

COLD STORAGE *Report*

VOL. LII. No. 6 Released June 15, 1967 at 2:00 P.M. (E.D.S.T.) June 1967

CONTENTS

	Page
Analysis of June 1, storage holdings and occupancy	2
Fresh fruits, vegetables, and nuts in storage	4
Frozen fruits and vegetables in storage	5
Dairy and poultry products in storage	6
Meats and meat products in storage	7
Cold storage holdings by geographic regions	8
Space and occupancy in public general warehouses in selected cities	10
Space and occupancy in public general refrigerated warehouses	11
Commodities stored in public general cold storage warehouses	12
Certain commodities in storage owned by the government	12
United States refrigerated net piling space	13
Net change in storage holdings during May	14

[Data for this report are collected from public, private, and semiprivate warehouses, apple houses, and meat-packing plants where food products are generally stored for 30 days or more. Commodities in space owned or leased and operated by the armed services are not reported. All May 31, 1967 data are preliminary.]

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
STATISTICAL REPORTING SERVICE
Agricultural Estimates Division
Washington, D. C.
Oost 1. (6-67)



COLD STORAGE REPORT, JUNE 1, 1967

Commodity Summary

Warehouse stocks of refrigerated food products on June 1 totaled 6.0 billion, 100 million pounds less than a month earlier, according to the Crop Reporting Board. Inventories were lower than a month earlier for fresh and frozen fruits and vegetables, turkeys, beef, and pork but higher for dairy products, shell eggs, and frozen juices. Orange concentrate stocks at a record 68 million gallons were nearly 1 million more than the previous record of July 1, 1962.

Frozen fruit holdings on June 1 totaled 324 million pounds, down 50 million from a month earlier and 12 million less than a year earlier. Stocks were lower than on May 1 for all items. Frozen vegetables decreased by 43 million pounds during May and on June 1 totaled 1,291 million. Asparagus, broccoli and spinach were higher than the previous month while all other items were lower. June 1, 1966 holdings of frozen vegetables were 1,091 million pounds and the 1961-65 average is 884 million.

A 26 million pound decrease in frozen turkeys during May lowered June 1 holdings to 150 million pounds. Stocks of other frozen poultry items increased during the month. Frozen poultry holdings totaled 297 million.

The June 1 inventory of total beef of 279 million pounds was 36 percent more than a year earlier and 46 percent higher than average. Total pork holdings of 340 million were nearly one-third larger than year-earlier holdings but slightly less than average stocks of 345 million.

Stocks of creamery butter increased 50 million pounds during May compared to the year earlier increase of 19 million and the average increase of 28 million. Stocks totaled 153 million pounds on June 1 of which 108 million was Government-owned. These stocks accounted for 36 million of the 50-million pound increase during May. American cheese holdings totaled 349 million on June 1, nearly one-fourth larger than a year earlier and 1 percent above average.

Shell-eggs increased 134 thousand cases during May and totaled 254 thousand on June 1. A year earlier 76 thousand cases were in storage and the average is 250 thousand.

Space Occupancy in Public Warehouses

Utilization of cooler space increased 1 point during May and on June 1 was 8 points more than a year earlier and 3 points above average. Occupancy declined in the West South Central, Mountain and Pacific regions during the month but was unchanged or higher elsewhere.

Freezer occupancy at 70 percent on June 1 was the same as a month earlier but 11 points higher than a year earlier and 5 points above average. Higher utilization of freezer rooms in the South Atlantic and East South Central offset lower occupancy in other regions. Occupancy in the Mountain regions was unchanged from May 1.

Cooler and Freezer Stocks Changes

Warehouse stocks in cooler rooms totaled 1.8 billion pounds, 163 million less than a month earlier. Lower holdings of fresh fruits and vegetables, nuts, beef, and canned meats more than offset increases in dried and evaporated fruits, dairy products, shell eggs, and pork.

June 1, freezer-held stocks totaled 4.2 billion pounds, 64 million more than on May 1. Holdings of poultry, fruits, vegetables, beef and pork decreased while stocks of cream, butter, frozen eggs, juice, and miscellaneous commodities increased.

Juices, Fruits, and Vegetables

A record 68 million gallons of frozen orange concentrate was in storage on June 1, nearly one-million gallons more than the previous high on July 1, 1962. During May, holdings increased 14 million gallons, 2 million more than a year earlier and 6 million more than average.

Frozen fruits stored on June 1 were 324 million pounds, down 50 million pounds from a month earlier. June 1 stocks were 4 percent below year earlier holdings but 16 percent above average.

Holdings of all fruit packs declined during May, however, the largest reductions were in stocks of frozen apples and cherries. Each declined 10 million pounds. Apples totaled 158 million and cherries 19 million pounds on June 1.

Frozen vegetable holdings were 1,291 million pounds on June 1 compared with 1,091 million on June 1, 1966. Average stocks for this time of year are 884 million pounds. Stocks of corn, beans, and peas were the principal packs reduced during May but gains were reported for asparagus and broccoli. The net reduction of frozen vegetables was 43 million pounds compared with 92 million during May 1966 and the average of 81 million pounds.

Dairy Products

A May net gain of 4 million pounds of cream brought June 1 holdings up to 18 million pounds. At this time last year stocks totaled 17 million pounds and the average is 13 million. Butter holdings advanced more than usual for May. Stocks totaled 153 million pounds, 50 million more than on May 1. During May 1966 there was a 19 million pound gain and June 1 stocks were 53 million pounds. Average holdings for this time of year are 258 million pounds and the average May gain is 28 million pounds. Butter held for the Government's account increased to 108 million pounds from the 72 million stored on May 1, 1967.

