



Consumer Insights & U.S. Lamb Sales



American Lamb Board & Midan's Partnership

The American Lamb Board partners with Midan Marketing to:

- Conduct Consumer Research/Surveys
 - Understand who is purchasing lamb and their usage and attitudes about all things lamb
 - Determine more targeted marketing tactics that will resonate with lamb consumers
- Analyze retail sales consumer purchases of lamb
 - Track sales trends
 - Analyze dollar sales, volume sales, cut sales, average prices
 - Monitor target markets and regional sales



WHOIS MIDAN?



WEARE CHAMPIONS FOR THE VALUE OF MEAT



U.S. Lamb Sales

Data Source

This report and the analyses contained therein were generated using data collected by Circana, purchased by ALB, and thereafter provided to Midan for analysis.

Metrics found in the dataset and explored throughout this report include, but are not limited to: Dollar Sales, Volume Sales (lbs.), Price per Volume (price/lb.), %ACV (Distribution), Dollars per \$MM ACV, Volume per MM ACV, and Category Development Index (CDI).

Each Circana market is "Multi-Outlet" and includes the following channels: Food/Grocery, Drug, Mass Merchandisers, Walmart, Club Stores (BJ's and Sam's), Dollar Stores (Dollar General, Family Dollar, Fred's Dollar) and Military DECA (commissaries).



Methodology

Sales data in the dataset was aggregated by Circana at the weekly level and covers a period of five full calendar years. The five-year period begins with the week ending January 12, 2020, and ends with the week ending December 29, 2024.

Analysis is conducted at the national, regional and market (i.e., city metropolitan) levels. Per Circana, the U.S. is divided into eight distinct regions: *Great Lakes, Northeast, West, Mid-South, Southeast, South Central, California* and *the Plains*.

Ten distinct markets have been included for analysis in this report per ALB's request, listed as follows: Baltimore, MD/Washington, D.C.; Boston, MA; Chicago, IL; Denver, CO; Houston, TX; Los Angeles, CA; Miami/Ft. Lauderdale, FL; New York, NY; San Francisco/Oakland, CA; and Seattle/Tacoma, WA.



Retailers

Ahold Delhaize

Albertsons Companies

Alex Lee

Bashas'

