

cold storage



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Changes During January

Cold storage stocks increased during January for orange juice, frozen apples, and french-fried potatoes. Commodities showing decreases included fresh apples, butter, cheese, turkeys, strawberries, corn, green peas, beef, and pork.

Increases in stocks during January were orange juice 8 million gallons, frozen apples 8 million pounds, and french-fried potatoes 20 million pounds.

Decreases in stocks from a month earlier included fresh apples 491 million pounds, butter 21 million, cheese 6 million, turkeys 11 million, strawberries 16 million, corn 37 million, green peas 33 million, beef 11 million, and pork 23 million pounds.

Total Cooler and Freezer Stocks

Stocks of all commodities in cooler space totaled 3,027 million pounds on February 1, down 483 million pounds from January 1 but only 11 million pounds above a year earlier. Total freezer stocks were 4,684 million pounds, down 3 percent from the previous month and 3 percent below a year earlier.

Public Warehouse Occupancy

Cooler space in public warehouses was 60 percent occupied on February 1, down 2 points from January 1 and 1 point below a year earlier. Compared with January 1, cooler occupancy increased in the New England and South Atlantic Regions, declined in the Middle Atlantic, East North Central and Pacific Regions, and held steady in all other regions.

Freezer space was 67 percent occupied on February 1, down 1 point from last month and 3 points below a year ago. Freezer occupancy increased in New England and the West South Central Regions, was unchanged in the South Atlantic Region, and declined in all other regions.

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(Data for this report are collected from public, private, and semi-private warehouses, apple houses, and meat packing plants in the 48 States where food products are generally stored for 30 days or more. Commodities in space owned or leased and operated by the armed service are not reported. January 31, 1972 data are preliminary.)

Meat Products

Beef stocks totaled 354 million pounds on February 1, down 11 million pounds from January 1 but 28 million more than a year earlier. Total pork holdings of 308 million pounds were down 23 million from a month earlier and 45 million less than February 1, 1971. Frozen pork bellies totaled 84 million pounds, 2 million less than last month but 2 million above a year earlier. Hams, at 23 million pounds, were up 8 million from a month earlier, but 10 million less than a year ago.

Poultry and Poultry Products

Total frozen poultry stocks, at 359 million pounds, were down 19 million pounds from January 1 and 11 million less than a year ago. Total turkey stocks were 212 million pounds, down 5 percent from a month earlier but 2 percent above a year earlier. Total frozen chicken stocks are being published for the first time and were 142 million pounds. Total frozen chicken stocks include broilers, fryers and roasters, hens, and a new item, other frozen chicken. Beginning with this publication stocks of unclassified frozen poultry are included in total frozen chicken for previous years.

Fruits, Juices, and Vegetables

Stocks of orange juice concentrate (45° brix equivalent) totaled 37 million gallons on February 1, up 8 million gallons from January 1, but down 9 million from a year earlier.

Fresh apple holdings totaled 1,604 million pounds on February 1, 491 million below last month but 28 million more than on January 1, 1971.

Stocks of frozen fruit totaled 539 million pounds on February 1, down 44 million from January 1 and 35 million below a year earlier. Only frozen apples gained during January. The largest volume decline was for strawberries.

Frozen vegetable stocks (excluding frozen potatoes) totaled 1,085 million pounds on February 1, down 156 million from January 1 and 65 million below a year earlier.

French fry stocks totaled 592 million pounds on February 1, up 20 million pounds from January 1, and 39 million pounds above a year ago.