American cheese totaled 349 million pounds on June 1, an increase of 14 million from a month earlier. Stocks were 26 percent larger than on June 1, 1966 and 1 percent above average. Government-owned cheese increased from 4 million pounds on May 1 to 9 million on June 1.

Meat Products

Holdings of meat totaled 723 million pounds on June 1, a drop of 59 million from a month earlier. At this time last year a 14-million pound reduction brought total stocks down to 572 million pounds. The average May reduction is 18 million pounds and average stocks are 649 million pounds.

Beef stored on June 1 totaled 279 million pounds, 36 percent more than on June 1, 1966 and 46 percent more than average.

Pork stocks, at 340 million pounds were about one-fourth larger than a year earlier and 1 percent below average. During May, pork holdings decreased 46 million compared with 4 million during May 1966, and the 9 million average.

Poultry and Poultry Products

Warehouse holdings of frozen poultry totaled 297 million pounds, almost double the stocks of June 1, 1966 and 50 percent more than average. Holdings of turkeys were 150 million pounds, of which 114 million were whole birds and 36 million were parts and processed turkey meat. At this time last year, turkey holdings were 69 million pounds and the average is 101 million pounds.

Shell egg holdings on June 1 were more than double the May 1 inventory. Holdings advanced from 120 thousand to 254 thousand cases. Frozen eggs totaled 72 million pounds, 70 percent more than on June 1, 1966 but 13 percent below average. During May, stocks increased 16 million pounds, 6 million more than last year but 6 million short of average.

TABLE 1. -- End-of-month stocks of fruits, vegetables, and nuts

Net change in stocks during May and comparisons:

Fresh apples: Decreased by 204 million pounds; May 1966 decrease was 179 million pounds; average May decrease is 170 million pounds.

Fresh pears: Decreased by 200 thousand boxes; May 1966 decrease was 100 thousand boxes; average May decrease is 100 thousand boxes.

COMMODITY	UNIT	May 1961-65 average	May 1966	April 1967	May 1967
		MIL.	MIL.	MIL.	MIL.
Apples, fresh:					
Regular storage.....	Pounds	1/	51	174	102
C. A. storage.....	do.	1/	68	218	86
Total	do.	102	119	392	188
Pears, fresh:					
		Thou.	Thou.	Thou.	Thou.
Bartletts	Boxes, baskets, etc.	-	1	-	1
Bartletts	L.A. lugs	-	-	1	-
Other varieties	Boxes, baskets, etc.	37	32	190	16
Other varieties	L.A. lugs	15	1	39	2
Total	Boxes, baskets, etc.	52	34	230	19
Other fruits, vegetables, and nuts:					
Fresh grapes	Pounds	234	356	14,288	5503
Other fresh fruits	do.	4,976	7,393	6,360	8737
Dried and evaporated fruits...	do.	34,547	32,516	27,215	27,417
Onions	do.	4,998	2,489	1,949	806
Celery	do.	78	140	159	128
Other fresh vegetables	do.	37,628	39,950	41,887	38,309
Nut meats, peanuts	do.	252,692	315,813	368,524	348,614
Nut meats, other nuts	do.	55,137	65,169	71,174	72,371
Peanuts, in shell	do.	8,736	13,464	15,888	15,746
Other nuts, in shell	do.	95,124	102,022	54,922	50,989

1/ Not available.

TABLE 2. --End-of-month stocks of frozen fruits and vegetables

Net change in stocks during May and comparisons:

Frozen fruits: Decreased by 50 million pounds; May 1966 decrease was 27 million pounds; average May decrease is 31 million pounds.

Frozen vegetables: Decreased by 43 million pounds; May 1966 decrease was 92 million pounds; average May decrease is 81 million pounds.

Frozen orange juice: Increased by 14 million gallons; May 1966 increase was 12 million gallons; average May increase is 8 million gallons.

