



Slaughter

Data Relating to December, 2024

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U.S. Commercial Red Meat Production Down Slightly

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 2023 and 2024

State	December 2023	November 2024	December 2024	December 2024 as % of 2023
	<i>million pounds</i>	<i>million pounds</i>	<i>million pounds</i>	<i>percent</i>
Oklahoma	98.0	117.3	104.0	106
Texas	361.7	357.6	360.4	100
United States	4,547.3	4,564.5	4,544.5	100

Commercial Cattle Slaughter, December 2023 and 2024

State	Number Slaughtered		Total Live Weight		Average Live Weight	
	2023	2024	2023	2024	2023	2024
	<i>head</i>	<i>head</i>	<i>pounds</i>	<i>pounds</i>	<i>pounds</i>	<i>pounds</i>
Oklahoma	5,400	7,100	6,223,000	8,465,000	1,179	1,196
Texas	445,600	435,200	593,176,000	588,805,000	1,335	1,357
United States	2,594,300	2,541,500	3,626,735,000	3,628,743,000	1,401	1,431

Commercial Hog Slaughter, December 2023 and 2024

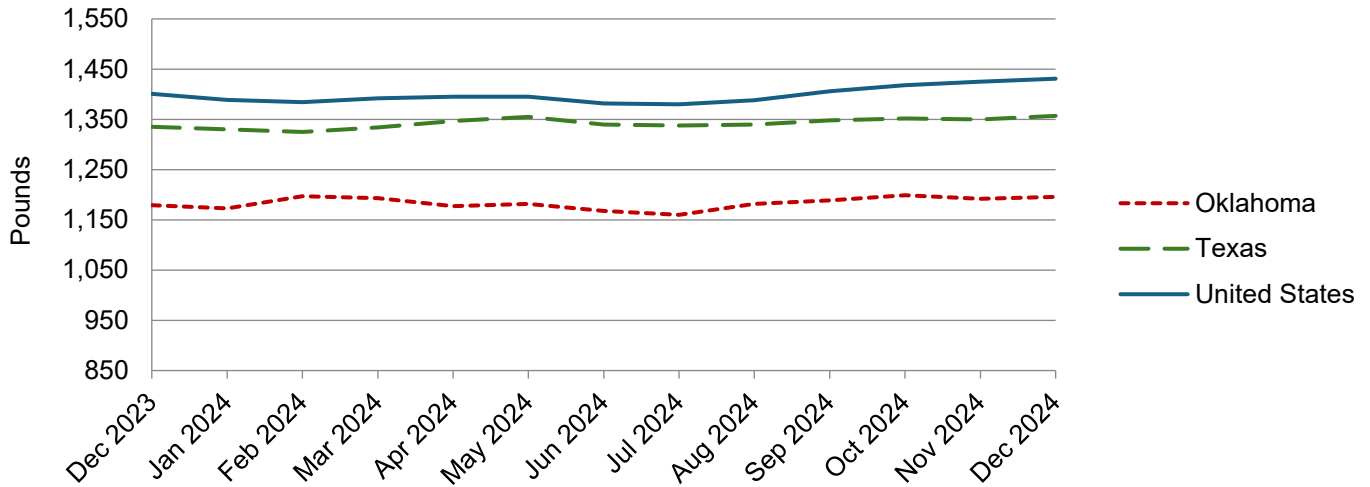
State	Number Slaughtered		Total Live Weight		Average Live Weight	
	2023	2024	2023	2024	2023	2024
	<i>head</i>	<i>head</i>	<i>pounds</i>	<i>pounds</i>	<i>pounds</i>	<i>pounds</i>
Oklahoma	419,300	454,900	123,483,000	130,512,000	294	287
Texas	26,600	28,100	4,931,000	4,976,000	185	177
United States	10,824,900	10,748,200	3,149,503,000	3,128,550,000	291	291

Commercial Sheep and Lamb Slaughter, December 2023 and 2024

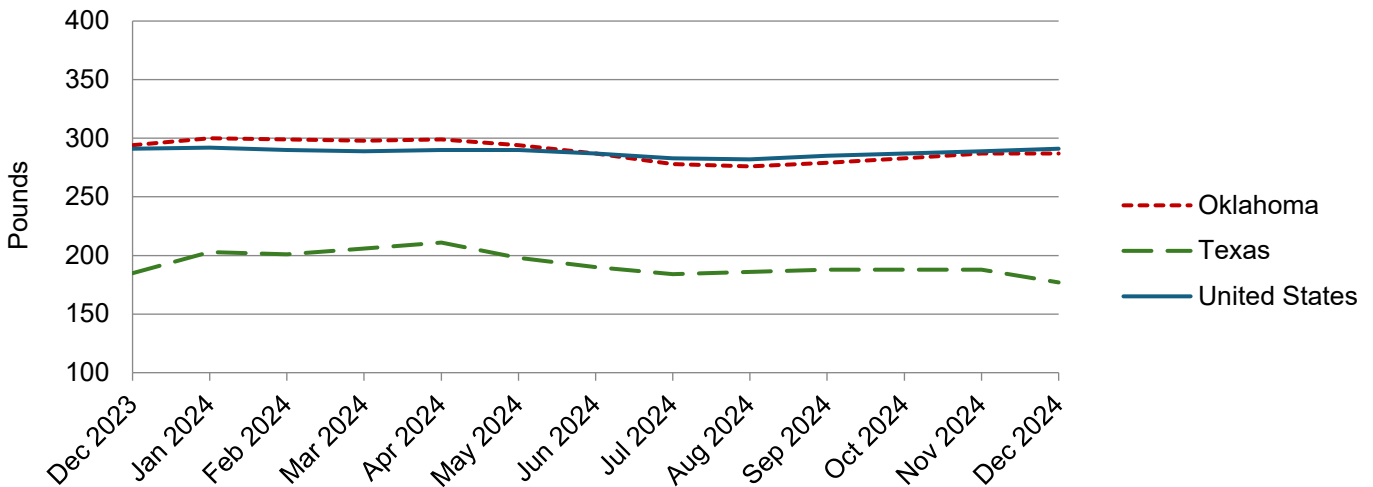
State	Number Slaughtered		Total Live Weight		Average Live Weight	
	2023	2024	2023	2024	2023	2024
	<i>head</i>	<i>head</i>	<i>pounds</i>	<i>pounds</i>	<i>pounds</i>	<i>pounds</i>
Oklahoma	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Texas	24,400	27,900	2,467,000	2,786,000	101	100
United States	184,200	201,500	21,147,000	23,600,000	115	117

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

Cattle: Live Weight per Head, Southern Plains and U.S., 2023-2024



Hogs: Live Weight per Head, Southern Plains and U.S., 2023-2024



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