

# 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. October 31, 1968 data are preliminary.]

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Changes During Past Month

Cold storage stocks of apples, grapes, onions, shell eggs, turkeys, beef, pork, brussels sprouts, carrots, and french fried potatoes increased in October, but stocks of butter, cheese, orange juice, and peas declined according to the Crop Reporting Board.

Holdings for apples were up 1,418 million pounds, grapes 96 million, onions 13 million and shell eggs up 11 thousand cases. Holdings of turkeys were up 117 million pounds, beef up 21 million and total pork 25 million higher. Holdings of brussels sprouts increased 11 million pounds, carrots 35 million and french fried potatoes 67 million pounds.

Stocks of butter declined 33 million pounds and American cheese 27 million. Orange juice stocks dropped 8 million gallons and peas 45 million pounds.

Public Warehouse Occupancy

Cooler rooms on November 1 were 68 percent occupied, 6 points above last month, 4 points above a year earlier and 8 points above average. Occupancy was below last month in the Pacific region, but was higher in all other regions.

Freezer room occupancy on November 1 was 75 percent, up 2 points from last month and average, but 6 points below a year earlier. Utilization was lower than a month earlier in the Pacific region, the same in the West South Central region and above in all other regions.

Cooler and Freezer Stock Changes

Cooler-held stocks totaled 4,031 million pounds, an increase of 1,516 million during October. This is 2 percent above a year earlier. Some of the more significant increases from a month earlier were recorded for fresh apples, grapes, onions, fresh vegetables and nutmeats. Partly offsetting were decreases in fresh pears and cheese.

Stocks in freezer rooms totaled 4,755 million pounds on November 1, up 155 million from October 1. Year-earlier freezer stocks totaled 5,065 million pounds. Increases in turkeys, frozen apples, carrots, corn, french fried potatoes, beef, and pork helped to more than offset decreases in butter, strawberries, orange juice, and green peas.

Meat Products

Stocks of meat totaled 571 million pounds, 54 million more than a month earlier, 84 million above average but 20 million below a year earlier. Frozen pork bellies at 20 million pounds increased 4 million during October. Stocks totaled 32 million pounds a year earlier. Hams at 41 million pounds, increased 14 million during the month. Beef stocks totaled 263 million pounds, 21 million above a month earlier and 8 million more than a year earlier.

### Poultry and Poultry Products

Frozen poultry stocks increased 111 million pounds in October to 603 million pounds. November 1 holdings were 16 percent below a year earlier but 24 percent above average. Turkey holdings were 503 million pounds compared with 386 million last month and 551 million a year earlier. Whole turkeys totaled 467 million pounds. Parts, cut ups, and further processing items totaled 36 million.

Shell eggs increased 11 thousand cases in October to 161 thousand. November 1 stocks were 78 thousand cases below year-earlier holdings but 2 thousand above average. Frozen egg holdings were 93 million pounds, down 5 million from a year earlier and 9 million below October 1.

### Dairy Products

Supplies of creamery butter in refrigerated storage totaled 164 million pounds, 33 million below a month earlier, 37 million below a year earlier, and 35 million below average. Government-owned butter on November 1 totaled 143 million pounds, down 24 million from a month earlier.

American cheese holdings were 350 million pounds, 20 million below a year earlier, but 8 million above average. Stocks were down 27 million from a month earlier, compared with a 16 million decline during October 1967 and an average decline of 24 million.

### Fruits, Juices and Vegetables

Stocks of orange concentrate were 23 million gallons, 8 million below a month earlier. Holdings were down 46 percent from a year earlier and 17 percent below average.

Frozen fruit totaled 580 million pounds, the same as a month earlier but 3 million above a year earlier. The most significant declines in October were recorded for cherries, peaches and strawberries. The most significant increases in frozen fruit holdings were recorded for apples, grapes and "other frozen fruit."

Stocks of fresh apples were 2,326 million pounds compared with 908 million a month earlier and 2,346 million a year earlier.

Frozen vegetable stocks increased 144 million pounds during October to 1,940 million. This was 7 percent above a year earlier and 37 percent above average. Holdings of frozen vegetables (excluding french fries) totaled 1,637 million pounds. Stocks were 5 percent above a month earlier and 9 percent above a year earlier.

Increases in stocks during October were recorded for all frozen vegetables except asparagus, snap beans, mixed vegetables, and green peas. French fried potatoes totaled 302 million pounds, 67 million more than on October 1 but 20 million below a year earlier.

