

COLD STORAGE *Report*

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[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. **September 30, 1968** data are preliminary.]

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Changes During Past Month

Cold storage stocks of apples, turkeys, beef, hams, lima beans, corn and french fries increased in September but stocks of butter, eggs, orange juice, pork bellies and strawberries declined according to the Crop Reporting Board.

Turkey holdings were up 70 million pounds and frozen beef stocks were up 6 million. Holdings of hams increased 8 million pounds, while french fries were up 35 million.

Stocks of butter declined 28 million pounds and American cheese was down 11 million. Shell eggs were down 83 thousand cases, while frozen eggs were off 9 million pounds. Orange juice stocks dropped 8 million gallons and strawberries were off 7 million pounds. Frozen pork bellies were down 12 million pounds.

Public Warehouse Occupancy

Cooler rooms on October 1 were 62 percent occupied, 2 points below last month but 2 points above a year earlier and 5 points above average. Occupancy was above last month in the Middle Atlantic region, but was lower in all other regions.

Freezer room occupancy on October 1 was 72 percent, up 2 points from September 1, the same as average but 8 points below a year earlier. Utilization was lower than a month earlier in the South Atlantic region, the same in the East North Central and Mountain regions, and above in all other regions.

Cooler and Freezer Stock Changes

Cooler-held stocks totaled 2,506 million pounds an increase of 869 million during September. This is 9 percent above a year earlier. Some of the more significant increases from a month earlier were recorded for apples, pears, and fresh vegetables. Partly offsetting were decreases in nuts and shell eggs.

Stocks in freezer rooms totaled 4,576 million pounds on October 1, up 320 million from September 1. Year earlier freezer stocks totaled 4,885 million pounds. Increases in turkeys, lima beans, corn, french fries and beef helped to more than offset decreases in cherries, strawberries, orange juice, green peas and pork bellies.

Meat Products

Stocks of meat totaled 511 million pounds, 2 million more than a month earlier, 58 million above average but 27 million below a year earlier. Frozen pork bellies at 16 million pounds decreased 43 percent, compared with a 38 percent decrease a year earlier. Hams at 27 million pounds increased 8 million. Beef stocks totaled 239 million pounds, 7 million above a month earlier but 11 million less than a year earlier.

Poultry and Poultry Products

Frozen poultry stocks increased 67 million pounds in September to 480 million pounds. October 1 holdings were 20 percent below a year earlier but 33 percent above average. Turkey holdings were 374 million pounds compared with 305 million last month, 441 million a year earlier and 249 million average. Whole turkeys totaled 342 million pounds. Parts, cut ups, and further processing items totaled 32 million.

Shell eggs declined 83 thousand cases from a month earlier to 146 thousand. October 1 stocks were 107 thousand cases below year-earlier holdings and 41 thousand below average. Frozen egg holdings were 100 million pounds, unchanged from a year earlier but down 9 million from September 1.

Dairy Products

Supplies of creamery butter in refrigerated storage totaled 197 million pounds, down 28 million from a month earlier, 16 million from a year earlier, and 36 million below average. Government-owned butter on October 1 totaled 167 million pounds, down 17 million from a month earlier.

American cheese holdings were 379 million pounds, 7 million below a year earlier, 14 million above average. Stocks were down 11 million from a month earlier, compared with an 18 million decline during September 1967 and an average decline of 20 million.

Fruits, Juices and Vegetables

Stocks of orange concentrate were 31 million gallons, 8 million below a month earlier. Holdings were down 43 percent from a year earlier and 12 percent below average.

Frozen fruit totaled 582 million pounds, 14 million more than a month earlier and 33 million above a year earlier. The most significant increases during September were recorded for blackberries, peaches, and "other frozen fruits". The most significant declines in frozen fruit holdings were recorded for apples, cherries, red raspberries, and strawberries.

Stocks of fresh apples were 902 million pounds compared with 12 million a month earlier and 600 million a year earlier.

Frozen vegetable stocks increased 249 million pounds to 1,803 million. This was 5 percent above a year earlier and 38 percent above average. Holdings of frozen vegetables (excluding french fries) totaled 1,565 million, 16 percent above a month earlier. Year-earlier stocks totaled 1,463 million pounds.

Increases in stocks during September were recorded for all frozen vegetables except asparagus, mixed vegetables, green peas, and spinach. French fries totaled 239 million pounds, 35 million more than on September 1. Year-earlier stocks totaled 250 million pounds.

