
1977	4.5	2.5	1.7	.5	.8
1978 3/	4.0	---	---	--	---

1/ INCLUDES CUSTOM SLAUGHTER FOR USE ON FARMS WHERE PRODUCED, BUT EXCLUDES INTERFARM SALES WITHIN THE STATE.

2/ EXCLUDES CUSTOM SLAUGHTER FOR FARMERS AT COMMERCIAL ESTABLISHMENTS.

3/ ESTIMATES DISCONTINUED.

SHEEP AND LAMBS: MARKETINGS, CASH RECEIPTS AND INCOME, FLORIDA,  
JANUARY 1, 1969-78

YEAR	MARKETINGS 1/	PRICE PER 100 LBS		CASH RECEIPTS 2/	GROSS INCOME 3/
		SHEEP	LAMBS		
		1,000 POUNDS	DOLLARS		
1969	231	7.00	25.00	36	43
1970	180	6.50	24.00	25	34
1971	136	7.00	25.00	18	28
1972	132	9.00	30.00	20	36
1973	128	12.00	33.00	24	45
1974	107	8.00	28.00	17	35
1975	97	9.00	30.00	16	38
1976	104	12.00	35.00	29	44
1977	150	13.00	40.00	30	47
1978 4/	---	---	---	--	--

1/ EXCLUDES CUSTOM SLAUGHTER FOR USE ON FARMS WHERE PRODUCED AND INTERFARM SALES WITHIN THE STATE. 2/ RECEIPTS FROM MARKETINGS AND SALE OF FARM SLAUGHTER.

3/ CASH RECEIPTS PLUS THE VALUE OF HOME CONSUMPTION. 4/ ESTIMATES DISCONTINUED.

MEAT, FISH, POULTRY, AND EGGS: PER CAPITA CONSUMPTION, UNITED STATES, RETAIL  
DISTRIBUTION WEIGHT, 1941-78 1/

YEAR	MEAT (RETAIL WEIGHT)					FISH	POULTRY		EGGS NUMBER
	BEEF		VEAL	LAMB AND MUTTONI	PORK	TOTAL	TOTAL	CHICKEN	
						POUNDS			
1941	48.1	6.9	6.1	63.6	124.7	11.2	15.4	2.9	302
1942	48.3	7.5	6.4	59.2	121.4	8.8	17.7	3.0	305
1943	42.1	7.5	5.7	73.4	128.7	8.0	23.0	2.7	333
1944	43.9	11.3	6.0	73.9	135.1	8.8	20.4	2.7	340
1945	46.9	10.8	6.5	61.9	126.1	10.0	21.6	3.5	387
1946	48.7	9.1	6.0	70.5	134.3	10.6	19.4	3.7	364
1947	55.0	9.8	4.7	64.7	134.2	10.1	18.1	3.6	372
1948	49.8	8.6	4.5	63.1	126.0	10.6	18.3	3.1	377
1949	50.5	8.1	3.6	63.0	125.2	10.7	19.6	3.3	372
1950	50.1	7.3	3.6	64.4	125.4	11.6	20.6	4.1	378
1951	44.3	6.0	3.0	66.9	120.2	11.1	21.7	4.4	381
1952	49.1	6.6	3.7	67.3	126.7	11.0	22.1	4.7	378
1953	61.3	8.6	4.2	59.1	133.2	11.4	21.9	4.8	368
1954	62.9	9.0	4.1	55.8	131.8	11.3	22.8	5.3	365
1955	64.0	8.4	4.1	62.1	138.6	10.4	21.3	5.0	360
1956	66.2	8.4	4.0	62.6	141.2	10.3	24.4	5.2	358
1957	65.1	7.7	3.7	56.8	133.3	10.1	25.5	5.9	351
1958	61.6	5.8	3.7	56.0	127.1	10.6	28.2	5.9	343
1959	61.9	4.9	4.3	62.9	134.0	10.8	28.9	6.3	341
1960	65.6	5.4	4.3	60.3	135.6	10.3	27.8	6.2	324
1961	66.0	4.8	4.5	57.8	133.1	10.7	30.0	7.4	318
1962	66.4	4.6	4.6	59.2	134.8	10.6	29.9	7.0	317
1963	70.0	4.1	4.4	61.0	139.5	10.7	30.7	6.8	308
1964	73.9	4.3	3.7	60.7	142.6	10.5	31.0	7.3	308
1965	73.5	4.3	3.3	54.4	135.5	10.9	33.3	7.5	305
1966	77.0	3.7	3.6	53.9	138.2	10.8	36.0	7.8	304
1967	78.8	3.2	3.5	59.6	145.1	10.6	36.5	8.6	310
1968	81.2	3.0	3.3	61.6	149.1	11.0	37.5	7.9	307
1969	82.0	2.7	3.0	60.5	148.2	11.2	39.1	8.3	301
1970	84.1	2.4	2.8	62.0	151.3	11.8	40.5	8.0	302
1971	83.6	2.2	2.8	67.9	156.5	11.4	41.4	8.5	305
1972	85.9	1.8	2.9	62.7	153.3	12.3	43.0	9.1	299
1973	81.1	1.5	2.4	57.3	142.3	12.7	40.7	8.5	285
1974	86.4	1.9	2.0	62.2	152.5	12.2	41.1	8.9	279
1975	88.9	3.5	1.8	51.2	145.4	12.2	40.3	8.6	271
1976	95.7	3.3	1.7	54.1	154.8	12.9	43.3	9.2	267
1977	93.2	3.2	1.5	56.9	154.8	12.8	44.3	9.2	264
1978	88.9	2.5	1.4	56.5	149.3	13.3	47.4	9.4	269

