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April 2018 Highlights

Total natural cheese stocks in refrigerated warehouses on April 30, 2018 were up 2 percent from the previous month and up 3 percent from April 30, 2017.

Butter stocks were up 12 percent from last month and up 5 percent from a year ago.

Total frozen poultry supplies on April 30, 2018 were up 2 percent from the previous month and up 7 percent from a year ago. Total stocks of chicken were down 1 percent from the previous month but up 9 percent from last year. Total pounds of turkey in freezers were up 7 percent from last month and up 5 percent from April 30, 2017.

Total frozen fruit stocks were down 7 percent from last month and down 24 percent from a year ago.

Total frozen vegetable stocks were down 9 percent from last month and down 6 percent from a year ago.

Total red meat supplies in freezers were up 4 percent from the previous month and up 7 percent from last year. Total pounds of beef in freezers were up 2 percent from the previous month and up 3 percent from last year. Frozen pork supplies were up 5 percent from the previous month and up 9 percent from last year. Stocks of pork bellies were up 9 percent from last month and up 93 percent from last year.

Records

Record highs and lows for the month of April can be found on pages 20-23.

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Nuts, Dairy Products, Frozen Eggs, and Frozen Poultry in Cold Storage – United States: April 30, 2018 with Comparisons

Commodity	Stocks in all warehouses			April 30, 2018 as a percent of		Public warehouse stocks
	April 30, 2017	March 31, 2018	April 30, 2018	April 30, 2017	March 31, 2018	April 30, 2018
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)	(1,000 pounds)
Nuts						
Shelled						
Pecans	52,640	51,950	57,149	109	110	
In-Shell						
Pecans	158,509	184,869	161,338	102	87	
Dairy products						
Butter	292,284	273,955	307,337	105	112	285,461
Natural cheese						
American	804,645	766,624	781,478	97	102	
Swiss	26,962	29,080	29,174	108	100	
Other	471,721	528,958	536,121	114	101	
Total natural cheese	1,303,328	1,324,662	1,346,773	103	102	948,039
Frozen eggs						
Whites	4,628	3,155	2,108	46	67	
Yolks	920	629	652	71	104	
Whole and mixed	12,296	11,341	12,721	103	112	
Unclassified	23,332	13,050	12,233	52	94	
Total frozen eggs	41,176	28,175	27,714	67	98	27,014
Frozen poultry						
Chicken						
Broilers, fryers, and roasters	21,761	15,641	14,152	65	90	
Hens, mature chickens	4,629	3,870	3,922	85	101	
Breasts and breast meat	186,900	184,170	181,392	97	98	
Drumsticks	19,942	27,613	29,793	149	108	
Leg quarters	116,017	86,768	89,984	78	104	
Legs	24,220	14,412	13,169	54	91	
Thigh and thigh quarters	8,502	8,853	8,575	101	97	
Thigh Meat	18,937	24,284	24,561	130	101	
Wings	61,818	68,350	71,896	116	105	
Paws and feet	22,781	26,899	25,403	112	94	
Other	310,387	410,452	403,394	130	98	
Total chicken	795,894	871,312	866,241	109	99	
Turkey						
Whole turkeys						
Toms	101,509	106,627	125,291	123	118	
Hens	115,587	112,135	122,674	106	109	
Total whole turkeys	217,096	218,762	247,965	114	113	
Breasts	105,780	100,335	102,455	97	102	
Legs	12,257	11,744	11,231	92	96	
Mechanically deboned meat	7,290	5,983	7,459	102	125	
Other	32,206	32,596	29,102	90	89	
Unclassified	96,855	93,479	95,047	98	102	
Total turkey	471,484	462,899	493,259	105	107	
Ducks	3,872	3,623	3,620	93	100	
Total frozen poultry	1,271,250	1,337,834	1,363,120	107	102	1,280,995

**Frozen Fruit and Frozen Juice Concentrate in Cold Storage – United States: April 30, 2018
with Comparisons**

Commodity	Stocks in all warehouses			April 30, 2018 as a percent of		Public warehouse stocks
	April 30, 2017	March 31, 2018	April 30, 2018	April 30, 2017	March 31, 2018	April 30, 2018
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)	(1,000 pounds)
Frozen fruit						
Apples	44,495	36,968	34,071	77	92	
Apricots	2,848	2,974	2,263	79	76	
Blackberries						
Individual quick frozen	14,755	10,188	9,308	63	91	
Pails and tubs	1,382	1,494	1,174	85	79	
Barrels, 400 lbs net	6,355	3,141	2,929	46	93	
Concentrate	655	1,266	1,266	193	100	
Total blackberries	23,147	16,089	14,677	63	91	
Blueberries	184,367	134,469	114,734	62	85	
Boysenberries	978	437	430	44	98	
Cherries, tart (ripe tart pitted)	102,192	108,226	99,706	98	92	
Cherries, tart (juice stock)	4,603	3,050	2,401	52	79	
Cherries, tart (juice concentrate)	5,678	1,040	1,032	18	99	
Cherries, sweet	16,530	14,313	14,140	86	99	
Grapes	1,368	3,015	2,563	187	85	
Peaches	58,878	54,898	46,750	79	85	
Raspberries, black	1,021	1,703	1,423	139	84	
Raspberries, red						
Individual quick frozen	22,982	29,373	27,933	122	95	
Pails and tubs	4,799	6,385	6,378	133	100	
Barrels, 400 lbs net	13,456	20,037	21,046	156	105	
Concentrate	2,911	2,107	1,718	59	82	
Total red raspberries	44,148	57,902	57,075	129	99	
Strawberries						
Individual quick frozen and poly	119,276	95,880	90,169	76	94	
Pails and tubs	65,884	57,648	56,714	86	98	
Barrels and drums	56,192	28,572	27,698	49	97	
Juice stock	24,854	13,841	12,499	50	90	
Total strawberries	266,206	195,941	187,080	70	95	
Other	604,047	487,759	462,251	77	95	
Total frozen fruit	1,360,506	1,118,784	1,040,596	76	93	951,302
Frozen juice concentrate						
Orange	542,175	564,035	632,640	117	112	
(Gallon equivalent)	54,787	56,996	63,929			
Other	304,717	342,213	348,950	115	102	
Total frozen juice concentrate	846,892	906,248	981,590	116	108	304,598