TABLE 1. END OF MONTH COLD STORAGE HOLDINGS AND COMPARISONS

COMMODITY	UNIT	SEPTEMBER	SEPTEMBER	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	PERCENTAGE CHANGE		
		1962-66 AV	1967	1968	1968	DURING SEPTEMBER		
		THOUSAND	THOUSAND	THOUSAND	THOUSAND	5YR AV	1967	1968
						PERCENT		
APPLES, FRESH								
REGULAR STORAGE.....	POUND	***	488,758	11,678	735,627	***	***	***
C. A. STORAGE.....	POUND	***	110,816	359	166,176	***	***	***
TOTAL APPLES.....	POUND	766,860	599,574	12,037	901,803	***	***	***
PEARS, FRESH								
BARTLETT.....	BOX	3,328	2,867	3,906	2,714	- 23	+119	- 31
BARTLETT.....	L A LUG	223	186	797	92	- 18	+994	- 88
OTHER VARIETIES.....	BOX	2,785	3,630	152	3,247	+844	+886	***
OTHER VARIETIES.....	L A LUG	311	294	7	466	***	***	***
TOTAL PEARS.....	BOX	6,647	6,977	4,862	6,519	+ 36	+311	+ 34
GRAPES, FRESH.....	POUND	77,690	63,625	79,707	78,542	+107	+ 22	- 1
OTHER FRESH FRUITS.....	POUND	7,958	17,806	73,408	3,267	- 83	- 69	- 96
DRIED AND EVAPORATED FRUITS...	POUND	32,598	25,838	27,174	23,944	- 8	- 6	- 12
ONIONS.....	POUND	9,316	2,699	267	5,151	***	+442	***
CELERY.....	POUND	1,938	1,615	180	810	***	+999	+350
OTHER FRESH VEGETABLES.....	POUND	15,206	15,577	8,720	16,126	+ 18	+ 23	+ 85
NUTMEATS, PEANUTS.....								
NUTMEATS, OTHER NUTS.....	POUND	115,655	114,479	109,934	97,187	- 13	- 15	- 12
PEANUTS, IN SHELL.....	POUND	41,142	34,783	38,029	37,687	- 16	- 19	- 1
PEANUTS, IN SHELL.....	POUND	3,352	3,066	4,473	2,626	- 42	- 55	- 41
OTHER NUTS, IN SHELL.....	POUND	60,323	19,919	36,474	20,244	- 20	- 38	- 44
CREAM, MILK AND BUTTER								
FLUID CREAM.....	POUND	9,187	10,594	8,483	7,703	- 16	- 20	- 9
PLASTIC CREAM, 75-85% B.F....	POUND	1,435	1,147	661	599	- 20	- 17	- 9
BUTTER, CREAMERY, TOTAL.....	POUND	232,521	212,375	224,602	196,525	- 12	- 9	- 13
GOVERNMENT-OWNED.....	POUND	184,346	176,640	184,226	166,842	- 10	- 8	- 9
CONDENSED MILK, BULK.....	POUND	1,346	1,755	1,108	789	- 22	+ 15	- 29
EVAP. & COND. MILK, CASE GDS	POUND	15,088	30,851	4,040	3,280	- 4	+ 1	- 19
CHEESE, NATURAL								
AMERICAN, NATURAL, TOTAL....	POUND	365,442	386,106	390,516	379,197	- 5	- 4	- 3
GOVERNMENT-OWNED.....	POUND	35,747	38,453	36,968	36,765	- 1	+ 27	- 1
SWISS.....	POUND	11,764	13,345	15,258	16,004	- 2	+ 7	+ 5
ALL OTHER VARIETIES.....	POUND	32,693	40,015	45,455	53,884	- 6	- 3	+ 18
TOTAL NATURAL CHEESE.....	POUND	405,899	439,466	451,269	449,085	- 5	- 4	+ 0
EGGS								
SHELL.....	CASE	187	253	229	146	- 11	- 20	- 36
FROZEN								
WHITES.....	POUND	17,382	10,060	12,259	10,016	- 10	- 9	- 18
YOLKS.....	POUND	22,678	23,352	25,241	22,310	- 7	- 3	- 12
WHOLE OR MIXED.....	POUND	48,691	64,352	66,838	62,819	- 7	+ 4	- 6
UNCLASSIFIED.....	POUND	2,017	2,227	4,623	5,096	- 17	+ 9	+ 10
TOTAL FROZEN EGGS.....	POUND	90,768	99,991	108,961	100,241	- 8	+ 1	- 8

