

Cold Storage



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Frozen food stocks in refrigerated warehouses on March 31, 1992, were greater than the year earlier levels for eggs, pork, butter, beef, poultry, and potatoes. Cooler items with stocks above those of the previous year included shell eggs and nuts.

Total red meat supplies in freezers increased 5 percent from last month and were 20 percent more than those on hand March 31, 1991. Frozen pork stocks rose 6 percent during the month and were 29 percent above the previous year. Stocks of pork bellies were up 12 percent from last month and were 25 percent above 1991.

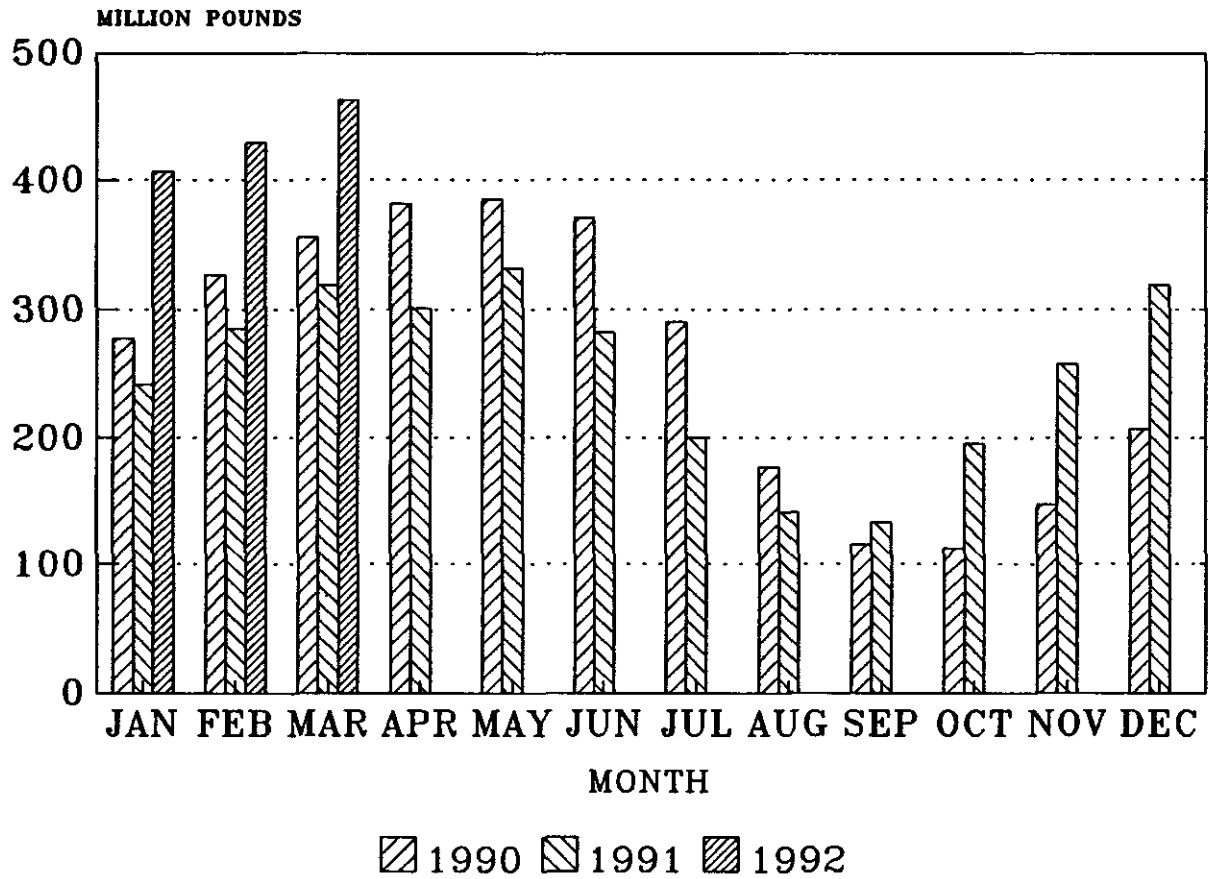
Total frozen poultry supplies increased 2 percent from February and were 5 percent above last year. Total stocks of chicken declined 7 percent during the month but were 5 percent above 1991. Total pounds of turkey in freezers were up 10 percent from last month and up 6 percent from last year.