TABLE 1. STOCKS IN COLD STORAGE AT END OF MONTH, 48 STATES

COMMODITY	UNIT	JANUARY	JANUARY	DECEMBER	JANUARY	PERCENTAGE CHANGE		
		1970	1971	1971	1972	DURING JANUARY		
		THOUSAND	THOUSAND	THOUSAND	THOUSAND	1970	1971	1972
APPLES, FRESH								
REGULAR STORAGE.....	POUND	1,013,460	822,808	1,255,108	818,945	-33	-31	-35
C. A. STORAGE.....	POUND	710,825	752,665	839,716	784,587	-2	-4	-7
TOTAL APPLES.....	POUND	1,724,285	1,575,473	2,094,824	1,603,532	-23	-20	-23
PEARS, FRESH								
BARTLETTS.....	BOX	8		5	3	-56	-100	-40
BARTLETTS.....	L A LUG							
OTHER VARIETIES.....	BOX	1,882	995	2,678	2,209	-18	-35	-18
OTHER VARIETIES.....	L A LUG	199	265	338	229	-39	-30	-32
TOTAL PEARS.....	POUND	100,470	57,700	144,290	117,470	-20	-35	-19
GRAPES, FRESH.....								
OTHER FRESH FRUITS.....	POUND	76,196	28,307	24,507	15,010	-34	-48	-39
	POUND	2,265	781	330	459	+1	-28	+39
DRIED AND EVAPORATED FRUITS...								
ONIONS.....	POUND	33,081	26,289	22,847	23,553	-13	+3	+3
OTHER FRESH VEGETABLES.....	POUND	18,797	19,340	17,032	15,704	+2	+7	-8
	POUND	27,190	24,398	33,252	27,942	-25	-26	-16
NUTMEATS, PEANUTS.....								
NUTMEATS, PECANS.....	POUND	319,163	329,534	252,734	280,189	+12	+9	+11
NUTMEATS, OTHER NUTS.....	POUND	7,540	9,774	7,995	9,239	+14	+16	+16
	POUND	34,531	46,611	23,874	28,029	+16	+17	+17
PEANUTS, IN SHELL.....	POUND	15,417	15,382	10,104	15,187	+37	+16	+50
PECANS IN SHELL.....	POUND	80,659	44,692	53,409	81,238	+1	+52	+52
OTHER NUTS, IN SHELL.....	POUND	13,948	17,261	4,033	5,643	+23	+40	+40
CREAM, TOTAL.....								
BUTTER, CREAMERY, TOTAL.....	POUND	7,848	6,023	4,131	4,395	+3	+14	+6
GOVERNMENT-OWNED.....	POUND	77,359	119,258	96,847	76,154	-13	+0	-21
	POUND	51,309	94,727	70,685	55,408	-19	-4	-22
EVAP AND COND MILK, TOTAL.....								
CHEESE, NATURAL	POUND	8,360	1,709	3,364	3,230	-13	+33	-4
AMERICAN, NATURAL, TOTAL....								
GOVERNMENT-OWNED.....	POUND	249,614	255,141	238,900	231,329	-6	+0	-3
SWISS.....	POUND	710	839	3,259	3,299	-33	-34	+1
ALL OTHER VARIETIES.....	POUND	9,984	12,542	7,191	7,040	-3	-1	-2
	POUND	38,426	53,219	55,900	57,492	-8	-8	+3
TOTAL NATURAL CHEESE.....	POUND	298,024	320,902	301,991	295,861	-6	-1	-2
EGGS								
SHELL.....	CASE	46	60	60	46	-10	+18	-23
FROZEN								
WHITES.....	POUND	6,706	6,105	9,625	9,576	+8	+1	-1
YOLKS.....	POUND	12,280	12,710	18,397	18,025	-6	-2	-2
WHOLE OR MIXED.....	POUND	20,090	28,639	42,719	40,151	-7	-3	-6
UNCLASSIFIED.....	POUND	1,467	1,499	3,081	2,868	-17	-0	-7
TOTAL FROZEN EGGS.....	POUND	40,543	48,953	73,822	70,620	-5	-2	-4

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TABLE 1. STOCKS IN COLD STORAGE AT END OF MONTH: 48 STATES CONTINUED

