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Beef Types

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Minnesota Extension Meats Specialist Richard Epley says he foresees a type of beef production system that will strive for the maximum amount of lean meat in the shortest possible time. The resulting meat would be used for hamburger and similar products.

A second beef production system would yield high quality beef with a relatively high degree of marbling. This would meet the demand for high quality steaks and roasts.

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Stewed Tomatoes

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Consumers may find canned stewed tomatoes of more consistent quality if U-S grade standards recently proposed by the U-S Department of Agriculture are adopted. The U-S-D-A also proposed revision of existing standards for other types of canned tomatoes to reflect the changes in preparation, processing and marketing.

Consumption of canned stewed tomatoes has increased substantially over the past several years. If adopted, the proposed standards will help canners and distributors market this product as well as assure consumers of a product of reliable quality.

The two proposed grades, U-S Grade A and U-S Grade B, would be determined by scoring canned stewed tomatoes on the basis of color, character and absence of defects.

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