Big Y

Brookshire Grocery

Dierbergs Markets

Four B

Giant Eagle

HAC, INC

Kroger

Meijer

Price Chopper

Publix

Raley's

Schnucks

The Save Mart Companies

Tops

Wegmans

Target

Walmart

Sam's Club









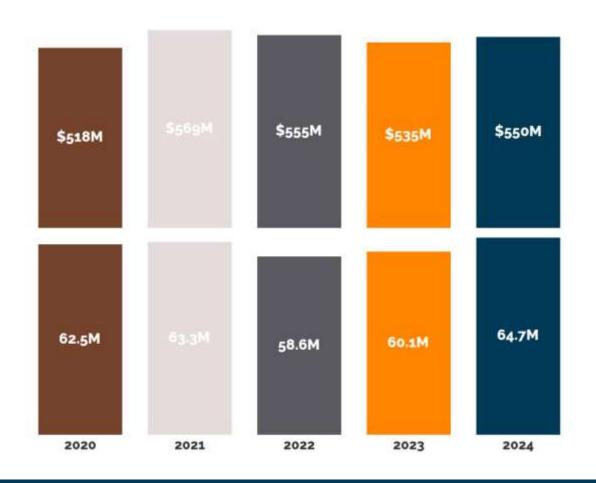






TOTAL U.S. LAMB SALES

Dollar and Volume Sales, 2020 - 2024



Dollar sales of lamb were up

2.8%

in 2024 compared to 2023, and volume sales are up

7.6%



Dollar and Volume Sales, Q4 2020 - Q4 2024



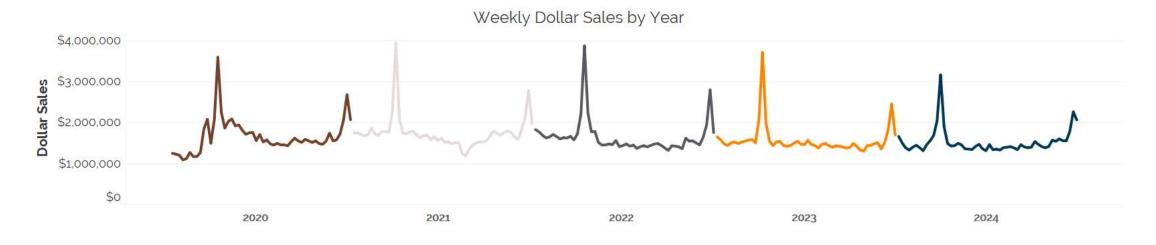
Dollar sales of lamb are up

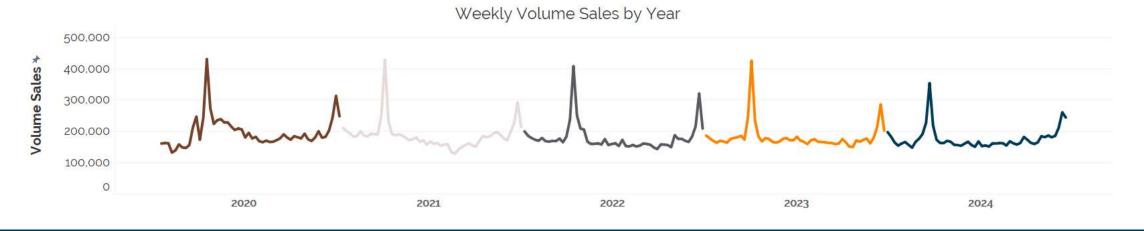
1.4%

in Q4 2024 compared to Q4 2023, and volume sales are up

2.0%

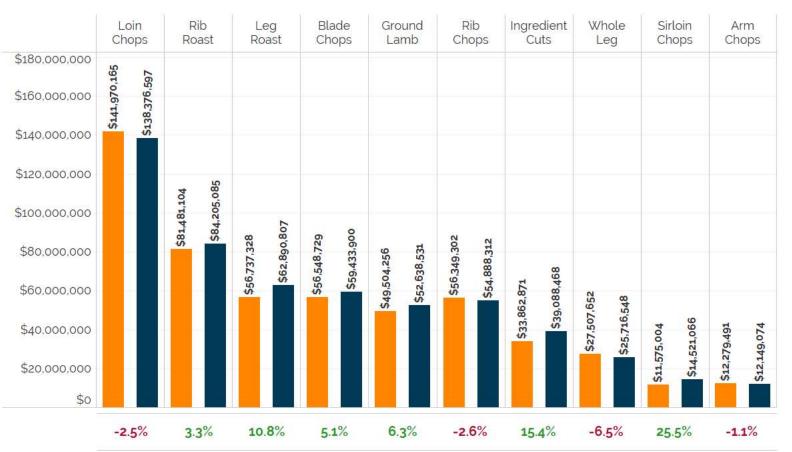
Weekly Dollars and Pounds Sold by Year

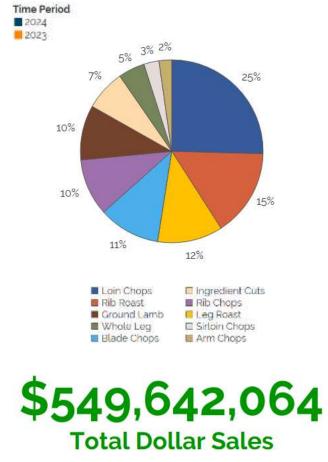






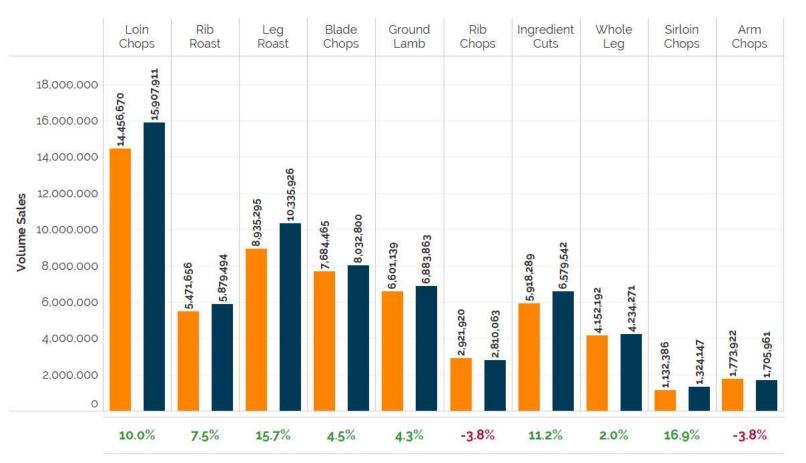
Dollar Sales of Lamb Retail Cuts, 2024 vs. 2023