COMMODITY	May	May	April	May	Percentage change		
	1961-65 av.	1966	1967	1967	during May		
	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	5-yr. av. Pot.	1966 Pot.	1967 Pot.
Fruits, frozen:							
Apples	52,470	66,362	67,895	57,889	-11	-11	-15
Apricots	5,971	7,079	7,798	6,768	-13	-14	-13
Blackberries	6,761	10,692	19,141	17,244	-14	-2	-10
Blueberries	12,570	9,771	24,731	21,029	-20	-20	-15
Boysenberries	3,732	4,049	8,662	8,050	-16	-6	-7
Cherries	42,829	56,463	29,998	19,305	-18	-16	-36
Grapes	5,615	10,453	6,814	5,734	-17	-10	-16
Peaches	30,134	25,186	26,810	21,769	-16	-17	-19
Raspberries, Red	8,739	8,894	16,037	13,870	-17	-16	-14
Raspberries, Black	1,669	4,262	3,338	3,066	-18	-7	-8
Strawberries	80,265	101,116	107,353	99,445	+2	+10	-7
All other fruits	27,814	32,183	55,684	49,870	-8	-11	-10
Total	278,569	336,510	374,261	324,039	-10	-7	-13
Juices, frozen:							
Orange juice	515,208	514,124	536,259	673,791	+18	+31	+26
Gallons equivalent $\frac{1}{4}$	52,041	51,932	54,168	68,060	+18	+31	+26
Other fruit juices	182,407	172,024	177,100	184,296	-4	-1	+4
Vegetables, frozen:							
Asparagus	24,735	25,173	11,939	20,911	+74	+68	+75
Beans, Fordhook lima	29,266	17,280	26,693	20,873	-15	-24	-22
Beans, baby lima	33,488	25,083	35,710	30,092	-15	-21	-16
Beans, snap, regular cut	36,247	34,319	46,662	38,565	-17	-20	-17
Beans, snap, French style	18,101	13,753	22,263	19,058	-19	-24	-14
Broccoli	46,998	42,077	56,656	65,109	-1	+6	+15
Brussels sprouts	16,609	16,646	30,105	26,490	-16	-14	-12
Carrots	28,793	27,579	48,445	44,287	-12	-24	-9
Cauliflower	14,113	14,272	20,730	16,846	-17	-23	-19
Corn	56,271	55,137	100,381	81,594	-21	-27	-19
Mixed vegetables	24,542	25,247	34,705	31,938	-4	-12	-8
Peas, green	91,619	113,526	106,459	100,958	-7	-13	-5
Peas and carrots, mixed	13,935	11,396	15,246	13,939	-3	-15	-9
Potatoes, french fried	259,592	445,857	507,666	503,930	-12	-5	-1
Spinach	76,684	82,724	88,190	93,963	+2	+10	+6
Other frozen vegetables	113,038	140,599	182,085	182,123	-2	-3	+0
Total	884,031	1,090,668	1,333,935	1,290,676	-8	-8	-3

$\frac{1}{4}$ 42° brix basis 9.9 pounds per gallon

TABLE 3. - End-of-month stocks of dairy and poultry products

Net change in stocks during May and comparisons:

Cream: Increased by 4 million pounds; May 1966 increase was 5 million pounds; average May increase is 4 million pounds.

Butter: Increased by 50 million pounds; May 1966 increase was 19 million pounds; average May increase is 28 million pounds.

Cheese: Increased by 16 million pounds; May 1966 increase was 27 million pounds; average May increase is 29 million pounds.

Shell eggs: Increased by 134 thousand cases; May 1966 increase was 34 thousand cases; average May increase is 186 thousand cases.

Frozen eggs: Increased by 16 million pounds; May 1966 increase was 10 million pounds; average May increase is 22 million pounds.

Frozen poultry: Decreased by 24 million pounds; May 1966 decrease was 18 million pounds; average May decrease is 27 million pounds.

Commodity	Unit	May	May	April	May
		1961-65 av.	1966	1967	1967
		Thou.	Thou.	Thou.	Thou.
Cream, milk, and butter:					
Fluid cream	Pound	11,307	13,696	12,115	15,990
Plastic cream (75-85% butterfat)	do.	1,889	3,122	1,574	1,600
Butter, creamery ^{1/}	do.	258,378	53,202	102,917	152,512
Condensed milk (bulk)	do.	1,489	738	1,253	1,384
Evap. and Cond. milk (case goods)	do.	4,841	2,822	2,225	6,867
Cheese natural:					
American ^{1/}	do.	345,256	282,437	335,101	349,272
Swiss, including block	do.	11,987	13,666	12,866	13,825
All other varieties	do.	31,855	33,894	32,386	32,859
Total cheese	do.	389,098	329,997	387,353	402,956
Eggs:					
Shell	Case	250	76	120	254
Frozen eggs, total	Pound	82,477	42,178	55,464	71,774
Whites	do.	19,532	8,660	8,814	10,826
Yolks	do.	23,487	9,696	15,149	18,835
Whole or mixed	do.	37,097	22,817	30,357	40,606
Unclassified	do.	2,361	1,005	1,144	1,507
Total eggs ^{2/} Case equivalent	Case	2,338	1,144	1,524	2,071
Poultry, frozen:					
Broilers or fryers	Pound	20,581	15,501	41,967	40,709
Roasters	do.	7,947	11,132	14,053	14,516
Hens, fowls	do.	37,223	24,393	47,748	48,217
Turkeys - whole	do.	(100,812)	69,398	141,788	113,578
Turkeys - other	do.	(34,279	36,788
Ducks	do.	6,154	3,589	2,695	4,007
Unclassified	do.	24,982	26,602	38,238	39,224
Total poultry	do.	197,699	150,615	320,768	297,039

^{1/} Includes Government-owned stocks listed on page 12

^{2/} Frozen eggs converted on the basis of 39.5 pounds to the case.

TABLE 4.

End-of-month stocks of meats and meat products

Net change in stocks during May and comparisons:

Beef: Decreased by 11 million pounds; May 1966 decrease was 11 million pounds; average May decrease is 6 million pounds.

Pork: Decreased 46 million pounds; May 1966 decrease was 4 million pounds; average May decrease is 9 million pounds.

Other meats: Decreased by 3 million pounds; May 1966 change was an increase of 1 million pounds; average May change is a decrease of 3 million pounds.

