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**Sheep Inventory**

According to the USDA/NASS, "Sheep and Goats," January 31, 2014:

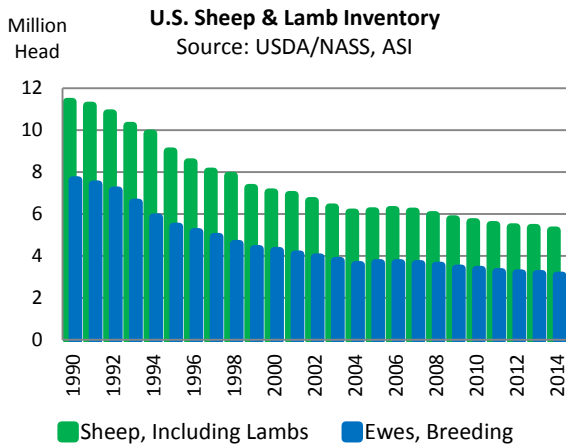
All sheep and lamb inventory in the United States on January 1, 2014, totaled 5.21 million head, down 2 percent from 2013.

Breeding sheep inventory decreased to 3.88 million head on January 1, 2014, down 2 percent from 3.98 million head on January 1, 2013.

Ewes one year old and older, at 3.07 million head, were 2 percent below last year.

Market sheep and lambs on January 1, 2014, totaled 1.33 million head, down 2 percent from January 1, 2013.

Market lambs comprised 94 percent of the total market inventory. Twenty-five percent were lambs under 65 pounds, 11 percent were 65–84 pounds, 24 percent were 85 – 105 pounds, and 34 percent were over 105 pounds. Market sheep comprised the remaining 6 percent of total market inventory. The 2013 lamb crop of 3.37 million head, was down 2 percent from 2012. The 2013 lambing rate was 107 lambs per 100 ewes one year old and older on January 1, 2013, down 2 percent from 2012.



**Sheep & Lamb Inventory, Jan. 2014**

	<i>1,000 Head</i>
2005	6,135
2006	6,200
2007	6,120
2008	5,950
2009	5,747
2010	5,620
2011	5,480
2012	5,365
2013	5,335
2014	5,210

Source: U.S. Department of Agriculture, National Agricultural Statistics Service, Jan. 2014, ASI

**Top 10 U.S. Sheep States, Jan. 2014**

	<i>1,000 Head</i>
1 TEXAS	740,000
2 CALIFORNIA	550,000
3 COLORADO	365,000
4 WYOMING	355,000
5 UTAH	275,000
6 SOUTH DAKOTA	270,000
7 IDAHO	250,000
8 MONTANA	220,000
9 OREGON	195,000
10 IOWA	155,000

Source: U.S. Department of Agriculture, National Agricultural Statistics Service (NASS), Jan. 2014, ASI

**Sheep Breeding Stock Inventory,  
No. of Ewes 1 Year and Older**

	<i>1,000 Head</i>
2005	3,657
2006	3,661
2007	3,620
2008	3,540
2009	3,405
2010	3,335
2011	3,225
2012	3,165
2013	3,140
2014	3,070

Source: U.S. Department of Agriculture, National Agricultural Statistics Service, Jan. 2014, ASI

**Top 10 States by Breeding Sheep Inventory, 2014**

State	SHEEP, EWES, BREEDING, 1 YEAR – INVENTORY, No. of Head
TEXAS	450,000
CALIFORNIA	240,000
WYOMING	220,000
UTAH	210,000
SOUTH DAKOTA	172,000
MONTANA	155,000
IDAHO	154,000
COLORADO	142,000
OREGON	97,000
IOWA	90,000

Source: U.S. Department of Agriculture, National Agricultural Statistics Service, Jan. 2013, ASI



The number of sheep operations fell 1% in 2012 to 79,500 operations (last available figures).

**No. of Sheep Operations**

	<i>Number</i>
2003	67,720
2004	67,630
2005	68,460
2006	69,180
2007	83,130
2008	82,500
2009	82,000
2010	81,000
2011	80,000
2012	79,500

Source: USDA/NASS, ASI

Sheep Death Loss

Sheep death loss during 2013 totaled 225 thousand head, a decrease of 2 percent from 2012. Lamb death loss decreased 1 percent from 365 thousand head in 2012 to 360 thousand head in 2013, (USDA/NASS, “Sheep and Goats,” January 31, 2014).

**Sheep Death Losses, Head**

	Sheep, Excluding Lambs, Death Loss	Lamb Death Loss
2004	234,400	395,300
2005	214,300	385,000
2006	216,000	384,700
2007	237,000	400,100
2008	245,500	426,000
2009	249,000	416,000
2010	235,000	400,000
2011	230,000	370,000
2012	229,000	365,000
2013	225,000	360,000

Source: U.S. Department of Agriculture, National Agricultural Statistics Service, ASI

## Sheep Production & Trade

Total lamb and mutton availability (domestic production less exports) plus imports was up 7% in 2013 to 293 million lbs.