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COMMODITY	UNIT	SEPTEMBER	SEPTEMBER	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	PERCENTAGE CHANGE		
		1962-66 AV	1967	1968	1968	DURING SEPTEMBER		
		THOUSAND	THOUSAND	THOUSAND	THOUSAND	5YR AV 1967 1968		
						PERCENT		
Poultry, Frozen								
BREILERS OR FRYERS.....	PCUND	22,490	35,386	16,671	17,394	+ 6	- 2	+ 4
ROASTERS.....	PCUND	8,729	13,101	8,990	7,671	+ 2	- 2	- 15
HENS, FCWLS.....	PCUND	35,631	56,587	40,349	37,081	+ 9	+ 4	- 8
TURKEYS, WHOLE BIRDS.....	PCUND	***	397,493	273,228	342,292	***	+ 36	+ 25
TURKEYS, OTHER.....	PCUND	***	43,961	31,468	31,956	***	+ 9	+ 2
TOTAL TURKEYS.....	PCUND	248,751	441,454	304,696	374,248	+ 59	+ 33	+ 23
DUCKS.....	PCUND	11,874	6,589	4,337	4,666	+ 10	+ 15	+ 8
UNCLASSIFIED.....	PCUND	34,860	49,802	38,445	39,302	+ 12	+ 13	+ 2
TOTAL FROZEN POULTRY.....	PCUND	362,335	602,919	413,488	480,362	+ 39	+ 24	+ 16
Fruits, Frozen								
APPLES.....	PCUND	28,570	27,071	39,267	35,239	- 17	- 12	- 10
APRICOTS.....	PCUND	19,881	15,370	14,858	15,421	- 7	- 11	+ 4
BLACKBERRIES.....	PCUND	24,734	32,929	22,955	27,446	+ 34	+ 6	+ 20
BLUEBERRIES.....	PCUND	32,080	43,849	37,509	37,324	+ 24	+ 21	+ 0
BOYSENBERRIES.....	PCUND	10,719	14,119	11,365	10,248	- 9	- 11	- 10
CHERRIES.....	PCUND	125,275	70,600	104,473	94,812	- 7	- 16	- 9
GRAPES.....	PCUND	8,497	6,011	4,335	3,992	+ 86	+ 15	- 8
PEACHES.....	PCUND	61,080	49,426	64,936	78,240	+ 36	+ 55	+ 20
RASPBERRIES, RED.....	PCUND	30,459	34,453	27,501	23,438	- 6	- 7	- 15
RASPBERRIES, BLACK.....	PCUND	5,852	3,868	2,299	2,049	- 9	- 13	- 11
STRAWBERRIES.....	PCUND	186,914	192,672	191,856	185,350	- 1	- 6	- 3
OTHER FROZEN FRUITS.....	PCUND	42,168	59,129	47,225	68,683	+ 27	+ 18	+ 45
TOTAL FROZEN FRUITS.....	PCUND	576,229	549,497	568,582	582,242	+ 3	+ 0	+ 2
Juices, Frozen								
ORANGE JUICE.....	PCUND	342,609	534,868	381,856	302,836	- 15	- 22	- 21
GALLON EQUIVALENT *	GALLON	34,607	54,027	38,572	30,589	- 15	- 22	- 21
OTHER FRUIT JUICES.....	PCUND	144,215	167,142	129,395	118,589	- 7	+ 0	- 8
Vegetables, Frozen								
ASPARAGUS.....	PCUND	23,895	25,075	29,646	27,380	- 9	- 10	- 8
BEANS, FRODOCK LIMA.....	PCUND	59,273	52,845	34,950	56,627	+ 90	+ 99	+ 62
BEANS, BABY LIMA.....	PCUND	67,094	73,758	44,805	76,207	+ 85	+153	+ 70
BEANS, SNAP, REGULAR CUT....	PCUND	121,717	151,567	141,687	158,795	+ 13	+ 18	+ 12
BEANS, SNAP, FRENCH STYLE...	PCUND	53,775	68,902	52,147	60,421	+ 8	+ 34	+ 16
BRUSSELS SPROUTS.....	PCUND	39,418	55,169	69,896	71,706	+ 16	+ 10	+ 3
BRUSSELS SPROUTS.....	PCUND	14,717	19,783	17,387	22,216	+ 34	+ 14	+ 28
CARROTS.....	PCUND	21,403	36,382	37,580	42,678	- 2	+ 1	+ 14
CAULIFLOWER.....	PCUND	13,747	15,139	15,648	17,688	+ 11	+ 14	+ 13
CORN.....	PCUND	175,669	279,340	147,721	292,751	+ 93	+101	+ 98
MIXED VEGETABLES.....	PCUND	18,774	24,810	33,046	31,034	- 6	+ 2	- 6
PEAS, GREEN.....	PCUND	329,407	378,445	420,145	399,544	- 4	- 3	- 5
PEAS AND CARROTS, MIXED.....	PCUND	11,177	13,448	13,788	13,994	- 4	- 6	+ 1
POTATOES, FRENCH FRIED.....	PCUND	152,657	250,314	203,761	238,825	+ 9	+ 10	+ 17
SPINACH.....	PCUND	58,892	73,118	92,672	83,873	- 11	- 7	- 9
OTHER FROZEN VEGETABLES.....	PCUND	142,381	195,553	199,317	209,679	+ 4	+ 7	+ 5
TOTAL FROZEN VEGETABLES..	PCUND	1,307,995	1,713,648	1,554,196	1,803,418	+ 15	+ 19	+ 16
TOTAL FROZEN VEGETABLES EXCLUDING FRENCH FRIES	PCUND	1,155,338	1,463,334	1,350,435	1,564,593	+ 15	+ 21	+ 16

* 42 DEGREE BRX BASIS 9.9 POUNDS PER GALLON.

