

MEATS FROZEN OR PLACED IN CURE DURING DECEMBER

POUNDS, THOUSANDS, I.E., "000" OMITTED

COMMODITY	NOV. 5-YR. AVERAGE 1932-36	NOV. 1936	NOV. 1937	DEC. 5-YR. AVERAGE 1932-36	DEC. 1936	DEC. 1937
BEEF FROZEN.....	35,659	63,117	22,378	30,771	59,279	20,663
BEEF PLACED IN CURE.....	8,515	11,304	6,640	6,884	7,873	6,295
PORK FROZEN.....	59,965	100,119	42,675	97,852	173,491	73,524
PORK DRY SALT PLACED IN CURE..	41,732	38,359	34,175	45,369	43,481	44,117
PORK PICKLED PLACED IN CURE...	156,196	157,965	131,786	151,725	150,895	137,557
LAMB AND MUTTON FROZEN.....	1,589	3,729	711	" 1,169	3,485	1,274

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

\* FIGURES SHOWN SUBJECT TO REVISION. REVISED FIGURES WILL APPEAR IN NEXT MONTH'S REPORT. 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 EXTREMELY 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.

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