COMMODITY	May 1961-65 av. 1,000 pounds	May 1966 1,000 pounds	April 1967 1,000 pounds	May 1967 1,000 pounds
Beef:				
Frozen	178,410	190,400	274,004	264,195
In cure and cured	12,976	15,378	16,096	15,258
Total	191,386	205,778	290,100	279,453
Pork, frozen:				
Picnics	10,977	4,845	6,353	5,097
Hams	49,496	37,751	63,831	44,388
Bellies	111,971	65,838	108,506	100,714
Loins	15,367	11,930	12,513	10,694
Jowls	10,498	11,331	11,595	9,649
Butts	7,928	5,606	6,330	5,855
Spareribs	16,250	12,993	21,976	19,054
Trimnings	23,098	21,507	28,922	27,764
Other pork	63,055	63,589	96,026	86,637
Total	308,640	235,390	356,052	309,852
Pork in cooler:				
Dry salt bellies	6,619	4,038	4,020	4,104
Other dry salt pork	4,829	5,079	3,383	3,513
Other pork cuts	24,731	23,829	22,555	22,637
Total	36,179	32,946	29,958	30,254
Total pork	344,819	268,336	386,010	340,106
Other meats and meat products:				
Veal, frozen	10,304	7,252	12,785	11,857
Lamb and mutton, frozen	18,307	20,117	15,552	16,829
Canned meats in cooler:				
Hams	55,589	52,992	55,342	53,107
Other meats	28,451	17,156	22,757	21,860
Total all meats	648,856	571,631	782,546	723,212
Hides and pelts	52,324	41,934	43,324	39,531

TABLE 5.

-- Cold storage holdings, by geographic regions, May 31, 1967

Commodity	Unit	THOU.							Total		
		New England	Middle Atlantic	East North Central	West North Central	South Atlantic	East South Central	West South Central			
Fruits, frozen:											
Apples	Pound	5,664	15,736	19,260	1,157	8,348	96	775	45	6,808	57,889
Apricots	do.	28	338	776	151	10	0	128	17	5,300	6,768
Blackberries	do.	95	1,094	1,360	1,280	561	139	269	100	12,358	17,244
Boysenberries	do.	4,544	5,691	7,830	621	374	166	171	22	1,610	21,029
Cherries	do.	144	144	522	167	33	7	73	46	6,914	8,050
Grapes	do.	290	3,526	8,300	1,449	628	309	465	403	3,935	19,305
Peaches	do.	0	2,055	1,264	21	979	0	8	4	1,403	5,734
Red Raspberries	do.	231	3,995	2,525	1,794	2,268	185	987	44	9,740	21,769
Black Raspberries	do.	513	2,073	1,977	1,566	280	44	83	54	7,280	13,870
Strawberries	do.	12	732	939	222	50	9	8	9	1,083	3,066
Other frozen fruits	do.	3,143	12,106	15,613	8,119	3,396	1,683	29,809	407	25,162	99,441
	do.	10,756	4,926	12,550	2,015	662	638	3,339	345	14,638	89,870
Total	do.	25,420	52,436	72,916	18,562	17,589	3,266	36,115	1,496	96,239	324,039
Juices, frozen:											
Orange juice	do.	6,078	10,286	11,405	6,553	607,191	1,289	2,434	663	27,892	673,791
Other fruit juices and purees	do.	2,016	34,837	17,956	7,989	82,466	926	5,284	1,375	31,447	184,296
Vegetables, frozen:											
Asparagus	do.	477	2,804	1,278	3,027	2,022	86	162	77	10,978	20,911
Beans, Fordhook lima	do.	333	4,979	1,212	5,204	1,111	200	305	98	7,431	20,873
Beans, baby lima	do.	242	3,371	4,590	3,758	3,910	602	338	1,338	11,883	30,092
Beans, snap, regular cut	do.	802	9,225	3,894	2,996	3,524	1,706	756	161	14,801	30,565
Beans, snap, French style	do.	513	6,959	1,233	1,436	1,660	1,050	337	67	5,803	19,058
Broccoli	do.	1,406	5,188	3,294	16,389	1,534	412	1,333	304	35,169	65,109
Brussels sprouts	do.	350	2,847	1,769	6,138	605	124	214	293	14,150	26,490
Carrots	do.	282	5,974	4,304	6,240	4,213	100	2,022	125	21,027	44,287
Cauliflower	do.	292	2,264	1,279	3,301	398	116	607	98	8,499	16,846
Corn	do.	1,118	10,989	11,782	19,771	2,682	561	1,938	748	32,005	81,594
Mixed vegetables	do.	766	5,867	3,633	6,768	1,270	255	338	750	12,291	31,938
Peas, green	do.	2,718	16,832	10,380	11,824	6,423	601	1,264	1,117	49,799	100,958
Peas and carrots, mixed	do.	371	1,463	1,768	3,191	457	99	138	96	6,356	13,939
Potatoes, french fried	do.	76,957	22,414	46,468	88,430	8,478	6,629	5,047	162,347	87,160	503,930
Spinach	do.	1,494	7,332	3,368	19,621	4,080	599	4,194	1,984	51,351	93,963
Other frozen vegetables	do.	4,446	29,172	16,358	19,885	24,069	22,712	18,253	16,156	31,072	182,123
Total	do.	92,517	138,380	116,610	217,979	66,496	35,852	37,266	185,831	350,775	1,280,676
Poultry, frozen:											
Broilers or fryers	do.	1,706	1,692	2,382	5,327	9,000	3,299	13,469	531	3,303	40,709
Roasters	do.	6,260	802	900	3,969	2,949	829	550	298	1,159	14,516
Hens, fowls	do.	1,067	2,609	5,952	18,301	12,315	2,477	3,349	345	1,802	48,217
Turkeys, whole	do.	4,131	13,079	15,576	25,884	8,679	1,531	15,531	3,503	25,664	113,578
Turkeys, other	do.	106	2,079	5,689	11,040	2,813	364	4,652	472	9,573	36,788
Ducks	do.	94	2,324	863	196	184	17	139	2	218	4,997
Unclassified	do.	971	3,638	5,813	10,636	7,448	3,508	2,525	565	4,668	39,224
Total	do.	14,275	25,703	37,181	72,273	42,788	12,025	40,255	5,716	46,389	297,039