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		1962-66 AV	1967	1968	1968	DURING SEPTEMBER		
		THOUSAND	THOUSAND	THOUSAND	THOUSAND	5 YR AV	1967	1968
						PERCENT		
MEATS								
BEEF								
FRCZEN.....	PCUND	193,105	238,169	218,768	224,907	+ 2	+ 3	+ 3
IN CURE AND CURED.....	PCUND	15,020	12,133	13,082	13,977	+ 2	- 8	+ 7
TOTAL BEEF.....	PCUND	208,125	250,302	231,850	238,884	+ 2	+ 2	+ 3
GOVERNMENT-OWNED..	PCUND	10,821	8,011	7,918	8,539	- 19	+ 30	+ 8
PORK								
FRCZEN PORK								
PICNICS.....	PCUND	4,961	3,535	3,134	2,309	- 8	+ 2	- 26
HAMS.....	PCUND	26,748	35,254	18,416	26,547	+ 12	+ 40	+ 44
BELLIES.....	PCUND	14,533	20,796	27,393	15,684	- 52	- 38	- 43
LCINS.....	PCUND	6,269	5,828	9,840	8,107	- 23	- 19	- 18
JCHLS.....	PCUND	4,299	4,268	2,889	2,735	- 16	+ 2	- 5
BUTTS.....	PCUND	3,041	3,558	4,374	3,981	- 26	+ 1	- 9
SPARERIBS.....	PCUND	7,739	10,215	8,978	9,922	- 0	+ 13	+ 11
TRIMMINGS.....	PCUND	11,534	13,238	16,533	16,383	- 18	+ 6	- 1
CTHER PORK.....	PCUND	52,419	74,609	79,976	83,181	- 0	+ 2	+ 4
TOTAL FRCZEN PORK...	PCUND	131,543	171,301	171,533	168,849	- 13	- 0	- 2
COOLER PORK								
DRY SALT BELLIES.....	PCUND	3,033	2,978	2,428	1,682	- 20	- 5	- 31
GTHER DRY SALT PORK.....	PCUND	3,488	3,263	2,441	2,413	+ 6	- 5	- 1
CTHER PORK CUTS.....	PCUND	23,989	25,106	20,187	23,762	+ 7	+ 22	+ 18
TOTAL COOLER PORK....	PCUND	30,510	31,347	25,056	27,857	+ 3	+ 16	+ 11
TOTAL PORK.....	PCUND	162,053	202,648	196,589	196,706	- 11	+ 2	+ 0
GOVERNMENT-OWNED..	PCUND	1,865	3,680	2,895	3,992	+ 4	+ 25	+ 38
OTHER MEATS, FRCZEN								
VEAL.....	PCUND	7,885	9,402	7,857	7,230	- 1	+ 0	- 8
LAMB AND MUTTON.....	PCUND	14,920	11,444	10,534	9,046	- 6	+ 5	- 14
TOTAL GTHER FROZEN MEATS	PCUND	22,805	20,846	18,391	16,276	- 5	+ 3	- 12
CANNED MEATS, COOLER								
HAMS, CANNED.....	PCUND	40,014	45,874	42,953	42,922	- 8	- 1	+ 0
GTHER CANNED MEATS.....	PCUND	20,026	17,738	18,614	15,764	- 10	+ 1	- 15
TOTAL CANNED MEATS.....	PCUND	60,039	63,612	61,567	58,686	- 8	+ 0	- 5
TOTAL ALL MEATS..	PCUND	453,022	537,408	508,397	510,552	- 5	+ 2	+ 0
MISCELLANEOUS								
COOLER								
HIDES AND PELTS.....	PCUND	52,136	46,299	34,351	35,414	- 0	- 2	+ 3
OTHER MISC. COOLER	PCUND	356,505	430,299	419,339	408,393	- 4	- 7	- 3
TOTAL MISC. COOLER	PCUND	408,645	476,598	453,690	443,807	- 4	- 7	- 2
FREEZER	PCUND	441,980	574,028	457,032	573,304	+ 8	- 1	+ 25
TOTAL WEIGHT IN:								
COOLER ROOMS.....	PCUND	2,466,200	2,300,240	1,637,952	2,506,495	+ 50	+ 46	+ 53
FREEZER ROOMS.....	PCUND	3,878,600	4,884,629	4,255,951	4,575,851	+ 4	+ 5	+ 8

** NO HISTORICAL DATA AVAILABLE

*** EXCEEDS 999 PERCENT

TABLE 2. COMMODITIES IN PUBLIC GENERAL COLD STORAGE WAREHOUSES
SEPTEMBER 30, 1968 ^{1/}

COOLER COMMODITIES	THOUSAND POUNDS	FREEZER COMMODITIES	THOUSAND POUNDS
APPLES.....	28,677	CREAM.....	6,952
PEARS.....	121,250	BUTTER.....	185,649
OTHER FRESH FRUITS..	1,267	EGGS.....	91,896
DRIED & EVAP. FRUITS	21,583	POULTRY.....	426,067
FRESH VEGETABLES....	18,050	FRUITS.....	419,424
NUTMEATS.....	79,113	JUICES.....	139,584
NUTS IN SHELL.....	14,286	VEGETABLES.....	1,089,259
CHEESE NATURAL.....	249,339	BEEF.....	207,559
OTHER DAIRY PRODUCTS	3,932	PORK.....	125,990
SHELL EGGS.....	6,412	OTHER MEATS.....	13,465
BEEF.....	302	MISCELLANEOUS.....	467,888
PORK.....	1,094		
CANNED MEATS.....	34,685		
MISCELLANEOUS.....	328,866		
TOTAL.....	908,856	TOTAL.....	3,173,733

^{1/} THESE COMMODITY WEIGHTS ARE ALSO INCLUDED IN TABLE 1.