Public cooler occupancy was at 57 percent of capacity, 1 point below last month. Public freezer occupancy at 68 percent was 1 point below last month but the same as last year.

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SHELLED PEANUTS

COLD STORAGE STOCKS 1990-92



Stocks in Cold Storage, United States

| Commodity | All Warehouses Stocks | | Percent of | | Public Warehouse Stocks |
|---------------------|--------------------------|----------------|----------------|----------------------|-------------------------------|
| | Mar 31 1991 | Feb 29 1992 | Mar 31 1992 | Mar:Feb 1991:1992 | Mar 31 1992 |
| | 1,000 Lbs. | | Percent | | 1,000 Lbs. |
| Fresh Fruit | | | | | |
| Apples: | | | | | |
| Regular Storage | 81,206 | 221,058 | 133,762 | 165 | 61 |
| Controlled Atmos. | 1,644,994 | 2,094,383 | 1,489,461 | 91 | 71 |
| Total Apples | 1,726,200 | 2,315,441 | 1,623,223 | 94 | 70 |
| 4,165 | | | | | |
| Pears: | | | | | |
| Bartlett | 3 | 126 | 869 | | |
| Other Varieties | 94,975 | 152,612 | 92,761 | 98 | 61 |
| Total Pears | 94,978 | 152,738 | 93,630 | 99 | 61 |
| 2,461 | | | | | |
| Grapes | 1,263 | 8,444 | 14,549 | | 172 |
| Other Fresh Fruit | 14,286 | 5,889 | 3,804 | 27 | 65 |
| 2,646 | | | | | |
| Dried & Evap. Fruit | 18,349 | 10,428 | 10,187 | 56 | 98 |
| 2,713 | | | | | |
| Fresh Vegetables | | | | | |
| Onions | 2,885 | 5,799 | 595 | 21 | 10 |
| Other Fresh Veg. | 45,098 | 38,806 | 22,872 | 51 | 59 |
| Total Fresh Veg. | 47,983 | 44,605 | 23,467 | 49 | 53 |
| 3,252 | | | | | |
| Nuts | | | | | |
| Shelled: | | | | | |
| Peanuts | 319,317 | 430,186 | 463,269 | 145 | 108 |
| Pecans | 25,534 | 22,216 | 24,009 | 94 | 108 |
| Other Shelled | 187,767 | 120,293 | 124,824 | 66 | 104 |
| Total Shelled | 532,618 | 572,695 | 612,102 | 115 | 107 |
| 351,058 | | | | | |
| In Shell: | | | | | |
| Peanuts | 25,537 | 32,414 | 36,120 | 141 | 111 |
| Pecans | 70,841 | 110,055 | 88,933 | 126 | 81 |
| Other In Shell | 3,139 | 16,541 | 17,261 | | 104 |
| Total In Shell | 99,517 | 159,010 | 142,314 | 143 | 90 |
| 37,445 | | | | | |
| Dairy Products | | | | | |
| Cream | 1,560 | 1,349 | 1,437 | 92 | 107 |
| 926 | | | | | |
| Butter, Total | 555,537 | 630,329 | 656,313 | 118 | 104 |
| 646,000 | | | | | |
| (Government Owned) | 491,913 | 580,069 | 612,346 | 124 | 106 |
| Evap & Cond-Milk | 989 | 1,504 | 1,352 | 137 | 90 |
| 1,330 | | | | | |
| Natural Cheese: | | | | | |
| American, Total | 386,192 | 347,978 | 320,202 | 83 | 92 |
| (Government Owned) | 25,028 | 18,218 | 18,491 | 74 | 101 |
| Swiss | 13,567 | 11,384 | 10,917 | 80 | 96 |
| Other Nat. Cheese | 92,662 | 86,521 | 83,959 | 91 | 97 |
| Total Nat. Cheese | 492,421 | 445,883 | 415,078 | 84 | 93 |
| 231,299 | | | | | |
| Eggs | | | | | |
| Shell (Thou. Cases) | 14 | 25 | 28 | 200 | 112 |
| 22 | | | | | |
| Frozen Eggs: | | | | | |
| Whites | 951 | 1,825 | 1,566 | 165 | 86 |
| Yolks | 1,199 | 1,630 | 1,968 | 164 | 121 |
| Whole & Mixed | 10,795 | 12,567 | 13,498 | 125 | 107 |
| Unclassified | 1,142 | 3,171 | 2,689 | 235 | 85 |
| Total Frzn Eggs | 14,087 | 19,193 | 19,721 | 140 | 103 |
| 17,469 | | | | | |