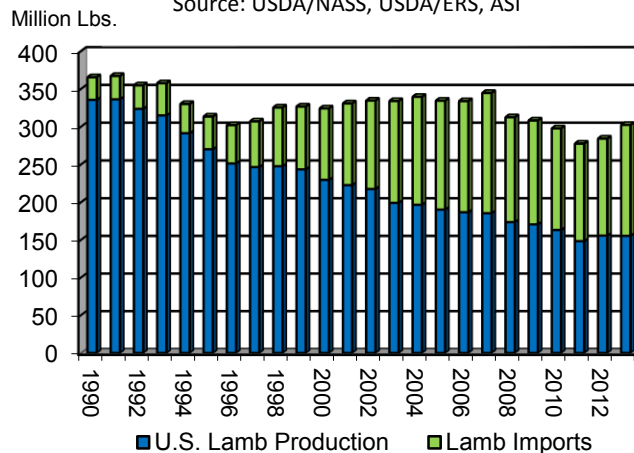
### 2013 Sheep Production & Trade

	2012	2013	% Change
Commercial Lamb & Sheep Slaughter	2.183 mill. head	2.314 mill. head	6%
Average Live Slaughter Weight	143 lbs.	135 lbs.	-6%
Lamb & Yearling Slaughter	1.87 mill. head	1.99 mill. head	6%
Mutton Slaughter	143,000 head	132,400 head	-7%
Lamb & Mutton Production	156.1 mill. lbs.	155.7 mill. lbs.	-0.3%
Average Lamb & Mutton in Cold Storage (Monthly Volume)	21.2 mill. lbs.	21.0 mil. lbs.	-1%
Australian Lamb Imports	91.2 mill. lbs.	101.5 mill. lbs.	11%
New Zealand Lamb Imports	36.7 mill. lbs	44.4	21%
Lamb & Mutton Imports	153.6	173.3	13%
Lamb Imports	128.6 mill. lbs.	147.0 mill. lbs.	14%
Mutton Imports	25 mill. lbs.	26.2 mill. lbs.	5%
Lamb & Mutton Exports	10.6 mill. lbs.	7.2 mill. lbs.	-32%
<b>Total Lamb and Mutton Availability</b>	<b>279 mill. lbs.</b>	<b>297 mill. lbs.</b>	<b>7%</b>
<b>Per Capita Per Consumption</b>	<b>0.86 lbs.</b>	<b>0.91 lbs.</b>	<b>7%</b>

Note: Percent change might be off due to rounding.  
Source: USDA/AMS, USDA/NASS, USDA/ERS, LMIC, ASI

### Total Lamb Supply

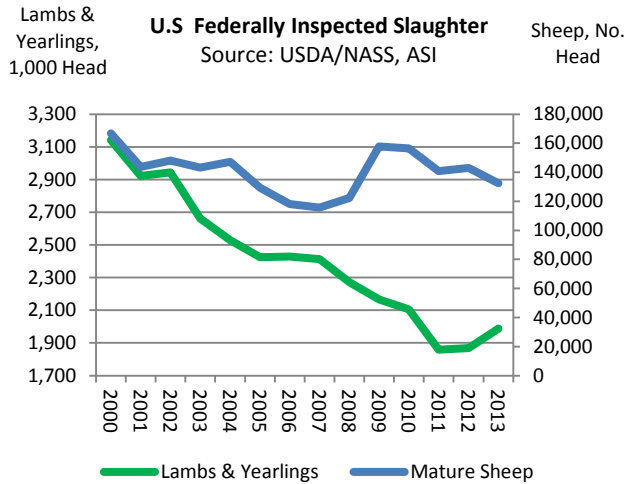
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### Total Lamb Supply, Million Lbs.

	U.S. Commercial Lamb Production	Lamb Imports	Lamb Consumption
1990	335.9	29.9	365.8
1991	336.5	31.1	367.6
1992	324.0	31.1	355.1
1993	315.4	42.5	357.9
1994	291.7	38.7	330.4
1995	270.5	43.3	313.8
1996	251.8	50.7	302.5
1997	247.0	60.4	307.4
1998	248.0	77.8	315.4
1999	244.0	83.1	317.2
2000	230.0	94.6	317.8
2001	223.0	108.2	326.2
2002	217.9	117.0	329.8
2003	199.6	134.8	327.0
2004	197.0	142.9	330.5
2005	190.6	144.2	334.8
2006	187.0	147.2	334.2
2007	185.8	159.3	345.1
2008	173.9	139.0	312.9
2009	171.0	137.5	308.5
2010	163.5	134.6	298.1
2011	148.6	129.3	277.9
2012	156.1	128.6	284.7
2013	155.7	147.0	302.7

Source: USDA/NASS, ERS, ASI



**Sheep & Lamb Slaughter**

Year	Commercial Slaughter (Federally & Non-federally Inspected), Million Head	Commercial Live Weight, Lbs.	Commercial Sheep & Lamb Production, Million Lbs.
2004	2.839	136	197
2005	2.698	138	191
2006	2.699	137	187
2007	2.694	136	186
2008	2.556	136	174
2009	2.516	136	171
2010	2.458	134	164
2011	2.161	141	149
2012	2.183	143	156
2013	2.314	135	156

Source: U.S. Department of Agriculture, National Agricultural Statistics Service, ASI.