COMMODITY	UNIT	JANUARY	JANUARY	DECEMBER	JANUARY	PERCENTAGE CHANGE		
		1970	1971	1971	1972	DURING JANUARY		
		THOUSAND	THOUSAND	THOUSAND	THOUSAND	1970	1971	1972
						PERCENT		
POULTRY, FROZEN								
BROILERS, FRYERS, ROASTERS	POUND	37,162	47,077	39,803	39,800	+ 10	- 10	- 0
HENS, MATURE CHICKENS	POUND	28,242	52,292	45,212	49,400	+ 2	+ 1	+ 9
OTHER FROZEN CHICKEN 1/	POUND	40,560	57,132	63,401	52,566	- 16	- 4	- 17
TOTAL FROZEN CHICKEN	POUND	105,964	156,501	148,416	141,766	- 3	- 4	- 4
TURKEYS, WHOLE BIRDS	POUND	133,138	165,719	184,230	172,327	- 18	- 8	- 6
TURKEYS, OTHER	POUND	28,987	41,423	38,881	39,440	- 3	+ 5	+ 1
TOTAL FROZEN TURKEYS	POUND	162,125	207,142	223,111	211,767	- 16	- 5	- 5
DUCKS	POUND	4,361	6,390	6,709	5,835	- 11	- 21	- 13
TOTAL FROZEN POULTRY	POUND	272,450	370,033	378,236	359,368	- 11	- 5	- 5
FRUITS, FROZEN								
APPLES	POUND	101,864	91,907	68,537	76,836	+ 19	+ 13	+ 12
APRICOTS	POUND	11,996	11,245	9,143	8,019	- 7	- 8	- 12
BLACKBERRIES	POUND	16,976	19,799	16,275	13,137	- 3	- 10	- 19
BLUEBERRIES	POUND	33,283	21,300	25,044	21,461	- 4	- 15	- 14
BOYSENBERRIES	POUND	5,779	5,597	3,988	3,315	- 12	- 16	- 17
CHERRIES	POUND	83,036	70,967	95,057	86,872	- 10	- 17	- 9
GRAPES	POUND	5,385	6,800	6,649	5,383	- 0	+ 53	- 19
PEACHES	POUND	53,311	40,716	45,466	41,419	- 5	- 9	- 9
RASPBERRIES, RED	POUND	18,847	14,415	13,448	11,759	- 10	- 17	- 13
RASPBERRIES, BLACK	POUND	2,235	2,482	1,407	1,327	- 26	- 6	- 6
STRAWBERRIES	POUND	116,525	153,650	151,883	135,492	- 9	- 8	- 11
OTHER FROZEN FRUITS	POUND	114,292	135,480	145,943	134,090	- 7	- 7	- 8
TOTAL FROZEN FRUITS	POUND	563,529	574,338	582,840	539,110	- 4	- 6	- 8
JUICES, FROZEN								
ORANGE JUICE	POUND	401,555	462,657	287,193	372,390	+ 43	+ 43	+ 30
GALLON EQUIVALENT *	GALLON	40,047	46,141	28,642	37,139	+ 43	+ 43	+ 30
OTHER FRUIT JUICES	POUND	149,566	157,613	169,311	179,298	+ 18	+ 8	+ 6
VEGETABLES, FROZEN								
ASPARAGUS	POUND	10,191	6,468	10,873	9,466	- 22	- 21	- 13
BEANS, FORDHOOK LIMA	POUND	55,343	37,903	30,810	28,006	- 11	- 5	- 9
BEANS, BABY LIMA	POUND	71,667	59,370	57,430	48,964	- 13	- 15	- 15
BEANS, GREEN, REGULAR CUT	POUND	106,112	87,057	87,632	71,941	- 11	- 14	- 18
BEANS, GREEN, FRENCH STYLE	POUND	34,933	35,836	46,485	38,583	- 17	- 14	- 17
BROCCOLI, SPEARS 2/	POUND				33,141			
BROCCOLI, CHOPPED AND CUTS 2/	POUND				21,368			
TOTAL BROCCOLI	POUND	42,528	54,365	63,806	54,509	- 17	- 14	- 15
BRUSSELS SPROUTS	POUND	35,788	27,511	35,091	31,716	- 4	- 16	- 10
CARROTS	POUND	88,890	99,299	99,590	83,718	- 10	- 10	- 16
CAULIFLOWER	POUND	40,033	33,798	32,387	32,749	- 12	- 15	+ 1
CORN, CUT	POUND	232,436	166,164	148,804	124,561		- 12	- 16
CORN, COB	POUND	44,605	41,931	70,816	57,433		- 16	- 18
MIXED VEGETABLES	POUND	31,118	32,669	30,906	31,475	- 5	+ 1	+ 2
OKRA 2/	POUND				26,813			
PEAS, BLACKEYE 2/	POUND				7,134			
PEAS, GREEN	POUND	235,932	207,662	209,606	176,224	- 15	- 13	- 16
PEAS AND CARROTS, MILKED	POUND	14,202	14,812	13,204	13,523	- 1	+ 1	+ 2
SPINACH	POUND	26,698	31,672	43,630	35,961	- 28	- 21	- 18
SOUTHERN GREENS 2/	POUND				24,845			
OTHER FROZEN VEGETABLES 3/ 4/	POUND	201,162	212,815	260,145	187,196			
TOTAL FROZEN VEGETABLES 3/	POUND	1,271,638	1,149,332	1,240,415	1,084,817			- 13
FRENCH FRIED POTATOES 3/	POUND	459,469	552,222	571,878	591,709	+ 4	+ 1	+ 3
OTHER FROZEN POTATOES 2/	POUND		64,498	86,762	90,004			+ 4
TOTAL FROZEN POTATOES 2/	POUND		616,720	658,640	681,713			+ 4

