

MEAT MEAL AND TANKAGE PRODUCTION
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Meat meal and tankage production during the first half of 1963 was 906 thousand tons -- 6 percent more than the same period last year, according to the Crop Reporting Board.

Meat meal produced during the first six months of 1963 totaled 711,300 tons -- 8 percent more than the first half of 1962 and 9 percent more than the same period in 1961. Meat meal includes poultry by-product meal, but excludes feather meal.

Production of feeding tankage in the January-June 1963 period was 194,200 tons. This is 1 percent less than the same period last year, but 2 percent more than in the corresponding months in 1961.

Production totals for meat meal and tankage are based on virtually complete reports from known producers of these feed materials.

MEAT MEAL AND DIGESTER OR FEEDING TANKAGE
U. S. Production, by months, January 1961 - July 1963

Month	Meat Meal			Tankage (digester or feeding) ^{1/}		
	1961	1962	1963	1961	1962	1963
	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons
January	106,500	114,700	125,600	31,900	32,500	34,100
February	100,600	100,600	109,300	31,400	31,700	31,600
March	105,500	110,300	113,400	30,100	33,100	31,700
April	104,400	103,800	113,900	29,800	30,300	31,200
May	117,300	115,200	128,200	32,800	34,900	34,300
June	117,800	114,300	120,900	33,700	33,100	31,300
Total	652,100	658,900	711,300	189,700	195,600	194,200
July	106,600	118,800		30,000	31,600	
August	113,500	130,800		33,400	34,800	
September	107,000	117,400		31,100	31,200	
October	112,400	128,800		32,300	34,800	
November	117,500	120,400		34,100	33,000	
December	109,000	114,500		32,200	31,800	
Total	665,000	730,700		193,100	197,200	
12 months	1,318,100	1,389,600		382,800	392,800	

^{1/} Does not include tankage produced for fertilizer.