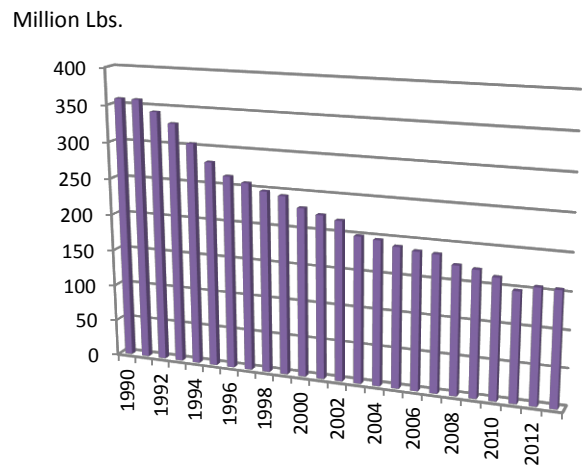
**Mature Sheep and Lamb/Yearling Slaughter, No. of Head**

Year	Mature Sheep Slaughter	Lamb & Yearling Slaughter
2000	166,900	3,141,000
2001	143,700	2,921,300
2002	148,000	2,944,300
2003	143,200	2,662,000
2004	147,300	2,529,000
2005	129,300	2,425,100
2006	118,100	2,429,000
2007	115,600	2,413,100
2008	122,300	2,271,100
2009	157,700	2,165,300
2010	156,400	2,104,800
2011	140,700	1,859,500
2012	143,100	1,869,100
2013	132,400	1,987,500

Source: USDA/NASS, ASI

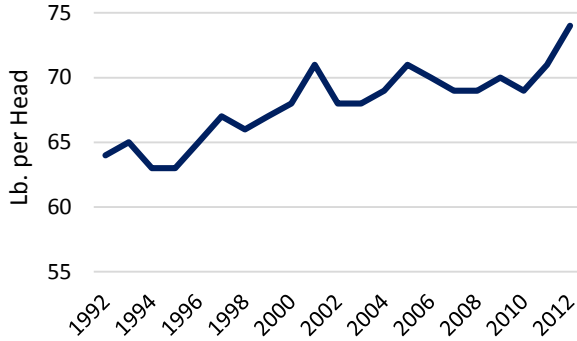
**Lamb and Mutton Production**

Source: USDA/NASS, ASI

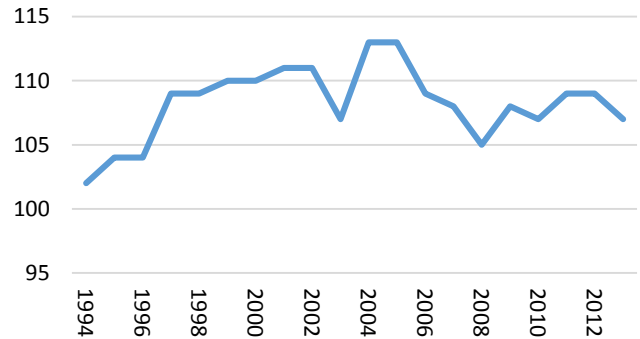


**Productivity Measures**

**Lamb & Yearling Carcass Slaughter Weight**  
Source: USDA/NASS, ASI



**Lambing Rate, Lambs per 100 Ewes**  
Source: USDA/NASS, ASI



<b>Lamb &amp; Yearling Carcass Weights, Lb. per Head</b>	
1992	64
1993	65
1994	63
1995	63
1996	65
1997	67
1998	66
1999	67
2000	68
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2010	69
2011	71
2012	74

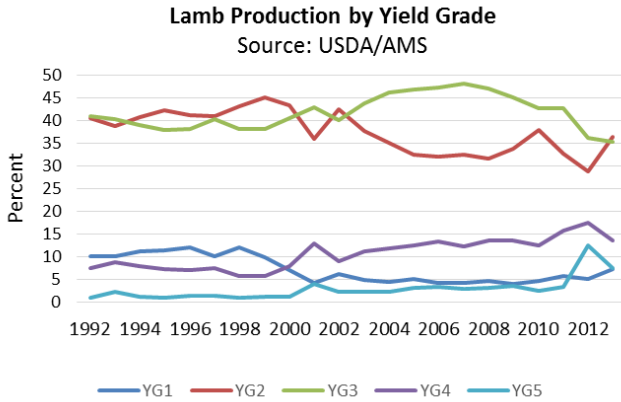
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<b>Lambing Rate, Lambs per 100 Ewes</b>	
1994	102
1995	104
1996	104
1997	109
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2000	110
2001	111
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2003	107
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2011	109
2012	109
2013	107

Source: USDA/NASS, ASI

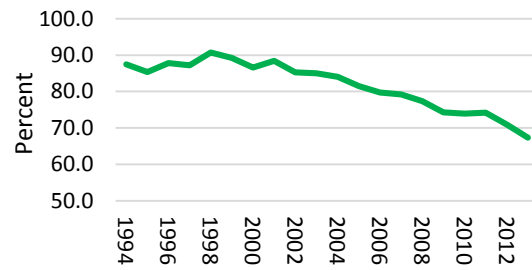
According to USDA/APHIS, 96 percent of lambs were born alive during 2010. The average number of live lambs born per exposed ewe was 1.3 for all operations. Operations in the East region had the highest average rate of live lambs per exposed ewe (1.5); lambing rate decreased as operation size increased. Very small operations and small operations averaged

1.4 live lambs per exposed ewe, while large operations (500 or more ewes) averaged 1.2 live lambs per exposed ewe (1/2014).