*45 DEGREE BRIX BASIS 10.027 POUNDS PER GALLON.
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COMMODITY	UNIT	JANUARY	JANUARY	DECEMBER	JANUARY	PERCENTAGE CHANGE		
		1970	1971	1971	1972	DURING JANUARY		
		THOUSAND	THOUSAND	THOUSAND	THOUSAND	1970	1971	1972
						PERCENT		
MEATS								
FROZEN BEEF								
BONELESS BEEF 2/	POUND				289,176			
BEEF CUTS 2/	POUND				56,315			
TOTAL FROZEN BEEF	POUND	357,440	315,880	356,420	345,491	+ 5	- 3	- 3
BEEF IN COOLER	POUND	10,896	9,801	8,227	8,289	- 12	- 17	+ 1
TOTAL BEEF	POUND	368,336	325,681	364,647	353,780	+ 4	- 4	- 3
GOVERNMENT-OWNED	POUND	13,294	6,512	5,043	5,431	- 33	+ 2	+ 8
FROZEN PORK								
PICNICS	POUND	2,413	5,931	5,026	4,305	- 46	- 23	- 14
HAMS	POUND	19,142	33,079	15,646	23,107	+131	+ 66	+ 48
BELLIES	POUND	37,017	82,823	86,325	84,372	- 4	+ 8	- 2
LOINS	POUND	9,038	17,043	15,272	10,199	- 2	- 11	- 33
SPARERIBS	POUND	14,976	27,526	25,323	26,950	+ 7	+ 9	+ 6
TRIMMINGS 5/	POUND	28,849	34,184	39,480	31,809	- 17	- 1	- 19
OTHER PORK IN FREEZER 6/	POUND	75,329	126,898	123,040	106,361	- 4	- 2	- 14
TOTAL FROZEN PORK	POUND	186,764	327,484	310,112	287,103	- 0	+ 5	- 7
PORK IN COOLER								
DRY SALT PORK 7/	POUND	4,069	4,092	4,566	3,926	- 23	- 1	- 14
OTHER PORK IN COOLER	POUND	19,604	20,998	15,710	16,821	+ 9	+ 7	+ 7
TOTAL PORK IN COOLER	POUND	23,673	25,090	20,276	20,747	+ 2	+ 6	+ 2
TOTAL PORK	POUND	210,437	352,574	330,388	307,850	- 0	+ 5	- 7
GOVERNMENT-OWNED	POUND	2,563	5,047	3,793	3,955	- 51	+ 24	+ 4
OTHER MEATS, FROZEN								
VEAL	POUND	10,671	9,226	8,964	9,199	+ 8	+ 6	+ 3
LAMB AND MUTTON	POUND	17,074	20,526	19,260	16,442	+ 6	+ 6	- 15
TOTAL OTHER FROZEN MEATS	POUND	27,745	29,752	28,224	25,641	+ 7	+ 6	- 9
CANNED MEATS, COOLER								
HAMS, CANNED	POUND	36,935	44,274	52,862	64,370	+ 19	+ 21	+ 22
OTHER CANNED MEATS	POUND	16,597	18,377	18,721	16,525	+ 2	- 8	- 1
TOTAL CANNED MEATS	POUND	53,532	62,651	71,583	82,895	+ 13	+ 10	+ 16
TOTAL ALL MEATS	POUND	660,050	770,658	794,842	770,166	+ 4	+ 2	- 3
MISCELLANEOUS								
COOLER								
HIDES AND PELTS	POUND	21,664	16,657	10,126	11,505	+ 1	- 6	+ 14
OTHER MISC. COOLER	POUND	356,071	381,198	403,010	379,282	- 4	- 3	- 6
TOTAL MISC. COOLER	POUND	377,735	397,855	413,136	390,787	- 4	- 3	- 5
FREEZER	POUND	609,142	646,815	652,667	657,672	- 5	- 4	+ 1
TOTAL WEIGHT IN:								
COOLER ROOMS	POUND	3,227,916	3,016,360	3,510,619	3,027,159	- 15	- 13	- 14
FREEZER ROOMS	POUND	4,425,048	4,824,858	4,838,858	4,683,772	- 2	- 1	- 3

1/ PRIOR TO 1972, REPORTED AS UNCLASSIFIED FROZEN POULTRY--INCLUDED IN TOTAL CHICKEN. 2/ SEPARATE DATA NOT AVAILABLE FOR EARLIER YEARS. 3/ NOT COMPARABLE PRIOR TO 1971 WHEN OTHER FROZEN POTATOES WERE ADDED AS A SEPARATE ITEM. 4/ NOT COMPARABLE PRIOR TO 1972 WHEN OKRA, BLACK EYE PEAS AND SOUTHERN GREENS WERE ADDED AS SEPARATE ITEMS. 5/ INCLUDES JOWLS REPORTED SEPARATELY PRIOR TO 1972. 6/ INCLUDES BUTTS REPORTED SEPARATELY PRIOR TO 1972. 7/ INCLUDES DRY SALT BELLIES REPORTED SEPARATELY PRIOR TO 1972.

TABLE 2. STOCKS IN PUBLIC GENERAL COLD STORAGE WAREHOUSES, 48 STATES
JANUARY 31, 1972 1/

COOLER COMMODITIES	THOUSAND POUNDS	FREEZER COMMODITIES	THOUSAND POUNDS
APPLES.....	110,295	CREAM.....	3,941
PEARS.....	6,520	BUTTER.....	74,536
OTHER FRESH FRUITS..	302	EGGS.....	64,767
DRIED & EVAP. FRUITS	22,748	POULTRY.....	300,302
FRESH VEGETABLES....	27,676	FRUITS.....	383,003
NUTMEATS.....	197,516	JUICES.....	145,436
NUTS IN SHELL.....	66,698	VEGETABLES.....	996,385
CHEESE NATURAL.....	129,705	BEEF.....	323,787
OTHER DAIRY PRODUCTS	2,871	PORK.....	245,645
SHELL EGGS.....	1,872	OTHER MEATS.....	20,728
BEEF.....	882	MISCELLANEOUS.....	541,202
PORK.....	3,255	TOTAL.....	3,099,732
CANNED MEATS.....	55,747		
MISCELLANEOUS.....	214,612		
TOTAL.....	840,699		

1/ THESE COMMODITY WEIGHTS ARE INCLUDED IN TABLE 1.