TABLE 3. COLD STORAGE HOLDINGS, BY GEOGRAPHIC REGIONS, SEPTEMBER 30, 1968

COMMODITY	UNIT	NEW ENGLAND		MIDDLE ATLANTIC		EAST NORTH CENTRAL		WEST NORTH CENTRAL		SOUTH ATLANTIC		EAST SOUTH CENTRAL		WEST SOUTH CENTRAL		MOUNTAIN		PACIFIC		TOTAL
		THOU	THOU	THOU	THOU	THOU	THOU	THOU	THOU	THOU	THOU	THOU	THOU	THOU	THOU	THOU	THOU	THOU	THOU	
FRUITS, VEGETABLES, & NUTS:																				
APPLES, FRESH, TOTAL.....	POUND	55,653	200,141	79,077	102	82,872	1,677	93	53	482,135	901,803									
PEARS, FRESH, TOTAL.....	BCX		91	88		1		1		6,338	6,519									
GRAPES, FRESH.....	POUND		44	100				7		78,391	78,542									
OTHER FRESH FRUITS.....	PCUND	2	1,070	403		214		32	12	1,534	3,267									
DRIEC & EVAPORATED FRUITS.....	POUND	538	10,856	4,787	739	836	778	1,349	3	4,058	23,944									
ONIONS.....	POUND	5	11	112		2		62		4,959	5,151									
CELERY.....	POUND	6	164	27	6	2		5			810									
OTHER FRESH VEGETABLES.....	PCUND	32	5,635	4,109	537	205	248	1,880	18	3,462	16,126									
NUTMEATS, PEANUTS.....	PCUND	293	385	2,236	313	68,028	6,161	18,682		1,089	97,187									
NUTMEATS, OTHER NUTS.....	PCUND	650	5,455	4,032	6,191	3,872	1,348	4,890	252	10,957	37,687									
PEANUTS, IN SHELL.....	PCUND			93	4	2,378		142		9	2,626									
OTHER NUTS IN SHELL.....	PCUND	85	2,805	1,973	1,461	3,032	3,375	5,185	327	1,997	20,244									
DAIRY PRODUCTS:																				
FLUID CREAM.....	PCUND	334	4,297	1,555	97	198	7	116	177	918	7,703									
PLASTIC CREAM.....	PCUND	193	2	241	71	4			81	7	599									
BUTTER.....	PCUND	4,925	21,702	73,174	74,431	2,585	4,826	6,289	960	7,633	196,525									
CHEESE, NATURAL, AMERICAN.....	PCUND	6,426	51,501	202,763	76,501	14,823	12,805	1,149	2,885	10,344	379,197									
CHEESE, SWISS.....	PCUND	15	987	11,743	2,032	146	1	729	326	15	16,004									
CHEESE, OTHER NATURAL.....	PCUND	83	21,099	29,376	1,116	28	9	253	1,812	108	53,884									
EGGS:																				
EGGS, SHELL.....	CASE	2	38	57	10	22	3	7	1	6	146									
EGGS, FROZEN.....	PCUND	2,373	18,162	20,655	32,144	9,015	2,834	6,529	585	7,944	100,241									
POULTRY, FRCZEN:																				
BRCILER CR FRVERS.....	PCUND	452	1,561	609	1,295	5,748	894	2,354	99	4,342	17,394									
ROASTERS.....	PCUND	1,960	679	475	147	2,322	77	217	136	1,658	7,671									
HENS, FGHL.....	PCUND	585	4,528	2,584	12,493	11,098	2,732	1,112	118	1,831	37,081									
TURKEYS, WHCLE BIRDS.....	PCUND	8,279	25,010	59,512	91,041	31,744	12,834	33,360	14,699	65,813	342,292									
TURKEYS, OTHER THAN WHOLE.....	PCUND	212	3,092	4,555	11,509	3,626	183	1,415	281	7,079	31,956									
TURKEYS, TOTAL.....	PCUND	8,491	28,102	64,071	102,550	35,370	13,017	34,775	14,980	72,892	374,248									
DUCKS.....	PCUND	163	1,596	1,002	589	412	75	119	17	693	4,666									
UNCLASSIFIED.....	PCUND	1,047	2,285	5,687	9,880	7,086	2,928	4,537	660	5,192	39,302									
TOTAL FROZEN.....	PCUND	12,738	38,751	74,428	126,954	62,036	19,723	43,114	16,010	86,608	480,362									
FRUITS, FRCZEN:																				
APPLES.....	PCUND	3,282	5,276	14,251	1,126	4,494	129	235	183	6,263	35,239									
APRICOTS.....	PCUND	21	370	863	1,273	23	2	312	207	12,350	15,421									
BLACKBERRIES.....	PCUND	186	1,372	1,918	464	239	30	306	136	22,795	27,446									
BLUEBERRIES.....	PCUND	6,781	5,033	17,635	540	1,034	77	84	70	6,070	37,324									
BOYSENBERRIES.....	PCUND	149	442	381	313	43	7	70	24	8,819	10,248									
CFERRIES.....	PCUND	1,186	17,966	63,288	2,485	1,020	197	449	1,365	6,856	94,812									
GRAPES.....	PCUND		1,269	464		362	9	132	1	1,755	3,992									
PEACFES.....	PCUND	229	6,345	4,450	5,127	9,652	224	1,243	62	50,908	78,240									
RED RASPBERRIES.....	PCUND	365	2,096	1,396	2,008	494	41	224	163	16,651	23,438									
BLACK RASPBERRIES.....	PCUND	41	619	455	77	192		10	14	641	2,049									
STRAWBERRIES.....	PCUND	2,672	15,456	13,232	23,075	3,734	1,068	8,931	1,889	115,293	185,350									
OTHER FRCZEN FRUITS.....	PCUND	10,698	9,799	14,701	2,929	879	617	5,263	2,420	21,377	68,683									
TOTAL FROZEN FRUITS.....	PCUND	25,610	66,043	133,034	39,417	22,166	2,401	17,259	6,534	269,778	582,242									