TABLE 1. END OF MONTH COLD STORAGE HOLDINGS AND COMPARISONS

COMMODITY	UNIT	OCTOBER	OCTOBER	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	PERCENTAGE CHANGE		
		1962-66 AV	1967	1968	1968	DURING OCTOBER		
		THOUSAND	THOUSAND	THOUSAND	THOUSAND	5YR AV	1967	1968
						PERCENT		
<b>APPLES, FRESH</b>								
REGULAR STORAGE.....	POUND	**	1,813,518	732,907	1,736,244	**	+271	+137
C. A. STORAGE.....	POUND	**	532,757	174,657	589,551	**	+381	+238
TOTAL APPLES.....	POUND		2,480,263	2,346,275	907,564	+223	+291	+156
<b>PEARS, FRESH</b>								
BARTLETTS.....	BOX	258	346	2,716	166	- 92	- 88	- 94
BARTLETTS.....	L A LUG	49	96	92	22	- 78	- 48	- 76
OTHER VARIETIES.....	BOX	2,945	2,839	3,247	2,149	+ 6	- 22	- 34
OTHER VARIETIES.....	L A LUG	336	421	466	550	+ 8	+ 43	+ 18
TOTAL PEARS.....	BOX	3,588	3,702	6,521	2,887	- 46	- 47	- 56
GRAPES, FRESH.....	POUND	192,270	88,284	78,569	174,721	+147	+ 39	+122
OTHER FRESH FRUITS.....	POUND	5,536	3,431	3,389	1,950	- 30	- 81	- 42
DRIED AND EVAPORATED FRUITS...	POUND	28,949	20,485	23,801	23,726	- 11	- 21	+ 0
ONIONS.....	POUND	21,606	12,015	5,157	17,948	+132	+345	+248
CELERY.....	POUND	1,097	1,061	811	92	- 43	- 34	- 89
OTHER FRESH VEGETABLES.....	POUND	33,146	31,599	16,123	30,940	+118	+103	+ 92
NUTMEATS, PEANUTS.....	POUND	142,049	134,094	101,534	163,015	+ 23	+ 17	+ 61
NUTMEATS, OTHER NUTS.....	POUND	39,185	31,985	36,212	37,877	- 5	- 8	+ 5
PEANUTS, IN SHELL.....	POUND	2,813	3,230	2,770	6,382	- 16	+ 5	+130
OTHER NUTS, IN SHELL.....	POUND	42,328	12,945	20,247	12,525	- 30	- 35	- 38
<b>CREAM, MILK AND BUTTER</b>								
FLUID CREAM.....	POUND	8,287	8,768	7,387	6,146	- 10	- 17	- 17
PLASTIC CREAM, 75-85% B.F....	POUND	1,152	888	633	572	- 20	- 23	- 10
BUTTER, CREAMERY, TOTAL.....	POUND	199,363	200,513	196,523	163,893	- 14	- 6	- 17
GOVERNMENT-OWNED.....	POUND	154,885	168,361	167,470	143,041	- 16	- 5	- 15
CONDENSED MILK, BULK.....	POUND	1,140	1,218	678	463	- 15	- 31	- 32
EVAP. & COND. MILK, CASE GDS	POUND	14,338	31,011	3,346	7,951	- 5	+ 1	+138
<b>CHEESE, NATURAL</b>								
AMERICAN, NATURAL, TOTAL....	POUND	341,348	370,030	377,242	349,756	- 7	- 4	- 7
GOVERNMENT-OWNED.....	POUND	29,526	38,552	36,472	36,009	- 17	+ 0	- 1
SWISS.....	POUND	10,994	12,147	15,908	15,673	- 7	- 9	- 1
ALL OTHER VARIETIES.....	POUND	31,427	37,558	55,317	52,806	- 4	- 6	- 5
TOTAL NATURAL CHEESE.....	POUND	383,769	419,735	448,467	418,235	- 6	- 4	- 7
<b>EGGS</b>								
SHELL.....	CASE	159	239	150	161	- 15	- 6	+ 7
<b>FROZEN</b>								
WHITES.....	POUND	14,472	9,958	10,215	9,490	- 17	- 1	- 7
YOLKS.....	POUND	19,435	23,725	22,640	20,104	- 14	+ 2	- 11
WHOLE OR MIXED.....	POUND	42,191	62,447	64,139	58,845	- 13	- 3	- 8
UNCLASSIFIED.....	POUND	1,813	1,779	5,053	4,640	- 10	- 20	- 8
TOTAL FROZEN EGGS.....	POUND	77,911	97,909	102,047	93,079	- 14	- 2	- 9