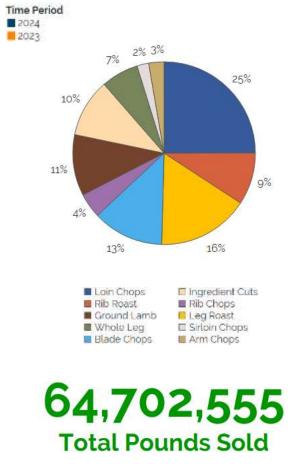






Volume Sales of Lamb Retail Cuts, 2024 vs. 2023

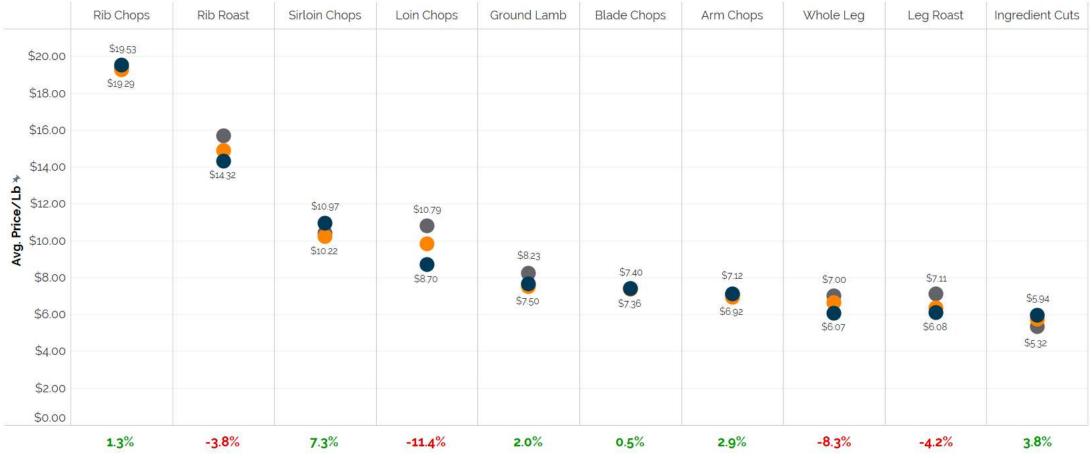






Price per Pound by Retail Cut, 2023 vs. 2024







Regions & Markets

Circana-Defined U.S. Regions

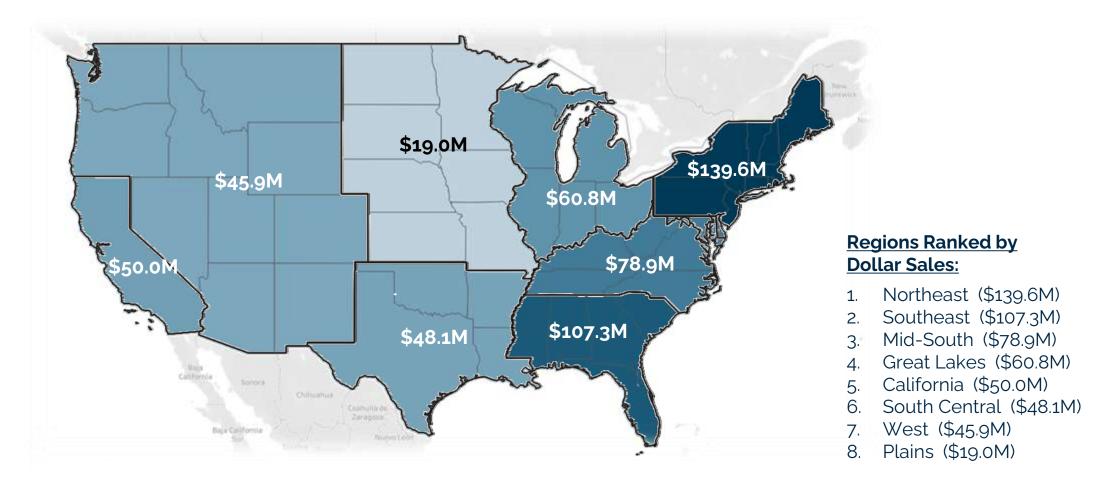
Corresponding States