TABLE 3. CGLC STORAGE HOLDINGS, BY GEOGRAPHIC REGIONS, SEPTEMBER 30, 1968

COMMODITY	UNIT	NEW ENGLAND		MIDDLE ATLANTIC		EAST NORTH CENTRAL		WEST NORTH CENTRAL		SOUTH ATLANTIC		EAST SOUTH CENTRAL		WEST SOUTH CENTRAL		MOUNTAIN		PACIFIC		TOTAL	
		IHQ	THOU	IHQ	THOU	IHQ	THOU	IHQ	THOU	IHQ	THOU	IHQ	THOU	IHQ	THOU	IHQ	THOU	IHQ	THOU	IHQ	THOU
JUICES, FRCZEN:																					
CRANGE JUICE.....	PCUND	3,627	7,486	6,796	2,689	243,353	990	2,218	433	35,244	302,836										
OTHER FRUIT JUICES.....	PCUND	1,611	28,876	12,164	9,656	33,543	454	1,882	817	29,586	118,589										
VEGETABLES, FRCZEN:																					
ASPARAGUS.....	PCUND	431	5,801	888	4,829	2,369	86	123	706	12,147	27,380										
BEANS, FGDHCK LIMA.....	PCUND	281	7,090	1,432	10,997	2,518	296	354	857	32,802	56,627										
BEANS, BABY LIMA.....	PCUND	271	7,098	6,823	6,705	10,370	1,153	615	7,930	34,442	76,207										
BEANS, SNAP, REGULAR CUT..	PCUND	1,090	37,759	10,992	7,585	6,810	4,434	1,310	829	87,986	158,795										
BEANS, SNAP, FRENCH STYLE..	PCUND	541	22,246	1,748	4,105	4,207	1,429	1,521	1,167	23,457	60,421										
BROCCOLI.....	PCUND	1,111	5,263	2,368	16,619	1,453	474	1,430	1,320	41,668	71,706										
BRUSSELS SPRGUTS.....	PCUND	225	2,047	2,062	5,123	553	244	346	605	11,011	22,216										
CARROTS.....	PCUND	202	3,533	4,032	5,361	1,942	144	1,593	346	25,525	42,678										
CAULIFLOWER.....	PCUND	106	1,580	1,251	3,897	456	160	387	585	9,266	17,688										
CORN.....	PCUND	1,814	26,727	26,625	57,515	15,711	1,643	2,662	7,183	152,871	292,751										
MIXED VEGETABLES.....	PCUND	682	4,587	4,469	8,057	998	224	328	626	11,063	31,034										
PEAS, GREEN.....	PCUND	16,521	40,610	41,269	42,036	11,037	1,066	1,393	7,489	238,123	399,544										
PEAS AND CARROTS, MIXED....	PCUND	321	1,420	1,492	3,544	190	97	108	377	6,445	13,994										
POTATOES, FRENCH FRIED....	PCUND	40,252	10,940	15,886	34,458	7,044	3,377	4,603	62,487	59,778	238,825										
SPINACH.....	PCUND	1,465	11,145	2,721	14,336	2,653	904	3,030	4,880	42,739	83,873										
OTHER FRCZEN VEGETABLES....	PCUND	3,169	23,958	12,640	15,370	23,370	50,474	34,739	15,387	30,572	209,679										
TOTAL FRCZEN VEGETABLES	PCUND	68,482	212,404	136,698	240,537	91,881	66,205	54,542	112,774	819,895	1,803,418										
MEATS:																					
BEEF, FRCZEN.....	PCUND	7,873	39,012	46,062	40,529	15,181	6,582	20,381	5,888	43,399	224,907										
BEEF IN CURE AND CURED....	PCUND	15	1,508	1,014	4,303	1,525	832	1,297	1,269	2,214	13,977										
PORK, FRCZEN:																					
PICNICS.....	PCUND	11	250	381	693	181	141	117	92	443	2,309										
HAMS.....	PCUND	276	2,049	7,935	10,427	1,333	1,495	1,900	89	1,043	26,547										
BELLIES.....	PCUND	82	712	8,224	2,980	1,068	513	1,332	284	489	15,684										
LOINS.....	PCUND	714	1,013	1,707	2,790	833	114	290	37	609	8,107										
JOHLS.....	PCUND	74	325	674	728	332	124	283	14	181	2,735										
BUTTS.....	PCUND	78	207	1,389	1,604	304	31	148	2	218	3,981										
SPARERIBS.....	PCUND	61	282	2,067	3,646	244	292	195	54	3,081	9,922										
TRIMMINGS.....	PCUND	393	661	5,012	4,853	1,466	730	1,821	170	1,277	16,383										
OTHER FRCZEN PORK.....	PCUND	1,493	5,892	23,961	30,238	3,515	4,450	4,871	456	8,305	83,181										
PORK IN CGLER:																					
DRY SALT BELLIES.....	PCUND	7	99	1,013	171	83	208	2	99	1,682											
OTHER DRY SALT PORK.....	PCUND	206	364	1,496	246	99	2	2	2	2,413											
OTHER PORK CUTS.....	PCUND	46	1,424	3,343	9,509	4,025	1,848	1,929	119	1,519	23,762										
VEAL, FRCZEN.....	PCUND	502	1,501	1,454	585	664	637	487	454	946	7,230										
LAMB AND MUTTON, FRCZEN....	PCUND	721	2,603	1,566	941	557	244	1,220	112	1,082	9,046										
CANNED FANS.....	PCUND	1,999	13,702	10,548	10,151	1,254	898	1,036	132	3,202	42,922										
OTHER CANNED MEATS.....	PCUND	103	1,601	2,161	9,670	172	39	459	116	1,443	15,764										
TOTAL MEATS.....	PCUND	14,441	72,955	117,961	136,156	33,071	19,152	37,976	9,290	69,550	510,552										
HIDES AND PELTS.....	PCUND	3,552	36	12,203	15,366	1,577	243	2,323	111	3	35,414										

