

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
Bureau of Markets,
Washington, D. C.

April 23, 1919.

REPORT OF COLD STORAGE HOLDINGS OF CREAMERY BUTTER, APRIL 15, 1919.

Reports from 304 cold storages show that their rooms contain 9,906,743 pounds of CREAMERY BUTTER while on April 1, 346 storages reported 12,275,579 pounds. Reports of 13 storages are not yet received. On the basis of previous reports their holdings for April 15 are estimated as 19,557 pounds. The 295 storages that reported holdings on April 15 of this year and last show a present stock of 9,869,150 pounds as compared with 12,065,650 pounds last year, a decrease of 2,196,500 pounds or 18.2 per cent. The reports show that from April 1 to 15 the April 1 holdings decreased 19.1 per cent, while our last report showed that during March the March 1 holdings decreased 49.9 per cent. Last year the decrease from April 1 to 15 was 16.2 per cent and during March the decrease was 23.6 per cent. A summary of this report was released by wire on April 23. Upon request any or all of the information contained in the cold storage reports will be telegraphed immediately upon its release. These reports are free, except for the telegrams, which are sent charges collect.

SECTION	Reported for April 15, 1919		COMPARISON OF HOLDINGS (Includes totals for those storages reporting for both years.)			
	Storages	Pounds	Storages	April 15, 1918 pounds	April 15, 1919 pounds	Increase or decrease per cent
New England	28	643,152	28	3,248,299	643,152	- 80.2
Middle Atlantic	71	17,484,798	70	4,944,534	7,452,642	+ 50.7
South Atlantic	26	183,049	26	610,722	183,049	- 70.0
N. Central (E)	46	1,300,738	42	2,463,352	1,295,798	- 47.4
N. Central (W)	48	85,024	47	241,768	85,024	- 64.4
South Central	32	85,941	30	141,837	85,644	- 39.6
Western (N)	24	18,374	23	80,109	18,174	- 77.3
Western (S)	29	105,667	29	335,029	105,667	- 68.5
TOTAL	304	9,906,743	295	12,065,650	9,869,150	- 18.2

	Storages reporting	Pounds	Comparison on percentage basis	Increase or decrease pounds
Comparison of Holdings on April 1, 1919 and April 15, 1919	294	12,240,992	100.0	- 2,341,900
Comparison of Holdings on April 1, 1918 and April 15, 1918	288	14,354,162	100.0	- 2,332,389
Comparison of Holdings on March 1, 1919 and April 1, 1919	326	24,428,239	100.0	- 12,194,609
Comparison of Holdings on March 1, 1918 and April 1, 1918	360	19,075,492	100.0	- 4,493,878
	360	14,581,614	76.4	

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SUMMARY OF COLD STORAGE HOLDINGS OF BUTTER AND EGGS ON APRIL 15, 1919

The monthly reports of the Bureau of Markets, Department of Agriculture show cold storage holdings of creamery butter and case eggs on April 15th, 1919 as follows: -

The 304 storages that reported creamery butter showed total stocks of 9,906,743 pounds. The 295 storages reporting for April 15th, this year and last, show present holdings of 9,869,150 pounds as compared with 12,065,650 pounds last year, a decrease of 18.2 per cent.

The 395 storages that reported case eggs showed total stocks of 1,455,893 cases. The 390 storages reporting for April 15th, this year and last show present holdings of 1,451,021 cases compared with 1,434,453 last year, an increase of 1.2 per cent.

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REPORT OF COLD STORAGE HOLDINGS OF EGGS, APRIL 15, 1919.

Reports from 395 cold storages show that their rooms contain 1,455,893 cases of EGGS while on April 1, 441 storages reported 317,409 cases. Reports of 10 storages are not yet received. On the basis of previous reports their holdings for April 15 are estimated as 110,610 cases. The 390 storages that reported holdings on April 15 of this year and last show a present stock of 1,451,021 cases as compared with 1,434,453 cases last year, an increase of 16,568 cases or 1.2 per cent. The reports show that from April 1 to 15 the April holdings increased 390.4 per cent while our last report showed that during March the March 1 holdings increased 1055.2 per cent. Last year the increase from April 1 to 15 was 321.5 per cent, and during March the increase was 1612.4 per cent. A summary of this report was released by wire on April 23. Upon request any or all of the information contained in the cold storage reports will be telegraphed immediately upon its release. These reports are free, except for the telegrams, which are sent charges collect.

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	Storages	Cases	Storages	April 15, 1918 cases	April 15, 1919 cases	Increase or decrease per cent
New England	30	122,314	30	129,854	122,314	- 5.7
Middle Atlantic	76	453,910	76	421,087	453,910	+ 7.8
South Atlantic	26	14,452	26	4,297	14,452	+ 236.3
N. Central (E)	62	450,361	61	407,027	450,361	+ 10.6
N. Central (W)	74	206,381	74	244,455	206,381	- 15.6
South Central	47	59,282	44	41,739	54,435	+ 30.4
Western (W)	42	33,294	41	45,111	33,269	- 26.3
Western (S)	38	115,899	38	141,083	115,899	- 17.9
TOTAL	395	1,455,893	390	1,434,453	1,451,021	+ 1.2

	Storages	Cases	Comparison on percentage basis	Increase or decrease cases
Comparison of Holdings on April 1, 1919 and April 15, 1919	376	293,755	100.0	
	376	1,440,534	490.4	+ 1,146,829
Comparison of Holdings on April 1, 1918 and April 15, 1918	418	341,629	100.0	
	418	1,440,113	421.5	+ 1,098,484
Comparison of Holdings on March 1, 1919 and April 1, 1919	397	25,841	100.0	
	397	298,521	1155.2	+ 272,680
Comparison of Holdings on March 1, 1918 and April 1, 1918	413	19,945	100.0	
	413	341,534	1712.4	+ 321,589

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