**Percent of FI Slaughter Graded**

Source: USDA/AMS, ASI



**Percent of FI Slaughter Graded**

Year	Percent
1994	87.5
1995	85.4
1996	87.8
1997	87.2
1998	90.7
1999	89.2
2000	86.6
2001	88.4
2002	85.3
2003	85.0
2004	84.0
2005	81.5
2006	79.7
2007	79.2
2008	77.4
2009	74.3
2010	73.9
2011	74.2
2012	70.9
2013	67.3

Source: USDA/AMS, ASI

Yield Grades by Percentage in Production					
	YG1	YG2	YG3	YG4	YG5
1992	10	40.6	41	7.4	1.0
1993	10	38.7	40.2	8.9	2.2
1994	11.2	40.7	38.9	8	1.2
1995	11.5	42.3	38	7.2	1
1996	12.1	41.2	38.2	7.1	1.4
1997	10.1	40.9	40.2	7.5	1.4
1998	12	43.1	38.1	5.7	1
1999	9.9	45	38.2	5.8	1.1
2000	7	43.3	40.5	7.9	1.3
2001	4.3	35.9	42.9	12.9	4
2002	6.2	42.4	40.1	9	2.2
2003	5	37.7	43.8	11.2	2.2
2004	4.5	35.1	46.1	11.9	2.4
2005	5.1	32.5	46.8	12.5	3.1
2006	4.2	32.1	47.2	13.3	3.3
2007	4.2	32.5	48.1	12.2	3
2008	4.6	31.5	47.1	13.6	3.1
2009	4.1	33.7	45	13.6	3.7
2010	4.6	37.8	42.6	12.5	2.5
2011	5.7	32.7	42.7	15.7	3.3
2012	5.1	28.7	36.2	17.4	12.6
2013	7.2	36.4	35.3	13.6	7.5

Source: USDA/AMS, ASI

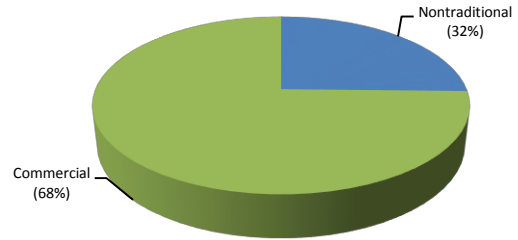
**Nontraditional Market**

A significant portion of U.S. sheep and lambs are channeled outside the commercial market in the nontraditional market. Nontraditional market data are estimates for the market is not captured by federal data. For every sheep and lamb slaughtered in the commercial market there is a one-third lamb slaughtered in the nontraditional market. While the commercial lamb market has contracted in recent years, the nontraditional market held its share and then contracted in 2013.

The nontraditional lamb market is estimated by taking the difference between the larger, lamb crop (less some losses) and commercial slaughter numbers.

**2013 Estimated Nontraditional vs. Commercial Market Shares**

Source: UDA/NASS, ASI

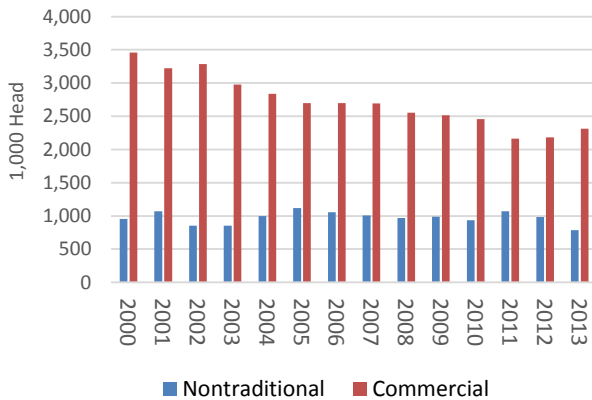


**Estimated Total U.S. Sheep and Lamb Slaughter, 1,000 Head**

	Estimated Nontraditional Volume	Commercial Slaughter	Total	% Nontraditional Share
2000	953	3,460	4,413	22%
2001	1,071	3,222	4,294	25%
2002	851	3,286	4,137	21%
2003	854	2,979	3,833	22%
2004	999	2,839	3,838	26%
2005	1,116	2,698	3,814	29%
2006	1,054	2,699	3,753	28%
2007	1,006	2,694	3,700	27%
2008	969	2,556	3,525	27%
2009	990	2,516	3,506	28%
2010	934	2,458	3,392	28%
2011	1,068	2,162	3,229	33%
2012	981.2	2,182	3,165	32%
2013	786	2,314	3,000	25%

