

## ANIMAL INVENTORIES AND PROCESSING CAPABILITIES

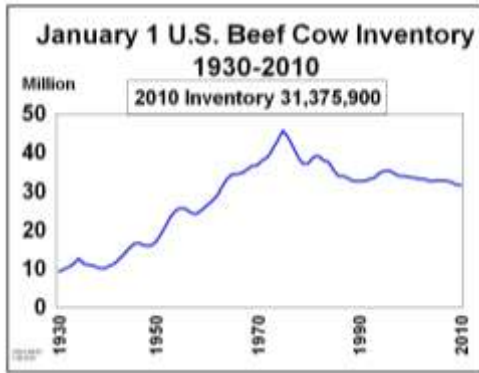


Figure 1—Beef Cows: Inventory on January 1 by Year<sup>1</sup>

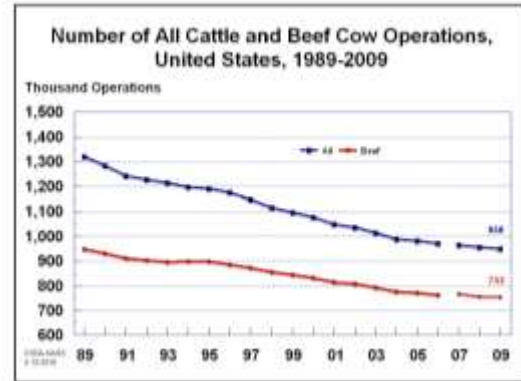


Figure 2—All Cattle & Beef Cows: Number of Operations by Year, 1989-2009<sup>2</sup>

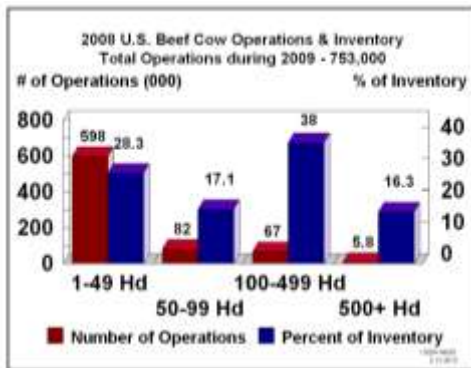


Figure 3—Beef Cows: Operations and Inventory by Size Group<sup>3</sup>

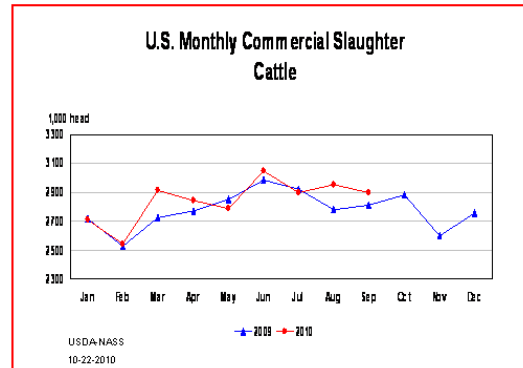


Figure 4—Cattle: Commercial Slaughter Number of Head by Month and Year, 2010<sup>4</sup>

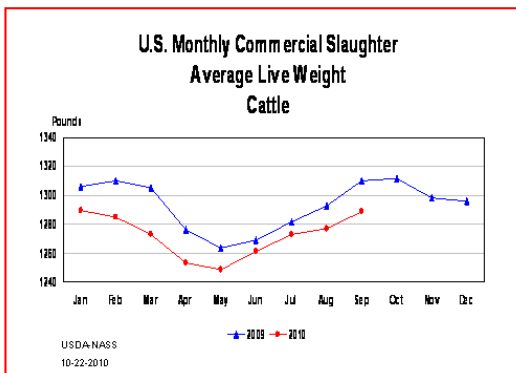


Figure 5—Cattle: Commercial Slaughter Average Liveweight by Month and Year<sup>5</sup>

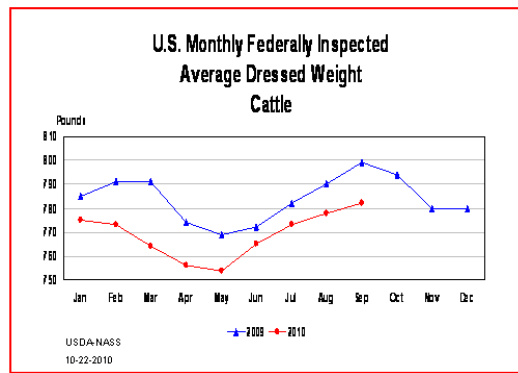


Figure 6—Cattle: Federally Inspected Average Dressed Weight by Month and Year, 2009-10<sup>6</sup>