**Frozen Vegetables and Frozen Potatoes in Cold Storage – United States: April 30, 2018
with Comparisons**

Commodity	Stocks in all warehouses			April 30, 2018 as a percent of		Public warehouse stocks
	April 30, 2017	March 31, 2018	April 30, 2018	April 30, 2017	March 31, 2018	April 30, 2018
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)	(1,000 pounds)
Frozen vegetables						
Asparagus	9,012	6,989	6,033	67	86	
Lima beans	40,852	42,318	37,798	93	89	
Green beans, regular cut	144,992	132,434	109,593	76	83	
Green beans, french style	11,522	13,402	12,385	107	92	
Broccoli, spears	31,070	31,898	34,640	111	109	
Broccoli, chopped and cut	39,286	33,177	36,513	93	110	
Brussels sprouts	19,588	20,900	20,736	106	99	
Carrots, diced	114,784	114,856	107,933	94	94	
Carrots, other	143,200	125,914	119,257	83	95	
Cauliflower	27,679	35,206	32,920	119	94	
Corn, cut	316,608	356,223	312,618	99	88	
Corn, cob	128,032	176,477	143,143	112	81	
Mixed vegetables	73,221	54,210	52,860	72	98	
Okra	12,582	14,666	13,444	107	92	
Onion rings	13,368	17,190	18,696	140	109	
Onions, other	59,402	62,599	66,203	111	106	
Blackeye peas	1,477	1,512	1,357	92	90	
Green peas	205,494	198,966	190,083	93	96	
Peas and carrots mixed	8,829	7,410	8,083	92	109	
Spinach	64,293	50,882	51,847	81	102	
Squash, summer/zucchini	51,233	54,323	50,657	99	93	
Southern greens	20,693	11,268	10,676	52	95	
Other	416,977	463,011	406,671	98	88	
Total frozen vegetables	1,954,194	2,025,831	1,844,146	94	91	1,406,176
Frozen potatoes						
French fries	949,450	964,870	936,725	99	97	
Other	270,257	260,910	255,561	95	98	
Total frozen potatoes	1,219,707	1,225,780	1,192,286	98	97	1,077,346

Frozen Red Meat and Commodities in Cold Storage – United States: April 30, 2018 with Comparisons

Commodity	Stocks in all warehouses			April 30, 2018 as a percent of		Public warehouse stocks
	April 30, 2017	March 31, 2018	April 30, 2018	April 30, 2017	March 31, 2018	April 30, 2018
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)	(1,000 pounds)
Frozen red meat						
Beef						
Boneless	415,592	426,250	434,782	105	102	
Beef cuts	42,826	37,721	36,763	86	97	
Total beef	458,418	463,971	471,545	103	102	463,836
Pork						
Picnics, bone-in	7,210	11,314	10,095	140	89	
Hams						
Bone-in	36,689	24,233	24,050	66	99	
Boneless	76,126	72,104	88,225	116	122	
Total hams	112,815	96,337	112,275	100	117	
Bellies	33,536	59,202	64,563	193	109	
Loins						
Bone-in	16,365	13,076	12,935	79	99	
Boneless	26,507	26,471	27,451	104	104	
Total loins	42,872	39,547	40,386	94	102	
Ribs	136,875	143,955	145,049	106	101	
Butts	21,264	20,629	20,904	98	101	
Trimming	40,613	56,318	57,521	142	102	
Other	88,858	93,548	93,170	105	100	
Variety meats	54,471	35,875	36,405	67	101	
Unclassified	51,810	54,278	61,039	118	112	
Total pork	590,324	611,003	641,407	109	105	582,124
Other red meat						
Veal	15,383	20,780	20,025	130	96	
Lamb and mutton	28,603	28,615	33,992	119	119	
Total other red meat	43,986	49,395	54,017	123	109	53,872
Total frozen red meat	1,092,728	1,124,369	1,166,969	107	104	1,099,832
Commodities						
Stored in coolers	1,806,761	1,835,436	1,872,597	104	102	1,270,629
Stored in freezers	7,786,453	7,767,021	7,616,421	98	98	6,147,263
Total Commodities	9,593,214	9,602,457	9,489,018	99	99	7,417,892

Nuts and Dairy Products in Cold Storage – Regions: April 30, 2018 with Comparisons

Commodity	Stocks in all warehouses			April 30, 2018 as a percent of	
	April 30, 2017	March 31, 2018	April 30, 2018	April 30, 2017	March 31, 2018
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)
Nuts ¹					
Shelled					
Pecans					
South Atlantic	9,988	12,307	13,131	131	107
East South Central	1,312	921	1,103	84	120
West South Central	41,340	38,722	42,915	104	111
In-shell					
Pecans					
South Atlantic	46,564	66,558	60,051	129	90
East South Central	206	1,113	956	464	86
West South Central	111,739	117,198	100,331	90	86
Dairy products					
Natural cheese					
American, total					
New England	67,623	65,912	66,885	99	101
Middle Atlantic	52,513	57,361	67,007	128	117
East North Central	344,528	328,774	330,447	96	101
West North Central	140,768	120,161	124,688	89	104
South Atlantic	1,145	427	492	43	115
East South Central	13,925	19,067	17,128	123	90
West South Central	17,670	8,038	8,582	49	107
Mountain	57,738	59,236	60,573	105	102
Pacific	108,735	107,648	105,676	97	98
Other					
New England	732	1,542	1,085	148	70
Middle Atlantic	18,486	14,573	15,414	83	106
East North Central	303,477	355,948	366,418	121	103
West North Central	49,669	49,462	46,637	94	94
South Atlantic	32,048	28,351	28,654	89	101
East South Central	14,064	17,338	17,026	121	98
West South Central	1,731	2,091	2,335	135	112
Mountain	4,877	3,825	3,533	72	92
Pacific	46,637	55,828	55,019	118	99

¹ New England and Middle Atlantic combined with South Atlantic. East North Central combined with East South Central. Pacific, Mountain, and West North Central combined with West South Central.

Frozen Poultry in Cold Storage – Regions: April 30, 2018 with Comparisons

Commodity	Stocks in all warehouses			April 30, 2018 as a percent of	
	April 30, 2017	March 31, 2018	April 30, 2018	April 30, 2017	March 31, 2018
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)
Frozen poultry					
Chicken ¹					
Broilers, fryers, and roasters					
South Atlantic	10,889	8,333	6,635	61	80
East South Central	2,324	2,092	1,508	65	72
West South Central	6,153	2,663	3,526	57	132
Pacific	2,395	2,553	2,483	104	97
Hens, mature chickens					
South Atlantic	2,364	1,202	1,066	45	89
East South Central	317	144	157	50	109
West South Central	1,895	2,482	2,628	139	106
Pacific	53	42	71	134	169
Breasts and breast meat					
South Atlantic	49,442	50,008	50,412	102	101
East South Central	43,591	38,080	36,596	84	96
West South Central	83,574	82,198	80,430	96	98
Pacific	10,293	13,884	13,954	136	101
Drumsticks					
South Atlantic	6,812	10,156	11,056	162	109
East South Central	3,384	5,150	5,402	160	105
West South Central	8,881	10,663	11,460	129	107
Pacific	865	1,644	1,875	217	114
Leg quarters					
South Atlantic	63,350	42,989	50,299	79	117
East South Central	18,691	14,586	13,927	75	95
West South Central	32,492	26,671	24,179	74	91
Pacific	1,484	2,522	1,579	106	63
Legs					
South Atlantic	19,384	9,100	7,969	41	88
East South Central	1,747	2,604	1,274	73	49
West South Central	2,527	1,794	2,618	104	146
Pacific	562	914	1,308	233	143
Thigh and thigh quarters					
South Atlantic	5,832	5,163	4,808	82	93
East South Central	523	750	1,139	218	152
West South Central	1,447	2,270	979	68	43
Pacific	700	670	1,649	236	246
Thigh meat					
South Atlantic	9,154	14,692	14,508	158	99
East South Central	2,824	2,686	3,010	107	112
West South Central	4,929	4,271	4,023	82	94
Pacific	2,030	2,635	3,020	149	115
Wings					
South Atlantic	24,841	23,060	24,669	99	107
East South Central	5,000	7,106	8,548	171	120
West South Central	30,044	34,230	33,983	113	99
Pacific	1,933	3,954	4,696	243	119
Paws and feet					
South Atlantic	14,071	15,815	15,398	109	97
East South Central	6,388	7,294	5,938	93	81
West South Central	2,201	3,687	3,972	180	108
Pacific	121	103	95	79	92
Other					
South Atlantic	121,373	152,928	150,476	124	98
East South Central	67,524	58,563	58,364	86	100
West South Central	86,319	160,142	156,035	181	97
Pacific	35,171	38,819	38,519	110	99
Total chicken					
South Atlantic	327,512	333,446	337,296	103	101
East South Central	152,313	139,055	135,863	89	98
West South Central	260,462	331,071	323,833	124	98
Pacific	55,607	67,740	69,249	125	102