Source: USDA/NASS, ASI

**Commercial & Estimated Nontraditional Markets**  
Source: USDA/AMS, USDA/NASS, ASI





## 2013 Sheep & Lamb Prices

### 2013 Sheep Prices, \$ per cwt.

	2012	2013	% Change
Feeder Lamb Prices at Auction, 60-90 lb.	\$148.78	\$141.07	-5%
Feeder Lamb Prices in Direct Trade	\$135.46	\$123.94	-9%
Slaughter Lamb Live, Auction Prices	\$120.54	\$119.28	-1%
Slaughter Lamb on a Live, Negotiated Basis	\$130.68	\$125.38	-4%
Slaughter Lamb Formula Price on a Carcass Basis	\$275.80	\$239.37	-13%
Slaughter Lamb Formula Price on a Carcass Basis (Live Converted)	\$139.59	\$120.05	-14%
Ave. Pelt Prices (Fall Clips, No. 1, No. 2)	\$12.01 per piece	\$9.56 per piece	-20%
Cull Ewe Prices	\$55.57		
Carcass Price	\$300.56	\$41.71	-25%
Wholesale Price (Gross Carcass Value)	\$341.48	\$261.23	-13%
Wholesale, Shoulder, square-cut	251.90	\$241.30	-4%
Wholesale, Leg, trotter-off	386.02	\$322.82	-16%
Retail shoulder blade chops, (Featured price)	\$5.04 per lb.	\$4.96 per lb.	-2%
Retail semi-boneless leg (Featured price)	\$6.31 per lb.	\$6.38 per lb.	1%

Sources: USDA/Agricultural Marketing Service, Livestock Marketing Information Center.

Note: Percent change might be off due to rounding.

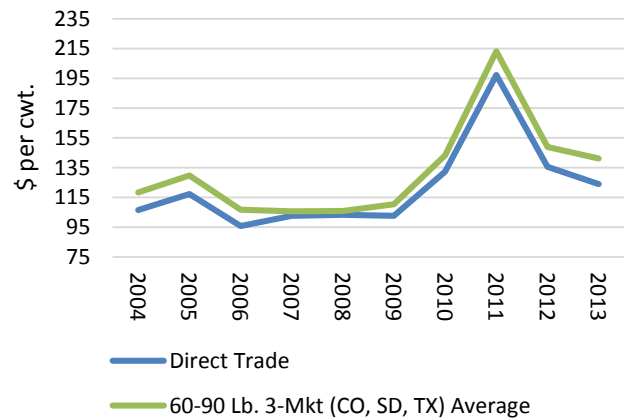
### Slaughter Lamb Prices, \$ per cwt.

	Live, auction	Live-equivalent formula
2004	96.15	90.77
2005	101.44	103.30
2006	84.16	91.51
2007	95.45	101.04
2008	97.66	104.82
2009	96.16	101.01
2010	127.33	124.26
2011	172.22	177.94
2012	120.53	139.59
2013	119.28	120.05

Source: USDA/AMS, ASI.

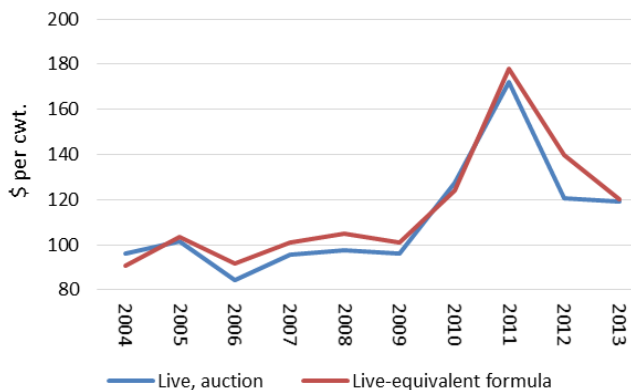
### Feeder Lamb Prices

Source: USDA/AMS, LMIC, ASI



### Slaughter Lamb Prices

Source: USDA/AMS, ASI



### Feeder Lamb Prices, \$ per cwt.

	Direct Trade	60-90 Lb. 3-Mkt (CO, SD, TX) Average
2004	106.42	118.25
2005	117.35	129.77
2006	95.83	106.74
2007	102.60	105.69
2008	103.28	105.81
2009	102.56	110.41
2010	132.35	143.26
2011	197.23	213.21
2012	135.46	148.89
2013	123.94	141.07

Source: USDA/AMS, ASI.

## Replacement Sheep

Average ewe prices fell 30% in 2013 to \$113.59 per head and average ram prices gained 1% to \$568.30 per head.

### **Replacement Sheep Prices, \$ per Head**

	Ave. Ewe Price	Ave. Ram Price
2008	88.06	498.21
2009	99.45	531.67
2010	140.07	492.90
2011	215.58	840.07
2012	161.27	564.64
2013	113.59	568.30

Source: USDA/AMS, ASI

## Imports and Exports

Lamb imports were up 14% in 2013 to 147 million lbs. After five years of year-to-year import contractions, lamb imports rose in 2013. Most lamb imports by volume come from Australia with 69% of total lamb imports.

