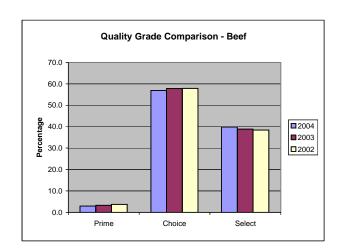
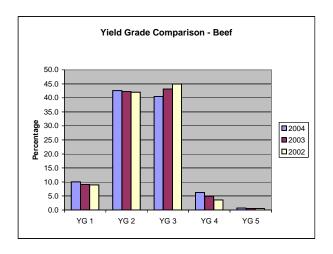
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-			YIELD GRADE			TOTAL	% OF	% OF TOTAL	
QUALITY GRADE	#1	#2	#3	#4	#5	QUALITY ONLY	QUALITY GRADED THIS PD	ALL QUALITY GRADED	STEER AND HEIFER SLAUGHTER
PRIME	5,538	119,889	293,605	71,978	9,683	53,139	553,833	2.9	2.7
CHOICE	463,730	3,952,504	5,111,470	854,223	92,671	418,810	10,893,408	56.9	52.6
SELECT	1,182,601	3,722,565	2,171,668	239,964	21,682	291,864	7,630,344	39.8	36.8
STANDARD	14,453	20,312	5,075	45	2	30,902	70,789	0.4	0.3
COMMERCIAL	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	
UTILITY	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	
CUTTER	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	
CANNER	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	
YIELD ONLY	252,926	338,466	166,932	22,788	3,026				
TOTAL YIELD GRADED THIS									
PERIOD	1,919,249	8,153,735	7,748,751	1,188,998	127,065				
% OF ALL									
YIELD GRADED	10.0	42.6	40.5	6.2	0.7				

- 96.2% of Federal Inspected Steer and Heifer slaughter represents total Steers and Heifers Graded.
- 0.0% of Federal Inspected Cow slaughter represents total Cows graded.
- 83.1% of Federal Inspected Beef slaughter represents total Beef (Steers, Heifers, and Cows) graded.





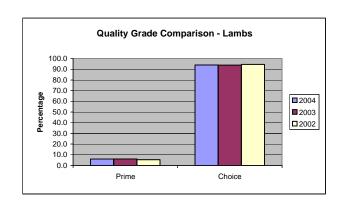
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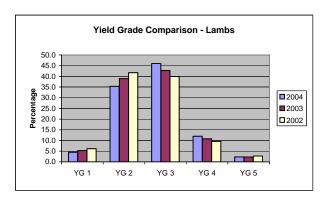
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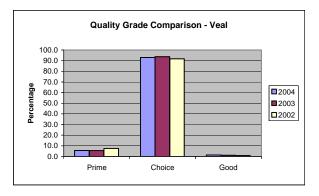
			TOTAL	% OF				
QUALITY GRADE	#1	#2	#3	#4	#5	QUALITY ONLY	QUALITY GRADED THIS PD	ALL QUALITY GRADED
PRIME	9	1,721	4,431	2,385	639	0	9,184	6.0
CHOICE	6,781	51,900	65,318	15,809	2,842	0	142,651	94.0
GOOD	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
UTILITY	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
CULL	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
YIELD ONLY	0	0	0	0	0			
TOTAL YIELD GRADED THIS PERIOD	6,789	53,621	69,749	18,194	3,481			
% OF ALL YIELD GRADED	4.5	35.3	45.9	12.0	2.3			

VEAL AND CA	ALF	
QUALITY	TOTAL	%
GRADE	THIS PD	
PRIME	3,978	5.6
CHOICE	66,213	93.0
GOOD	971	1.4
STANDARD	36	0.1
UTILITY	0	0.0
TOTAL	71,198	100.0
40.4%	of Federal Veal	
and Calf slaug	hter represents	
total Veal and	Calf graded.	
TOTAL BULL	BULLOCK	C
TOTAL PORK		C

84.4% of Federal Inspected Lamb slaughter represents total Lambs Graded.







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NATIONAL SUMMARY OF MEATS GRADED (NUMBER OF HEAD)

BEEF									09/28/03 TO 10		
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	YIELD GRADE					TOTAL % OF			% OF TOTAL		
QUALITY GRADE	#1	#2	#3	#4	#5	QUALITY ONLY	QUALITY GRADED THIS PD	ALL QUALITY GRADED	STEER AND HEIFER SLAUGHTER		
PRIME	7,136	154,475	378,304	92,742	12,476	68,469	713,602	2.8%	2.7		
CHOICE	597,506	5,092,716	6,586,020	1,100,648	119,405	539,628	14,035,923	56.8%	52.6		
SELECT	1,523,756	4,796,445	2,798,148	309,188	27,937	376,061	9,831,535	39.8%	36.8		
STANDARD	18,623	26,171	6,539	58	3	39,816	91,210	0.3%	0.3		
COMMERCIAL	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0%			
JTILITY	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0%			
CUTTER	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0%			
CANNER	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0%			
YIELD ONLY	325,890	436,106	215,088	29,362	3,899						
TOTAL YIELD GRADED THIS											
PERIOD	2,472,911	10,505,913	9,984,100	1,531,998	163,720						
% OF ALL											
YIELD GRADED	10.0%	42.6%	40.4%	6.2%	0.6%						
LAMB AND MUTTO	ON								VEAL AND CA	LF	
-	YIELD GRADE						TOTAL	% OF			
QUALITY GRADE	#1	#2	#3	#4	#5	QUALITY ONLY	QUALITY GRADED THIS PD	ALL QUALITY GRADED	QUALITY GRADE	TOTAL THIS PD	%
									PRIME	20,113	5.59
PRIME	129	24,791	63,829	34,349	9,204	0	132,302	6.0%	CHOICE	334,771	92.99
CHOICE	97,674	747,630	940,911	227,736	40,940	0	2,054,891	93.9%	GOOD	4,909	1.3
GOOD	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0%	STANDARD	181	0.0
UTILITY	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0%	UTILITY	0	0.0
CULL	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0%	TOTAL	359,974	
YIELD ONLY	0	0	0	0	0						
TOTAL YIELD											
GRADED THIS PERIOD	97,803	772,421	1,004,740	262,085	50,144						