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Frozen Poultry in Cold Storage – Regions: April 30, 2018 with Comparisons (continued)

Commodity	Stocks in all warehouses			April 30, 2018 as a percent of	
	April 30, 2017	March 31, 2018	April 30, 2018	April 30, 2017	March 31, 2018
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)
Turkeys					
Whole turkeys					
New England	2,002	3,167	5,928	296	187
Middle Atlantic	7,911	22,131	20,087	254	91
East North Central	19,561	10,088	12,688	65	126
West North Central	32,115	31,969	33,079	103	103
South Atlantic	33,620	24,143	32,851	98	136
East South Central	2,016	3,608	3,174	157	88
West South Central	96,712	109,941	123,505	128	112
Mountain	12,406	7,450	8,759	71	118
Pacific	10,753	6,265	7,894	73	126
Breasts					
New England	57	34	28	49	82
Middle Atlantic	3,713	5,842	5,673	153	97
East North Central	27,718	22,679	22,897	83	101
West North Central	35,356	32,945	33,941	96	103
South Atlantic	13,044	11,221	12,262	94	109
East South Central	626	203	509	81	251
West South Central	17,949	17,573	18,305	102	104
Mountain	4,535	3,601	3,687	81	102
Pacific	2,782	6,237	5,153	185	83
Legs					
New England	-	-	-	(X)	(X)
Middle Atlantic	184	1,140	987	536	87
East North Central	1,923	1,238	1,282	67	104
West North Central	3,946	4,147	3,466	88	84
South Atlantic	2,545	2,158	1,970	77	91
East South Central	520	14	14	3	100
West South Central	2,198	1,681	2,183	99	130
Mountain	417	533	512	123	96
Pacific	524	833	817	156	98
Mechanically deboned meat					
New England	5	7	5	100	71
Middle Atlantic	927	564	903	97	160
East North Central	1,159	1,401	1,750	151	125
West North Central	802	508	894	111	176
South Atlantic	1,727	1,411	1,533	89	109
East South Central	876	230	230	26	100
West South Central	584	496	647	111	130
Mountain	639	503	508	79	101
Pacific	571	863	989	173	115

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Frozen Poultry in Cold Storage – Regions: April 30, 2018 with Comparisons (continued)

Commodity	Stocks in all warehouses			April 30, 2018 as a percent of	
	April 30, 2017	March 31, 2018	April 30, 2018	April 30, 2017	March 31, 2018
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)
Other					
New England	14	2	1	7	50
Middle Atlantic	1,152	2,484	2,396	208	96
East North Central	10,061	8,708	8,572	85	98
West North Central	4,596	5,234	3,706	81	71
South Atlantic	10,622	8,230	7,187	68	87
East South Central	483	519	519	107	100
West South Central	3,000	4,272	3,586	120	84
Mountain	522	608	541	104	89
Pacific	1,756	2,539	2,594	148	102
Unclassified					
New England	15	38	2	13	5
Middle Atlantic	3,160	1,879	2,657	84	141
East North Central	13,613	10,113	11,688	86	116
West North Central	14,117	14,140	15,210	108	108
South Atlantic	53,784	52,181	48,775	91	93
East South Central	227	305	289	127	95
West South Central	4,283	8,473	9,261	216	109
Mountain	2,595	2,040	2,332	90	114
Pacific	5,061	4,310	4,833	95	112
Total turkey					
New England	2,093	3,248	5,964	285	184
Middle Atlantic	17,047	34,040	32,703	192	96
East North Central	74,035	54,227	58,877	80	109
West North Central	90,932	88,943	90,296	99	102
South Atlantic	115,342	99,344	104,578	91	105
East South Central	4,748	4,879	4,735	100	97
West South Central	124,726	142,436	157,487	126	111
Mountain	21,114	14,735	16,339	77	111
Pacific	21,447	21,047	22,280	104	106
Ducks					
New England	160	183	183	114	100
Middle Atlantic	2,451	822	751	31	91
East North Central	239	294	242	101	82
West North Central	158	321	303	192	94
South Atlantic	-	53	51	(X)	96
East South Central	39	-	-	(X)	(X)
West South Central	-	-	-	(X)	(X)
Mountain	7	4	4	57	100
Pacific	818	1,946	2,086	255	107

- Represents zero.

(X) Not applicable.

¹ New England and Middle Atlantic combined with South Atlantic. East North Central combined with East South Central. West North Central combined with West South Central. Mountain combined with Pacific.

**Frozen Fruit and Frozen Juice Concentrate in Cold Storage – Regions: April 30, 2018
with Comparisons**

Commodity	Stocks in all warehouses			April 30, 2018 as a percent of	
	April 30, 2017	March 31, 2018	April 30, 2018	April 30, 2017	March 31, 2018
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)
Frozen fruit					
Apples					
New England	78	236	235	301	100
Middle Atlantic	1,640	1,345	1,433	87	107
East North Central	31,460	27,194	25,590	81	94
West North Central	601	231	203	34	88
South Atlantic	268	101	110	41	109
East South Central	120	181	51	43	28
West South Central	1,630	2,325	1,446	89	62
Mountain	57	113	116	204	103
Pacific	8,641	5,242	4,887	57	93
Blueberries					
New England	35,012	20,483	18,307	52	89
Middle Atlantic	14,927	4,214	3,130	21	74
East North Central	41,430	40,048	34,309	83	86
West North Central	2,835	1,394	1,323	47	95
South Atlantic	6,299	2,760	2,412	38	87
East South Central	703	241	193	27	80
West South Central	1,569	1,519	1,400	89	92
Mountain	171	109	90	53	83
Pacific	81,421	63,701	53,570	66	84
Cherries, tart (ripe tart pitted)					
New England	-	-	-	(X)	(X)
Middle Atlantic	3,942	6,297	4,711	120	75
East North Central	82,718	85,122	80,126	97	94
West North Central	226	191	203	90	106
South Atlantic	108	35	42	39	120
East South Central	6	7	6	100	86
West South Central	358	518	498	139	96
Mountain	7,014	10,107	8,293	118	82
Pacific	7,820	5,949	5,827	75	98
Cherries, sweet					
New England	1	-	-	(X)	(X)
Middle Atlantic	424	559	837	197	150
East North Central	11,972	7,750	7,128	60	92
West North Central	136	15	12	9	80
South Atlantic	180	257	195	108	76
East South Central	136	320	405	298	127
West South Central	382	718	746	195	104
Mountain	-	-	-	(X)	(X)
Pacific	3,299	4,694	4,817	146	103
Peaches					
New England	45	44	11	24	25
Middle Atlantic	2,288	1,537	1,339	59	87
East North Central	5,687	7,391	6,952	122	94
West North Central	1,095	692	611	56	88
South Atlantic	2,389	2,635	2,336	98	89
East South Central	273	1,462	1,093	400	75
West South Central	954	1,080	1,070	112	99
Mountain	9	30	65	722	217
Pacific	46,138	40,027	33,273	72	83
Raspberries, red					
New England	290	69	420	145	609
Middle Atlantic	2,706	1,304	2,124	78	163
East North Central	3,248	2,858	2,616	81	92
West North Central	1,470	677	644	44	95
South Atlantic	491	516	420	86	81
East South Central	1,155	1,325	1,078	93	81
West South Central	2,173	1,152	1,370	63	119
Mountain	469	1,059	1,513	323	143
Pacific	32,146	48,942	46,890	146	96