Continued

TABLE 5. -- Cold storage holdings, by geographic regions, May 31, 1967 -- Continued

Commodity	Unit	THOU.										Total		
		New England	Middle Atlantic	East North Central	West North Central	South Atlantic	East South Central	West South Central	Mountain	Pacific				
Fruits, vegetables, and nuts:														
Fresh grapes	Pound	0	1	82	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5,420	5,503
do.	do.	55	1,688	3,222	95	215	0	0	0	0	0	65	3,350	8,737
Dried and evaporated fruits	do.	817	14,497	5,970	1,079	919	246	1,404	0	0	0	15	2,476	27,417
Onions	do.	0	609	59	0	13	0	50	0	0	0	0	75	806
Celery	do.	0	66	52	0	3	0	2	0	0	0	5	0	128
Other fresh vegetables	do.	2,620	6,517	7,554	4,387	244	782	2,262	1,049	12,894	0	0	0	38,309
Peanut meats	do.	258	281	3,554	2,501	266,933	29,198	45,690	0	199	0	0	0	348,614
Other nut meats	do.	952	12,017	8,626	14,247	5,248	2,872	4,056	770	23,583	0	0	0	72,371
Peanuts, in shell	do.	0	0	122	16	14,170	42	1,344	0	52	0	0	0	15,746
Other nuts, in shell	do.	214	3,669	2,592	510	10,240	5,991	11,794	1,782	14,097	0	0	0	50,989
Fresh apples	do.	3,142	17,293	5,895	102	221	207	54	158	161,392	0	0	0	188,464
Fresh pears	Boxes	0	0	5	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	19
Dairy products and eggs:														
Cream (not including plastic)	Pound	781	8,983	4,228	67	714	66	65	142	944	0	0	0	15,990
do.	do.	187	4	90	58	386	155	27	392	301	0	0	0	1,600
Butter, creamery	do.	4,928	30,319	42,446	54,138	2,320	6,864	4,677	371	6,449	0	0	0	152,512
Cheese, Natural, American	do.	5,708	49,616	201,802	75,924	799	5,023	740	2,036	7,624	0	0	0	349,272
Cheese, Swiss	do.	0	346	10,863	1,553	27	19	881	124	12	0	0	0	13,825
Cheese, Other natural varieties	do.	114	3,897	33,038	904	96	0	789	1,012	9	0	0	0	39,859
Eggs, shell	Case	5	79	50	18	40	34	16	0	12	0	0	0	254
Eggs, frozen	Pound	3,305	12,494	8,631	26,885	8,781	2,289	4,837	230	4,322	0	0	0	71,774
Meats, meat products, and fish:														
Beef, frozen	do.	11,273	39,025	63,021	58,592	17,531	7,268	20,193	8,516	38,776	0	0	0	264,195
Beef, in cure or cured	do.	0	1,412	2,201	4,011	1,259	880	1,910	1,651	1,934	0	0	0	15,258
Pork, frozen:	do.	15	385	1,902	1,222	316	272	467	70	448	0	0	0	5,097
do.	do.	1,015	5,400	12,568	14,621	1,433	3,277	3,518	650	1,906	0	0	0	44,388
Bellies	do.	498	3,075	57,418	28,629	2,952	2,816	2,872	777	1,677	0	0	0	100,714
Loins	do.	809	1,156	2,101	3,160	1,420	729	387	110	822	0	0	0	10,694
Loins	do.	130	661	2,732	3,997	463	736	355	12	563	0	0	0	9,649
Burts	do.	110	335	1,854	2,179	532	220	329	77	219	0	0	0	5,855
Spaeribs	do.	330	770	5,130	7,841	653	596	319	216	3,199	0	0	0	19,054
Trimings	do.	772	1,564	8,053	10,748	1,768	1,020	1,134	211	2,494	0	0	0	27,764
Other frozen pork cuts	do.	1,633	8,076	29,477	29,369	3,705	5,599	3,134	1,103	4,541	0	0	0	86,637
Pork, in cure or cured:	do.	0	24	61	3,129	392	172	139	31	156	0	0	0	4,104
do.	do.	0	174	539	2,388	262	51	22	24	53	0	0	0	3,513
Other dry salt pork	do.	0	1,716	3,621	10,578	2,947	1,340	846	273	1,316	0	0	0	22,637
Veal, frozen	do.	785	2,676	2,785	548	1,304	683	426	1,105	1,545	0	0	0	11,857
Lamb and mutton, frozen	do.	1,216	3,223	5,302	1,612	913	666	1,125	135	2,637	0	0	0	16,829
Canned hams	do.	2,314	15,038	10,395	15,153	1,236	988	1,598	222	6,163	0	0	0	53,107
Other canned meats	do.	2,227	1,557	2,431	12,015	231	34	510	161	1,694	0	0	0	21,860
Hides and pelts	do.	5,426	30	8,432	18,004	1,058	421	5,629	273	258	0	0	0	39,531
Fish, frozen	do.	48,390	29,320	16,992	13,118	12,025	14,802	3,701	2,627	41,222	0	0	0	161,597

(1) Includes fish in Alaska.