U.S. Regions

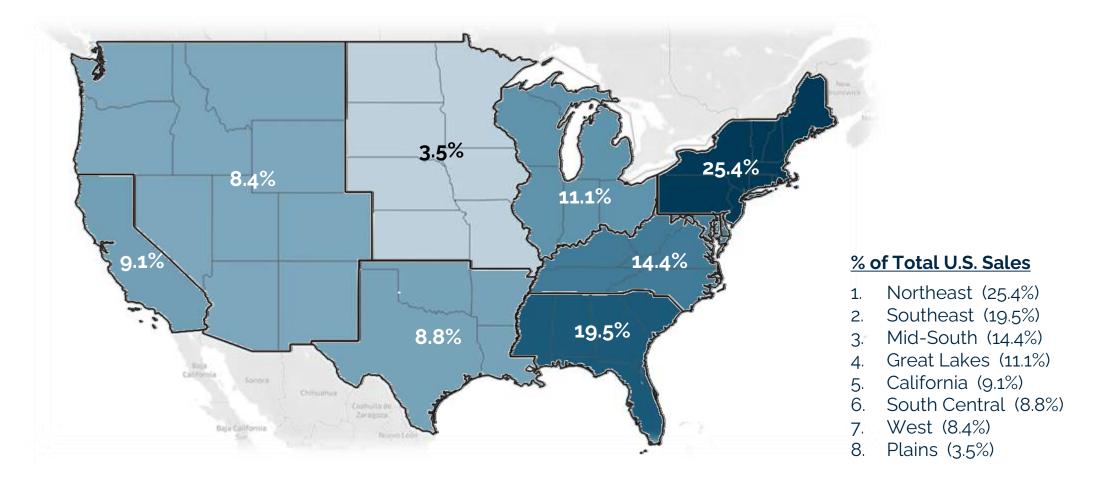
Total Dollar Sales, 2024





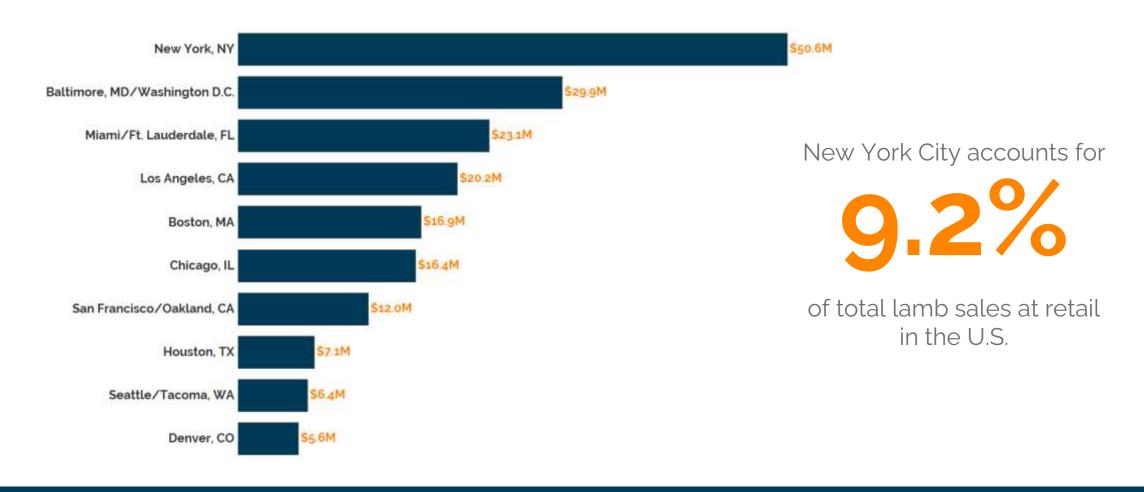
U.S. Regions

Percent of Total U.S. Lamb Sales, 2024



Highlighted Markets

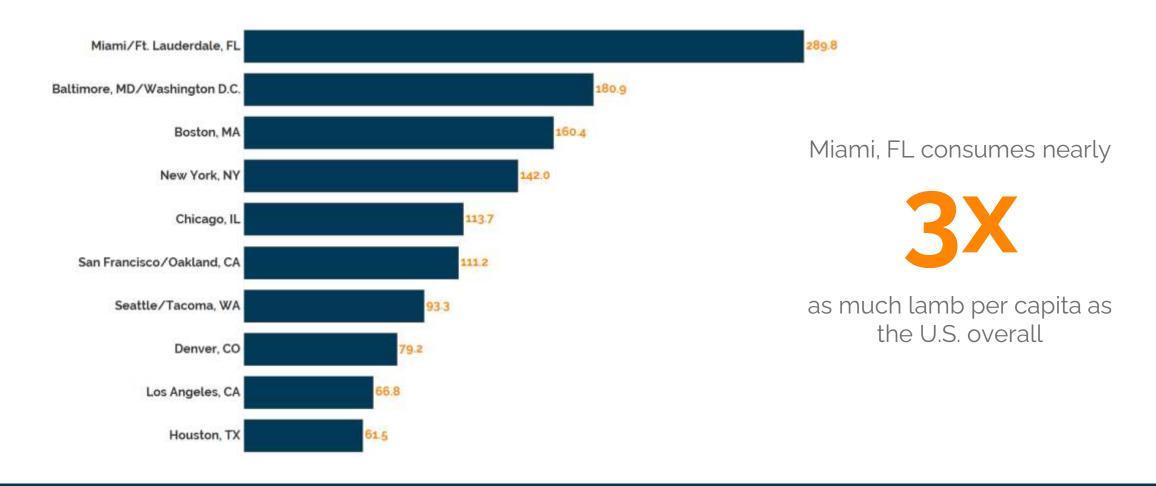
Ranked by Dollar Sales, 2024





