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Slaughter

Data Relating to December, 2022

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U.S. Commercial Red Meat Production Down 7 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, December 2021 and 2022

State	December 2021	November 2022	December 2022	December 2022 as % of 2021
	million pounds	million pounds	million pounds	percent
Oklahoma	108.0	103.6	104.3	97
Texas	400.4	398.9	370.8	93
United States	4,783.6	4,790.6	4,470.0	93

Commercial Cattle Slaughter, December 2021 and 2022

State	Number Slaughtered		Total Live Weight		Average Live Weight	
	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022
	head	head	pounds	pounds	pounds	pounds
Oklahoma	5,900	4,400	6,628,000	5,348,000	1,122	1,228
Texas	488,700	462,300	655,727,000	611,829,000	1,346	1,327
United States	2,824,300	2,683,100	3,922,297,000	3,706,534,000	1,392	1,385

Commercial Hog Slaughter, December 2021 and 2022

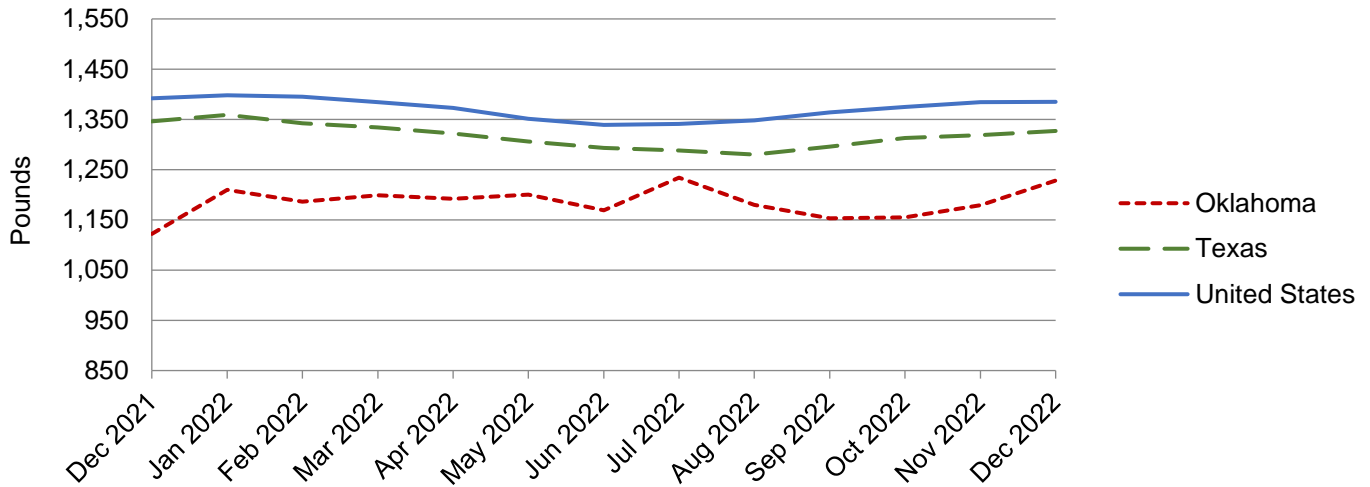
State	Number Slaughtered		Total Live Weight		Average Live Weight	
	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022
	head	head	pounds	pounds	pounds	pounds
Oklahoma	470,800	455,900	138,776,000	134,131,000	295	294
Texas	28,100	26,400	6,571,000	6,220,000	234	236
United States	11,059,400	10,298,400	3,227,799,000	3,001,218,000	292	292

Commercial Sheep and Lamb Slaughter, December 2021 and 2022

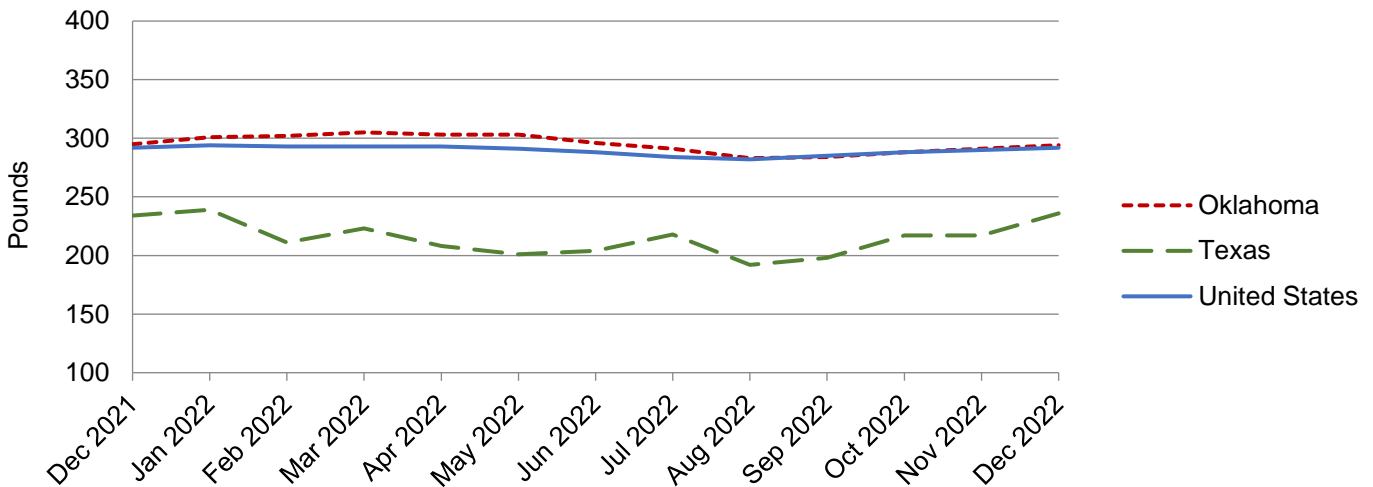
State	Number Slaughtered		Total Live Weight		Average Live Weight	
	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022
	head	head	pounds	pounds	pounds	pounds
Oklahoma	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Texas	22,000	19,600	2,607,000	2,181,000	118	111
United States	189,500	176,100	23,253,000	21,503,000	123	122

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

Cattle: Live Weight per Head, Southern Plains and U.S., 2021-2022



Hogs: Live Weight per Head, Southern Plains and U.S., 2021-2022



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