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COMMODITY	UNIT	OCTOBER	OCTOBER	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	PERCENTAGE CHANGE		
		1962-66 AV	1967	1968	1968	DURING OCTOBER		
		THOUSAND	THOUSAND	THOUSAND	THOUSAND	5YR AV	1967	1968
						PERCENT		
<b>POULTRY, FROZEN</b>								
BROILERS OR FRYERS.....	POUND	24,312	37,267	18,366	17,997	+ 8	+ 5	- 2
ROASTERS.....	POUND	9,281	12,361	6,624	5,996	+ 6	- 6	- 9
HENS, FOWLS.....	POUND	42,391	64,362	36,655	33,758	+ 19	+ 14	- 8
TURKEYS, WHOLE BIRDS.....	POUND	**	501,373	354,101	466,550	**	+ 26	+ 32
TURKEYS, OTHER.....	POUND	**	49,396	31,842	36,399	**	+ 12	+ 14
TOTAL TURKEYS.....	POUND	360,256	550,769	385,943	502,949	+ 45	+ 25	+ 30
DUCKS.....	POUND	12,614	6,995	5,003	5,269	+ 6	+ 6	+ 5
UNCLASSIFIED.....	POUND	37,462	49,403	39,416	36,945	+ 7	- 1	- 6
TOTAL FROZEN POULTRY.....	POUND	486,316	721,157	492,007	602,914	+ 34	+ 20	+ 23
<b>FRUITS, FROZEN</b>								
APPLES.....	POUND	36,975	35,525	34,866	44,327	+ 29	+ 31	+ 27
APRICOTS.....	POUND	17,403	13,571	14,415	11,642	- 12	- 12	- 19
BLACKBERRIES.....	POUND	23,181	30,851	26,131	22,998	- 6	- 6	- 12
BLUEBERRIES.....	POUND	31,123	41,982	38,339	35,712	- 3	- 4	- 7
BOYSENBERRIES.....	POUND	9,808	13,326	10,710	9,520	- 8	- 6	- 11
CHERRIES.....	POUND	114,772	66,619	99,170	90,461	- 8	- 6	- 9
GRAPES.....	POUND	13,251	13,484	3,999	7,625	+ 56	+124	+ 91
PEACHES.....	POUND	59,907	53,316	76,331	69,715	- 2	+ 8	- 9
RASPBERRIES, RED.....	POUND	27,795	31,301	23,571	20,343	- 9	- 9	- 14
RASPBERRIES, BLACK.....	POUND	5,352	3,510	2,195	1,643	- 9	- 9	- 25
STRAWBERRIES.....	POUND	174,165	178,635	185,769	170,063	- 7	- 7	- 8
OTHER FROZEN FRUITS.....	POUND	61,678	95,541	65,408	96,434	+ 46	+ 62	+ 47
TOTAL FROZEN FRUITS.....	POUND	575,410	577,661	580,904	580,483	- 0	+ 5	+ 0
<b>JUICES, FROZEN</b>								
ORANGE JUICE.....	POUND	272,611	422,938	305,637	227,286	- 20	- 21	- 26
GALLON EQUIVALENT *	GALLON	27,536	42,721	30,872	22,958	- 20	- 21	- 26
OTHER FRUIT JUICES.....	POUND	152,519	172,484	125,155	125,241	+ 6	+ 3	+ 0
<b>VEGETABLES, FROZEN</b>								
ASPARAGUS.....	POUND	21,706	22,823	27,248	24,527	- 9	- 9	- 10
BEANS, FORDHOOK LIMA.....	POUND	61,240	54,162	60,492	66,354	+ 3	+ 2	+ 10
BEANS, BABY LIMA.....	POUND	77,822	89,863	78,695	90,561	+ 16	+ 22	+ 15
BEANS, SNAP, REGULAR CUT....	POUND	116,351	148,898	160,456	150,271	- 4	- 2	- 6
BEANS, SNAP, FRENCH STYLE....	POUND	51,335	61,090	59,801	57,672	- 5	- 11	- 4
BROCCOLI.....	POUND	48,413	63,113	71,916	74,096	+ 23	+ 14	+ 3
BRUSSELS SPROUTS.....	POUND	24,324	28,993	21,744	32,255	+ 65	+ 47	+ 48
CARROTS.....	POUND	43,145	54,385	42,659	77,363	+102	+ 49	+ 81
CAULIFLOWER.....	POUND	21,987	20,039	17,433	24,649	+ 60	+ 32	+ 41
CORN.....	POUND	197,777	286,053	293,941	336,144	+ 10	+ 2	+ 14
MIXED VEGETABLES.....	POUND	21,838	28,073	30,603	28,595	+ 16	+ 13	- 7
PEAS, GREEN.....	POUND	290,573	338,787	395,470	350,903	- 12	- 10	- 11
PEAS AND CARROTS, MIXED.....	POUND	12,731	16,771	14,159	15,247	+ 14	+ 25	+ 8
POTATOES, FRENCH FRIED.....	POUND	200,427	322,653	235,363	302,379	+ 31	+ 29	+ 28
SPINACH.....	POUND	61,842	74,220	82,576	90,680	+ 5	+ 2	+ 10
OTHER FROZEN VEGETABLES.....	POUND	159,703	209,041	203,597	218,064	+ 12	+ 7	+ 7
TOTAL FROZEN VEGETABLES..	POUND	1,411,088	1,818,964	1,796,153	1,939,760	+ 8	+ 6	+ 8
TOTAL FROZEN VEGETABLES EXCLUDING FRENCH FRIES	POUND	1,210,661	1,496,311	1,560,790	1,637,381	+ 5	+ 2	+ 5

\* 42 DEGREE BRIX BASIS 9.9 POUNDS PER GALLON.