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Frozen Fruit and Frozen Juice Concentrate in Cold Storage – Regions: April 30, 2018 with Comparisons (continued)

Commodity	Stocks in all warehouses			April 30, 2018 as a percent of	
	April 30, 2017	March 31, 2018	April 30, 2018	April 30, 2017	March 31, 2018
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)
Strawberries, total					
New England	209	148	102	49	69
Middle Atlantic	8,798	7,641	7,191	82	94
East North Central	11,333	12,211	12,987	115	106
West North Central	5,267	4,919	5,237	99	106
South Atlantic	2,120	8,013	7,442	351	93
East South Central	3,845	8,584	8,163	212	95
West South Central	37,042	23,543	28,225	76	120
Mountain	128	535	446	348	83
Pacific	197,464	130,347	117,287	59	90
Other					
New England	56,027	73,686	68,501	122	93
Middle Atlantic	19,670	21,354	20,628	105	97
East North Central	259,785	208,192	202,502	78	97
West North Central	5,544	14,084	13,438	242	95
South Atlantic	5,008	6,092	5,101	102	84
East South Central	711	1,539	1,199	169	78
West South Central	18,751	17,360	15,979	85	92
Mountain	1,674	442	373	22	84
Pacific	236,877	145,010	134,530	57	93
Frozen juice concentrate					
Orange¹					
New England	4	2	1	25	50
East North Central	2,166	2,110	2,406	111	114
West North Central	341	254	289	85	114
South Atlantic	518,951	544,947	610,142	118	112
East South Central	16	10	12	75	120
West South Central	6,003	10,835	11,401	190	105
Mountain	861	978	1,030	120	105
Pacific	13,833	4,899	7,359	53	150
Other					
New England	23,750	15,368	7,366	31	48
Middle Atlantic	46,446	53,416	51,389	111	96
East North Central	41,389	38,490	39,589	96	103
West North Central	4,837	3,917	3,995	83	102
South Atlantic	45,107	35,251	36,646	81	104
East South Central	668	661	649	97	98
West South Central	22,833	14,157	14,415	63	102
Mountain	1,195	1,024	1,026	86	100
Pacific	118,492	179,929	193,875	164	108
Total frozen juice concentrate²					
New England	23,754	15,370	7,367	31	48
Middle Atlantic	46,446	53,416	51,389	111	96
East North Central	43,555	40,600	41,995	96	103
West North Central	5,178	4,171	4,284	83	103
South Atlantic	564,058	580,198	646,788	115	111
East South Central	684	671	661	97	99
West South Central	28,836	24,992	25,816	90	103
Mountain	2,056	2,002	2,056	100	103
Pacific	132,325	184,828	201,234	152	109

- Represents zero.

(X) Not applicable.

¹ Middle Atlantic combined with South Atlantic.

² Middle Atlantic orange juice combined with South Atlantic.

Frozen Vegetables in Cold Storage – Regions: April 30, 2018 with Comparisons

Commodity	Stocks in all warehouses			April 30, 2018 as a percent of	
	April 30, 2017	March 31, 2018	April 30, 2018	April 30, 2017	March 31, 2018
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)
Frozen vegetables ¹					
Asparagus					
Middle Atlantic	487	242	242	50	100
East North Central	4,941	3,899	3,165	64	81
West North Central	240	103	94	39	91
South Atlantic	285	260	227	80	87
West South Central	673	397	415	62	105
Mountain	34	4	4	12	100
Pacific	2,352	2,084	1,886	80	90
Lima beans					
Middle Atlantic	5,502	5,460	4,960	90	91
East North Central	3,575	2,754	2,368	66	86
West North Central	1,421	1,025	126	9	12
South Atlantic	10,579	11,350	10,055	95	89
West South Central	1,101	1,138	940	85	83
Mountain	190	839	674	355	80
Pacific	18,484	19,752	18,675	101	95
Green beans, regular cut					
Middle Atlantic	25,261	24,957	22,512	89	90
East North Central	48,473	36,540	33,221	69	91
West North Central	3,445	5,818	4,626	134	80
South Atlantic	6,274	4,911	4,470	71	91
West South Central	2,820	2,914	3,720	132	128
Mountain	778	597	553	71	93
Pacific	57,941	56,697	40,491	70	71
Green beans, french style					
Middle Atlantic	1,785	5,545	5,229	293	94
East North Central	3,909	2,957	2,772	71	94
West North Central	352	430	59	17	14
South Atlantic	243	253	277	114	109
West South Central	33	199	177	536	89
Mountain	5	4	6	120	150
Pacific	5,195	4,014	3,865	74	96
Broccoli, spears					
Middle Atlantic	11,311	7,508	8,279	73	110
East North Central	8,161	7,203	8,145	100	113
West North Central	1,633	1,029	826	51	80
South Atlantic	2,672	2,248	2,337	87	104
West South Central	5,223	7,489	8,573	164	114
Mountain	235	372	763	325	205
Pacific	1,835	6,049	5,717	312	95
Broccoli, chopped and cut					
Middle Atlantic	4,839	3,304	4,031	83	122
East North Central	9,367	10,081	9,932	106	99
West North Central	3,245	388	286	9	74
South Atlantic	1,987	1,690	1,743	88	103
West South Central	5,834	6,474	7,399	127	114
Mountain	311	224	181	58	81
Pacific	13,703	11,016	12,941	94	117

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Frozen Vegetables in Cold Storage – Regions: April 30, 2018 with Comparisons (continued)