### **U.S. Lamb & Mutton Imports**

	Mutton – 1,000 Lbs.	Lamb – 1,000 Lbs.	Lamb & Mutton - Million Lbs.
2004	38,103	142,748	<b>180,851</b>
2005	35,977	144,240	<b>180,217</b>
2006	43,236	147,130	<b>190,366</b>
2007	43,376	159,271	<b>202,647</b>
2008	44,327	138,962	<b>183,289</b>
2009	33,619	137,547	<b>171,166</b>
2010	31,000	134,602	<b>165,603</b>
2011	32,681	129,370	<b>162,051</b>
2012	25,045	128,640	<b>153,684</b>
2013	26,245	147,006	<b>173,251</b>

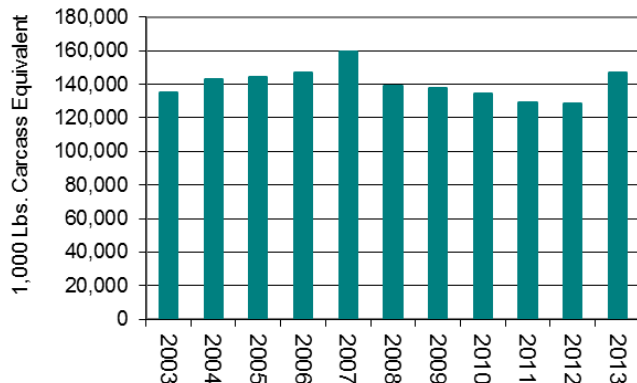
Source: U.S. Department of Agriculture, Economic Research Service (USDA/ERS), ASI

### **Lamb & Mutton Imports, 1,000 Lbs.**

	2012	2013	% Change
Lamb	128.6	147.00	14%
Mutton	25.0	26.2	5%
Lamb & Mutton	153.6	173.3	13%

Source: USDA/ERS, ASI.

**U.S. Lamb Imports**  
Source: USDA/ERS, ASI



### **Lamb & Mutton Exports, 1,000 Lbs.**

	2012	2013	% Change
Lamb	344	752	+119%
Mutton	10,309	6,488	-37%
Lamb & Mutton	10,653	7,240	-32%

Source: USDA/ERS, ASI

### **Lamb and Mutton Exports, 1,000 Lbs.**

	Lamb exports	Mutton exports	Total
2008	3,000	9,326	<b>12,326</b>
2009	3,269	12,999	<b>16,268</b>
2010	1,777	14,293	<b>16,069</b>
2011	757	17,828	<b>18,585</b>
2012	344	10,309	<b>10,653</b>
2013	752	6,488	<b>7,240</b>

Source: USDA/ERS, ASI

Live sheep exports totaled 54,496 head in 2013, down 2% year-on-year.

## U.S. Wool Market

Shorn wool production in the United States during 2013 was 27.0 million pounds, down 1 percent from 2012. Sheep and lambs shorn totaled 3.70 million head, also down 1 percent from 2012. The average price paid for wool sold in 2013 was \$1.45 per pound for a total value of \$39.2 million, down 6 percent from \$41.6 million in 2012, (USDA/NASS, "Sheep and Goats," January 31, 2014).

In 2013, total raw wool exports including raw, degreased and carded wool, was 4.4 million kgs (9.7 million lbs.) in the marketing year to September 2013, up 46% year-on-year. Total yarn and fabric exports was 1.9 million kgs (4.2 million lbs.), up 13% year-on-year. All hides and leather exports totaled 1.4 million square meters (1.7 million square yards), up 1% year-on-year.

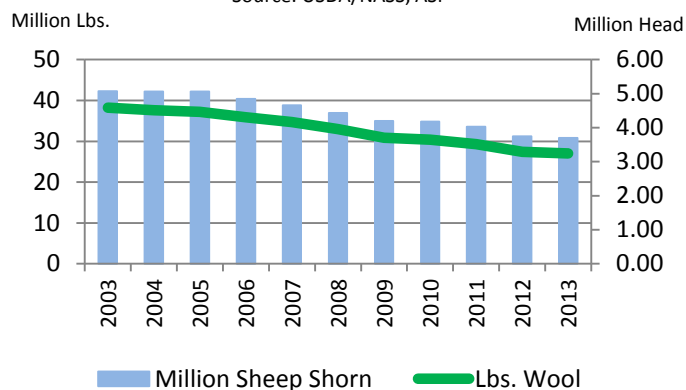
### World Sheep Inventory by Top Ranking Countries

Million Head				
Ranking		2011	2012	% Change
World		1,152	1,169	1.4%
1	China	185.1	187.0	1.0%
2	India	74.5	75.0	0.7%
3	Australia	73.1	74.7	2.2%
4	Sudan (former)	52.3	52.5	0.4%
5	Iran	49.0	48.8	-0.5%
6	Nigeria	38.0	38.5	1.3%
7	United Kingdom	31.6	32.2	1.8%
8	New Zealand	31.1	31.3	0.4%
9	Pakistan	28.1	28.4	1.1%
10	Ethiopia	24.2	25.5	5.2%
50	United States	5.5	5.4	-2.1%

Source: United Nations, Food and Agriculture Organization, FAOSTAT, 3/2014, ASI.