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Stocks in Cold Storage, United States

| Commodity | All Warehouses Stocks | | | Percent of | | Public Warehouse Stocks |
|---|------------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------------|-------------|-------------------------|
| | Mar 31 1991 | Feb 29 1992 | Mar 31 1992 | Mar:Feb 1991:1992 | Mar 31 1992 | |
| | ----- 1,000 Lbs. ----- | | | Percent | | 1,000 Lbs. |
| Frozen Poultry | | | | | | |
| Chicken: | | | | | | |
| Broilers (Whole) | 35,373 | 36,439 | 31,787 | 90 | 87 | |
| Hens | 7,679 | 11,440 | 10,515 | 137 | 92 | |
| Other Chicken | 244,954 | 277,002 | 261,375 | 107 | 94 | |
| Total Chicken | 288,006 | 324,881 | 303,677 | 105 | 93 | |
| Turkey: | | | | | | |
| Whole Turkeys | 226,411 | 223,890 | 262,993 | 116 | 117 | |
| Other Turkey | 143,589 | 130,162 | 127,642 | 89 | 98 | |
| Total Turkey | 370,000 | 354,052 | 390,635 | 106 | 110 | |
| Ducks | 5,250 | 2,495 | 2,816 | 54 | 113 | |
| Total Froz. Poultry | 663,256 | 681,428 | 697,128 | 105 | 102 | 614,030 |
| Frozen Fruit | | | | | | |
| Apples | 105,812 | 99,547 | 104,224 | 98 | 105 | |
| Apricots | 4,845 | 4,460 | 3,930 | 81 | 88 | |
| Blackberries | 10,199 | 9,207 | 8,600 | 84 | 93 | |
| Blueberries | 50,344 | 53,794 | 44,098 | 88 | 82 | |
| Boysenberries | 2,870 | 1,788 | 1,792 | 62 | 100 | |
| Cherries, Tart(RSP) | 40,727 | 44,340 | 35,937 | 88 | 81 | |
| Cherries, Tart(Juice) | 1,183 | 658 | 556 | 47 | 84 | |
| Cherries, Sweet | 10,886 | 7,853 | 6,471 | 59 | 82 | |
| Grapes | 3,796 | 2,850 | 2,204 | 58 | 77 | |
| Peaches | 82,498 | 65,614 | 62,404 | 76 | 95 | |
| Raspberries, Red | 25,219 | 21,971 | 19,191 | 76 | 87 | |
| Strawberries, Total | 149,360 | 167,361 | 142,701 | 96 | 85 | |
| Pkgs. 20 oz. & less | 25,390 | | 17,551 | 69 | | |
| Pkgs. over 20 oz. | 123,970 | | 125,150 | 101 | | |
| Other Frozen Fruit | 147,463 | 262,345 | 204,060 | 138 | 78 | |
| Total Frozen Fruit | 635,202 | 741,788 | 636,168 | 100 | 86 | 474,925 |
| Frozen Juice | | | | | | |
| Orange Juice Conc. 1/ (Gallon Equivalent) | 1,236,868 | 1,149,977 | 1,101,973 | 89 | 96 | |
| Other Juice Conc. | 578,098 | 546,662 | 573,128 | 99 | 105 | |
| Total Frozen Juice | 1,814,966 | 1,696,639 | 1,675,101 | 92 | 99 | 332,000 |
| Frozen Vegetables 2/ | | | | | | |
| Asparagus | 9,545 | 7,424 | 6,594 | 69 | 89 | |
| Limas, Fordhook | 10,296 | 11,790 | 10,230 | 99 | 87 | |
| Limas, Baby | 68,157 | 64,386 | 54,845 | 80 | 85 | |
| Green Beans, Reg. Cut | 125,704 | 162,776 | 142,558 | 113 | 88 | |
| Green Beans, Fr.Style | 50,309 | 46,551 | 41,311 | 82 | 89 | |
| Broccoli, Spears | 46,051 | 33,328 | 33,873 | 74 | 102 | |
| Broccoli, Chop. & Cut | 90,864 | 80,762 | 89,171 | 98 | 110 | |
| Brussels Sprouts | 28,410 | 19,122 | 17,536 | 62 | 92 | |
| Carrots, Diced | 64,271 | 63,818 | 57,250 | 89 | 90 | |
| Carrots, Other | 87,320 | 89,160 | 80,943 | 93 | 91 | |
| Cauliflower | 84,019 | 75,509 | 65,603 | 78 | 87 | |
| Corn, Cut | 213,973 | 232,376 | 192,071 | 90 | 83 | |
| Corn, Cob | 212,104 | 298,120 | 272,808 | 129 | 92 | |
| Mixed Vegetables | 61,384 | 45,645 | 46,007 | 75 | 101 | |
| Okra | 21,492 | 34,539 | 29,186 | 136 | 85 | |
| Onion Rings | 12,313 | 10,379 | 8,645 | 70 | 83 | |
| Onions, Other | 24,236 | 25,800 | 22,964 | 95 | 89 | |
| Blackeye Peas | 19,573 | 15,623 | 13,835 | 71 | 89 | |
| Green Peas | 168,901 | 201,369 | 165,323 | 98 | 82 | |
| Peas & Carrots Mixed | 6,752 | 6,666 | 6,698 | 99 | 100 | |
| Spinach | 79,009 | 40,749 | 58,860 | 74 | 144 | |
| Squash, Sum. & Zucch. | 50,765 | 45,741 | 38,075 | 75 | 83 | |
| Southern Greens | 32,230 | 21,725 | 21,484 | 67 | 99 | |
| Other Vegetables | 243,006 | 251,461 | 233,454 | 96 | 93 | |
| Total Vegetables | 1,810,684 | 1,884,819 | 1,709,324 | 94 | 91 | 1,128,516 |