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

STATE	JANUARY 1970	JANUARY 1971	DECEMBER 1971	JANUARY 1972
	THOUSAND POUNDS			
NEW ENGLAND.....	101,934	99,405	159,657	114,385
NEW YORK.....	210,514	217,360	292,120	217,040
NEW JERSEY.....	27,000	22,320	36,872	29,744
PENNSYLVANIA.....	104,500	82,236	149,028	80,651
OHIO.....	18,440	19,640	33,176	21,824
ILLINOIS.....	11,132	5,962	7,027	3,574
MICHIGAN.....	154,616	159,000	233,552	174,064
VIRGINIA.....	89,177	86,935	161,202	120,744
WEST VIRGINIA.....	19,106	33,972	49,844	26,708
WASHINGTON.....	831,829	732,314	778,688	676,256
OREGON.....	70,958	33,646	66,638	45,244
CALIFORNIA.....	56,350	65,235	94,271	71,401
48 STATES 1/...	1,724,285	1,575,473	2,094,824	1,603,532

1/ INCLUDES TOTALS FOR ALL STATES NOT SHOWN ABOVE.

TABLE 4. STOCKS IN COLD STORAGE, BY REGIONS, JANUARY 31, 1972

COMMODITY	UNIT	NEW ENGLAND		MIDDLE ATLANTIC		EAST NORTH CENTRAL		WEST NORTH CENTRAL		SOUTH ATLANTIC		EAST SOUTH CENTRAL		WEST SOUTH CENTRAL		MOUNTAIN		PACIFIC		48 STATES	
		THOU	THOU	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	114,385	203,824	1,175	157,654	2,381	539	4,038	792,901	1,603,532											
PEARS, FRESH, TOTAL.....	POUND		1,400	90	500		100	50	115,130	117,470											
GRAPES, FRESH.....	POUND		16						14,994	15,010											
OTHER FRESH FRUITS.....	POUND	5	82	521	48	16	194	43	6	459											
DRIED & EVAPORATED FRUITS:																					
ONIONS.....	POUND	8	1,183				220		11,884	15,704											
OTHER FRESH VEGETABLES.....	POUND	33	5,292	363	984	12	682	112	4,173	27,942											
NUTMEATS, PEANUTS.....	POUND		779	156	198,132	29,761	51,164		130	283,189											
NUTMEATS, OTHER NUTS.....	POUND	3	764	114	3,517	903	2,518	591	789	9,239											
PEANUTS, IN SHELL.....	POUND	155	3,565	814	366	176	839	406	18,379	28,329											
OTHER NUTS IN SHELL.....	POUND	17	244	1,229	40,857	8,733	28,178	1,954	71	15,197											
CREAM, TOTAL.....	POUND	42	1,759	156	1,262	67	207	5	422	5,643											
BUTTER.....	POUND	3,729	6,506	24,214	3,633	1,244	3,702	636	10,816	76,154											
EVAP AND COND MILK, TOTAL.....	POUND	691	772	82	1,026		347		297	3,231											
CHEESE, NATURAL, AMERICAN.....	POUND	6,196	34,928	130,988	46,776	680	622	2,177	6,488	231,329											
CHEESE, SWISS.....	POUND	7	161	1,456	48	2	1,310	508	3	7,040											
CHEESE, OTHER NATURAL.....	POUND	5	6,231	2,896	56	6	301	7	288	57,492											
EGGS:																					
EGGS, SHELL.....	CASE	5,854	2	5	17	2	7	1		46											
EGGS, FROZEN.....	POUND		10,568	14,545	8,971	3,874	5,599	564	11,987	70,620											
POULTRY, FROZEN:																					
BROILER, FRYERS, AND ROASTERS	POUND	4,674	1,874	1,778	10,685	3,051	7,101	510	7,984	39,800											
HENS, FOWLS.....	POUND	636	2,192	19,177	16,612	3,868	2,269	175	1,442	49,400											
OTHER FROZEN CHICKEN.....	POUND	3,375	4,996	4,626	11,304	10,576	6,599	988	5,195	52,566											
CHICKEN, TOTAL.....	POUND	8,685	9,062	25,581	38,601	17,495	15,969	1,673	14,621	141,766											
TURKEYS, WHOLE BIRDS.....	POUND	5,848	15,274	36,893	20,734	4,027	20,575	16,523	35,172	172,327											
TURKEYS, OTHER THAN WHOLE.....	POUND	616	2,106	9,959	7,783	1,052	3,118	2,998	6,517	39,440											
TURKEYS, TOTAL.....	POUND	6,464	17,380	46,852	28,517	5,079	23,693	19,521	41,689	211,767											
DUCKS.....	POUND	87	3,009	173	355	27	88	2	539	5,835											
TOTAL POULTRY.....	POUND	15,236	29,451	72,606	67,473	22,601	39,750	21,196	56,849	359,368											
FRUITS, FROZEN:																					
APPLES.....	POUND	8,116	17,773	31,319	10,863	29	423	212	7,380	70,836											
APRICOTS.....	POUND	6	198	795	68	40	621		5,389	8,019											
BLACKBERRIES.....	POUND	44	561	859	303	85	381	240	10,236	13,137											
BLUEBERRIES.....	POUND	4,950	3,846	9,311	393	47	46	188	1,473	21,461											
BOYSENBERRIES.....	POUND	15	43	235	8	6	5	31	2,890	3,315											
CHERRIES.....	POUND	379	17,356	1,624	1,446	319	423	2,689	7,878	86,182											
GRAPES.....	POUND		1,506	914	1,134	34	309		1,495	5,383											
PEACHES.....	POUND	280	1,948	5,054	7,149	547	1,295	135	22,431	41,419											
RED RASPBERRIES.....	POUND	320	1,018	897	101	59	164	94	8,176	11,759											
BLACK RASPBERRIES.....	POUND	21	288	349	20	15	2	14	546	1,327											
STRAWBERRIES.....	POUND	2,194	7,756	9,962	2,908	609	14,085	3,100	80,197	135,492											
OTHER FROZEN FRUITS.....	POUND	3,966	11,368	36,395	2,077	357	5,085	540	43,952	134,090											
TOTAL FROZEN FRUITS.....	POUND	47,291	63,652	150,848	26,470	2,147	22,773	7,243	192,043	539,111											

