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Commercial Sheep and Lamb Slaughter by Month - Arkansas: 2014 - 2024

[Blank data cells indicate estimation period has not yet begun]

Year	Slaughtered												
	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total ¹
	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)
2024	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1				
2023	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.4	0.1	0.1	1.3
2022	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	(Y)	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	1.2
2021	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	(Y)	0.9
2020	(Y)	(Y)	0.1	(Y)	0.1	(Y)	0.1	(Y)	0.1	0.1	0.1	(Y)	0.6
2019	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	0.1	(Y)	0.1	(Y)	(Y)	0.1	0.5
2018	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	0.1	0.1	(Y)	0.1	(Y)	(Y)	0.4
2017	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	0.1	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	0.3
2016	0.1	0.1	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	0.1	(Y)	(Y)	(Y)	0.1	(Y)	(Y)	0.6
2015	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	(Y)	(Y)	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	(Y)	0.1	0.8
2014	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	(Y)	(Y)	0.1	(Y)	0.1	0.1	(Y)	0.1	0.7

Year	Average live weight												
	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Average ¹
	(pounds)	(pounds)	(pounds)	(pounds)	(pounds)	(pounds)	(pounds)	(pounds)	(pounds)	(pounds)	(pounds)	(pounds)	(pounds)
2024	98	80	80	109	85	88	85	91	99				
2023	92	122	99	98	117	118	92	116	109	96	93	95	102
2022	127	101	128	134	120	108	(X)	120	97	107	102	114	113
2021	118	106	128	146	131	124	122	126	122	127	131	(X)	126
2020	(X)	(X)	138	(X)	135	(X)	105	(X)	109	106	113	(X)	114
2019	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	95	(X)	118	(X)	(X)	119	103
2018	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	96	108	(X)	103	(X)	(X)	101
2017	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	93	(X)	(X)	(X)	106
2016	122	118	(X)	(X)	(X)	97	(X)	(X)	(X)	101	(X)	(X)	111
2015	81	94	108	97	(X)	(X)	106	91	95	119	(X)	84	97
2014	101	97	92	96	(X)	(X)	98	(X)	84	88	(X)	85	90

Year	Total live weight												
	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total ¹
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)
2024	10	14	8	15	10	8	11	12	13				
2023	8	8	10	5	12	7	7	8	11	37	9	14	136
2022	11	9	10	13	16	11	(X)	17	11	16	10	8	134
2021	6	6	12	8	8	9	11	14	12	12	10	(X)	113
2020	(X)	(X)	7	(X)	7	(X)	6	(X)	6	8	6	(X)	68
2019	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	6	(X)	9	(X)	(X)	6	48
2018	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	5	8	(X)	7	(X)	(X)	41
2017	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	5	(X)	(X)	(X)	33
2016	8	7	(X)	(X)	(X)	6	(X)	(X)	(X)	10	(X)	(X)	68
2015	5	5	8	8	(X)	(X)	8	6	12	6	(X)	8	78
2014	6	5	5	6	(X)	(X)	6	(X)	8	8	(X)	6	66

(X) Not applicable.

(Y) Less than level of precision shown.

¹ Data may not add to totals due to rounding.