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| Commodity | All Warehouses Stocks | | | Percent of | | Public Warehouse Stocks |
|--------------------|-----------------------|-------------|-------------|------------|------------|-------------------------|
| | Mar 31 1991 | Feb 29 1992 | Mar 31 1992 | Mar:1991 | Feb:1992 | Mar 31 1992 |
| | 1,000 Lbs. | | Percent | | 1,000 Lbs. | |
| Potatoes: | | | | | | |
| French Fries | 830,919 | 775,594 | 830,607 | 100 | 107 | |
| Other Frozen | 212,922 | 260,734 | 252,744 | 119 | 97 | |
| Total Potatoes | 1,043,841 | 1,036,328 | 1,083,351 | 104 | 105 | 650,390 |
| Meat | | | | | | |
| Frozen Beef: | | | | | | |
| Boneless | 247,304 | 266,878 | 280,116 | 113 | 105 | |
| Beef Cuts | 29,637 | 31,992 | 32,597 | 110 | 102 | |
| Total Frozen Beef | 276,941 | 298,870 | 312,713 | 113 | 105 | 309,013 |
| (Government Owned) | 12,565 | 15,451 | 17,345 | 138 | 112 | |
| Frozen Pork: | | | | | | |
| Picnics | 6,695 | 6,648 | 7,675 | 115 | 115 | |
| Hams | 20,831 | 36,280 | 37,891 | 182 | 104 | |
| Bellies | 68,131 | 75,925 | 85,095 | 125 | 112 | |
| Loins | 7,645 | 12,138 | 11,459 | 150 | 94 | |
| Spareribs | 37,497 | 46,370 | 50,093 | 134 | 108 | |
| Trimmings | 20,039 | 39,365 | 34,836 | 174 | 88 | |
| Other | 128,142 | 136,268 | 145,770 | 114 | 107 | |
| Total Frozen Pork | 288,980 | 352,994 | 372,819 | 129 | 106 | 353,046 |
| (Government Owned) | 4,351 | 2,395 | 2,949 | 68 | 123 | |
| Other: | | | | | | |
| Veal | 6,341 | 7,311 | 6,243 | 98 | 85 | |
| Lamb & Mutton | 8,070 | 6,670 | 8,354 | 104 | 125 | |
| Total Other | 14,411 | 13,981 | 14,597 | 101 | 104 | 13,906 |
| Canned: | | | | | | |
| Canned Hams | 19,409 | 21,179 | 20,999 | 108 | 99 | |
| Other Canned Meat | 2,456 | 3,513 | 3,191 | 130 | 91 | |
| Total Canned | 21,865 | 24,692 | 24,190 | 111 | 98 | 16,021 |
| Total Meat | 602,197 | 690,537 | 724,319 | 120 | 105 | 691,986 |
| Miscellaneous | | | | | | |
| Cooler: | | | | | | |
| Hides & Pelts | 2,457 | 11,019 | 3,966 | 161 | 36 | |
| Other Cooler Misc. | 432,497 | 412,281 | 483,713 | 112 | 117 | |
| Total Cooler | 434,954 | 423,300 | 487,679 | 112 | 115 | 386,327 |
| Freezer: | | | | | | |
| Total Freezer | 1,609,351 | 1,777,554 | 1,770,827 | 110 | 100 | 1,637,060 |
| Total Misc. | 2,044,305 | 2,200,854 | 2,258,506 | 110 | 103 | 2,023,387 |
| Commodities | | | | | | |
| Stored in Coolers | 3,486,078 | 4,165,799 | 3,452,885 | 99 | 83 | 1,053,113 |
| Stored in Freezers | 8,728,816 | 9,135,272 | 8,949,499 | 103 | 98 | 6,177,281 |
| Total Commodities | 12,214,894 | 13,301,071 | 12,402,384 | 102 | 93 | 7,230,394 |