<sup>1</sup> [http://www.nass.usda.gov/Charts\\_and\\_Maps/Cattle/bcow.asp](http://www.nass.usda.gov/Charts_and_Maps/Cattle/bcow.asp)

<sup>2</sup> [http://www.nass.usda.gov/Charts\\_and\\_Maps/Cattle/acbc\\_ops.asp](http://www.nass.usda.gov/Charts_and_Maps/Cattle/acbc_ops.asp)

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<sup>4</sup> [http://www.nass.usda.gov/Charts\\_and\\_Maps/Livestock\\_Slaughter/caheadx1.asp](http://www.nass.usda.gov/Charts_and_Maps/Livestock_Slaughter/caheadx1.asp)

<sup>5</sup> [http://www.nass.usda.gov/Charts\\_and\\_Maps/Livestock\\_Slaughter/calvwx5.asp](http://www.nass.usda.gov/Charts_and_Maps/Livestock_Slaughter/calvwx5.asp)

<sup>6</sup> [http://www.nass.usda.gov/Charts\\_and\\_Maps/Livestock\\_Slaughter/cadrwx7.asp](http://www.nass.usda.gov/Charts_and_Maps/Livestock_Slaughter/cadrwx7.asp)

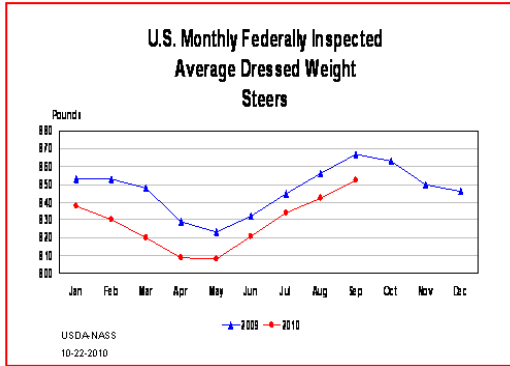


Figure 7—Steers: Federally Inspected Average Dressed Weight by Month and Year, 2009-10<sup>7</sup>

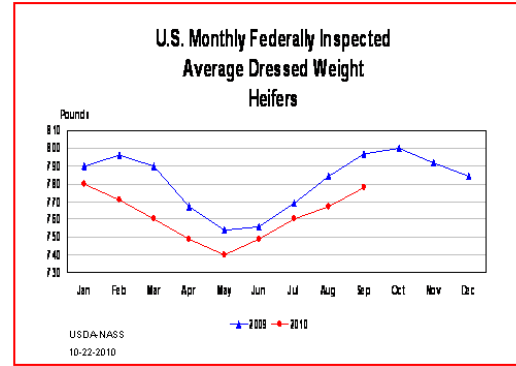


Figure 8—Heifers: Federally Inspected Average Dressed Weight by Month and Year<sup>8</sup>

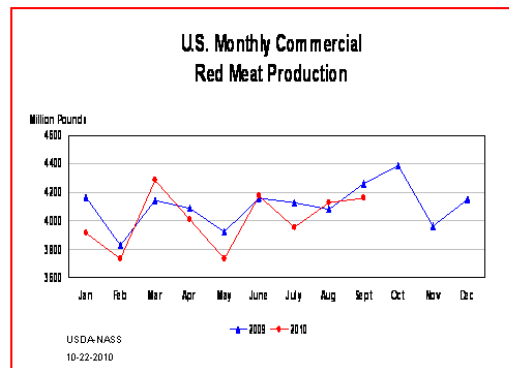


Figure 9—Livestock Slaughter: Red Meat Production by Month and Year, 2009-10<sup>9</sup>

## National Meat Processing Locations<sup>10</sup>

FSIS is making available six maps (next pages): two for cattle (all adult market classes of cattle and heavy calves); two for swine (all market classes); and two for young chickens. Map A for each species shows the densities of small producers for every county in the United States: the darker the shade of blue, the greater the number of producers in that county. The producers enumerated are small, with an approximate annual income of \$250,000 or less. Overlaid in Map A are the locations of small slaughter establishments for the species in question.<sup>11</sup>

Map B for each species again shows the locations of small slaughter establishments, but shades only the counties where both (1) the number of small producers is equal to or greater than the approximate median for that species, per county, and (2) there is no slaughter establishment. Thus, the cream-colored areas on Map B for each species indicate counties that either have a