TABLE 4. STOCKS IN COLD STORAGE, BY REGIONS, JANUARY 31, 1972

COMMODITY	UNIT	THOU										48 STATES
		NEW ENGLAND	MIDDLE ATLANTIC	EAST NORTH CENTRAL	WEST NORTH CENTRAL	SOUTH ATLANTIC	EAST SOUTH CENTRAL	WEST SOUTH CENTRAL	MOUNTAIN	PACIFIC		
JUICES, FROZEN:												
ORANGE JUICE.....	POUND	1,226	4,255	4,395	1,689	333,473	499	3,150	405	23,298		372,390
OTHER FRUIT JUICES.....	POUND	1,527	40,070	14,549	20,400	61,486	818	2,314	1,820	36,814		179,298
VEGETABLES, FROZEN:												
ASPARAGUS.....	POUND	465	2,212	683	1,795	296	42	130	184	3,659		9,466
BEANS, FURDHOOK LIMA.....	POUND	320	3,213	562	3,023	2,794	156	108	538	17,292		28,006
BEANS, BABY LIMA.....	POUND	280	7,561	4,221	3,511	8,220	1,373	214	1,205	22,379		48,964
BEANS, GREEN, REGULAR CUT.....	POUND	769	18,854	6,413	4,997	3,278	4,997	843	676	34,635		71,941
BEANS, GREEN, FRENCH STYLE.....	POUND	750	13,530	1,979	1,825	2,472	791	319	237	16,680		38,583
BROCCOLI.....	POUND	1,135	3,074	3,099	5,802	2,036	347	1,385	1,340	35,291		54,509
BUSSELS SPROUTS.....	POUND	263	2,643	1,438	3,980	652	121	121	255	22,239		31,716
CARFOTS.....	POUND	536	10,832	10,609	9,438	4,436	144	837	1,567	45,949		83,718
CAULIFLOWER.....	POUND	534	2,561	1,376	4,225	887	86	384	722	21,974		32,749
CORN, CUT.....	POUND	1,315	15,759	15,054	27,850	5,051	1,288	703	1,586	55,955		124,561
CORN, COB.....	POUND	665	5,010	4,548	10,556	1,267	263	276	1,042	33,806		57,433
MIXED VEGETABLES.....	POUND	931	5,354	2,389	6,747	1,818	402	179	2,802	10,853		31,475
PEAS, GREEN.....	POUND	8,052	13,334	15,437	14,227	8,569	395	736	3,302	112,172		176,224
PEAS AND CARROTS, MIXED.....	POUND	408	2,333	749	2,942	437	24	45	438	6,147		13,523
SPINACH.....	POUND	832	3,670	1,845	4,948	2,813	921	2,164	1,183	17,385		35,961
OTHER FROZEN VEGETABLES 1/.....	POUND	4,308	41,185	10,547	13,807	34,100	35,509	45,414	6,823	54,295		245,988
TOTAL FROZEN VEGETABLES.....	POUND	21,533	151,325	80,349	120,673	79,126	43,342	53,858	23,900	510,711		1,084,817
FRENCH FRIED POTATOES.....	POUND	71,908	20,121	56,767	88,917	13,670	4,512	7,478	175,449	152,887		391,709
OTHER FROZEN POTATOES.....	POUND	8,345	3,197	4,200	15,335	3,248	591	1,166	24,175	29,747		90,004
MEATS:												
BEEF, FROZEN.....	POUND	15,377	53,718	48,416	47,230	71,524	9,947	38,211	9,163	52,205		345,491
BEEF IN COOLER.....	POUND	17	940	803	2,127	922	921	217	86	2,256		8,289
PORK, FROZEN:												
PICNICS.....	POUND	54	146	396	1,534	822	260	357	11	725		4,305
HAMS.....	POUND	169	2,860	8,247	5,071	1,630	1,399	1,912	225	1,594		23,107
BELLIES.....	POUND	1	1,216	34,415	41,917	1,287	1,057	1,959	123	2,397		84,372
LOINS.....	POUND	628	1,232	2,013	3,189	969	350	308	53	1,457		10,199
SPARERIBS.....												
TRIMMINGS.....	POUND	572	796	8,440	12,333	396	549	530	56	3,278		26,950
OTHER FROZEN PORK.....	POUND	1,600	898	10,189	11,302	1,491	1,569	1,547	371	2,842		31,809
TOTAL FROZEN PORK.....	POUND	2,201	7,782	27,059	33,334	7,084	5,253	9,579	1,667	12,402		106,361
PORK IN COOLER:												
DRY SALT PORK.....	POUND		98	207	3,131	320	98	28	8	36		3,926
OTHER PORK IN COOLER.....												
VEAL, FROZEN.....	POUND	134	759	3,570	6,993	1,236	1,628	571	53	1,877		16,821
LAMB AND MUTTON, FROZEN.....	POUND	856	4,499	959	593	648	152	179	315	998		9,199
CANNED HAMS.....	POUND	1,738	5,928	2,209	1,319	1,078	356	854	303	2,657		16,442
OTHER CANNED MEATS.....	POUND	2,829	19,480	14,587	12,661	2,461	3,033	1,482	205	7,632		64,370
TOTAL CANNED MEATS.....	POUND	320	2,846	1,452	1,759	375	32	210	28	503		18,525
TOTAL MEATS.....	POUND	26,196	103,198	162,952	195,493	92,243	26,604	57,944	12,667	92,859		770,166
HIDES AND PELTS.....												
	POUND	2,277	11	4,573	3,506	230	166	539	82	121		11,505

