

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
Bureau of Markets
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SUMMARY OF STORAGE HOLDINGS ON DAIRY PRODUCTS AND EGGS FOR May 1, 1918.

COMMODITY	TOTAL HOLDINGS 1918		COMPARISON OF HOLDINGS			
	No. of Storages Reporting	POUNDS	No. of Storages Reporting	1917 Pounds	1918 Pounds	Increase or De- crease%
Crmy. Butter	375	10,245,288	341	3,607,119	10,100,054	+180.0
P. S. Butter	125	1,497,271	99	173,298	1,229,746	+ 9.6
Ann. Cheese	471	24,241,545	417	7,927,552	19,839,144	+150.3
Case Eggs	461	2,935,362	424	2,082,915	2,915,085	+ 40.0
Frozen Eggs	193	9,284,243	167	3,328,738	8,847,243	+165.8
TOTAL	1,625	48,203,709	1,448	17,119,622	42,931,272	1,145.7

COMMODITY	Increase or Decrease During 1918			Increase or Decrease During 1917		
	No. of Storages Reporting	Increase or Decrease		No. of Storages Reporting	Increase or Decrease	
		Pounds	Percent		Pounds	Percent
Crmy. Butter	356	-4,245,043	-29.3	252	-3,493,046	-57.8
P.S. Butter	118	+ 304,934	+26.2	87	- 194,523	-53.4
Ann. Cheese	455	-14,031,378	-36.7	309	-1,441,460	-17.1
Case Eggs	421	+ 2,533,712	+738.9	313	+1,653,044	+997.9
Frozen Eggs	182	+ 386,048	+ 4.3	135	+ 552,048	+ 22.3
TOTAL	1,532	21,501,115	835.4	1,096	7,334,121	1,148.5

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OF STORAGE HOLDINGS ON FROZEN AND CURED MEATS MAY 1, 1918.

COMMODITY	TOTAL HOLDINGS MAY 1, 1918		COMPARISON OF HOLDINGS			
	No. of Storages Report'g.	POUNDS	No. of Storages Report'g.	May 1, 1917 Pounds	May 1, 1918 Pounds	Increase Decrease (per cent.)
Frozen Beef	376	22,707,689	326	118,391,253	206,400,834	+ 74.3
Cured Beef	377	30,969,230	333	20,408,560	29,409,829	+ 0.004
Lamb & Mutton	206	3,986,695	171	4,368,770	3,663,231	- 16.1
Frozen Pork	353	133,190,365	310	76,091,597	125,134,796	+ 64.5
Dry Salt Pork	475	470,699,967	431	219,818,561	455,908,772	+ 107.4
S. P. Pork	542	404,573,376	504	377,280,597	394,753,036	+ 4.6
Lard	588	102,842,306	518	61,640,427	97,716,151	+ 58.5

COMMODITY	INCREASE OR DECREASE During April 1918			INCREASE OR DECREASE During April 1917		
	No. of Storages Report'g.	Increase or Decrease		No. of Storages Report'g.	Increase or Decrease	
		POUNDS	PER CENT		POUNDS	PER CENT
Frozen Beef	361	- 58,603,282	- 20.3	297	- 39,092,728	- 25.2
Cured Beef	355	- 4,697,048	- 13.4	311	- 2,653,092	- 8.3
Lamb & Mutton	198	- 2,284,109	- 56.4	153	- 467,245	- 9.7
Frozen Pork	340	+ 2,862,446	+ 2.2	284	+ 7,974,558	+ 12.0
Dry Salt Pork	451	+ 21,715,541	+ 4.9	393	- 22,570,298	- 9.5
S. P. Pork	530	+ 1,480,380	+ 0.4	480	+ 13,530,139	+ 3.8
Lard	542	+ 10,440,296	+ 11.8	474	- 3,623,775	- 5.6

SUMMARY OF STORAGE HOLDINGS ON FROZEN POULTRY MAY 1, 1918.

COMMODITY	TOTAL HOLDINGS MAY 1, 1918		COMPARISON OF HOLDINGS			
	No. of Storages Report'g.	POUNDS	No. of Storages Report'g.	May 1, 1917 Pounds	May 1, 1918 Pounds	Increase Decrease (per cent.)
Broilers	198	3,134,478	146	7,422,161	1,891,023	- 81.3
Roasters	199	6,938,382	154	10,694,691	4,138,328	- 61.3
Fowls	224	4,929,587	173	6,014,990	2,005,775	- 66.7
Turkeys	222	6,479,808	169	6,706,906	3,859,183	- 42.5
Miscellaneous	255	4,992,075	190	11,477,586	12,900,712	- 74.7
Total Poultry	300	26,474,330	240	42,316,334	14,295,021	- 66.2

COMMODITY	INCREASE OR DECREASE During April 1918			INCREASE OR DECREASE During April 1917		
	No. of Storages Report'g.	Increase or Decrease		No. of Storages Report'g.	Increase or Decrease	
		POUNDS	PER CENT		POUNDS	PER CENT
Broilers	184	- 1,531,021	- 32.9	113	- 132,446	- 3.7
Roasters	182	- 4,553,153	- 39.7	114	- 428,583	- 7.1
Fowls	205	- 4,196,544	- 46.2	131	- 489,593	- 10.4
Turkeys	210	- 2,125,796	- 24.7	124	+ 70,490	+ 2.5
Miscellaneous	238	- 3,718,846	- 42.8	147	- 719,600	- 13.5
Total Poultry	284	- 16,125,360	- 37.9	189	- 1,699,732	- 7.6