Commodity	Stocks in all warehouses			April 30, 2018 as a percent of	
	April 30, 2017	March 31, 2018	April 30, 2018	April 30, 2017	March 31, 2018
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)
Brussels sprouts					
Middle Atlantic	2,836	1,326	1,619	57	122
East North Central	2,373	1,265	1,259	53	100
West North Central	402	660	680	169	103
South Atlantic	5,274	4,490	4,408	84	98
West South Central	1,045	1,105	1,049	100	95
Mountain	866	4,267	4,248	491	100
Pacific	6,792	7,787	7,473	110	96
Carrots, diced					
Middle Atlantic	11,223	16,135	14,786	132	92
East North Central	35,275	36,844	34,413	98	93
West North Central	6,354	5,870	5,641	89	96
South Atlantic	192	643	712	371	111
West South Central	1,009	2,641	2,357	234	89
Mountain	2	53	41	2,050	77
Pacific	60,729	52,670	49,983	82	95
Carrots, other					
Middle Atlantic	13,830	13,031	11,253	81	86
East North Central	31,644	26,422	24,247	77	92
West North Central	2,304	5,233	6,191	269	118
South Atlantic	1,536	1,049	1,014	66	97
West South Central	4,353	4,690	5,460	125	116
Mountain	35	113	91	260	81
Pacific	89,498	75,376	71,001	79	94
Cauliflower					
Middle Atlantic	4,310	4,220	4,196	97	99
East North Central	5,663	5,120	4,874	86	95
West North Central	1,099	477	419	38	88
South Atlantic	105	395	421	401	107
West South Central	5,130	5,828	4,013	78	69
Mountain	98	544	541	552	99
Pacific	11,274	18,622	18,456	164	99
Corn, cut					
Middle Atlantic	25,440	39,819	35,601	140	89
East North Central	41,038	34,848	32,200	78	92
West North Central	27,419	47,143	36,090	132	77
South Atlantic	10,745	14,045	12,394	115	88
West South Central	3,970	3,513	3,981	100	113
Mountain	1,247	497	343	28	69
Pacific	206,749	216,358	192,009	93	89
Corn, cob					
Middle Atlantic	3,544	2,471	2,389	67	97
East North Central	13,490	17,920	14,425	107	80
West North Central	28,184	53,330	38,964	138	73
South Atlantic	2,145	2,241	1,988	93	89
West South Central	2,805	2,109	2,436	87	116
Mountain	527	958	600	114	63
Pacific	77,337	97,448	82,341	106	84

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Frozen Vegetables in Cold Storage – Regions: April 30, 2018 with Comparisons (continued)

Commodity	Stocks in all warehouses			April 30, 2018 as a percent of	
	April 30, 2017	March 31, 2018	April 30, 2018	April 30, 2017	March 31, 2018
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)
Mixed vegetables					
Middle Atlantic	5,092	5,126	5,394	106	105
East North Central	22,891	16,327	15,483	68	95
West North Central	752	735	576	77	78
South Atlantic	1,305	1,524	1,322	101	87
West South Central	15,982	8,296	9,274	58	112
Mountain	2,628	2,188	2,188	83	100
Pacific	24,571	20,014	18,623	76	93
Okra					
Middle Atlantic	2,236	1,625	1,684	75	104
East North Central	286	266	265	93	100
West North Central	204	10	131	64	1,310
South Atlantic	2,260	3,735	3,426	152	92
West South Central	6,365	6,039	5,331	84	88
Mountain	1	1	1	100	100
Pacific	1,230	2,990	2,606	212	87
Onion rings					
Middle Atlantic	294	417	505	172	121
East North Central	5,803	6,664	6,686	115	100
West North Central	480	605	657	137	109
South Atlantic	2,371	2,310	2,452	103	106
West South Central	1,821	1,866	1,995	110	107
Mountain	2,124	4,369	5,419	255	124
Pacific	475	959	982	207	102
Onions, other					
Middle Atlantic	4,509	4,418	3,736	83	85
East North Central	2,784	3,046	3,036	109	100
West North Central	1,157	1,064	898	78	84
South Atlantic	880	432	450	51	104
West South Central	2,670	2,046	2,672	100	131
Mountain	14,851	15,349	16,094	108	105
Pacific	32,551	36,244	39,317	121	108
Blackeye peas					
Middle Atlantic	572	385	392	69	102
East North Central	23	28	24	104	86
West North Central	-	1	-	(X)	(X)
South Atlantic	424	438	184	43	42
West South Central	237	190	219	92	115
Mountain	-	-	-	(X)	(X)
Pacific	221	470	538	243	114
Green peas					
Middle Atlantic	12,364	14,666	12,172	98	83
East North Central	37,962	33,393	30,176	79	90
West North Central	27,660	24,231	24,979	90	103
South Atlantic	12,384	12,110	11,481	93	95
West South Central	2,156	1,832	2,013	93	110
Mountain	241	271	204	85	75
Pacific	112,727	112,463	109,058	97	97

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Frozen Vegetables in Cold Storage – Regions: April 30, 2018 with Comparisons (continued)

Commodity	Stocks in all warehouses			April 30, 2018 as a percent of	
	April 30, 2017	March 31, 2018	April 30, 2018	April 30, 2017	March 31, 2018
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)
Peas and carrots mixed					
Middle Atlantic	755	813	937	124	115
East North Central	2,216	968	1,002	45	104
West North Central	115	109	140	122	128
South Atlantic	573	592	619	108	105
West South Central	269	226	392	146	173
Mountain	-	-	-	(X)	(X)
Pacific	4,901	4,702	4,993	102	106
Spinach					
Middle Atlantic	15,757	12,668	13,342	85	105
East North Central	4,427	3,071	3,167	72	103
West North Central	695	994	1,308	188	132
South Atlantic	9,114	7,743	7,874	86	102
West South Central	19,134	12,133	11,859	62	98
Mountain	217	1,786	1,829	843	102
Pacific	14,949	12,487	12,468	83	100
Squash, summer/zucchini					
Middle Atlantic	5,558	5,420	4,291	77	79
East North Central	10,297	15,448	14,008	136	91
West North Central	389	549	495	127	90
South Atlantic	3,913	2,197	2,156	55	98
West South Central	7,442	3,507	3,603	48	103
Mountain	67	39	63	94	162
Pacific	23,567	27,163	26,041	110	96
Southern greens					
Middle Atlantic	3,253	3,787	3,573	110	94
East North Central	94	223	188	200	84
West North Central	8	5	5	63	100
South Atlantic	3,206	2,634	2,648	83	101
West South Central	13,134	3,851	3,346	25	87
Mountain	15	6	4	27	67
Pacific	983	762	912	93	120
Other					
Middle Atlantic	65,276	71,117	73,287	112	103
East North Central	75,501	76,735	70,733	94	92
West North Central	17,451	20,596	18,234	104	89
South Atlantic	14,559	12,750	12,145	83	95
West South Central	34,484	22,364	21,859	63	98
Mountain	35,885	30,802	29,288	82	95
Pacific	173,821	228,647	181,125	104	79
Total frozen vegetables					
Middle Atlantic	226,034	244,460	234,410	104	96
East North Central	370,193	342,022	315,789	85	92
West North Central	125,009	170,405	141,425	113	83
South Atlantic	93,026	90,040	84,803	91	94
West South Central	137,690	100,847	103,083	75	102
Mountain	60,357	63,283	63,135	105	100
Pacific	941,885	1,014,774	901,501	96	89

- Represents zero.

(X) Not applicable.

¹ New England combined with Middle Atlantic. East South Central combined with South Atlantic.