### U.S. Wool Greasy Production

Source: USDA/NASS, ASI



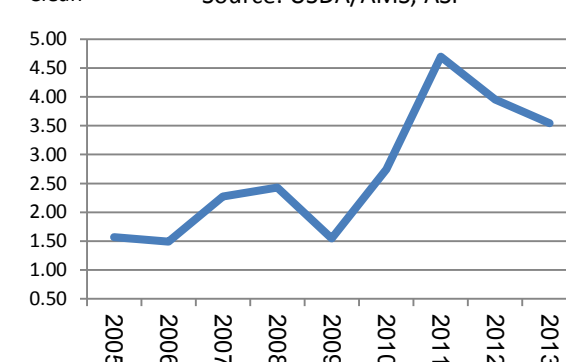
### U.S. Greasy Wool Production

	1,000 Lbs.	1,000 Kg	% Change Year-to-Year
2004	37,182	16,866	-1.1%
2005	35,899	16,284	-3.5%
2006	34,018	15,430	-5.2%
2007	34,723	15,750	2.1%
2008	32,963	14,952	-5.1%
2009	30,860	13,998	-6.4%
2010	30,370	13,776	-1.6%
2011	29,290	13,286	-3.6%
2012	27,400	12,429	-6.5%
2012	27,000	12,247	-1.5%

Source: U.S. Department of Agriculture, National Agricultural Statistics Service, ASI

### U.S. Average Clean Wool Prices

Source: USDA/AMS, ASI



### U.S. Clean Wool Prices

	\$ per Lb.	\$ Per Kg
2005	\$1.56	\$0.71
2006	\$1.48	\$0.67
2007	\$2.26	\$1.03
2008	\$2.41	\$1.09
2009	\$1.55	\$0.70
2010	\$2.73	\$1.24
2011	\$4.68	\$2.12
2012	\$4.55	\$2.06
2013	\$3.54	\$1.61

Note: Clean prices only available to 2005.

Source: USDA/AMS, ASI

### U.S. Greasy Wool Prices

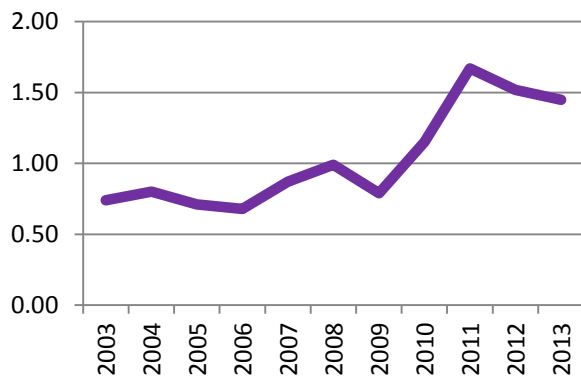
	\$ per Lb.	\$ Per Kg
2003	0.74	\$0.34
2004	0.8	\$0.36
2005	0.71	\$0.32
2006	0.68	\$0.31
2007	0.87	\$0.39
2008	0.99	\$0.45
2009	0.79	\$0.36
2010	1.15	\$0.52
2011	1.67	\$0.76
2012	1.53	\$0.69
2013	1.45	\$0.66

Source: USDA/AMS, ASI

\$ per Lb.  
Greasy

### U.S. Greasy Wool Prices

Source: USDA/NASS, ASI



### U.S. Sheep Shorn

	Million Head
2004	5.07
2005	5.06
2006	4.85
2007	4.66
2008	4.43
2009	4.20
2010	4.18
2011	4.03
2012	3.75
2013	3.70

Source: U.S. Department of Agriculture, National Agricultural Statistics Service, ASI.

**Summary: Wool Production, Price, and Value – United States: 2012 and 2013**

Year	Sheep shorn <sup>1</sup> (1,000 head)	Weight per fleece (lbs.)	Shorn wool production (Mill. lbs.)	Price per pound (U.S. dollars)	Value (1,000 U.S. dollars)
2012	3,750	7.3 (3.3 kg)	27.4 (12.4 mill. kgs)	\$1.52	\$41,595
2013	3,700	7.3 (3.3 kg)	27.0 (12.2 mill. kgs)	\$1.45	\$39,213
% Change	-1.3%	0%	-1.5%	-4.6%	-5.7%

Source: USDA/NASS, "Sheep and Goats," January 31, 2014.

<sup>1</sup> Includes shearing at commercial feeding yards.

**Wool Exports**

	Market Year					% 2012-13
	OctSep09	OctSep10	OctSep11	OctSep12	OctSep13	Change
<b>All Wool (Kg)</b>	<b>3,463,122</b>	<b>4,867,362</b>	<b>4,187,949</b>	<b>3,026,636</b>	<b>4,425,855</b>	<b>46%</b>
<i>Lbs.</i>	<i>7,634,868</i>	<i>10,730,684</i>	<i>9,232,836</i>	<i>6,672,582</i>	<i>9,757,328</i>	
Raw Wool: Greasy (Kilograms (50% of reported quantity))	2,730,203	3,609,306	2,987,134	2,469,721	2,952,939	20%
<i>Lbs.</i>	<i>6,019,060</i>	<i>7,957,148</i>	<i>6,585,495</i>	<i>5,444,796</i>	<i>6,510,108</i>	
Raw Wool: Degreased/Scoured (Kgs)	146,379	364,391	411,971	167,789	276,639	65%
<i>Lbs.</i>	<i>322,710</i>	<i>803,344</i>	<i>908,240</i>	<i>369,911</i>	<i>609,884</i>	
Carded Wool (Kg)	8,048	45,271	53,326	34,121	184,742	441%
<i>Lbs.</i>	<i>17,743</i>	<i>99,805</i>	<i>117,564</i>	<i>75,224</i>	<i>407,286</i>	
Carded Wool: Tops (Kg)	578,492	848,394	735,518	355,005	1,011,535	185%
<i>Lbs.</i>	<i>1,275,355</i>	<i>1,870,386</i>	<i>1,621,538</i>	<i>782,651</i>	<i>2,230,050</i>	