TABLE 6. END OF MONTH SPACE AND OCCUPANCY IN PUBLIC GENERAL WAREHOUSES IN SELECTED CITIES

CITY <u>1/</u>	NET PILING SPACE REPORTED <u>2/</u> MAY 1967		PERCENTAGE OF NET PILING SPACE OCCUPIED					
	COOLER	FREEZER	MAY 1966		APRIL 1967		MAY 1967 <u>3/</u>	
			COOLER	FREEZER	COOLER	FREEZER	COOLER	FREEZER
	THOUSAND CU. FT.		PERCENT		PERCENT		PERCENT	
NEW ENGLAND								
BOSTON.....	1,490	8,294	42	67	64	84	79	79
MIDDLE ATLANTIC								
BUFFALO.....	1,141	1,675	23	61	36	61	50	65
NEW YORK.....	3,884	7,076	82	77	79	83	81	82
ROCHESTER.....	8,117	6,965	19	38	25	39	22	38
JERSEY CITY.....	3,237	8,868	63	57	51	78	51	77
PHILADELPHIA.....	1,160	5,650	48	56	68	73	65	70
PITTSBURGH.....	1,261	3,138	25	46	16	66	24	66
EAST NORTH CENTRAL								
CINCINNATI.....	<u>4/</u>	<u>4/</u>	68	80	64	89	<u>4/</u>	<u>4/</u>
CLEVELAND.....	2,740	4,855	45	69	56	67	61	67
CHICAGO.....	10,186	18,263	56	54	54	84	57	84
DETROIT.....	2,552	4,990	64	71	72	88	65	85
MILWAUKEE.....	<u>4/</u>	<u>4/</u>	24	62	63	75	<u>4/</u>	<u>4/</u>
WEST NORTH CENTRAL								
MINNEAPOLIS-ST. PAUL	1,238	3,546	83	49	90	83	94	90
ST. LOUIS.....	3,216	4,701	42	63	43	81	41	76
KANSAS CITY.....	6,114	27,030	55	83	74	90	74	90
SOUTH ATLANTIC								
BALTIMORE AND D.C....	775	4,558	66	52	49	63	51	62
NORFOLK.....	761	941	18	56	75	65	70	55
RICHMOND.....	852	970	77	65	82	71	84	81
EAST SOUTH CENTRAL								
MEMPHIS.....	190	3,311	61	58	49	59	50	60
NASHVILLE.....	832	2,328	83	70	90	75	93	77
WEST SOUTH CENTRAL								
NEW ORLEANS.....	<u>4/</u>	<u>4/</u>	75	76	78	60	<u>4/</u>	<u>4/</u>
DALLAS.....	4,544	5,196	48	77	54	71	57	74
F.T. WORTH.....	798	1,362	52	71	45	73	41	74
PACIFIC								
SEATTLE.....	<u>4/</u>	<u>4/</u>	3	32	1	14	<u>4/</u>	<u>4/</u>
PORTLAND.....	347	4,029	25	20	61	38	55	38
LOS ANGELES.....	3,032	11,659	74	55	78	74	82	73
SAN FRANCISCO.....	1,224	3,348	58	66	63	66	56	64
SAN JOSE.....	2,605	3,897	15	30	24	42	25	41

1/ Space shown includes public warehouse located in the metropolitan area. 2/ Space reported to USDA and temperatures held on May 31, 1967. 3/ Preliminary. 4/ Insufficient returns received from this city.