TABLE 4. END OF MONTH SPACE AND OCCUPANCY IN PUBLIC GENERAL WAREHOUSES IN SELECTED CITIES

CITY ^{1/}	NET PILING SPACE REPORTED ^{2/} SEPTEMBER 1968		PERCENTAGE OF NET PILING SPACE OCCUPIED					
			SEPTEMBER 1967		AUGUST 1968		SEPTEMBER 1968 ^{3/}	
	COOLER	FREEZER	COOLER	FREEZER	COOLER	FREEZER	COOLER	FREEZER
	THOUSAND CU. FT.		PERCENT		PERCENT		PERCENT	
NEW ENGLAND								
BOSTON.....	1,482	9,129	82	96	76	85	66	90
MIDDLE ATLANTIC								
BUFFALO.....	1,068	2,389	53	89	21	72	28	75
NEW YORK.....	3,749	7,415	85	85	78	84	79	86
ROCHESTER.....	8,127	7,315	31	70	17	51	32	56
JERSEY CITY.....	3,415	9,501	54	78	67	79	62	77
PHILADELPHIA.....	1,047	4,601	87	82	82	67	72	68
PITTSBURGH.....	1,262	3,138	20	86	27	74	24	74
EAST NORTH CENTRAL								
CINCINNATI.....	^{h/}	^{h/}	81	92	70	81	^{h/}	^{h/}
CLEVELAND.....	2,740	4,855	57	76	72	66	66	67
CHICAGO.....	9,745	19,380	62	83	71	75	67	73
DETROIT.....	2,541	4,440	71	87	72	80	67	81
MILWAUKEE.....	^{h/}	^{h/}	75	80	59	71	^{h/}	^{h/}
WEST NORTH CENTRAL								
MINNEAPOLIS-ST. PAUL	1,010	3,777	91	92	88	94	93	93
ST. LOUIS.....	3,496	4,503	39	68	56	67	53	71
KANSAS CITY.....	7,663	34,694	74	89	74	76	72	77
SOUTH ATLANTIC								
BALTIMORE AND D.C...	783	4,551	59	71	53	59	49	62
NORFOLK.....	968	1,238	73	53	76	62	73	62
RICHMOND.....	622	1,205	79	96	74	94	73	94
EAST SOUTH CENTRAL								
MEMPHIS.....	290	4,131	73	67	51	59	49	59
NASHVILLE.....	965	2,175	91	85	89	67	85	76
WEST SOUTH CENTRAL								
NEW ORLEANS.....	^{h/}	^{h/}	68	38	96	11	^{h/}	^{h/}
DALLAS.....	4,777	5,274	35	73	86	82	86	82
FT. WORTH.....	844	1,154	43	79	39	77	28	82
PACIFIC								
SEATTLE.....	327	3,200		36	97	41	97	98
PORTLAND.....	308	4,029	79	93	82	67	82	70
LOS ANGELES.....	2,846	12,163	87	92	80	84	78	85
SAN FRANCISCO.....	727	3,666	43	79	77	78	74	81
SAN JOSE.....	1,957	4,305	57	64	95	85	72	85

^{1/} SPACE SHOWN INCLUDES PUBLIC WAREHOUSES LOCATED IN THE METROPOLITAN AREA. ^{2/} SPACE REPORTED TO USDA AND TEMPERATURES FIELD ON SEPTEMBER 30, 1968. ^{3/} PRELIMINARY. ^{h/} INSUFFICIENT RETURNS RECEIVED FROM THIS CITY.