1/ INCLUDES OKRA, BLACKKEY PEAS AND SOUTHERN GREENS.

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

CITY 1/	NET PILING SPACE REPORTED 2/ JANUARY 1972		PERCENTAGE OF NET PILING SPACE OCCUPIED						
			JANUARY 1971		DECEMBER 1971		JANUARY 1972 3/		
	COOLER	FREEZER	COOLER	FREEZER	COOLER	FREEZER	COOLER	FREEZER	
NEW ENGLAND									
BOSTON.....	815	12,141	67	86	86	95	84	91	
MIDDLE ATLANTIC									
PUFFALO.....	726	1,810	67	79	72	76	62	77	
NEW YORK.....	2,772	6,302	87	86	69	73	72	74	
ROCHESTER.....	7,555	7,215	49	62	73	66	56	61	
JERSEY CITY.....	3,751	11,530	91	80	89	85	92	79	
PHILADELPHIA.....	1,011	4,623	53	64	44	67	44	62	
PITTSBURGH.....	1,249	3,109	26	51	23	51	23	51	
EAST NORTH CENTRAL									
CINCINNATI.....	4/	4/	45	70	68	69	4/	4/	
CLEVELAND.....	3,698	5,299	79	76	65	74	66	74	
CHICAGO.....	8,011	19,928	46	81	41	72	43	66	
DETROIT.....	2,794	5,346	57	76	66	64	58	56	
MILWAUKEE.....	287	2,324	76	71	77	74	79	74	
WEST NORTH CENTRAL									
MINNEAPOLIS-ST. PAUL	713	5,338	78	80	81	81	79	69	
ST. LOUIS.....	3,550	4,392	71	64	66	63	64	55	
KANSAS CITY.....	5,441	38,259	73	74	75	70	75	69	
SOUTH ATLANTIC									
BALTIMORE AND D.C....	686	4,336	51	69	49	63	47	66	
NORFOLK.....	858	2,018	38	69	29	41	28	41	
RICHMOND.....	671	1,269	84	84	84	85	84	85	
EAST SOUTH CENTRAL									
MEMPHIS.....	283	4,131	44	48	46	68	46	68	
NASHVILLE.....	756	2,210	57	48	53	56	54	54	
WEST SOUTH CENTRAL									
NEW ORLEANS.....	4/	4/	95	69	97	76	4/	4/	
DALLAS.....	4,576	5,528	86	78	64	74	64	70	
FT. WORTH.....	605	1,311	44	72	29	55	28	52	
PACIFIC									
SEATTLE.....	526	3,986	77	47	76	87	76	87	
PORTLAND.....	558	4,319	54	51	46	61	46	61	
LOS ANGELES.....	3,552	13,614	74	80	73	76	65	76	
SAN FRANCISCO.....	739	4,680	63	61	79	67	76	65	
SAN JOSE.....	2,185	4,435	44	52	43	57	34	54	

