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SUMMARY OF STORAGE HOLDINGS OF FROZEN AND CURED MEATS ON OCTOBER 1st, 1920.

COMMODITY	TOTAL HOLDINGS			
	October 1, 1920	October 1, 1919	September 1, 1920	Sept. 1, 1919
Frozen Beef	58,284,000	166,244,000	67,010,000	162,069,000
Frozen Pork	87,492,000	61,417,000	129,197,000	90,510,000
Lamb & Mutton	25,311,000	8,318,000	11,021,000	7,817,000
Cured Beef	19,632,000	37,328,000	22,711,000	35,526,000
Dry Salt Pork	233,801,000	332,785,000	316,433,000	338,270,000
Pickled Pork	303,535,000	297,712,000	361,381,000	341,724,000
Lard	110,256,000	76,456,000	170,774,000	87,947,000
Miscellaneous Mt.	63,782,000	80,454,000	69,471,000	85,358,000

The cured meat figures include meats in process of cure as well as meats fully cured. The total holdings for October 1, 1920 include under cured beef, 9,330,000 pounds in process of cure, and 10,302,000 pounds fully cured; under dry salt pork, 44,480,000 pounds in process of cure, and 189,321,000 pounds fully cured; under pickled pork, 151,306,000 pounds in process of cure, and 152,229,000 pounds fully cured.

COMPARISON OF HOLDINGS WITH THOSE OF PREVIOUS MONTHS.

COMMODITY	Increases or decreases over previous months.					
	October 1, 1920 with October 1, 1919		During September 1920		During September 1919	
	Pounds	%	Pounds	%	Pounds	%
Frozen Beef	-107,960,000	-64.9	-8,726,000	-13.0	+4,175,000	+2.6
Frozen Pork	+26,075,000	+42.5	-41,705,000	-32.3	-29,093,000	-32.1
Lamb & Mutton	+16,993,000	+204.3	+14,290,000	+129.7	+501,000	+6.4
Cured Beef	-17,696,000	-47.4	-3,079,000	-13.6	+1,802,000	+5.1
Dry Salt Pork	-98,985,000	-29.7	-82,632,000	-26.1	-5,484,000	-1.6
Pickled Pork	+5,823,000	+2.0	-57,846,000	-16.0	-44,012,000	-12.9
Lard	+33,800,000	+44.2	-60,518,000	-35.4	-11,491,000	-13.1
Miscellaneous	-16,672,000	-20.7	-5,689,000	-8.2	-4,904,000	-5.7

N O T E: - The stocks include holdings in both cold storage warehouses and packing plants.

SUMMARY OF COLD STORAGE HOLDINGS OF FROZEN POULTRY ON OCTOBER 1, 1920.

COMMODITY	TOTAL HOLDINGS			
	October 1st, 1920	October 1, 1919	September 1, 1920	September 1, 1919
Broilers	7,154,000	5,994,000	4,135,000	6,081,000
Roasters	1,934,000	4,069,000	1,724,000	5,046,000
Fowls	3,759,000	4,364,000	5,002,000	4,897,000
Turkeys	872,000	1,849,000	1,183,000	3,200,000
Miscellaneous	9,221,000	14,215,000	9,287,000	13,693,000
Total Poultry	22,939,000	30,492,000	21,331,000	32,918,000

COMPARISON OF HOLDINGS WITH THOSE OF PREVIOUS MONTHS.

COMMODITY	Increases or decreases over previous months					
	October 1, 1920 with October 1, 1919		During September 1920		During September 1919	
	Pounds	%	Pounds	%	Pounds	%
Broilers	+1,160,000	+19.4	+3,019,000	+73.0	-87,000	-1.4
Roasters	+2,135,000	+52.5	+210,000	+12.2	-97,000	-19.4
Fowls	-605,000	-13.9	-1,243	-24.9	-533,000	-10.9
Turkeys	-977,000	-52.9	-311,000	-26.4	+1,351,000	+42.2
Miscellaneous	-4,994,000	-35.1	+66,000	+0.7	+522,000	+3.8
Total Poultry	-7,553,000	-24.8	+1,608,000	+7.5	-2,426,000	-7.4