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		THOUSAND	THOUSAND	THOUSAND	THOUSAND	5YR AV	1967	1968
<b>MEATS</b>								
<b>BEEF</b>								
FROZEN.....	POUND	206,969	242,608	227,454	247,693	+ 7	+ 2	+ 9
IN CURE AND CURED.....	POUND	14,460	12,323	14,235	15,201	- 4	+ 2	+ 7
TOTAL BEEF.....	POUND	221,429	254,931	241,689	262,894	+ 6	+ 2	+ 9
GOVERNMENT-OWNED..	POUND	11,529	8,348	9,302	9,758	+ 7	+ 4	+ 5
<b>PORK</b>								
<b>FROZEN PORK</b>								
PICNICS.....	POUND	5,061	4,274	2,448	3,631	+ 2	+ 21	+ 48
HAMS.....	POUND	38,530	57,930	27,656	41,297	+ 44	+ 64	+ 49
BELLIES.....	POUND	18,185	32,098	15,809	20,051	+ 25	+ 54	+ 27
LOINS.....	POUND	6,311	6,522	7,928	7,453	+ 1	+ 12	- 6
JOWLS.....	POUND	4,185	4,279	2,925	3,586	- 3	+ 0	+ 23
BUTTS.....	POUND	2,717	4,099	4,045	5,138	- 11	+ 15	+ 27
SPARERIBS.....	POUND	8,052	10,271	10,300	8,896	+ 4	+ 1	- 14
TRIMMINGS.....	POUND	12,379	15,868	16,644	18,439	+ 7	+ 20	+ 11
OTHER PORK.....	POUND	51,399	81,615	82,430	85,458	- 2	+ 9	+ 4
TOTAL FROZEN PORK...	POUND	146,819	216,956	170,185	193,949	+ 12	+ 27	+ 14
<b>COOLER PORK</b>								
DRY SALT BELLIES.....	POUND	3,143	3,808	1,725	2,161	+ 4	+ 28	+ 25
OTHER DRY SALT PORK.....	POUND	3,458	3,426	2,527	2,712	- 1	+ 5	+ 7
OTHER PORK CUTS.....	POUND	24,884	26,262	22,623	22,929	+ 4	+ 5	+ 1
TOTAL COOLER PORK....	POUND	31,485	33,496	26,875	27,802	+ 3	+ 7	+ 3
TOTAL PORK.....	POUND	178,304	250,452	197,060	221,751	+ 10	+ 24	+ 13
GOVERNMENT-OWNED..	POUND	1,941	5,357	4,390	6,210	+ 4	+ 46	+ 41
<b>OTHER MEATS, FROZEN</b>								
VEAL.....	POUND	8,422	10,501	7,236	7,387	+ 7	+ 12	+ 2
LAMB AND MUTTON.....	POUND	14,624	13,067	11,855	11,515	- 2	+ 14	- 3
TOTAL OTHER FROZEN MEATS	POUND	23,046	23,568	19,091	18,902	+ 1	+ 13	- 1
<b>CANNED MEATS, COOLER</b>								
HAMS, CANNED.....	POUND	43,073	44,204	42,673	48,869	+ 8	- 4	+ 15
OTHER CANNED MEATS.....	POUND	20,662	18,063	16,307	18,320	+ 3	+ 2	+ 12
TOTAL CANNED MEATS.....	POUND	63,735	62,267	58,980	67,189	+ 6	- 2	+ 14
TOTAL ALL MEATS..	POUND	486,514	591,218	516,820	570,736	+ 7	+ 10	+ 10
<b>MISCELLANEOUS</b>								
<b>COOLER</b>								
HIDES AND PELTS.....	POUND	50,889	46,926	34,942	35,999	- 2	+ 1	+ 3
OTHER MISC. COOLER	POUND	413,434	477,661	408,748	455,340	+ 16	+ 11	+ 11
TOTAL MISC. COOLER	POUND	464,322	524,587	443,690	491,339	+ 14	+ 10	+ 11
FREEZER .....	POUND	418,124	562,417	576,699	554,808	- 5	- 2	- 4
<b>TOTAL WEIGHT IN:</b>								
COOLER ROOMS.....	POUND	4,338,200	3,951,978	2,514,362	4,030,857	+ 76	+ 72	+ 60
FREEZER ROOMS.....	POUND	4,033,000	5,065,111	4,599,875	4,754,726	+ 4	+ 4	+ 3

\*\* NO HISTORICAL DATA AVAILABLE

TABLE 2. COMMODITIES IN PUBLIC GENERAL COLD STORAGE WAREHOUSES  
OCTOBER 31, 1968 <sup>1/</sup>

COOLER COMMODITIES	THOUSAND POUNDS	FREEZER COMMODITIES	THOUSAND POUNDS
APPLES.....	281,956	CREAM.....	5,776
PEARS.....	44,340	BUTTER.....	155,424
OTHER FRESH FRUITS..	885	EGGS.....	85,731
DRIED & EVAP. FRUITS	21,422	POULTRY.....	537,389
FRESH VEGETABLES....	33,752	FRUITS.....	416,438
NUTMEATS.....	103,825	JUICES.....	128,506
NUTS IN SHELL.....	12,404	VEGETABLES.....	1,177,391
CHEESE NATURAL.....	232,502	BEEF.....	229,689
OTHER DAIRY PRODUCTS	8,249	PORK.....	145,326
SHELL EGGS.....	7,301	OTHER MEATS.....	15,823
BEEF.....	261	MISCELLANEOUS.....	450,073
PORK.....	929		
CANNED MEATS.....	41,465		
MISCELLANEOUS.....	371,611		
TOTAL.....	1,160,902	TOTAL.....	3,347,566

<sup>1/</sup> THESE COMMODITY WEIGHTS ARE ALSO INCLUDED IN TABLE 1.