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Stocks in Cold Storage, by Region, February 29, 1992

| Commodity | All Warehouses | | | | |
|----------------------|----------------|-----------------|--------------------|--------------------|----------------|
| | New England | Middle Atlantic | East North Central | West North Central | South Atlantic |
| | 1,000 Lbs. | | | | |
| Fresh Fruit | | | | | |
| Total Apples | 41,942 | 302,646 | 117,641 | 170 | 84,936 |
| Total Pears | | 230 | | | |
| Dried & Evap. Fruit | 18 | 422 | 960 | 91 | 263 |
| Nuts | | | | | |
| Shelled: | | | | | |
| Peanuts | 103 | 298 | 713 | 79 | 237,923 |
| Pecans 3/ | | 97 | | 248 | 8,941 |
| In Shell: | | | | | |
| Pecans 3/ | | | | 1 | 47,256 |
| Dairy Products | | | | | |
| Butter, Total | 2,675 | 45,173 | 134,003 | 247,957 | 16,707 |
| Natural Cheese: | | | | | |
| American, Total | 23,959 | 41,598 | 188,513 | 54,135 | 316 |
| Swiss | 2,944 | 613 | 5,439 | 990 | 68 |
| Other Natural Cheese | 868 | 10,249 | 65,361 | 1,549 | 500 |
| Eggs | | | | | |
| Total Frozen Eggs | 411 | 840 | 3,245 | 6,169 | 1,296 |
| Frozen Poultry | | | | | |
| Broilers (Whole) | 20 | 1,292 | 1,478 | 2,035 | 15,513 |
| Hens | 36 | 372 | 197 | 2,519 | 2,115 |
| Other Chicken | 3,286 | 11,087 | 13,746 | 20,562 | 58,705 |
| Total Chicken | 3,342 | 12,751 | 15,421 | 25,116 | 76,333 |
| Whole Turkeys | 1,666 | 11,092 | 31,598 | 65,358 | 40,909 |
| Other Turkey | 138 | 7,135 | 19,680 | 27,286 | 35,432 |
| Total Turkey | 1,804 | 18,227 | 51,278 | 92,644 | 76,341 |
| Ducks | 34 | 87 | 1,692 | 15 | 23 |
| Total Frozen Poultry | 5,180 | 31,065 | 68,391 | 117,775 | 152,697 |
| Frozen Fruit | | | | | |
| Apples | 42 | 27,028 | 34,840 | 638 | 20,996 |
| Apricots | 6 | 173 | 543 | 542 | 9 |
| Blackberries | 25 | 364 | 835 | 296 | 45 |
| Blueberries | 16,436 | 7,309 | 22,224 | 506 | 1,042 |
| Boysenberries | 6 | 3 | 93 | 12 | 3 |
| Cherries, Tart (RSP) | 16 | 4,230 | 25,948 | 126 | 239 |
| Cherries, Sweet | | 450 | 3,226 | 423 | 82 |
| Grapes | | 8 | 742 | | 99 |
| Peaches | 53 | 3,843 | 6,507 | 1,215 | 924 |
| Raspberries, Red | 45 | 1,435 | 1,687 | 550 | 101 |
| Strawberries, Total | 314 | 7,715 | 8,243 | 10,926 | 1,482 |
| Other Frozen Fruit | 33,400 | 17,915 | 72,438 | 4,288 | 6,496 |