TABLE 7. END OF MONTH SPACE¹ AND OCCUPANCY IN PUBLIC GENERAL REFRIGERATED WAREHOUSES

STATE OR GEOGRAPHIC REGION	NET PILING SPACE REPORTED ^{1/}		PERCENTAGE OF NET PILING SPACE OCCUPIED							
	MAY 1967		MAY 1961-65 AV.		MAY 1966		APRIL 1967		MAY ^{2/} 1967	
	COOLER	FREEZER	COOLER	FREEZER	COOLER	FREEZER	COOLER	FREEZER	COOLER	FREEZER
	THOUSAND CU. FT.		PERCENT		PERCENT		PERCENT		PERCENT	
MAINE, N.H., AND VT.....	220	3,648	43	77	29	77	47	94	70	96
MASSACHUSETTS.....	2,396	11,762	60	67	50	68	64	82	75	79
R.I. AND CONNECTICUT....	617	1,515	63	76	74	71	76	88	76	87
NEW ENGLAND.....	3,233	16,925	60	71	53	70	65	85	74	83
NEW YORK.....	16,415	21,176	40	62	43	60	47	65	47	64
NEW JERSEY.....	3,553	10,286	50	65	58	56	48	74	48	73
PENNSYLVANIA.....	3,462	10,396	53	63	38	57	40	74	42	72
MIDDLE ATLANTIC.....	23,430	41,858	44	63	45	58	46	70	47	69
OHIO.....	4,488	8,999	60	71	52	68	59	75	63	74
INDIANA.....	653	5,834	70	76	25	30	75	68	83	69
ILLINOIS.....	13,285	20,465	61	84	48	54	47	83	50	83
MICHIGAN.....	4,283	9,307	52	61	40	58	46	63	40	60
WISCONSIN.....	7,428	2,583	66	75	49	55	69	69	77	68
EAST NORTH CENTRAL..	30,137	47,188	61	76	47	56	55	75	58	74
MINNESOTA.....	2,291	9,026	70	77	64	46	76	65	79	66
IOWA.....	542	7,468	51	75	42	47	59	88	61	85
MISSOURI.....	3,366	8,519	65	75	48	62	62	75	60	74
DAKOTAS AND NEBRASKA....	897	3,370	70	71	50	61	60	86	61	82
KANSAS.....	6,413	27,646	67	78	52	81	73	88	74	88
WEST NORTH CENTRAL..	13,509	56,029	66	76	52	66	69	82	70	82
DEL., MARYLAND & D.C....	853	5,663	56	55	63	53	50	65	55	65
VIRGINIA AND WEST VA....	4,253	2,710	33	71	22	56	35	67	33	67
NORTH & SOUTH CAROLINA..	445	1,803	68	72	63	59	69	82	71	82
GEORGIA.....	8,526	7,286	76	73	76	56	64	79	65	79
FLORIDA.....	1,751	16,753	75	71	83	53	88	64	84	81
SOUTH ATLANTIC.....	15,828	34,215	56	69	61	54	56	68	57	77
KENTUCKY.....	4/	4/	59	75	36	54	34	68	4/	4/
TENNESSEE.....	1,473	9,575	82	69	83	57	85	56	87	66
ALABAMA AND MISSISSIPPI..	2,652	2,952	74	84	79	51	69	63	76	64
EAST SOUTH CENTRAL..	4,530	13,875	75	72	75	55	71	59	76	65
ARKANSAS.....	109	3,644	46	58	35	62	39	51	39	47
LOUISIANA.....	4/	4/	66	61	74	73	77	60	4/	4/
OKLAHOMA.....	223	1,048	72	71	46	63	69	73	65	72
TEXAS.....	7,812	11,146	62	67	56	76	61	72	62	74
WEST SOUTH CENTRAL..	9,226	17,509	63	65	59	72	63	67	62	66
MOUNTAIN.....	996	10,080	53	75	62	68	81	81	77	81
WASHINGTON.....	495	18,237	23	34	13	33	31	41	20	38
OREGON.....	1,304	13,519	25	27	17	33	73	43	68	38
CALIFORNIA.....	13,507	31,997	43	60	48	51	57	64	55	64
PACIFIC.....	15,306	63,753	39	47	41	42	57	53	55	51
UNITED STATES ^{3/}	116,195	301,432	55	65	50	57	57	70	58	70

^{1/} SPACE REPORTED TO USDA AND TEMPERATURE HELD ON MAY 31, 1967. ^{2/} PRELIMINARY. ^{3/} WEIGHTED AVERAGE OCCUPANCY. ^{4/} INSUFFICIENT RETURNS RECEIVED.

Table 8. --Commodities stored in public general cold storage warehouses, April 30, 1967

Cooler commodities	Net Weight	Freezer commodities	Net weight
	1,000 pounds		1,000 pounds
Apples	18,094	Cream	11,584
Pears	1,230	Butter, creamery. . .	94,424
Other fresh fruits. . .	5,492	Eggs	50,082
Fresh vegetables . . .	39,715	Poultry.	275,983
Dried & evap. fruits . .	26,181	Fruits	270,025
Nutmeats	313,195	Juices	257,636
Nuts in shell	38,911	Vegetables	784,834
Cheese	190,715	Beef	249,881
Other dairy products . .	3,193	Pork	287,271
Shell eggs	5,288	Other meats	23,691
Beef	2,314	Fish	149,759
Pork	1,327	Miscellaneous.	300,144
Canned meats	41,803		
Fish	13,749		
Miscellaneous	299,246		
Total	1,000,453	Total	2,755,314

Table 9. --End of month stocks of certain commodities in storage owned by the Government 1/

Commodity	Unit	May 1961-65 average	May 1966	April 1967	May 1967 <u>2/</u>
		Thou.	Thou.	Thou.	Thou.
Butter, creamery	lb.	211,626	2,201	71,543	108,234
American Cheddar cheese.	lb.	26,341	259	4,197	9,102
Pork	lb.	1,851	2,097	3,512	2,832
Beef	lb.	5,073	4,360	8,169	7,067

1/ Government holdings are included in the tables of total holdings elsewhere in the report and consist of reported stocks held by USDA, the Armed Services, and other Government agencies. In addition to stocks reported above, Armed Services hold some stocks in space owned by them on which figures are not available.

2/ Based on actual reports. Estimates on late reports are not included. Current figures will be revised next month.