TABLE 3. END-OF-MONTH APPLE HOLDINGS, BY STATES

STATE	OCTOBER 1962-66 AV	OCTOBER 1967	SEPTEMBER 1968	OCTOBER 1968
	THOUSAND POUNDS			
NEW ENGLAND.....	184,484	182,874	55,959	167,161
NEW YORK.....	357,930	333,654	141,041	338,480
NEW JERSEY.....	37,497	30,360	9,020	50,600
PENNSYLVANIA.....	146,274	164,000	50,080	200,000
OHIO.....	43,243	29,920	7,524	33,000
ILLINOIS.....	11,610	5,097	4,372	10,681
MICHIGAN.....	281,406	259,028	66,000	303,028
VIRGINIA.....	152,891	130,976	72,950	175,048
WEST VIRGINIA.....	52,518	47,614	10,208	34,290
WASHINGTON.....	1,027,402	986,113	400,000	826,368
OREGON.....	52,928	64,170	29,678	60,407
CALIFORNIA.....	94,088	71,028	53,266	97,924
UNITED STATES <sup>1/</sup>	2,480,263	2,346,275	907,564	2,325,795

<sup>1/</sup> INCLUDES TOTALS FOR STATES NOT SHOWN ABOVE.

TABLE 4. COLD STORAGE HOLDINGS, BY GEOGRAPHIC REGIONS, OCTOBER 31, 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	
<b>FRUITS, VEGETABLES, &amp; NUTS:</b>																				
APPLES, FRESH, TOTAL.....	POUND	167,161	589,080	353,113	1,017	223,193	3,890	2,950	692	984,699	2,325,795									
PEARS, FRESH, TOTAL.....	BOX	1	9	17				36		2,824	2,827									
GRAPES, FRESH.....	POUND		60	119				8	1	174,533	174,721									
OTHER FRESH FRUITS.....	POUND	360	248	607	68	528	49	37	77	864	1,950									
DRIED & EVAPORATED FRUITS.....	POUND	2	10,673	3,943	941	137	449	1,083	31	5,718	23,726									
ONIONS.....	POUND		3,324	106				91	43	14,245	17,948									
CELERY.....	POUND		8	56	16	1		7	2	2	92									
OTHER FRESH VEGETABLES.....	POUND	384	13,764	8,886	283	261	273	2,594	40	4,455	30,940									
NUTMEATS, PEANUTS.....	POUND	48	402	1,649	262	115,136	12,722	32,007	83	16,357	163,015									
NUTMEATS, OTHER NUTS.....	POUND	298	4,268	3,812	4,687	3,308	1,646	3,418			37,877									
PEANUTS, IN SHELL.....	POUND			127	7	6,099	55	38		56	6,382									
OTHER NUTS IN SHELL.....	POUND	3	2,165	1,472	677	1,354	1,721	3,472	316	1,345	12,525									
<b>DAIRY PRODUCTS:</b>																				
FLUID CREAM.....	POUND	287	3,619	785	170	209	8	102	171	795	6,146									
PLASTIC CREAM.....	POUND	65	2	202	255	3			43	2	572									
BUTTER.....	POUND	4,022	17,158	59,783	63,155	2,296	4,228	5,326	897	7,028	163,893									
CHEESE, NATURAL, AMERICAN.....	POUND	6,047	50,601	163,126	70,580	14,156	11,205	1,398	2,006	10,635	349,756									
CHEESE, SWISS.....	POUND	6	1,163	11,394	1,812	158		833	290	17	15,673									
CHEESE, OTHER NATURAL.....	POUND	58	21,172	28,020	1,194	40	11	217	1,968	126	52,806									
<b>EGGS:</b>																				
EGGS, SHELL.....	CASE	1	36	68	11	10	7	13		15	161									
EGGS, FROZEN.....	POUND	2,616	16,581	20,665	27,560	8,265	2,754	6,437	407	7,794	93,079									
<b>POULTRY, FROZEN:</b>																				
BROILER OR FRYERS.....	POUND	375	1,346	746	1,325	7,535	939	2,245	92	3,394	17,997									
ROASTERS.....	POUND	1,820	791	555	332	844	78	281	48	1,247	5,996									
HENS, FOWLS.....	POUND	683	3,998	2,876	9,250	11,261	2,126	1,479	153	1,932	33,758									
TURKEYS, WHOLE BIRDS.....	POUND	10,622	35,977	86,794	119,585	44,996	14,756	44,720	24,368	84,732	466,550									
TURKEYS, OTHER THAN WHOLE.....	POUND	968	3,151	3,676	13,673	4,766	252	1,066	281	8,566	36,399									
TURKEYS, TOTAL.....	POUND	11,590	39,128	90,470	133,258	49,762	15,008	45,786	24,649	93,298	502,949									
DUCKS.....	POUND	160	1,597	1,354	651	523	102	128	15	739	5,269									
UNCLASSIFIED.....	POUND	980	2,713	5,162	8,385	7,241	2,922	4,271	741	4,530	36,945									
TOTAL POULTRY.....	POUND	15,608	49,573	101,163	153,201	77,166	21,175	54,190	25,698	105,140	602,914									
<b>FRUITS, FROZEN:</b>																				
APPLES.....	POUND	4,168	9,033	18,350	1,197	4,229	155	259	139	6,797	44,327									
APRICOTS.....	POUND	16	347	748	1,295	25	2	352	195	8,662	11,642									
BLACKBERRIES.....	POUND	126	1,359	1,638	864	250	63	286	64	18,348	22,998									
BLUEBERRIES.....	POUND	6,091	4,885	16,560	581	850	78	69	96	6,502	35,712									
BOYSENBERRIES.....	POUND	131	423	456	288	42	6	59	79	8,036	9,520									
CHERRIES.....	POUND	965	16,259	59,322	2,647	1,009	192	441	1,766	7,860	90,461									
GRAPES.....	POUND		4,035	915	289		12	191	1	7,625	7,625									
PEACHES.....	POUND	290	6,415	4,583	5,579	7,509	176	1,184	47	43,932	69,715									
RED RASPBERRIES.....	POUND	458	1,729	1,384	2,093	647	41	210	159	13,622	20,343									
BLACK RASPBERRIES.....	POUND	22	564	151	150	161	9			586	1,643									
STRAWBERRIES.....	POUND	3,404	15,024	11,809	22,062	3,909	918	7,680	1,750	103,507	170,063									
OTHER FROZEN FRUITS.....	POUND	22,755	9,937	23,542	3,791	1,232	730	4,935	2,158	27,354	96,434									
TOTAL FROZEN FRUITS.....	POUND	38,426	70,010	139,458	40,547	20,152	2,373	15,675	6,454	247,388	580,483									