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**Florida cattle and hog auctions, location and day of sale**

<b>Day sale held</b>	<b>Market locations</b>	<b>Name of market</b>	<b>Mailing address</b>	<b>Phone</b>
Monday	Gainesville	Gainesville Livestock Market, Inc. (Hogs - Wed.)	P. O. Box 1175 (32602)	904-372-3442
	Graceville	Tindel Livestock Auction Market	P. O. Box 476 (32440)	904-263-3224
	Jacksonville	Jacksonville Livestock Auction, Inc.	P. O. Box 208, Whitehouse, Florida (32220)	904-781-4677
	Monticello	Monticello Livestock Market, Inc.	P. O. Box 507 (32344)	904-997-5711
	Okeechobee	Okeechobee Livestock Market, Inc.	Rt. 3, Box 500 (33472)	813-763-3127
	Tampa	Cattlemen's Livestock Auction Market, Inc.	6811 E. Broadway (33619)	813-626-5164
	Wauchula	Hardee Livestock Market, Inc.	P. O. Box 1479 (33873)	813-773-9747
	Chipley	Chipley Livestock, Inc.	P. O. Box 118 (32428)	904-638-0267
Tuesday	Jay	Jay Livestock Auction Market	P. O. Box 385 (32565)	904-675-4795
	Lakeland	Cattlemen's Livestock Auction Market, Inc.	P. O. Box 26 (33802)	813-682-0117
	Madison	Madison Stockyard, Inc. (Hogs - Mon.)	P. O. Box 577 (32340)	904-973-4094
	Okeechobee	Okeechobee Livestock Market, Inc.	Rt. 3, Box 500 (33472)	813-763-3127
	Seffner	Interstate Livestock Auction Mkt.	P. O. Box 697 (33584)	813-689-2424
Wednesday	Webster	Sumter County Farmer's Market, Inc.	P. O. Box 62 (33597)	904-793-2021
	Arcadia	Arcadia State Livestock Market	P. O. Drawer 1418 (33821)	813-494-3737
	Gainesville	Gainesville Livestock Market, Inc. (Hogs - Wed.)	P. O. Box 1175 (32602)	904-372-3442
	Kissimmee	Kissimmee Livestock Market, Inc.	P. O. Box 329 (32741)	305-847-3521
	Live Oak	Sewanee Valley Livestock Market	P. O. Box 208 (32060)	904-362-1702
Thursday	Quincy	Edwards Livestock Co. (Hogs - Mon.)	P. O. Box 188 (32351)	904-627-9584
	Lake City	Columbia Livestock Market of Lake City, Inc. (Hogs - Mon.)	P. O. Box 354 (32055)	904-755-2300
	Marianna	West Fla. Livestock Auction Market	P. O. Box 771 (32446)	904-482-2229
	Ocala	Mills Auction Market (Hogs - Wed.)	P. O. Box 1508 (32670)	904-732-4454
Saturday	Lakeland	Cow Palace, Inc.	P. O. Box 3604 Lakeland (33802)	813-858-6253