Frozen Potatoes in Cold Storage – Regions: April 30, 2018 with Comparisons

Commodity	Stocks in all warehouses			April 30, 2018 as a percent of	
	April 30, 2017	March 31, 2018	April 30, 2018	April 30, 2017	March 31, 2018
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)
Frozen potatoes					
French fries					
New England	16,472	19,208	18,465	112	96
Middle Atlantic	31,935	35,599	36,739	115	103
East North Central	85,595	81,272	79,599	93	98
West North Central	96,061	96,942	94,621	99	98
South Atlantic	43,339	55,334	55,480	128	100
East South Central	422	2,300	1,683	399	73
West South Central	34,156	36,592	39,177	115	107
Mountain	182,209	156,622	158,892	87	101
Pacific	459,261	481,001	452,069	98	94
Other					
New England	15,846	15,678	14,865	94	95
Middle Atlantic	7,277	8,767	10,238	141	117
East North Central	41,726	50,191	48,077	115	96
West North Central	16,900	22,038	20,887	124	95
South Atlantic	13,830	12,776	13,353	97	105
East South Central	246	405	238	97	59
West South Central	20,741	18,414	17,377	84	94
Mountain	76,501	72,008	69,605	91	97
Pacific	77,190	60,633	60,921	79	100
Total frozen potatoes					
New England	32,318	34,886	33,330	103	96
Middle Atlantic	39,212	44,366	46,977	120	106
East North Central	127,321	131,463	127,676	100	97
West North Central	112,961	118,980	115,508	102	97
South Atlantic	57,169	68,110	68,833	120	101
East South Central	668	2,705	1,921	288	71
West South Central	54,897	55,006	56,554	103	103
Mountain	258,710	228,630	228,497	88	100
Pacific	536,451	541,634	512,990	96	95

Frozen Red Meat in Cold Storage – Regions: April 30, 2018 with Comparisons

Commodity	Stocks in all warehouses			April 30, 2018 as a percent of	
	April 30, 2017	March 31, 2018	April 30, 2018	April 30, 2017	March 31, 2018
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)
Frozen red meat					
Beef					
Boneless					
New England	428	599	209	49	35
Middle Atlantic	140,492	123,412	142,025	101	115
East North Central	47,673	51,745	50,684	106	98
West North Central	89,207	109,373	103,102	116	94
South Atlantic	14,865	15,244	14,326	96	94
East South Central	1,190	1,054	1,006	85	95
West South Central	32,406	37,021	37,849	117	102
Mountain	17,012	13,984	14,255	84	102
Pacific	72,319	73,818	71,326	99	97
Beef cuts					
New England	78	147	226	290	154
Middle Atlantic	2,289	1,203	1,479	65	123
East North Central	5,968	6,197	5,431	91	88
West North Central	9,736	10,511	9,988	103	95
South Atlantic	1,697	2,209	2,553	150	116
East South Central	448	1,204	1,130	252	94
West South Central	1,840	1,654	1,812	98	110
Mountain	2,422	2,631	2,558	106	97
Pacific	18,348	11,965	11,586	63	97
Total beef					
New England	506	746	435	86	58
Middle Atlantic	142,781	124,615	143,504	101	115
East North Central	53,641	57,942	56,115	105	97
West North Central	98,943	119,884	113,090	114	94
South Atlantic	16,562	17,453	16,879	102	97
East South Central	1,638	2,258	2,136	130	95
West South Central	34,246	38,675	39,661	116	103
Mountain	19,434	16,615	16,813	87	101
Pacific	90,667	85,783	82,912	91	97
Other meat ¹					
Veal					
Middle Atlantic	14,272	18,980	18,332	128	97
East North Central	834	1,057	1,025	123	97
West South Central	3	104	102	3,400	98
Pacific	274	639	566	207	89
Lamb and mutton					
Middle Atlantic	13,404	10,467	14,154	106	135
East North Central	2,674	2,976	3,417	128	115
West South Central	898	1,770	2,342	261	132
Pacific	11,627	13,402	14,079	121	105
Total other meat					
Middle Atlantic	27,676	29,447	32,486	117	110
East North Central	3,508	4,033	4,442	127	110
West South Central	901	1,874	2,444	271	130
Pacific	11,901	14,041	14,645	123	104

¹ New England and South Atlantic combined with Middle Atlantic. East South Central combined with East North Central. West North Central combined with West South Central. Mountain combined with Pacific.

Record Highs and Lows of Nuts, Dairy Products, Frozen Eggs, and Frozen Poultry in Cold Storage – United States: April 2018

Commodity	Record high	Year	Record low	Year	Date records begin
	(1,000 pounds)		(1,000 pounds)		
Nuts					
Shelled					
Pecans	57,271	2015	11,269	1971	January 1970
In-Shell					
Pecans	233,970	2000	13,540	1977	January 1970
Dairy products					
Butter	678,673	1992	1,082	1916	December 1915
Natural cheese					
American	1,081,463	1984	6,027	1919	December 1915
Swiss	32,615	2006	328	1918	August 1917
Other	536,121	2018	1,873	1918	August 1917
Total natural cheese	1,346,773	2018	14,838	1919	August 1917
Frozen eggs					
Whites	51,776	1950	636	1991	April 1940
Yolks	34,604	1950	493	2001	April 1940
Whole and mixed	119,580	1948	4,572	2002	April 1940
Unclassified	50,147	1944	829	1966	April 1940
Total frozen eggs	218,032	1944	3,133	1916	April 1916
Frozen Poultry					
Chicken					
Broilers, fryers, and roasters	56,650	1946	1,587	1916	April 1916
Hens, mature chickens	59,066	1975	1,615	1916	April 1916
Breasts and breast meat	187,316	2016	91,045	2004	May 2003
Drumsticks	32,571	2015	10,680	2005	May 2003
Leg quarters	180,833	2015	47,980	2007	May 2003
Legs	24,220	2017	6,428	2007	May 2003
Thigh and thigh quarters	15,142	2016	7,792	2013	May 2003
Thigh meat	24,561	2018	11,901	2005	May 2003
Wings	83,811	2013	26,500	2004	May 2003
Paws and feet	33,752	2011	11,303	2005	May 2003
Other	811,977	2000	213,276	2014	January 1991
Total chicken	866,241	2018	20,742	1943	December 1939
Turkey					
Whole turkeys					
Toms	159,329	2003	1,954	2001	March 2001
Hens	131,789	2009	622	2001	April 2001
Total whole turkeys	283,747	2009	2,576	2001	March 2001
Breasts	105,780	2017	51,436	2014	January 2009
Legs	19,728	2012	7,471	2014	January 2009
Mechanically deboned meat	13,470	2013	5,079	2014	January 2009
Other	263,861	1998	17,675	2002	January 1967
Unclassified	143,605	2009	74,466	2011	January 2009
Total turkey	579,664	1998	169	1916	April 1916
Ducks	10,412	2016	316	1945	June 1932
Total frozen poultry	1,374,055	2002	17,847	1916	April 1916

Record Highs and Lows of Frozen Fruit and Frozen Juice Concentrate in Cold Storage – United States: April 2018