TABLE 4. COLD STORAGE HOLDINGS, BY GEOGRAPHIC REGIONS, OCTOBER 31, 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	THOU	THOU
<b>JUICES, FROZEN:</b>																					
ORANGE JUICE.....	POUND	3,854	6,315	6,425	2,632	170,761	1,234	1,861	325	33,879	227,286										
OTHER FRUIT JUICES.....	POUND	1,653	37,032	16,042	8,546	31,068	622	1,200	1,246	27,832	125,241										
<b>VEGETABLES, FROZEN:</b>																					
ASPARAGUS.....	POUND	603	5,347	822	4,564	1,589	91	114	629	10,768	24,527										
BEANS, FORDHOOK LIMA.....	POUND	305	7,100	1,398	13,342	1,587	366	351	845	41,060	66,354										
BEANS, BABY LIMA.....	POUND	293	10,423	8,387	7,303	12,586	883	655	7,607	42,414	90,561										
BEANS, SNAP, REGULAR CUT.....	POUND	1,682	37,548	10,940	7,213	6,340	3,584	1,236	727	81,001	150,271										
BEANS, SNAP, FRENCH STYLE.....	POUND	1,185	20,468	1,585	5,029	2,908	1,439	569	1,152	23,337	57,672										
BROCCOLI.....	POUND	1,370	6,104	3,108	14,534	1,118	500	1,263	1,192	44,907	74,096										
BRUSSELS SPROUTS.....	POUND	330	2,938	2,330	6,733	568	700	365	700	17,996	32,255										
CARROTS.....	POUND	330	6,477	9,489	7,118	2,395	235	1,683	1,269	48,367	77,363										
CAULIFLOWER.....	POUND	232	2,534	1,396	4,786	477	183	465	491	14,085	24,649										
CORN.....	POUND	2,546	31,030	30,735	58,074	12,614	1,256	2,823	6,400	190,666	336,144										
MIXED VEGETABLES.....	POUND	709	3,612	4,039	6,674	938	303	361	638	11,321	28,595										
PEAS, GREEN.....	POUND	17,402	36,539	34,927	38,815	8,583	1,060	1,337	4,350	207,890	350,903										
PEAS AND CARROTS, MIXED.....	POUND	353	1,463	1,392	3,666	176	98	128	209	7,762	15,247										
POTATOES, FRENCH FRIED.....	POUND	51,813	12,918	17,627	39,132	8,224	4,475	4,836	91,091	72,263	302,379										
SPINACH.....	POUND	1,661	15,118	2,886	14,348	2,509	945	3,035	4,636	45,542	90,680										
OTHER FROZEN VEGETABLES.....	POUND	2,896	25,107	12,797	17,270	22,902	50,816	37,743	14,466	34,067	218,064										
TOTAL FROZEN VEGETABLES.....	POUND	83,710	224,736	143,858	248,601	85,514	66,529	56,964	136,402	893,446	1,939,760										
<b>MEATS:</b>																					
BEEF, FROZEN.....	POUND	7,632	43,155	52,001	44,127	17,982	7,321	22,143	5,418	47,914	247,693										
BEEF IN CURE AND CURED.....	POUND	13	1,556	1,153	4,618	1,886	967	707	1,816	2,485	15,201										
<b>PORKS, FROZEN:</b>																					
PICNICS.....	POUND	5	291	1,029	1,109	276	66	102	88	665	3,631										
HAMS.....	POUND	359	2,717	13,878	14,932	1,590	2,405	2,551	79	2,786	41,297										
BELLIES.....	POUND	30	925	9,016	6,170	1,428	374	1,174	55	879	20,051										
LOINS.....	POUND	456	1,053	1,444	2,980	894	106	93	73	754	7,453										
JOWLS.....	POUND	56	280	816	1,427	313	33	378	18	265	3,586										
BUTTS.....	POUND	129	160	1,974	2,008	458	36	134	20	219	5,138										
SPARERIBS.....	POUND	68	409	1,851	3,426	252	315	250	38	2,287	8,896										
TRIMMINGS.....	POUND	678	630	6,063	5,533	1,596	736	1,583	164	1,456	18,439										
OTHER FROZEN PORK.....	POUND	1,503	5,157	22,569	35,311	3,607	4,574	4,564	521	7,652	85,458										
<b>PORK IN COOLER:</b>																					
DRY SALT BELLIES.....	POUND		12	72	1,551	201	66	145	9	105	2,161										
OTHER DRY SALT PORK.....	POUND		129	315	1,745	205	92	226			2,712										
OTHER PORK CUTS.....	POUND	51	1,197	3,251	9,673	4,012	1,754	1,176	153	1,662	22,929										
<b>VEAL, FROZEN.....</b>																					
LAMB AND MUTTON, FROZEN.....	POUND	428	1,710	1,490	536	651	642	443	368	1,119	7,387										
CANNED HAMS.....	POUND	819	3,474	2,106	943	674	501	1,691	78	1,129	11,515										
OTHER CANNED MEATS.....	POUND	2,407	14,655	11,161	12,298	1,205	948	1,929	140	4,126	48,869										
OTHER CANNED MEATS.....	POUND	105	1,660	2,574	11,238	200	28	607	88	1,820	18,320										
TOTAL MEATS.....	POUND	14,839	79,170	132,763	159,225	37,430	20,964	39,896	9,126	77,323	570,736										
<b>HIDES AND PELTS.....</b>																					
	POUND	5,065	23	9,459	16,276	1,924	353	2,826	69	4	35,999										