Source: Trade Stats Northwest 2013, ASI

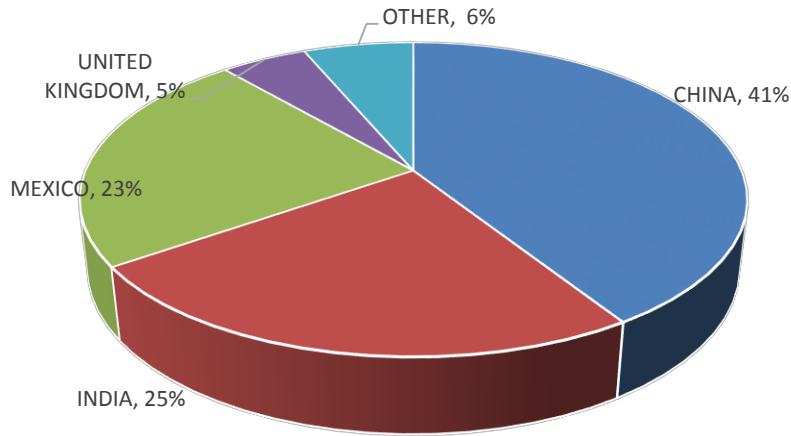
**Wool Yarn and Fabric Exports**

	Market Year					% 2012-13
	OctSep09	OctSep10	OctSep11	OctSep12	OctSep13	Change
<b>All Yarn and Fabric (Kilograms)</b>	<b>1,917,106</b>	<b>1,854,047</b>	<b>1,960,030</b>	<b>1,706,428</b>	<b>1,930,954</b>	<b>13%</b>
<i>Lbs.</i>	<i>4,226,490</i>	<i>4,087,469</i>	<i>4,321,121</i>	<i>3,762,025</i>	<i>4,257,020</i>	
Yarn (Kilograms)	741,592	818,749	1,027,350	885,851	1,111,202	25%
<i>Lbs.</i>	<i>1,634,929</i>	<i>1,805,030</i>	<i>2,264,916</i>	<i>1,952,965</i>	<i>2,449,778</i>	
Fabric (Square Meters)	3,588,764	3,499,834	3,344,642	2,730,098	2,395,750	-12%
<i>Square yards</i>	<i>4,292,126</i>	<i>4,185,766</i>	<i>4,000,158</i>	<i>3,265,170</i>	<i>2,865,293</i>	

Source: Trade Stats Northwest 2013, ASI

**2012/2013 Raw Wool Exports by Destination**

Source: Trade Stats Northwest, ASI



**Top 10 U.S. Greasy Wool Exports by Destination,  
Oct. – Sep. 2013**

	Kg (50% of Greasy Volume)	Lb. (50% of Greasy Volume)	% Share
CHINA	1,811,885	3,994,518	40.9%
INDIA	1,080,454	2,381,990	24.4%
MEXICO	1,030,461	2,271,775	23.3%
UNITED KINGDOM	221,046	487,322	5.0%
ITALY	57,134	125,959	1.3%
CANADA	55,934	123,313	1.3%
GERMANY	43,163	95,158	1.0%
PERU	35,345	77,922	0.8%
JAPAN	26,551	58,535	0.6%
CZECH REPUBLIC	25,112	55,362	0.6%
ALL REMAINING	38,770	85,473	0.9%

Source: Trade Stats Northwest 2013, ASI

**U.S. Hide Exports**

	<b>Market Year</b>					<b>% 2012-</b>
	<b>OctSep09</b>	<b>OctSep10</b>	<b>OctSep11</b>	<b>OctSep12</b>	<b>OctSep13</b>	<b>13</b>
						<b>Change</b>
<b>All Hides [Square Meter (Pelts: 1 pc = 0.8082 m2)]</b>	<b>1,208,185</b>	<b>1,389,649</b>	<b>1,294,208</b>	<b>1,368,867</b>	<b>1,382,159</b>	<b>1%</b>
<i>Square Yards</i>	<i>1,444,977</i>	<i>1,662,006</i>	<i>1,547,860</i>	<i>1,637,151</i>	<i>1,653,048</i>	
Pelts (Pieces)	1,318,219	1,616,785	1,271,042	1,425,527	1,497,059	5%
Leather (Square Meter)	142,805	82,962	266,954	216,756	172,229	-21%
<i>Square Yards</i>	<i>170,793</i>	<i>99,222</i>	<i>319,274</i>	<i>259,238</i>	<i>205,984</i>	

Source: Trade Stats Northwest 2013, ASI