

**NEW JERSEY: CATTLE AND SHEEP AND LAMBS SLAUGHTERED IN COMMERCIAL PLANTS,  
BY MONTH, 1999 and 2000 1/**

Month	Cattle				Sheep			
	1999		2000		1999		2000	
	1,000 Head	(1,000 pounds) Total liveweight	1,000 Head	(1,000 pounds) Total liveweight	1,000 Head	(1,000 pounds) Total liveweight	1,000 Head	(1,000 pounds) Total liveweight
January	1.9	2,279	1.9	2,119	7.7	708	7.4	722
February	1.8	2,038	2.2	2,389	6.7	620	7.1	693
March	2.0	2,185	2.4	2,675	10.7	933	9.0	894
April	1.8	2,016	1.8	2,004	10.0	834	10.5	917
May	1.8	1,991	2.2	2,444	8.6	769	8.9	831
June	2.2	2,523	1.9	2,194	9.2	824	9.3	916
July	2.1	2,389	2.1	2,313	8.7	799	8.8	853
August	2.2	2,541	2.3	2,618	9.0	840	9.0	882
September	2.2	2,533	2.0	2,326	8.9	856	8.5	867
October	2.1	2,415	2.1	2,237	8.6	799	8.6	852
November	2.0	2,290	2.2	2,550	8.2	785	10.0	977
December	2.5	2,774	2.0	2,296	10.7	1,015	11.1	1,074
TOTAL 2/	24.8	27,973	25.0	28,164	106.9	9,782	108.2	10,478

1/ Includes slaughter in Federally inspected and other slaughter plants, but excludes animals slaughtered on farms. 2/ May not add due to rounding.