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

CITY <sup>1/</sup>	NET PILING SPACE REPORTED <sup>2/</sup>		PERCENTAGE OF NET PILING SPACE OCCUPIED					
	OCTOBER 1968		OCTOBER 1967		SEPTEMBER 1968		OCTOBER 1968 <sup>3/</sup>	
	COOLER	FREEZER	COOLER	FREEZER	COOLER	FREEZER	COOLER	FREEZER
	THOUSAND CU. FT.		PERCENT		PERCENT		PERCENT	
NEW ENGLAND								
BOSTON.....	1,476	9,129	75	95	66	90	72	94
MIDDLE ATLANTIC								
BUFFALO.....	1,068	2,389	74	92	28	75	59	81
NEW YORK.....	3,669	7,341	80	86	88	84	79	86
ROCHESTER.....	8,227	7,475	80	71	32	56	76	65
JERSEY CITY.....	3,368	9,501	54	75	81	81	85	82
PHILADELPHIA.....	1,086	4,601	83	89	74	69	69	71
PITTSBURGH.....	1,259	3,138	18	86	24	74	24	74
EAST NORTH CENTRAL								
CINCINNATI.....	<sup>h/</sup>	<sup>h/</sup>	74	94	69	82	<sup>h/</sup>	<sup>h/</sup>
CLEVELAND.....	2,737	4,853	62	77	61	68	73	72
CHICAGO.....	9,733	20,164	55	90	64	76	59	78
DETROIT.....	2,528	4,726	74	88	69	84	70	86
MILWAUKEE.....	<sup>h/</sup>	<sup>h/</sup>	75	80	56	71	<sup>h/</sup>	<sup>h/</sup>
WEST NORTH CENTRAL								
MINNEAPOLIS-ST. PAUL	955	3,832	84	96	93	93	89	97
ST. LOUIS.....	3,496	4,466	38	72	53	71	62	79
KANSAS CITY.....	7,635	34,694	75	89	73	77	76	77
SOUTH ATLANTIC								
BALTIMORE AND D.C...	779	4,551	53	73	47	65	48	72
NORFOLK.....	959	1,238	73	54	73	62	79	65
RICHMOND.....	619	1,205	79	96	73	94	77	95
EAST SOUTH CENTRAL								
MEMPHIS.....	290	4,131	72	67	48	57	49	62
NASHVILLE.....	961	2,175	87	88	85	76	80	82
WEST SOUTH CENTRAL								
NEW ORLEANS.....	<sup>h/</sup>	<sup>h/</sup>	68	34	95	98	<sup>h/</sup>	<sup>h/</sup>
DALLAS.....	4,770	5,274	38	78	86	82	86	82
FT. WORTH.....	843	1,154	45	82	30	84	34	91
PACIFIC								
SEATTLE.....	324	3,200		36	97	58	100	58
PORTLAND.....	307	4,029	81	90	82	79	66	82
LOS ANGELES.....	2,784	12,261	87	92	83	87	84	87
SAN FRANCISCO.....	724	3,666	44	84	70	79	67	84
SAN JOSE.....	1,766	4,495	46	70	72	85	59	84

<sup>1/</sup> SPACE SHOWN INCLUDES PUBLIC WAREHOUSES LOCATED IN THE METROPOLITAN AREA. <sup>2/</sup> SPACE REPORTED TO USDA AND TEMPERATURES HELD ON OCTOBER 31, 1968. <sup>3/</sup> PRELIMINARY. <sup>h/</sup> INSUFFICIENT RETURNS RECEIVED FROM THIS CITY.