**FLORIDA SLAUGHTERING PLANTS UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION**

<u>Slaughter Plant</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Slaughter Plant</u>	<u>Location</u>
Florida Meat Packers, Inc.	Arcadia	Perfecta U. S. A. International (Horses only)	Jasper
Kaplan Industries, Inc.	Bartow	Swift & Company	Ocala
Central Packing Company	Center Hill	D & W Packing	Okeechobee
Economy Packing	Hialeah	Lykes Brothers, Inc.	Plant City
Gold Merit Beef Processors, Inc.	Jacksonville	Florida Veal Processors	Wimauma
Jones-Chambliss Company	Jacksonville		

**FLORIDA SLAUGHTERING PLANTS UNDER STATE INSPECTION**

<u>Slaughter Plant</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Slaughter Plant</u>	<u>Location</u>
Donald's Slaughter House	Arcadia	Florida School for Boys	Marianna
Fussell Frozen Food Center	Arcadia	Dry Creek Smokehouse	Marianna
Rogers and Tucker Quality Meats, Inc.	Bartow	Valley Packing Co.	McAlpin
Glade Correctional Industries	Belle Glade	El Corral	Medley
Beall's Packing House	Bonifay	Silcox Meat Processing	Milton
Rogers Butcher Shop	Bowling Green	Johnston's Locker Plant	Monticello
Manatee Quality Meats	Bradenton	McKoy Slaughter & Processing	Newberry
Casa Sierra Packing House, Inc.	Brooksville	Brantley & Sons	Nocatee
Tri-City Market	Century	H. S. Camp & Sons	Ocala
Chipley Packing Co.	Chipley	Redditt Custom Meats	Orlando
Corbin 4-Point Packing House	Chipley	Gerald Grover Meats	Parrish
Bob Carroll Meats	Cocoa	Florida Packing and Provisions, Inc.	East Palatka
Dilmore Meat House	Cottondale	Thompson's Meat Supply, Inc.	Pensacola
Dilmore Sausage Company	Cottondale	Mickler's Market Wholesale & Retail	Ponte Verde
Register Meat Company, Inc	Cottondale	Emory's Meat Processing	Quincy
Circle B Meat Company	Dade City	Porcher Meat Plant	Quincy
Ralph's Butcher Shop	Dade City	Fason's Custom Cut Meat	Quincy
M. L. McDonald Wholesale Meats	Daytona Beach	Quincy Meat & Ice Co.	Quincy
Esto Meat Processors, Inc.	Esto	Florida Correctional Industries	Raiford
Lenard's Inc.	Fort Pierce	Hopkins Meat Packers	Sanford
Meat Inspection Laboratory(Univ. of Fla.)	Gainesville	Tucker Meat Packers	Seville
S & T Meat Packing	Green Cove Springs	South Marion Meats, Inc.	Summerfield
Immokalee Slaughter House	Immokalee	Double J Meat Packers	Summerfield
Jacksonville Correctional Institute	Jacksonville	Bradley's Sausage	Tallahassee
Kirkland Packing Co.	Jacksonville	Chaires Circle C Beef	Tallahassee
Driggers & Sons Meat Co.	Jasper	Lay's Custom Meats	Tampa
Rodney Lamb's Meat Packing	Kissimmee	Buchanon Meat Packers	Tavares
Howard Slaughter House	LaBelle	Brock's Meat House	Vernon
Perkins Slaughter House	LaBelle	Simmons Meat Packing House	Vernon
Nettle's Sausage Company	Lake City	Bodiford Meats	Zephyrhills
Robert's Meat Market	Lake Worth	Weicht Brothers Meat Co.	Zephyrhills
Sewanee Packing Company	Live Oak	B & F Packers & Slaughter House	Zolfo Springs
Robert's Wholesale Meats	Mango		