

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
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Cold Storage Report Section

Summary of Cold Storage Holdings
April 1, 1934
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Commodity	April 5-yr. average	Apr. 1, 1933	Apr. 1, 1934
Apples, bbls.	408	337	188
Apples, boxes	5,376	4,462	3,764
Apples, baskets	2,022	3,208	2,064
Pears, boxes	299	236	85
Pears, baskets	13	4	23
Frozen and preserved fruits, lbs.	57,018	58,983	46,177
Cream, 40% 40-qt. cans		55	82
Cream, 20% 40-qt. cans		1	1
Butter, creamery lbs.	14,489	9,255	15,352
Cheese, American lbs.	44,719	41,625	49,713
Cheese, Swiss including block lbs.	5,982	3,153	7,615
Cheese, brick and Munster lbs.	587	306	1,118
Cheese, Limburger lbs.	573	305	733
Cheese, all other varieties lbs.	4,477	3,417	2,976
Eggs, shell cases	1,443	1,833	1,207
Eggs, frozen, total lbs.	55,368	45,090	38,694
Eggs, frozen, case equivalent, cases	1,582	1,288	1,106
Eggs, total case equivalent, both shell and frozen, cases	3,025	3,121	2,313
Whites %			24
Yolks %			24
Mixed %			52
Eggs, frozen % classification is of total			75
Broilers, lbs.	10,303	6,892	7,302
Fryers, lbs.	7,445	8,939	7,008
Roasters, lbs.	23,173	22,080	24,905
Fowls, lbs.	9,406	6,868	7,303
Turkeys, lbs.	11,017	12,765	14,354
Ducks, lbs.		1,644	1,135
Miscellaneous poultry, lbs. 1/	15,930	8,097	12,194
Total poultry, lbs. 1 2/	77,274	67,285	74,201
Beef, frozen lbs.	43,847	21,541	36,256
Beef, in process of cure lbs.	9,388	7,237	12,434
Beef, cured lbs.	9,082	5,003	7,215
Pork, frozen, lbs.	233,598	153,032	167,666
Pork, dry salt in process of cure lbs.	60,831	45,245	48,046
Pork, dry salt cured lbs.	68,520	41,794	60,399
Pork, pickled in process of cure lbs.	238,514	220,598	215,082
Pork, pickled cured lbs.	182,750	149,571	166,273
Lamb and mutton, frozen lbs.	2,877	1,818	2,023
Miscellaneous meats, lbs.	73,887	41,858	55,692
Total meats, lbs.	923,294	687,697	771,086
Lard, lbs.	106,011	61,674	173,414

1/ Figures on miscellaneous poultry no longer comparable in that ducks were included in these figures previous to July 1, 1932.

2/ While the Bureau feels assured of the completeness and accuracy of the total amount of poultry reported, it cannot vouch for the accuracy and classification of the various sizes of chickens. There are a number of concerns whose holdings are exceedingly heavy, who find it impracticable to make segregation on their reports. Consequently, there will be fryers contained in the figures shown for broilers, roasters and possibly miscellaneous poultry.

Note: "Dry Salt Rough Sides" for United States Government account under Emergency Hog Control Program are not included in these figures. Meats held for the account of the Federal Surplus Relief Corporation are included in these figures.

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UNITED STATES COLD STORAGE HOLDINGS

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DAIRY PRODUCTS AND EGGS

	5-YR. AVER:	MAR. 1 1933	MAR. 1 1934	5-YR. AVER:	APR. 1 1933	APR. 1 1934
40% CREAM, 40 QT. CANS	-	82	104	-	55	82
20% CREAM, 40 QT. CANS	-	1	1	-	1	1
BUTTER, CREAMERY	23,187	11,580	36,853	14,489	9,255	15,352
CHEESE, AMERICAN	50,455	46,992	54,934	44,719	41,625	49,713
CHEESE, SWISS	6,908	3,727	8,412	5,982	3,153	7,615
CHEESE, BRICK & MUNSTER	723	404	557	587	306	1,118
CHEESE, LIMBURGER	722	592	727	573	305	733
CHEESE, ALL OTHER	4,639	4,016	3,189	4,477	3,417	2,976
EGGS, SHELL	185	163	90	1,443	1,833	1,207
EGGS, FROZEN	51,161	40,450	39,181	55,368	45,090	38,694
FROZEN, CASE EQUIVALENT	1,462	1,156	1,119	1,582	1,288	1,106
TOTAL CASE EQUIVALENT FROZEN & SHELL EGGS	1,647	1,319	1,209	3,025	3,121	2,313

FROZEN POULTRY

BROILERS	13,002	8,445	10,494	10,303	6,892	7,302
FRYERS	9,167	11,037	9,918	7,445	8,959	7,008
ROASTERS	30,435	29,834	32,377	23,173	22,060	24,905
FOWLS	12,681	9,501	11,973	9,406	6,858	7,303
TURKEYS	13,402	15,744	19,177	11,017	12,765	14,354
DUCKS	-	2,814	2,252	-	1,644	1,135
MISCELLANEOUS ^{1/}	21,822	11,300	15,585	15,930	8,097	12,194
TOTAL	100,509	88,675	101,776	77,274	67,285	74,201

NOTE: THESE HOLDINGS INCLUDE STOCK IN BOTH COLD STORAGE WAREHOUSES AND PACKING HOUSE PLANTS, THOUSANDS, I.E. "000" OMITTED FROM ABOVE TABLES. ITEMS IN TERMS OF POUNDS EXCEPT WHERE OTHERWISE INDICATED.

^{1/} FIGURES ON MISCELLANEOUS POULTRY NO LONGER COMPARABLE IN THAT DUCKS WERE INCLUDED IN THESE FIGURES PREVIOUS TO JULY 1, 1932.

FROZEN EGG CLASSIFICATION APRIL 1 AS REPORTED ON 75% OF TOTAL HOLDINGS IS SHOWN AS FOLLOWS:

WHITES 24%
YOLKS 24%
MIXED 52%

GOVERNMENT OWNED STOCKS FOR RELIEF DISTRIBUTION ON APRIL 1ST	1,154,193	LEB
TOTAL GOVERNMENT PURCHASES FOR RELIEF DISTRIBUTION UP TO APRIL 1ST	49,790,060	"
TOTAL GOVERNMENT DISTRIBUTION FOR RELIEF PURPOSES UP TO APRIL 1ST	48,635,867	"
ADDITIONAL QUANTITY CONTRACTED FOR AND NOT DELIVERED AS OF APRIL 1ST AND NOT INCLUDED IN APRIL 1 GOVERNMENT STORAGE FIGURES	1,740,000	"

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