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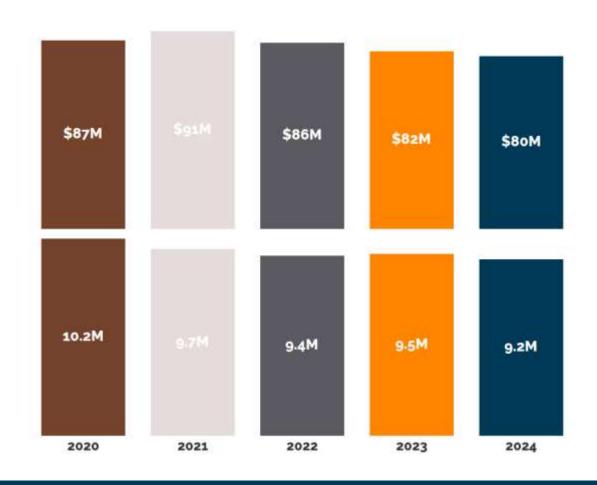
Ranked by CDI (Category Development Index), 2024





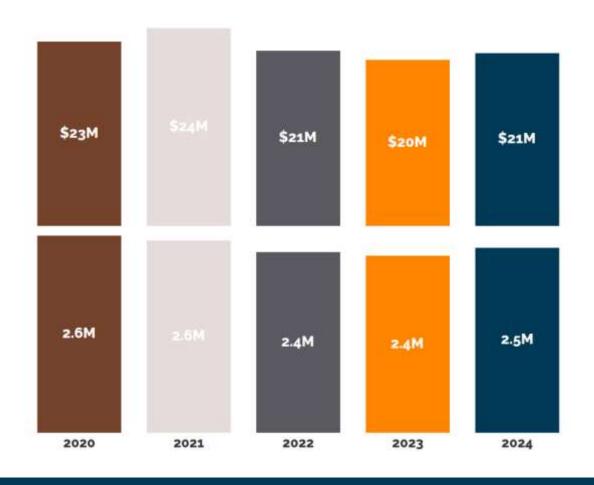
AMERICAN LAMB BOARD (ALB) - SELECT RETAILERS

Dollar and Volume Sales, 2020 - 2024



Sales of American lamb have come down since 2021.

