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RAW HIDES, SKINS AND FINISHED LEATHER

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TABLE 1. Receipts by Tanners of Raw Hides and Skins

	October		Ten months ended October	
	1960	1961	1960	1961
	number			
<u>Cattle hides:</u>				
Domestic - Packer	102,217	134,844	826,496	1,071,099
Country	46,106	22,968	375,795	255,229
Imported	50,711	69,015	282,974	593,889
Total cattle hides	199,034	226,827	1,485,265	1,920,217
<u>Calf & kip skins:</u>				
Domestic - Packer	19,641	13,109	177,667	152,586
Country	15,989	5,422	65,278	60,135
Imported	51,737	28,467	446,489 ^r	429,953
Total calf & kip skins	87,367	46,998	689,434	642,674
Sheep and lamb skins(1)	8,974	14,716	61,816	79,695

(1) Sheep and lamb skins reported in dozens of skins.
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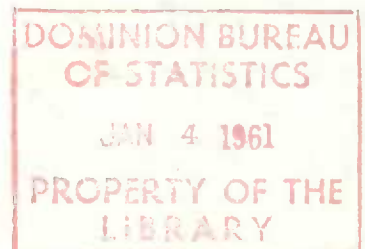


TABLE 2. Stocks of Raw Hides and Skins held by Packers, Dealers and Tanners

On Hand	Held by			Total
	Packers	Dealers	Tanners	
<u>October 31, 1960</u>				
Cattle hides:				
Domestic - Packer	157,832	83,342	74,524	315,698
Country	1,180	46,897	26,321	74,398
Imported	-	-	34,163	34,163
Total cattle hides	159,012	130,239	135,008	424,259
Calf and kip skins:				
Domestic - Packer	49,798	59,813	61,325	170,936
Country	1,980	20,475	20,134	42,589
Imported	1,280	-	104,799	106,079
Total calf and kip skins	53,058	80,288	186,258	319,604
Sheep and lamb skins(1)	16,147	56,394	25,814	98,355
Goat skins	-	213	8,819	9,032
Horsehides	14	4,821	2	4,837
All other hides and skins	36	1,791	-	1,827
<u>October 31, 1961</u>				
Cattle hides:				
Domestic - Packer	147,826	62,155	79,628	289,609
Country	6,494	35,938	16,511	58,943
Imported	-	76	52,189	52,265
Total cattle hides	154,320	98,169	148,328	400,817
Calf and kip skins:				
Domestic - Packer	45,413	43,085	35,919	124,417
Country	1,010	18,084	22,614	41,708
Imported	-	2,450	129,951	132,401
Total calf and kip skins	46,423	63,619	188,484	298,526
Sheep and lamb skins(1)	22,561	55,219	29,778	107,558
Goat skins	-	1,645	42,936	44,581
Horsehides	1	4,643	-	4,644
All other hides and skins	107	2,099	-	2,206

(1) Sheep and lamb skins reported in dozens of skins.

TABLE 3. Wettings of Raw Hides and Skins

	October		Ten months ended October	
	1960	1961	1960	1961
	number			
Cattle hides:				
Domestic - Packer	103,103	129,670	837,683	1,076,575
Country	48,123	28,538	383,096	269,857
Imported	29,179	55,065	295,009	603,728
Total cattle hides	180,405	213,273	1,515,788	1,950,160
Calf and kip skins:				
Domestic - Packer	16,141	22,357	147,295	161,121
Country	8,050	1,776	50,305	51,372
Imported	51,336	25,143	438,632	412,664
Total calf and kip skins	75,527	49,276	636,232	625,157
Sheep and lamb skins(1)	7,241	10,139	67,774	80,782

(1) Sheep and lamb skins reported in dozens of skins.

TABLE 4. Production, Deliveries and Stocks of Finished Leather

	Production	Deliveries		On hand at end of month
		Domestic	Export	
<u>October 1960</u>				
Cattle leather:				
Sole leather	pounds 573,129	631,494	16,648	2,202,624
Upper leather(1)	sq. ft. 4,699,456	3,667,697	1,280,801	4,012,983
Glove and garment leather	sq. ft. 434,740	344,215	177,012	597,577
Splits, all types:				
(a) reported in sq. ft.	sq. ft. ..	..	..	..
(b) reported in pounds	pounds ..	..	..	..
All other cattle leather in case, strap, etc.:				
(a) upholstery, specialty, luggage, etc.	sq. ft. ..	..	..	..
(b) harness, lace, etc.	pounds ..	..	..	..
Calf and kip skins, upper ...	sq. ft. 855,812	497,460	346,353	2,222,991
Sheep and lamb leather	doz. skins 6,660	5,691	-	10,415
<u>October 1961</u>				
Cattle leather:				
Sole leather	pounds 947,173	955,510	4,454	1,670,329
Upper leather(1)	sq. ft. 6,488,366	5,061,518	1,755,331	4,391,931(2)
Glove and garment leather	sq. ft. 560,994	364,488	119,329	618,240
Splits, all types:				
(a) reported in sq. ft.	sq. ft. 1,858,192	1,811,609	113,579	2,021,012(2)
(b) reported in pounds	pounds 116,151	68,399	-	83,331
All other cattle leather in case, strap, etc.:				
(a) upholstery, specialty, luggage, etc.	sq. ft. 296,714	285,882	16,830	38,012
(b) harness, lace, etc.	pounds 30,847	28,732	5,676	24,220
Calf and kip skins, upper ...	sq. ft. 806,582	550,771	449,250	2,276,964
Sheep and lamb leather	doz. skins 8,485	8,031	63	5,541

(1) Includes overweight kip and patent leather.

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(2) Physical inventory adjustments.



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Cumulative, Production and Deliveries of Finished Leather

		Production	Deliveries	
			Domestic	Export
<u>Ten months ended October 1960</u>				
Cattle leather:				
Sole leather	pounds	7,494,520	6,810,679	168,842
Upper leather(1)	sq. ft.	40,967,572	31,342,630	9,785,226
Glove and garment leather	sq. ft.	4,193,793	2,874,136	1,308,176
Splits, all types:				
(a) reported in sq. ft.	sq. ft.	..	..	..
(b) reported in pounds	pounds	..	..	..
All other cattle leather in case, strap, etc.:				
(a) upholstery, specialty, luggage, etc.	sq. ft.	..	..	..
(b) harness, lace, etc.	pounds	..	..	..
Calf and kip skins, upper	sq. ft.	7,468,850	4,882,550	2,064,670
Sheep and lamb leather	doz. skins	66,528	67,342	3

Ten months ended October 1961

Cattle leather:				
Sole leather	pounds	7,829,107	7,847,133	217,335
Upper leather(1)	sq. ft.	60,778,532	45,859,709	14,836,002
Glove and garment leather	sq. ft.	2,805,551	3,023,779	782,767
Splits, all types:				
(a) reported in sq. ft.	sq. ft.	16,102,641	15,268,924	1,145,824
(b) reported in pounds	pounds	1,073,836	1,001,957	15,620
All other cattle leather in case, strap, etc.:				
(a) upholstery, specialty, luggage, etc.	sq. ft.	2,792,064	3,951,088	76,045
(b) harness, lace, etc.	pounds	382,949	300,681	74,208
Calf and kip skins, upper	sq. ft.	8,393,777	5,673,626	2,505,944
Sheep and lamb leather	doz. skins	67,311	71,787	499

(1) Includes overweight kip and patent leather.
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