Commodity	Record high	Year	Record low	Year	Date records begin
	(1,000 pounds)		(1,000 pounds)		
Frozen fruit					
Apples	111,596	1995	13,611	1949	June 1944
Apricots	23,194	1946	1,290	1951	June 1945
Blackberries					
Individual quick frozen	16,639	2007	4,308	1995	June 1992
Pails and tubs	4,425	1993	612	2009	June 1992
Barrels, 400 lbs net	7,245	2014	682	1995	June 1992
Concentrate	2,017	1995	50	2009	June 1992
Total blackberries	23,147	2017	1,414	1939	June 1938
Blueberries	184,367	2017	3,769	1940	June 1938
Boysenberries	11,282	1959	430	2018	January 1959
Cherries, tart (ripe tart pitted)	113,941	2010	19,397	1977	January 1967
Cherries, tart (juice stock)	5,808	1993	247	2010	January 1990
Cherries, sweet	18,445	2013	4,985	2004	January 1978
Grapes	19,026	1951	1,277	2010	June 1944
Peaches	70,562	1991	10,420	1951	June 1944
Raspberries, black	7,824	1959	140	2011	January 1959
Raspberries, red					
Individual quick frozen	27,933	2018	4,199	1993	June 1992
Pails and tubs	11,994	1996	2,000	2008	June 1992
Barrels, 400 lbs net	21,046	2018	2,986	2008	June 1992
Concentrate	4,798	1995	683	2003	June 1992
Total red raspberries	57,075	2018	5,275	1977	January 1959
Strawberries					
Individual quick frozen and poly	132,720	2013	68,767	2011	January 2002
Pails and tubs	88,998	2013	32,216	2002	January 2002
Barrels and drums	100,253	2013	11,272	2002	January 2002
Juice stock	34,246	2010	5,635	2002	January 2002
Total strawberries	334,359	2013	11,077	1950	June 1938
Other	636,114	2001	20,939	1953	June 1938
Total frozen fruit	1,360,506	2017	7,933	1924	June 1923
Frozen juice concentrate					
Orange	2,486,974	1998	62,823	1950	September 1949
Other	682,264	1995	12,171	1945	June 1944
Total frozen juice concentrate	2,967,706	1998	12,171	1945	June 1944

**Record Highs and Lows of Frozen Vegetables and Frozen Potatoes in Cold Storage – United States:
April 2018**

Commodity	Record high	Year	Record low	Year	Date records begin
	(1,000 pounds)		(1,000 pounds)		
Frozen Vegetables					
Asparagus	19,350	1973	2,604	2008	June 1938
Lima beans	102,629	1963	17,486	1989	January 1960
Green beans, regular cut	164,526	2013	23,524	1960	January 1960
Green beans, french style	43,444	1991	8,250	2015	January 1960
Broccoli, spears	59,042	2002	24,984	2007	January 1972
Broccoli, chopped and cut	147,587	1993	24,584	1973	January 1972
Brussels sprouts	35,439	1981	1,936	1945	June 1944
Carrots, diced	130,094	2013	38,575	1977	January 1976
Carrots, other	168,662	1996	20,258	1977	January 1976
Cauliflower	72,928	1991	2,096	1945	June 1944
Corn, cut	401,942	2010	62,492	1981	January 1970
Corn, cob	246,125	1992	19,378	1971	January 1970
Mixed vegetables	73,221	2017	12,281	1956	January 1956
Okra	48,919	1995	4,803	1994	January 1972
Onion rings	18,696	2018	3,459	2009	January 1973
Onions, other	66,203	2018	4,436	1973	January 1973
Blackeye peas	16,139	1991	1,357	2018	January 1972
Green peas	205,494	2017	2,170	1937	December 1936
Peas and carrots mixed	16,336	1969	4,113	2008	January 1956
Spinach	154,049	1999	329	1937	December 1936
Squash, summer/zucchini	60,918	1998	16,501	1979	January 1979
Southern greens	45,906	1995	10,676	2018	January 1972
Other	416,977	2017	801	1937	December 1936
Total frozen vegetables	1,954,194	2017	646,899	1965	January 1962
Frozen potatoes					
French fries	1,032,416	2001	39,557	1956	January 1956
Other	284,469	2004	89,976	1971	January 1971
Total frozen potatoes	1,280,403	2001	719,575	1971	January 1971

**Record Highs and Lows of Frozen Red Meat and Commodities in Cold Storage – United States:
April 2018**

Commodity	Record high	Year	Record low	Year	Date records begin
	(1,000 pounds)		(1,000 pounds)		
Frozen red meat					
Beef					
Boneless	460,043	2013	232,186	1972	January 1972
Beef cuts	74,603	1974	18,306	1988	January 1972
Total beef	517,852	2012	19,606	1933	December 1915
Pork					
Picnics, bone-in	21,152	2013	2,376	1990	January 1957
Hams					
Bone-in	74,730	2008	24,050	2018	January 1995
Boneless	88,225	2018	15,957	1995	January 1995
Total hams	136,222	2015	11,287	1987	January 1957
Bellies	156,572	1964	33,536	2017	January 1957
Loins					
Bone-in	23,134	2005	7,523	1996	January 1993
Boneless	30,720	2012	5,799	1993	January 1993
Total loins	46,692	2008	8,419	1990	December 1960
Ribs	145,049	2018	10,367	1961	December 1960
Butts	32,074	2012	3,346	1993	December 1960
Trimnings	108,519	1998	19,139	1961	December 1960
Other	142,051	1974	46,649	1961	January 1957
Variety meats	72,146	2000	12,046	1993	January 1993
Unclassified	81,290	2009	5,643	1993	January 1993
Total pork	701,083	2015	74,728	1917	December 1915
Other red meat					
Veal	20,025	2018	2,570	2006	June 1944
Lamb and mutton	39,787	2016	1,061	1932	December 1915
Total other red meat	54,017	2018	9,094	2004	June 1944
Total frozen red meat	1,332,443	1919	444,285	1958	December 1916

Cold Storage Regional Listing

New England:	Connecticut, Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, Rhode Island, Vermont.
Middle Atlantic:	New Jersey, New York, Pennsylvania.
South Atlantic:	Delaware, Florida, Georgia, Maryland, North Carolina, South Carolina, Virginia, West Virginia.
East North Central:	Illinois, Indiana, Michigan, Ohio, Wisconsin.
East South Central:	Alabama, Kentucky, Mississippi, Tennessee.
West North Central:	Iowa, Kansas, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, North Dakota, South Dakota.
West South Central:	Arkansas, Louisiana, Oklahoma, Texas.
Mountain:	Arizona, Colorado, Idaho, Montana, Nevada, New Mexico, Utah, Wyoming.
Pacific:	Alaska, California, Oregon, Washington.

Definitions

Beef, boneless: Includes all boxed boneless beef, such as ground beef, roasts, steaks, loins, strips, rounds, trimmings, etc. Excludes variety meats (edible offal), such as tongues, livers, hearts, kidneys, and other organs removed from slaughtered beef.

Beef cuts: Includes all boxed primal beef cuts, bone-in.

Orange juice concentrate: Adjusted to 42.0 degrees Brix equivalent (9.896 pounds per gallon).

Pork, boneless hams: Includes full ham, bone removed and individual muscles separated.

Pork, boneless loins: Includes pork tenderloins.

Pork, ribs: Includes spareribs and backribs.

Pork, trimmings: Includes 42% regular trimmings, 72% special trimmings, boneless picnic meat, jowls, neckbone trimmings, blade, cheek, head, and shank meat, etc. Packaged bacon, sausage, and processed items, such as hot dogs and luncheon meats, are not included.

Pork, other: Includes ears, tails, feet, neckbones and snouts.

Pork, variety meats: Includes tongues, kidneys, livers, stomachs, hearts, chitterlings, salivary glands, and other organs removed from slaughtered hogs.

Pork, unclassified: Includes product unable to be classified elsewhere in this report.

Public refrigerated storages: Refrigerated facilities maintained for storing food for others at specified rates per unit.