Dollar and Volume Sales, Q4 2020 - Q4 2024

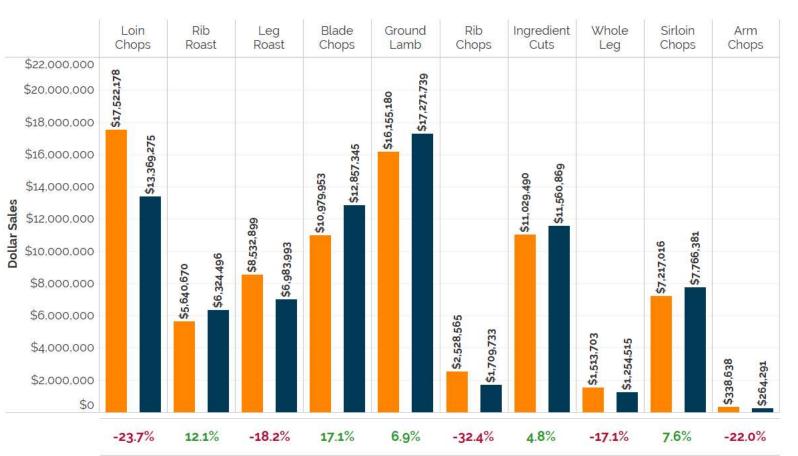


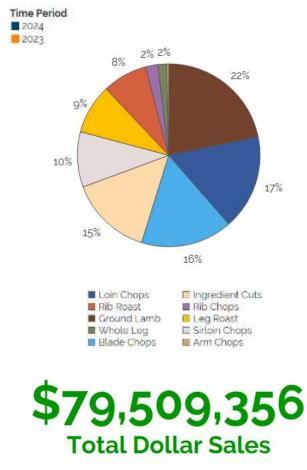
Q4 shows an increase in both dollar and volume sales of American Lamb

\$: +4.3% Lbs: +4.5%



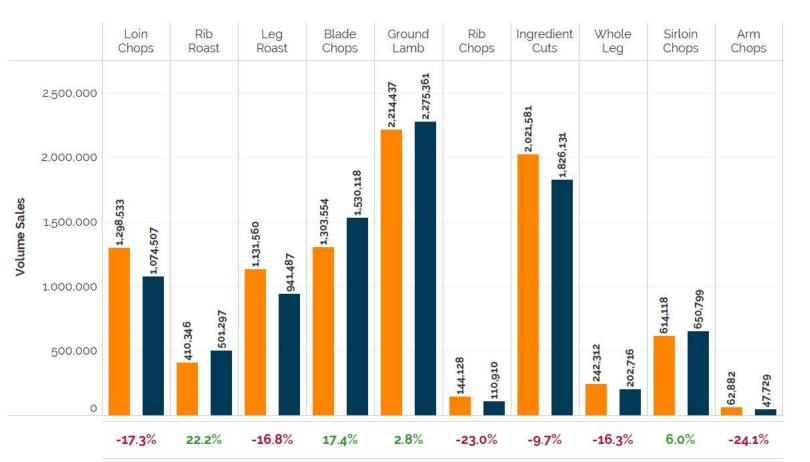
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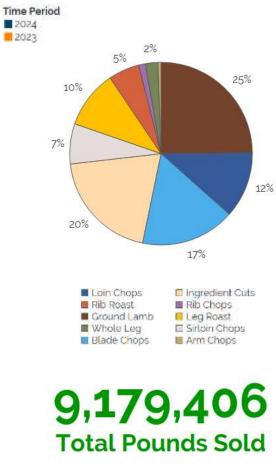