<sup>7</sup> [http://www.nass.usda.gov/Charts\\_and\\_Maps/Livestock\\_Slaughter/stdrwx9.asp](http://www.nass.usda.gov/Charts_and_Maps/Livestock_Slaughter/stdrwx9.asp)

<sup>8</sup> [http://www.nass.usda.gov/Charts\\_and\\_Maps/Livestock\\_Slaughter/hrdrwg10.asp](http://www.nass.usda.gov/Charts_and_Maps/Livestock_Slaughter/hrdrwg10.asp)

<sup>9</sup> [http://www.nass.usda.gov/Charts\\_and\\_Maps/Livestock\\_Slaughter/rdmtprod.asp](http://www.nass.usda.gov/Charts_and_Maps/Livestock_Slaughter/rdmtprod.asp)

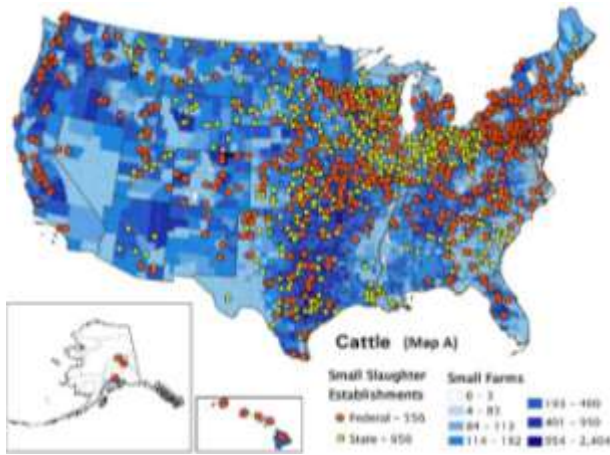
<sup>10</sup> Slaughter Establishment Availability – Updated Maps, [http://www.fsis.usda.gov/PDF/Slaughter\\_Estab\\_Maps\\_080910.pdf](http://www.fsis.usda.gov/PDF/Slaughter_Estab_Maps_080910.pdf), August 9, 2010

<sup>11</sup> The establishments shown are all either “small” or “very small” as defined in the 1996 HACCP regulations. “Small” slaughter establishments have between 10 and 499 employees. “Very small” slaughter establishments have fewer than 10 employees or less than \$2.5 million in annual sales. For some establishments without specific size data, we have assumed they are small or very small. *ibid*, Slaughter Establishment Availability – Updated Maps

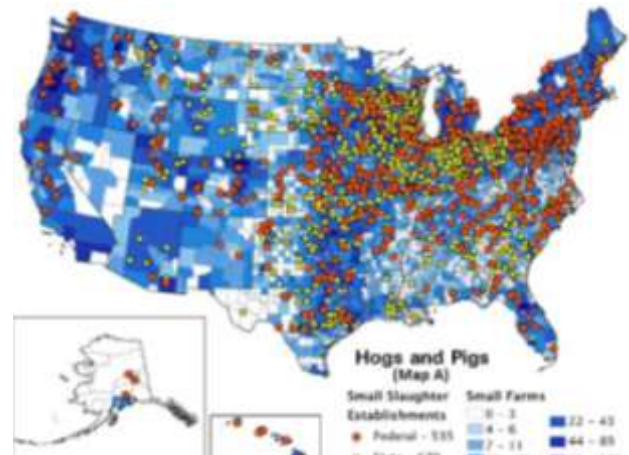
number of producers lower than the national median or have a slaughter establishment for the species in question. In short, Map B shows counties with relatively large concentrations of small producers of a species, but no slaughter establishment.

In all of the maps, the following types of slaughter facilities are **not** shown:

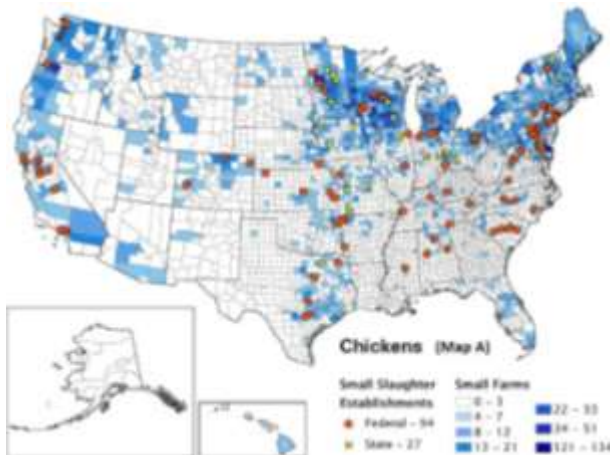
- facilities that conduct only custom slaughter operations;
- facilities that slaughter only species not subject to mandatory inspection under the Federal Meat Inspection Act or the Poultry Products Inspection Act (PPIA); and
- facilities that slaughter poultry only under one of the exemptions in the PPIA.