TABLE 5. END OF MONTH SPACE AND OCCUPANCY IN PUBLIC GENERAL REFRIGERATED WAREHOUSES

STATE OR GEOGRAPHIC REGION	NET PILING SPACE REPORTED ^{1/} SEPTEMBER 1968		PERCENTAGE OF NET PILING SPACE OCCUPIED							
			SEPTEMBER 1962-66 AV.		SEPTEMBER 1967		AUGUST 1968		SEPTEMBER ^{2/} 1968	
	COOLER	FREEZER	COOLER	FREEZER	COOLER	FREEZER	COOLER	FREEZER	COOLER	FREEZER
	THOUSAND CU. FT.		PERCENT		PERCENT		PERCENT		PERCENT	
MAINE, N.H., AND VT.....	240	4,221	23	62	60	87	37	69	36	71
MASSACHUSETTS.....	2,349	13,212	60	83	79	90	70	76	62	81
R.I. AND CONNECTICUT....	687	2,021	60	78	69	77	57	58	52	71
NEW ENGLAND.....	3,276	19,454	58	78	77	88	65	73	58	78
NEW YORK.....	15,922	22,307	49	74	52	80	41	69	51	73
NEW JERSEY.....	4,067	13,531	52	69	56	78	68	79	65	79
PENNSYLVANIA.....	3,363	8,322	53	70	47	79	41	73	40	72
MIDDLE ATLANTIC.....	23,352	44,160	50	71	52	79	46	73	52	75
OHIO.....	4,488	9,299	62	80	65	83	71	75	67	76
INDIANA.....	662	5,431	61	66	89	87	62	89	60	89
ILLINOIS.....	12,931	21,049	59	72	54	81	65	73	61	71
MICHIGAN.....	4,657	10,410	59	78	55	73	57	76	55	78
WISCONSIN.....	7,746	2,682	69	85	84	82	82	81	78	81
EAST NORTH CENTRAL..	30,484	48,871	62	76	63	80	69	76	65	76
MINNESOTA.....	1,803	8,644	67	77	76	87	84	83	86	89
IOWA.....	532	7,852	51	63	69	83	57	76	66	78
MISSOURI.....	3,963	11,628	60	69	72	79	75	76	70	79
DAKOTAS AND NEBRASKA....	746	3,151	59	68	76	73	73	80	68	81
KANSAS.....	7,887	32,434	67	78	74	89	70	76	69	76
WEST NORTH CENTRAL..	14,931	63,709	64	74	74	85	73	77	71	79
DEL., MARYLAND & D.C....	860	5,900	63	64	61	74	53	63	52	66
VIRGINIA AND WEST VA....	3,812	3,554	46	67	48	75	49	76	51	74
NORTH & SOUTH CAROLINA..	720	3,335	71	84	80	79	53	56	54	54
GEORGIA.....	8,203	7,968	58	69	49	83	63	73	55	71
FLORIDA.....	1,674	16,502	61	47	71	65	69	46	68	34
SOUTH ATLANTIC.....	15,269	37,259	55	58	53	72	59	58	55	53
KENTUCKY.....	800	1,962	51	76	89	84	82	76	80	76
TENNESSEE.....	1,706	10,224	74	73	88	75	85	67	82	70
ALABAMA AND MISSISSIPPI.	2,433	2,475	64	81	55	69	48	67	43	80
EAST SOUTH CENTRAL..	4,939	14,661	67	75	72	75	66	68	63	72
ARKANSAS.....	109	4,735	46	82	40	76	35	77	28	78
LOUISIANA.....	^{4/}	^{4/}	78	73	69	50	96	27	^{4/}	^{4/}
OKLAHOMA.....	265	1,589	45	74	77	77	74	73	49	68
TEXAS.....	8,585	12,151	44	68	48	78	78	75	76	76
WEST SOUTH CENTRAL..	10,041	20,146	48	71	51	75	79	71	76	75
MOUNTAIN.....	1,182	13,128	57	55	82	72	51	50	50	50
WASHINGTON.....	684	28,475	44	70	50	76	30	59	61	65
OREGON.....	1,185	15,543	65	69	63	83	60	51	94	57
CALIFORNIA.....	11,829	35,785	55	76	53	83	71	84	55	85
PACIFIC.....	13,698	79,803	55	72	54	81	69	69	59	72
UNITED STATES ^{3/}	117,172	341,191	57	72	60	80	64	70	62	72

^{1/} SPACE REPORTED TO USDA AND TEMPERATURE HELD AT END OF MONTH.

^{2/} PRELIMINARY.

^{3/} WEIGHTED AVERAGE OCCUPANCY.

^{4/} INSUFFICIENT RETURNS RECEIVED FROM THIS STATE.

Table 6 --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	1,000 cu. ft.	1,000 cu. ft.	1,000 cu. ft.	1,000 cu. ft.	1,000 cu. ft.	1,000 cu. ft.
Maine	58	7,428	2,696	10,124	3,220	95	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	2,878	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	3,333	1,178	4,511	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

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