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# Slaughter

Data Relating to August, 2021

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## U.S. Commercial Red Meat Production Down 2 Percent

Thank you to all those who respond to the monthly slaughter report. Without your participation we could not provide you with the timely data that is necessary in today's fast moving economy. This report is a summary of slaughter reports for Oklahoma, and Texas, which together comprise the Southern Plains region. Additionally, this report includes a summary of national data.

### Commercial Red Meat Production, August 2020 and 2021

State	August 2020	July 2021	August 2021	August 2021 as % of 2020
	million pounds	million pounds	million pounds	percent
Oklahoma	103.4	90.4	96.0	93
Texas	404.9	392.6	396.8	98
United States	4,692.5	4,383.1	4,588.2	98

### Commercial Cattle Slaughter, August 2020 and 2021

State	Number Slaughtered		Total Live Weight		Average Live Weight	
	2020	2021	2020	2021	2020	2021
	head	head	pounds	pounds	pounds	pounds
Oklahoma	5,000	3,100	5,516,000	3,493,000	1,114	1,118
Texas	496,500	500,400	652,345,000	648,265,000	1,317	1,299
United States	2,805,500	2,886,300	3,822,354,000	3,899,044,000	1,365	1,354

### Commercial Hog Slaughter, August 2020 and 2021

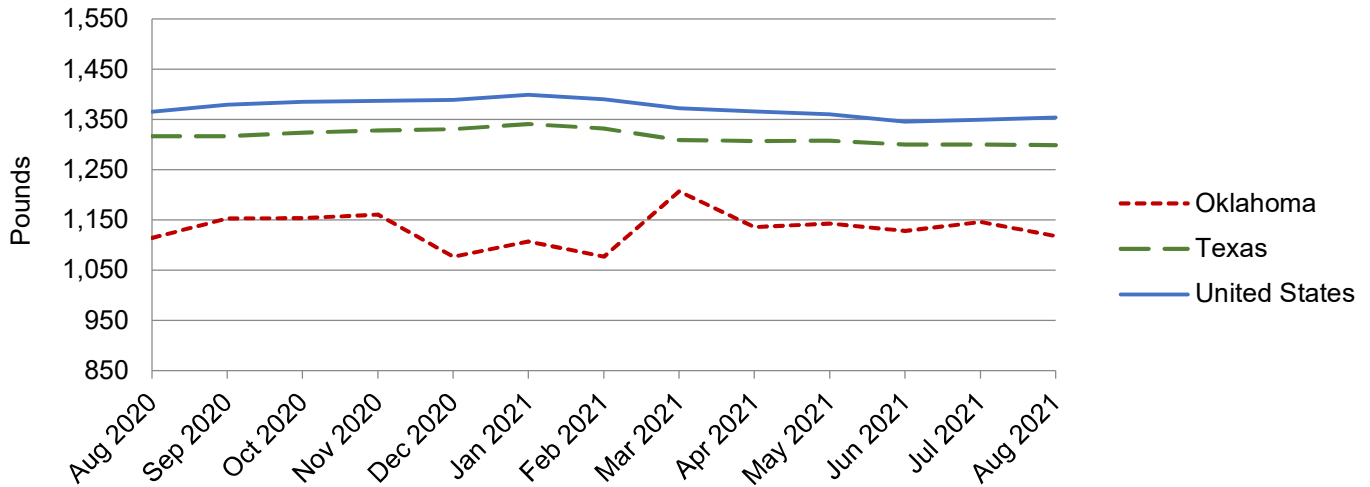
State	Number Slaughtered		Total Live Weight		Average Live Weight	
	2020	2021	2020	2021	2020	2021
	head	head	pounds	pounds	pounds	pounds
Oklahoma	467,100	445,100	132,786,000	124,287,000	284	279
Texas	23,200	22,500	5,061,000	5,184,000	218	231
United States	11,122,000	10,610,800	3,140,012,000	2,969,565,000	282	280

### Commercial Sheep and Lamb Slaughter, August 2020 and 2021

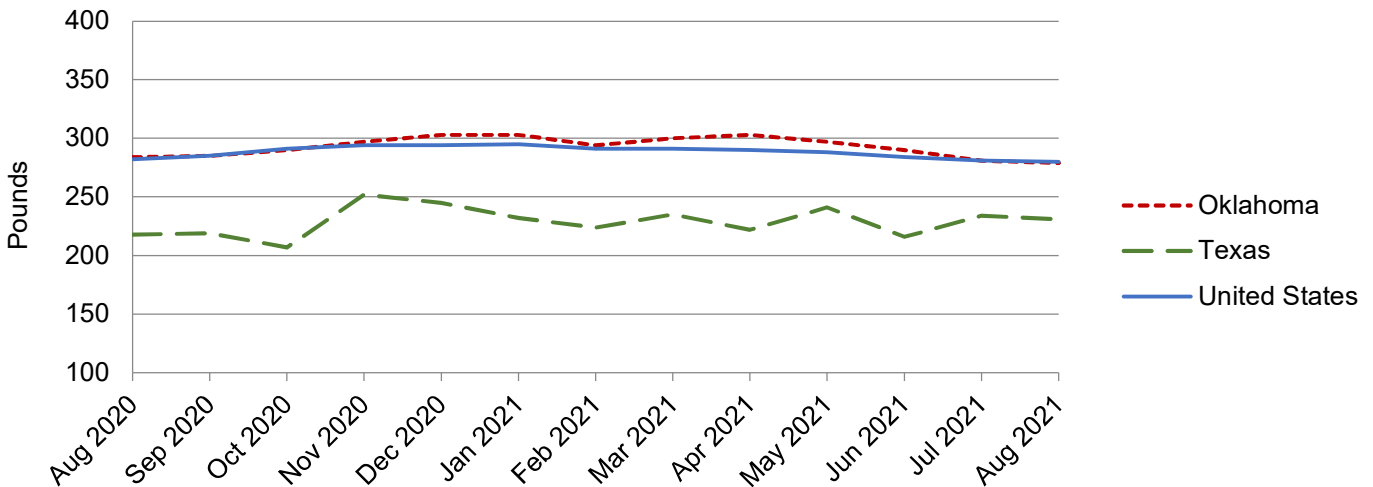
State	Number Slaughtered		Total Live Weight		Average Live Weight	
	2020	2021	2020	2021	2020	2021
	head	head	pounds	pounds	pounds	pounds
Oklahoma	700	(D)	64,000	(D)	97	(D)
Texas	18,300	20,800	1,554,000	2,138,000	85	103
United States	178,000	176,400	21,824,000	20,493,000	123	116

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

**Cattle: Live Weight per Head, Southern Plains and U.S., 2020-2021**



**Hogs: Live Weight per Head, Southern Plains and U.S., 2020-2021**



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