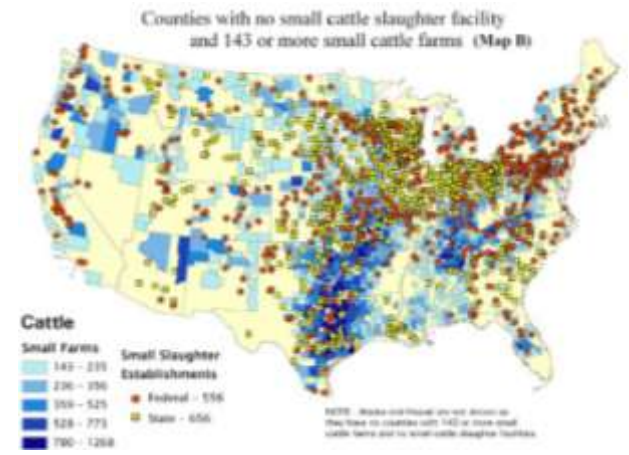
Map 1—U.S. Small Slaughter Establishments: Cattle



Map 2—U.S. Small Slaughter Establishments: Hogs and Pigs



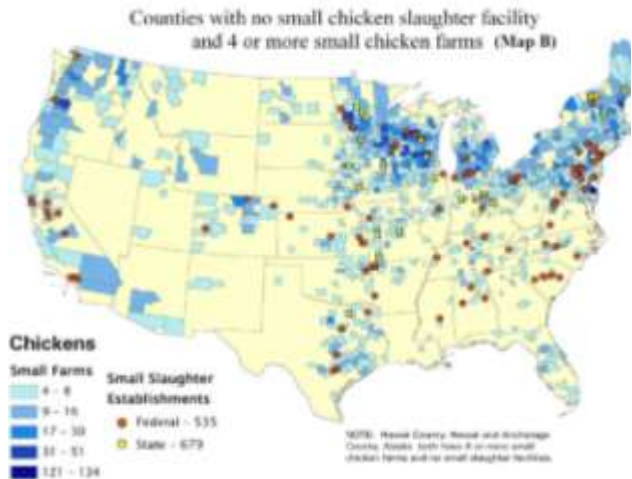
Map 3—U.S. Small Slaughter Establishments: Chickens



Map 4—U.S. Counties with No Small Slaughter Facility: Cattle



**Map 5—U.S. Counties with No Small Slaughter Facility: Hogs and Pigs**



**Map 6—U.S. Counties with No Small Slaughter Facility: Chicken**

### Stationary Meat Processing Capabilities in or Near Del Norte County

Currently, there is no FSIS certified meat processing capability in Del Norte County. Producers use one of the following stationary facilities:

B & D Meats \*  
5357 North Umpqua Hwy.  
Roseburg, OR 97470  
(541) 673-6323

Bartels Packing \*  
88091 Central Rd  
Eugene, OR 97402  
(541) 935-3839

Cartwright's \*\*  
825 Union Avenue  
Grants Pass, Oregon  
(541) 479-0321

Mohawk Valley Meats \*  
91167 Marcola RD  
Springfield, OR 97478  
(541) 746-4411

Redwood Meats \*  
2440 Myrtle Avenue  
Eureka, Eureka, CA 95501-3499  
(707) 442-3797

Taylor's Sausage \*\*  
P.O. Box 188  
525 Watkins Street  
Cave Junction, OR 97523  
(541) 592-4189

\* = FSIS Certified<sup>12</sup>  
\*\* = Meat products manufacturing

<sup>12</sup> [http://www.extension.org/mediawiki/files/9/99/Oregon\\_USDA\\_slaughter\\_plants.pdf](http://www.extension.org/mediawiki/files/9/99/Oregon_USDA_slaughter_plants.pdf)





**Figure 10—Redwood Meats**



**Figure 11—Redwood Meats (Google map)**

Note that the Redwood Meats facility is surrounded by some land but predominantly in a mixed residential/commercial area.