Table 10 --Usable refrigerated piling space, United States, October 1, 1965

State and region	Plants in State	Total			Public general warehouses		
		0° F. and below	Above 0° F. to 50° F.	Total	0° F. and below	Above 0° F. to 50° F.	Total
	Number	cu. ft.	cu. ft.	cu. ft.	cu. ft.	cu. ft.	cu. ft.
Maine	58	1,000 7,428	1,000 2,696	1,000 10,124	1,000 3,220	1,000 95	1,000 3,315
New Hampshire	42	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/
Vermont	23	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/
Massachusetts	194	14,685	8,711	23,396	12,880	2,613	15,493
Rhode Island	14	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/
Connecticut	64	1,059	2,678	3,937	1,045	425	1,470
New England	395	25,367	18,183	43,550	19,238	3,453	22,691
New York	446	30,852	44,993	75,845	24,617	16,574	41,191
New Jersey	87	17,302	10,602	27,904	15,047	5,157	20,204
Pennsylvania	110	18,576	17,556	36,132	14,831	3,736	18,567
Middle Atlantic	643	66,730	73,151	139,881	54,495	25,467	79,962
Ohio	225	10,006	10,274	20,280	8,972	5,186	14,158
Indiana	55	5,210	3,030	8,240	4,399	1,138	5,537
Illinois	61	22,428	18,586	41,014	20,341	16,218	36,559
Michigan	330	17,086	24,003	41,089	12,302	4,887	17,189
Wisconsin	158	7,800	18,851	26,651	3,729	9,680	13,409
East North Central ..	829	62,530	74,744	137,274	49,743	37,109	86,852
Minnesota	43	15,287	3,553	18,840	9,760	1,026	10,786
Iowa	34	9,531	3,373	12,904	6,748	810	7,558
Missouri	37	11,054	6,642	17,696	8,880	4,542	13,422
North & South Dakota ..	7	1,032	2,085	3,117	369	51	420
Nebraska	17	5,761	2,882	8,643	4,633	979	5,612
Kansas	20	21,380	7,265	28,645	20,751	5,572	26,323
West North Central ..	158	64,045	25,800	89,845	51,141	12,980	64,121
Delaware	8	2,126	75	2,201	569	75	644
Maryland & D. C.	26	6,867	2,255	9,122	5,931	694	6,625
Virginia & West Virginia	125	6,495	34,297	40,792	3,137	8,404	11,541
North Carolina	29	1,943	2,174	4,117	1,365	1,095	2,460
South Carolina	10	1,202	314	1,516	909	105	1,014
Georgia	58	11,095	13,018	24,113	9,226	11,191	20,417
Florida	76	46,835	6,813	53,648	22,350	1,396	23,746
South Atlantic	332	76,563	58,946	135,509	43,487	22,960	66,447
Kentucky	11	1,865	1,137	3,002	1,744	981	2,725
Tennessee	26	10,804	2,676	13,480	10,237	1,400	11,637
Alabama	13	2,310	2,177	4,487	2,193	1,843	4,036
Mississippi	9	1,714	419	2,133	1,694	176	1,870
East South Central ..	59	16,693	6,409	23,102	15,868	4,400	20,268
Arkansas	17	5,729	492	6,221	5,486	232	5,718
Louisiana	13	3,133	1,178	4,311	2,592	1,178	3,770
Oklahoma	17	2,057	1,249	3,306	1,565	673	2,238
Texas	68	19,186	7,728	26,914	17,030	6,645	23,675
West South Central ..	115	30,105	10,647	40,752	26,673	8,728	35,401
Montana, Idaho & Wyoming	23	14,421	545	14,966	4,727	318	5,045
Colorado	16	3,595	982	4,577	3,142	640	3,782
New Mexico & Arizona	10	1,071	471	1,542	798	146	944
Utah & Nevada	10	2,195	617	2,812	2,032	429	2,461
Mountain	59	21,282	2,615	23,897	10,699	1,533	12,232
Washington	376	26,961	95,079	122,040	17,718	1,146	18,864
Oregon	73	23,406	15,240	38,646	12,946	847	13,793
California	281	61,811	47,121	108,932	43,157	12,913	56,070
Pacific	730	112,178	157,440	269,618	73,821	14,906	88,727
United States	3,320	475,493	427,935	903,428	345,165	131,536	476,701

1/ Not shown to avoid disclosure of individual plant reports.

Table 11. --Net change in storage holdings during May

Cooler commodities	Holdings May 31, 1967	May net change		Freezer Commodities	Holdings May 31, 1967	May net change	
		Quantity	Pct.			Quantity	Pct.
		1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.			Pct.	1,000 lb.
Apples	188,464	- 203,435	- 52	Cream	17,590	3,901	28
Pears	210	- 9,790	- 91	Butter, creamery	152,512	49,595	48
Other fresh fruits	14,240	- 6,408	- 31	Eggs	71,774	16,310	29
Fresh vegetables .	39,243	- 4,752	- 11	Poultry	297,039	- 23,729	- 7
Dried & evap. fts.	27,417	202	1	Fruits	324,039	- 50,222	- 13
Nutmeats	420,985	- 18,713	- 4	Juices	858,087	144,728	20
Nuts in shell . . .	66,735	- 4,075	- 6	Vegetables . .	1,290,676	- 43,259	- 3
Cheese	402,956	15,603	4	Beef	264,195	- 9,809	- 4
Other dairy prod.	8,251	4,773	137	Pork	309,852	- 46,200	- 13
Shell eggs	11,887	6,271	112	Other meats . .	28,686	349	1
Beef	15,258	- 838	- 5	Miscellaneous	550,423	22,011	4
Pork	30,244	296	1				
Canned meats . . .	74,967	- 3,132	- 4				
Miscellaneous	527,715	60,514	113				
Total	1,829,282	- 163,484	- 8	Total	4,164,873	63,675	2

U. S. Department of Agriculture
Statistical Reporting Service
Agricultural Estimates Division
Washington, D. C. 20250

POSTAGE AND FEES PAID
U. S. Department of Agriculture

OFFICIAL BUSINESS