1/ SPACE SHOWN INCLUDES PUBLIC WAREHOUSES LOCATED IN THE METROPOLITAN AREA. 2/ SPACE REPORTED TO USDA AND TEMPERATURES HELD ON JANUARY 31, 1972. 3/ PRELIMINARY. 4/ 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 1/ JANUARY 1972		PERCENTAGE OF NET PILING SPACE OCCUPIED							
			JANUARY 1970		JANUARY 1971		DECEMBER 1971		JANUARY 1972 2/	
	COOLER	FREEZER	COOLER	FREEZER	COOLER	FREEZER	COOLER	FREEZER	COOLER	FREEZER
	THOUSAND CU. FT.		PERCENT		PERCENT		PERCENT		PERCENT	
MAINE, N.H., AND VT.....	230	4,517	43	76	68	90	73	76	73	75
MASSACHUSETTS.....	1,417	17,544	56	82	69	84	87	87	84	89
R.I. AND CONNECTICUT.....	662	1,667	52	76	49	86	42	80	52	81
NEW ENGLAND.....	2,309	23,728	54	79	63	85	73	85	74	86
NEW YORK.....	13,672	21,008	62	72	62	74	72	71	64	69
NEW JERSEY.....	4,541	15,897	80	82	88	79	88	84	92	82
PENNSYLVANIA.....	3,198	8,311	45	63	41	60	43	67	35	64
MIDDLE ATLANTIC.....	21,411	45,216	63	77	64	73	71	75	65	72
OHIO.....	5,483	10,176	69	73	71	70	64	74	65	74
INDIANA.....	439	2,827	74	82	52	76	53	81	53	81
ILLINOIS.....	10,543	21,866	33	68	52	79	48	73	49	67
MICHIGAN.....	5,322	14,463	60	67	47	66	60	67	49	63
WISCONSIN.....	8,243	5,411	54	67	56	63	54	68	51	66
EAST NORTH CENTRAL..	30,030	54,743	48	69	55	72	55	71	53	68
MINNESOTA.....	1,017	12,253	77	66	78	79	79	80	77	70
IOWA.....	679	10,238	46	62	44	78	58	80	59	78
MISSOURI.....	4,510	13,216	50	57	50	68	52	61	51	57
DAKOTAS AND NEBRASKA.....	824	4,955	61	79	48	78	61	71	56	69
KANSAS.....	6,561	34,811	75	85	72	74	73	72	73	72
WEST NORTH CENTRAL..	13,591	75,473	66	73	64	75	65	73	65	70
DEL., MARYLAND & D.C....	772	6,238	50	65	50	71	50	67	48	69
VIRGINIA AND WEST VA....	3,333	4,486	56	68	47	76	42	63	41	62
NORTH & SOUTH CAROLINA..	724	4,324	61	56	55	65	58	63	58	64
GEORGIA.....	8,307	10,392	83	81	72	76	74	75	82	75
FLORIDA.....	2,254	27,579	63	46	66	50	70	47	69	48
SOUTH ATLANTIC.....	15,390	53,019	72	58	64	62	64	68	67	58
KENTUCKY.....	435	1,583	75	72	51	62	50	63	53	53
TENNESSEE.....	1,490	10,259	66	51	51	57	50	67	50	66
ALABAMA AND MISSISSIPPI..	2,491	2,332	80	66	83	81	70	80	70	78
EAST SOUTH CENTRAL..	4,416	14,174	75	57	70	62	61	67	61	66
ARKANSAS.....	404	5,981	25	46	22	45	39	46	50	61
LOUISIANA.....	1,382	2,033	93	69	92	72	94	79	94	80
OKLAHOMA.....	218	1,817	65	70	58	68	59	39	59	37
TEXAS.....	9,338	17,661	75	72	74	73	64	67	64	67
WEST SOUTH CENTRAL..	11,042	27,492	75	65	77	69	66	62	66	65
MOUNTAIN.....	1,180	14,807	42	69	50	80	50	75	50	74
WASHINGTON.....	713	33,619	56	56	62	59	64	53	64	52
OREGON.....	3,309	21,902	63	63	52	67	57	66	52	64
CALIFORNIA.....	11,112	39,122	52	70	57	70	53	71	48	69
PACIFIC.....	15,134	94,643	52	63	56	65	54	63	50	62
48 STATES 3/	114,503	403,295	60	67	61	70	62	68	60	67

1/ SPACE REPORTED TO USDA AND TEMPERATURE HELD AT END OF MONTH
3/ WEIGHTED AVERAGE OCCUPANCY.

2/ PRELIMINARY

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TABLE 7. STOCKS OF FROZEN STRAWBERRIES, BY PACKAGE-SIZE

CONTAINER SIZE	STOCKS ON HAND		
	JANUARY 31, 1971	NOVEMBER 30, 1971 1/	JANUARY 31, 1972 2/
	1,000 LBS.		
RETAIL PACKAGES (20 OUNCES & UNDER)	50,141	63,202	46,304
INSTITUTIONAL PACKAGES (OVER 20 OUNCES)	103,509	104,496	89,188
TOTAL	153,650	167,698	135,492

1/ REVISED.

2/ PRELIMINARY.