Volume Sales of Lamb Retail Cuts, 2024 vs. 2023







ALB Select Retailers vs. Total Lamb

Price per Pound by Retail Cut, 2024

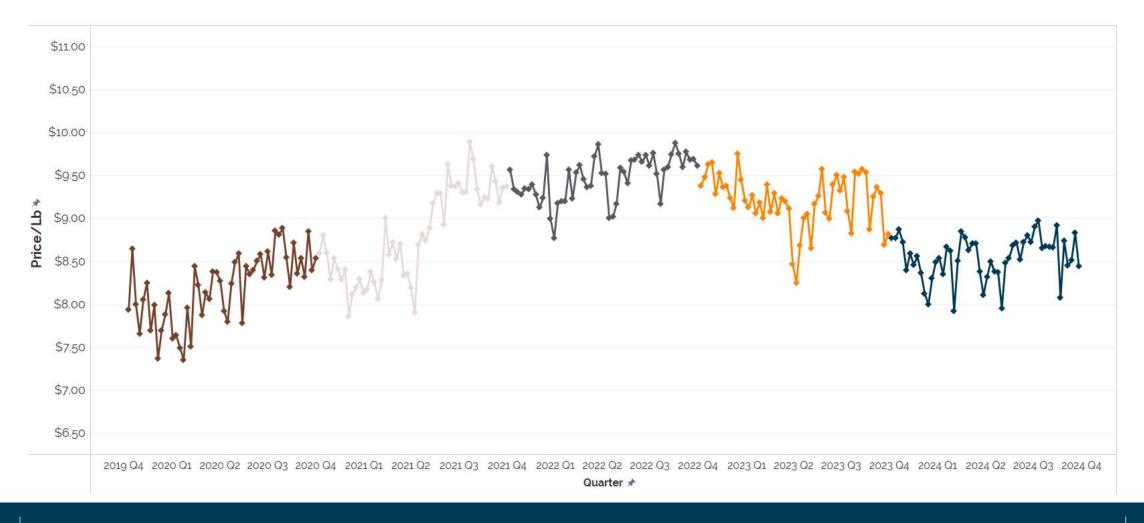






Total Lamb – Price of Lamb

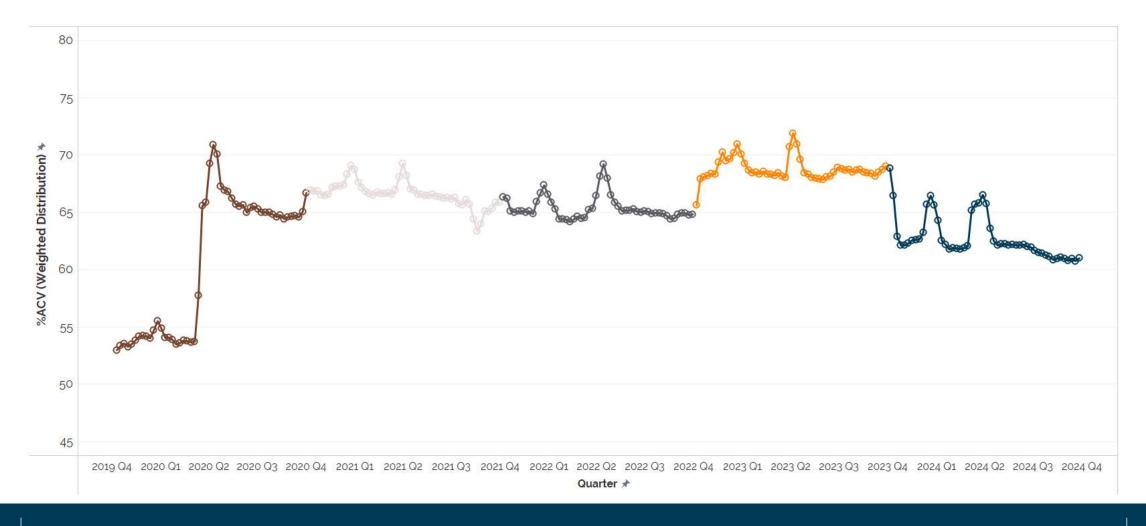
Average Price/Lb. of Lamb by Week and Year





ALB Select Retailers – Distribution of Lamb

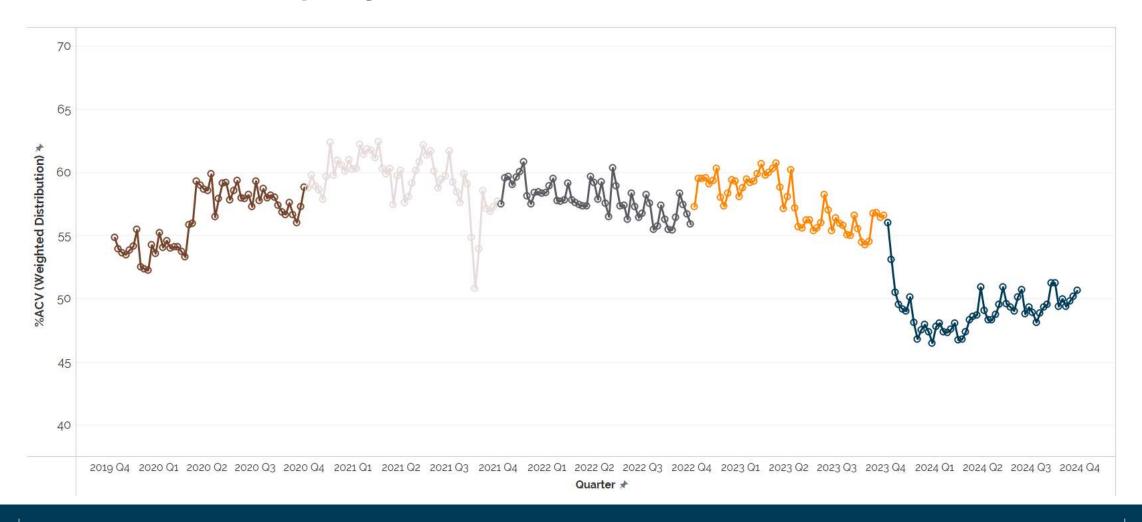
%ACV of Non-Imported Lamb by Week and Year