**Custom Mobile Slaughter in or Near Del Norte**

*The likelihood is very low that any of these would travel to Del Norte. However, these are roughly speaking “in the neighborhood.” None of these are federally certified.*

4 STAR MEAT COMPANY INC  
90362 Prairie Road  
Eugene, OR 97402  
(541) 689-1350

ALPINE MEAT CO INC  
1313 Sw Spruce Street  
Grants Pass, OR 97528  
(541) 476-6838



**Figure 12—Alpine Custom Butchering**

BERT'S CUSTOM BUTCHERING  
Eagle Point, OR 97524  
(541) 531-6592

BUSSMANN MOBILE SLAUGHTER  
Bandon, OR 97411  
(541) 5672011



**Figure 13—Bussman’s Mobile Slaughter**

BUTCHER SHOP  
1532 South Shasta Avenue  
Eagle Point, OR 97524  
(541) 830-3369



Figure 14—The Butcher Shop

CHUCKY'S IN HOLLEY-WOODS  
25057 Springer Road  
Sweet Home, OR 97386  
(541) 367-8867

CUSTOM MEAT CO  
2355 West 7th Place  
Eugene, OR 97402  
(541) 345-4213

DON'S MOBILE SLAUGHTERING  
Roseburg, OR 97470  
(541) 672-1004

MEAT CUTTING ROOM  
Coquille, OR 97423

OAKLAND LOCKERS  
133 E 4th Ave  
Oakland, OR 97462  
(541) 459-2722

SHOE'S MOBIL SLAUGHTER &  
PROCESSING LLC  
Eugene, OR 97405

### **Regional Rendering Facilities**

Each year in the US, 286 rendering plants quietly dispose of more than 12.5 million tons of dead animals, fat and meat wastes.<sup>13</sup>

Rendering establishments and collection centers are exempt from inspection by the United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) but require inspection in California.<sup>14</sup>

Per an Oregon Publish Broadcasting news article, Oregon no longer has any rendering plants and about 100 cows per week are going to landfills.<sup>15</sup> However, according to a search of the Oregon

<sup>13</sup> "A Look Inside a Rendering Plant," Gar Smith,  
<http://www.felineinstincts.com/successStories/closerlookatarenderingplant.html>

<sup>14</sup> [http://www.cdfa.ca.gov/ahfss/pdfs/legislation/Rendering\\_Notice.pdf](http://www.cdfa.ca.gov/ahfss/pdfs/legislation/Rendering_Notice.pdf)

<sup>15</sup> Rendering Crisis Hits Oregon Livestock Industry," Kristian Foden-Vencil, Oregonian,  
<http://news.opb.org/article/3323-rendering-crisis-hits-oregon-livestock-industry>, October 21, 2008, Portland, OR  
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Animal Health and Identification Licenses data base, there are three licensed facilities in Oregon.  
<sup>16</sup>

Denley Inc  
21190 SW Oregon Street  
Sherwood, OR 97140-7932  
(503)625-6616  
[Denleyinc.com](http://Denleyinc.com)  
*Portland-Vancouver, OR-WA Metro Area*

Omega Farms  
Noti, OR 97461  
(541) 935-1588  
*Horse burial*

Rest Assured Pet Crematorium, LLC  
Springfield, OR 97477  
(541) 746-0244  
*Private and communal cremation for pets up to 300 lbs.*

Northern California also has a very limited number of rendering plants.

North State Rendering of Chico, California  
15 Shippee Road  
Oroville, CA 95965-9297  
(530) 343-6076



**Figure 15—North State Rendering, Chico CA<sup>17</sup>**

Sacramento Rendering Company  
11350 Kiefer Boulevard  
Mather, CA. 95830  
1-800-339-6493

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<sup>16</sup> [http://oda.state.or.us/dbs/licenses/hitlist.lasso?&-op=bw&mail\\_state=or&-op=bw&lic\\_type=48&-op=gte&lic\\_expire\\_date=11/15/2010&-op=eq&Lic\\_status\\_1=A&-op=bw&-division=ahid&-sortfield=mail\\_name&-sortorder=ascending&-maxrecords=5&-skiprecords=0](http://oda.state.or.us/dbs/licenses/hitlist.lasso?&-op=bw&mail_state=or&-op=bw&lic_type=48&-op=gte&lic_expire_date=11/15/2010&-op=eq&Lic_status_1=A&-op=bw&-division=ahid&-sortfield=mail_name&-sortorder=ascending&-maxrecords=5&-skiprecords=0)

<sup>17</sup> North State Rendering Plant - Oroville, CA - Nighttime exterior architectural study, Doug Churchill, <http://www.flickr.com/photos/dougchurchill/3221239768/>  
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