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

STATE OR GEOGRAPHIC REGION	NET PILING SPACE REPORTED <sup>1/</sup>		PERCENTAGE OF NET PILING SPACE OCCUPIED							
			OCTOBER 1962-66 Av.		OCTOBER 1967		SEPTEMBER 1968		OCTOBER <sup>2/</sup> 1968	
	COOLER	FREEZER	COOLER	FREEZER	COOLER	FREEZER	COOLER	FREEZER	COOLER	FREEZER
	THOUSAND CU. FT.		PERCENT		PERCENT		PERCENT		PERCENT	
MAINE, N.H., AND VT.....	239	4,221	33	61	40	83	36	71	38	70
MASSACHUSETTS.....	2,094	13,466	60	85	75	86	63	81	77	87
R.I. AND CONNECTICUT.....	685	2,021	67	83	69	86	52	71	60	79
NEW ENGLAND.....	3,018	19,708	59	79	72	85	59	78	70	83
NEW YORK.....	15,862	22,870	73	77	77	81	53	72	76	76
NEW JERSEY.....	4,020	13,531	49	71	55	77	81	82	84	83
PENNSYLVANIA.....	3,397	8,322	61	74	53	85	40	72	51	74
MIDDLE ATLANTIC.....	23,279	44,723	67	75	70	81	56	75	74	78
OHIO.....	4,473	9,297	67	85	68	83	65	76	74	80
INDIANA.....	658	5,431	58	74	86	89	60	89	73	90
ILLINOIS.....	12,911	21,832	54	74	47	87	59	74	55	76
MICHIGAN.....	4,581	10,868	76	79	70	76	51	80	73	82
WISCONSIN.....	7,747	2,791	65	86	79	81	78	81	75	75
EAST NORTH CENTRAL..	30,370	50,219	61	78	62	84	63	78	66	79
MINNESOTA.....	1,741	8,699	59	79	72	89	86	89	85	92
IOWA.....	530	7,843	47	67	60	85	66	81	67	85
MISSOURI.....	3,950	11,592	58	71	76	84	71	81	79	85
DAKOTAS AND NEBRASKA....	688	3,443	56	70	86	80	64	74	69	72
KANSAS.....	7,856	32,434	67	79	75	89	70	76	73	76
WEST NORTH CENTRAL..	14,765	64,011	62	75	75	87	72	79	76	81
DEL., MARYLAND & D.C....	857	5,900	59	71	55	76	50	68	51	73
VIRGINIA AND WEST VA....	3,782	3,554	63	72	56	77	51	74	59	77
NORTH & SOUTH CAROLINA..	713	3,325	73	83	81	71	55	55	58	59
GEORGIA.....	8,489	7,271	57	70	57	83	54	73	61	73
FLORIDA.....	1,673	16,502	57	43	71	54	68	35	67	32
SOUTH ATLANTIC.....	15,514	36,552	59	58	59	66	55	53	60	54
KENTUCKY.....	795	1,962	51	79	84	84	81	75	84	76
TENNESSEE.....	1,700	10,224	69	77	87	74	82	69	80	70
ALABAMA AND MISSISSIPPI..	2,433	2,475	63	81	56	58	46	79	59	76
EAST SOUTH CENTRAL..	4,928	14,661	65	78	70	71	64	71	70	72
ARKANSAS.....	108	4,735	39	75	43	91	28	79	34	80
LOUISIANA.....	<sup>h/</sup>	<sup>h/</sup>	85	79	69	47	95	97	<sup>h/</sup>	<sup>h/</sup>
OKLAHOMA.....	263	1,589	42	79	78	78	49	68	52	69
TEXAS.....	8,568	12,151	45	67	51	81	76	76	77	77
WEST SOUTH CENTRAL..	10,021	20,146	51	73	53	79	77	78	78	78
MOUNTAIN.....	1,177	13,128	60	66	87	86	51	52	65	56
WASHINGTON.....	678	28,509	48	73	49	80	61	67	66	65
OREGON.....	984	16,509	69	72	75	82	94	71	88	71
CALIFORNIA.....	11,701	36,060	46	77	51	84	56	85	54	85
PACIFIC.....	13,363	81,078	49	75	53	82	60	76	57	75
UNITED STATES <sup>3/</sup> .....	116,435	344,226	60	73	64	81	62	73	68	75

<sup>1/</sup>SPACE REPORTED TO USDA AND TEMPERATURE HELD AT END OF MONTH.

<sup>2/</sup> PRELIMINARY

<sup>3/</sup> WEIGHTED AVERAGE OCCUPANCY.

<sup>4/</sup> INSUFFICIENT RETURNS RECEIVED FROM THIS STATE.

Table 7. --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.
Maine .....	58	1,000 7,428	2,000 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	2,878	3,937	1,045	425	1,470
New England .....	395	25,367	18,181	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.



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