Private and semiprivate refrigerated storages: Refrigerated facilities maintained by an operator to facilitate his principal function as a producer, processor, or manufacturer of food products. The space is used to store the owner's products, although some space may be used by others at specified rates per unit stored. Working space, chill rooms, and curing rooms in meat storages are not included in the storage statistics.

Publication Notes

Published February 22, 2018: The 2017 revisions of Pecan Shell, American Cheese, Egg Yolks, Sweet Cherries, Broccoli Spears, Broccoli Chopped and Cut, Brussels Sprouts, Cauliflower, Peas and Carrots Mixed, Mixed Vegetables, French Fries, Pork Butts, Pork Hams Bone-in, and Pork Trimmings are the result of updated facility information. Please refer to the *Cold Storage 2017 Summary*, published February 22, 2018, for all 2017 cold storage commodity estimates. All updated data is also available on our Quick Stats website.

Published February 23, 2017: The 2016 revisions of Pecan In-Shell, Butter, Green Beans, Other Carrots, Diced Carrots, Cut Corn and Cob Corn are the result of updated facility information. There was also an increase in reported data for Blackberries, Other Frozen Fruit, Other Vegetables, and Boneless Beef due to increased coverage and participation of facilities in the survey. Please refer to the *Cold Storage 2016 Summary*, published February 23, 2017, for all 2016 cold storage commodity estimates. All updated data is also available on our Quick Stats website.

Published February 20, 2015: The 2014 revisions of Butter, Other Carrots, and Diced Carrots are the result of updated facility information. There was also an increase in reported data for Chicken, Beef and Pork Products due to increased coverage and participation of facilities in the survey. Please refer to the *Cold Storage 2014 Summary*, published February 20, 2015, for all 2014 cold storage commodity estimates. All updated data is also available on our Quick Stats website.

Published February 21, 2014: The 2013 revisions of chicken leg quarters are the result of updated facility information. Please refer to the *Cold Storage 2013 Summary*, published February 21, 2014, for all 2013 cold storage commodity estimates. All updated data is also available on our Quick Stats website.

Published February 22, 2013: The 2012 revisions of American and other natural cheese are the result of increased coverage of cold storage facilities. Please refer to the *Cold Storage 2012 Summary*, published February 22, 2013, for all 2012 cold storage commodity estimates. All updated data is also available on our Quick Stats website.

Published December 22, 2012: Beginning with the February 22, 2013 release, estimates for shelled and in-shell peanuts are scheduled to be discontinued.

Published March 22, 2011: Beginning with the January 31, 2011 data, an increase in survey response and a change in classification of reported data resulted in an increase of breasts & breast meat, drumsticks, legs, and wings along with a corresponding decrease in other chicken. Updated historic reported data prior to 2011 was unavailable. Year to year relationships was impacted by this change.

Published February 22, 2011: The 2010 revisions of American and other natural cheese was the result of increased coverage of cold storage facilities. Please refer to the *Cold Storage 2010 Summary*, published February 22, 2011, for all 2010 cold storage commodity estimates. Beginning with the January 31, 2010 data, cherries, tart (juice) was published under two categories: cherries, tart (juice stock) and cherries, tart (juice concentrate). The 2010 monthly data for these categories was published in the *Cold Storage 2010 Summary*, released on February 22, 2010. All updated data is also available on our Quick Stats website.

Published June 22, 2010: A change in classification of reported data beginning with May 31, 2010 in the Other Chicken category resulted in an increase of Leg Quarters, Legs, and Paws and Feet along with a corresponding decrease in Other Chicken. There was also an increase in reported data for Drumsticks, Leg Quarters, Paws and Feet, and Other Chicken due to increased coverage and participation of facilities in the survey. Updated historic data prior to May 31, 2010 for these facilities were unavailable. All updated data is also available on our Quick Stats website.

Published February 22, 2010: A change in classification of reported data beginning with January 31, 2009 in the Other Chicken category resulted in an increase of Leg Quarters along with a corresponding decrease in Other Chicken. The updated 2009 data for these categories was published in the 2009 Annual Summary, released on February 22, 2010. The Total Chicken category was unaffected by this change in reporting. All updated data is also available on our Quick Stats website.

Published December 22, 2009: The increase in Orange Juice Concentrate from October to November 2009 reflected previously unreported stocks included in the November estimate. Revisions for October and previous months were not available at this time. All updated data is also available on our Quick Stats website.

Published November 20, 2009: Due to updated facility information, the January 2009 - September 2009 cheese data was revised. Please note the revision tables on pages 13 and 14. Updated data for 2008 was not available. All updated data is also available on our Quick Stats website.

Published October 22, 2009: Beginning with the February 22, 2010 *Cold Storage report*, Other Turkey was separated into the following five categories: breast meat, legs, mechanically deboned meat, other, and unclassified. The 2009 data for these categories was published in the 2009 Annual Summary, released on February 22, 2010. Data for the five categories prior to 2009 was not available. All updated data is also available on our Quick Stats website.

Published June 22, 2009: Beginning with April 30, 2009 revised estimates, an increase in strawberry inventory was the result of increased coverage of cold storage facilities as well as updated plant information. The April 2009 revisions of frozen strawberries covered the following categories: Total, IQF and Poly, Pails and Tubs, Barrels and Drums, and Juice Stock. Updated historic reported strawberry data prior to April 2009 was unavailable. Year to year relationships for strawberry and the total fruit categories were impacted by this change.

Statistical Methodology

Survey Procedures: Questionnaires are mailed about the 24th of each month to all operators on the list of approximately 800 public and private cold storage warehouses. In addition, data are obtained from special surveys and other sources. All survey data represent stocks as of the end of the month.

Data are collected from warehouses artificially cooled to a temperature of 50 degrees Fahrenheit or lower, and whose food products are normally stored for 30 days or more. All food items in these facilities are reported regardless of the number of days stored at the time of the report. Also included are specialized storage facilities meeting the 30 day requirement, such as fruit houses, dairy manufacturing plants, frozen fruit, fruit juice, vegetable processors, and poultry and meat packing plants. Excluded are stocks in space maintained by wholesalers, jobbers, distributors, chain stores, locker plants containing individual lockers, meat packer branch houses, and frozen food processors whose entire inventories are turned over more than once a month.

All commodities reported on the cold storage report are regardless of ownership or origin. NASS does not differentiate between commodities owned by manufacturer, producer, wholesaler, retailer, government owned, or domestically produced vs. imported.

Estimating Procedures: Data for reporting firms are added to estimates for non-reporting firms to obtain regional and National totals. Estimates for non-reporting firms are obtained by multiplying the previous month's figure by a percent change from the previous month. The percent change is calculated for each item from totals of the current and previous month summed from firms that reported both months.

Revision Policy: Data are revised the following month based on late reports or corrected data. Final figures are published in the annual summary in February of the following year.

Reliability: Reports are received from approximately 660 firms each month which represent about 80 percent of the total capacity. Firms that are not on the list or firms who have never reported are not represented in the data. Plants storing butter or cheese are required under Federal law as defined in Public Laws 106-532 and 107-171 to complete the monthly *Cold Storage* report. Monthly data can vary due to different firms reporting month to month. Survey data are also subject to non-sampling errors such as omissions and mistakes in reporting and in processing the data. While these errors cannot be measured directly, they are minimized by carefully reviewing all reported data for consistency and reasonableness.

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