Total Lamb – Distribution of Loin Chops

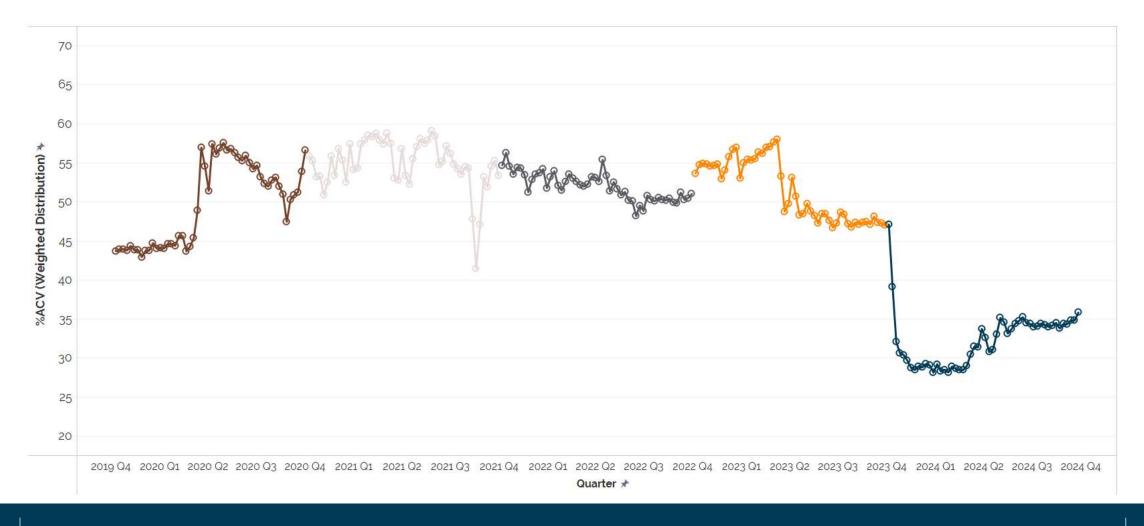
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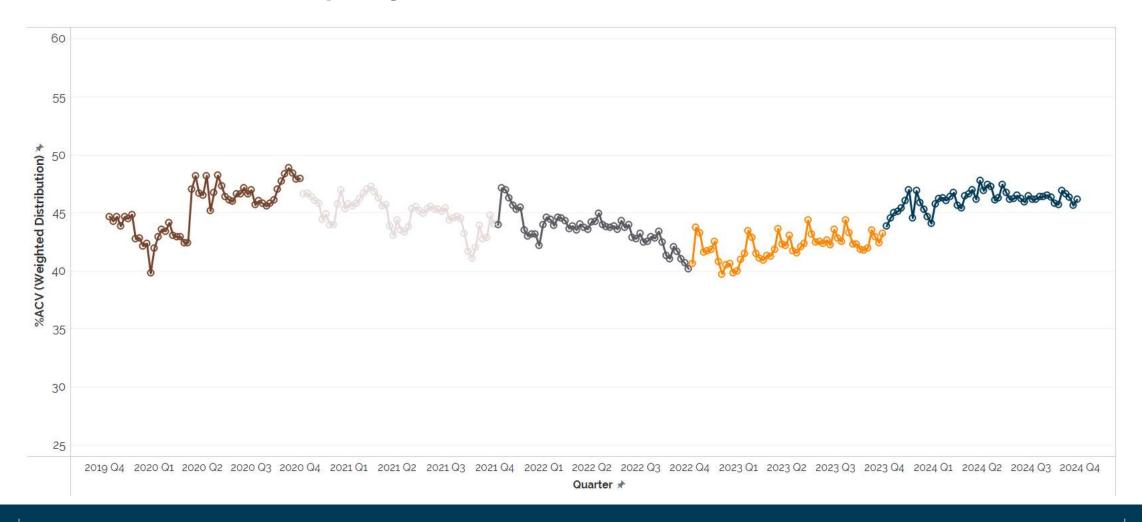
%ACV of Loin Chops (Non-Imports) by Week and Year





Total U.S. – Distribution of Blade Chops

%ACV of Blade Chops by Week and Year







It's a challenge to stand out in today's meat industry. Our strategic marketing, research and creative services help you to capture your customers' attention to sell more meat.

Capabilities



Brand Strategy





Data + **Analytics**



Consulting



Video + **Photography**





Media



Digital + Social



Public Relations



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