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Stocks in Cold Storage, by Region, February 29, 1992

| Commodity | All Warehouses | | | | | Total |
|----------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|----------|-----------|--|-----------|
| | East South Central | West South Central | Mountain | Pacific | | |
| | 1,000 Lbs. | | | | | |
| Fresh Fruit | | | | | | |
| Total Apples | 12 | | 30,460 | 1,737,634 | | 2,315,441 |
| Total Pears | | | | 152,508 | | 152,738 |
| Dried & Evap. Fruit | 32 | 334 | 25 | 8,283 | | 10,428 |
| Nuts | | | | | | |
| Shelled: | | | | | | |
| Peanuts | 82,902 | 107,920 | 41 | 207 | | 430,186 |
| Pecans 4/ | 792 | 11,837 | | 301 | | 22,216 |
| In Shell: | | | | | | |
| Pecans 4/ | 3,977 | 58,477 | | 344 | | 110,055 |
| Dairy Products | | | | | | |
| Butter, Total | 3,500 | 32,741 | 38,096 | 109,477 | | 630,329 |
| Natural Cheese: | | | | | | |
| American, Total | 445 | 718 | 12,434 | 25,860 | | 347,978 |
| Swiss | | | 1,183 | 147 | | 11,384 |
| Other Natural Cheese | 5,969 | 65 | 496 | 1,464 | | 86,521 |
| Eggs | | | | | | |
| Total Frozen Eggs | 224 | 1,596 | 201 | 5,211 | | 19,193 |
| Frozen Poultry | | | | | | |
| Broilers (Whole) | 2,411 | 5,466 | 263 | 7,961 | | 36,439 |
| Hens | 4,641 | 440 | 23 | 1,097 | | 11,440 |
| Other Chicken | 45,816 | 90,915 | 2,467 | 30,418 | | 277,002 |
| Total Chicken | 52,868 | 96,821 | 2,753 | 39,476 | | 324,881 |
| Whole Turkeys | 6,585 | 35,304 | 10,455 | 20,923 | | 223,890 |
| Other Turkey | 1,369 | 11,019 | 4,161 | 23,942 | | 130,162 |
| Total Turkey | 7,954 | 46,323 | 14,616 | 44,865 | | 354,052 |
| Ducks | 10 | 42 | 5 | 587 | | 2,495 |
| Total Frozen Poultry | 60,832 | 143,186 | 17,374 | 84,928 | | 681,428 |
| Frozen Fruit | | | | | | |
| Apples | 63 | 517 | 424 | 14,999 | | 99,547 |
| Apricots | 236 | 83 | 13 | 2,855 | | 4,460 |
| Blackberries | 72 | 1,129 | 70 | 6,371 | | 9,207 |
| Blueberries | 79 | 454 | 230 | 5,514 | | 53,794 |
| Boysenberries | | | 10 | 1,661 | | 1,788 |
| Cherries, Tart (RSP) | 43 | 287 | 11,817 | 1,634 | | 44,340 |
| Cherries, Sweet | 1 | 85 | 21 | 3,565 | | 7,853 |
| Grapes | 14 | 5 | | 1,982 | | 2,850 |
| Peaches | 530 | 848 | 121 | 51,573 | | 65,614 |
| Raspberries, Red | 640 | 60 | 92 | 17,361 | | 21,971 |
| Strawberries, Total | 1,505 | 16,857 | 843 | 119,476 | | 167,361 |
| Other Frozen Fruit | 628 | 6,891 | 703 | 119,586 | | 262,345 |

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Stocks in Cold Storage, by Region, February 29, 1992

| Commodity | All Warehouses | | | | |
|-------------------------|----------------|--------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------|
| | New England | Middle Atlantic | East North Central | West North Central | South Atlantic |
| | 1,000 Lbs. | | | | |
| Frozen Juice | | | | | |
| Orange Juice Conc. | 800 | 3,915 | 5,801 | 1,013 | 1,070,389 |
| Other Juice Conc. | 2,136 | 58,017 | 34,835 | 1,806 | 270,364 |
| Frozen Vegetables 2/ | | | | | |
| Asparagus | 94 | 514 | 1,825 | 279 | 345 |
| Limas, Fordhook | 2 | 1,558 | 747 | 369 | 1,076 |
| Limas, Baby | 178 | 4,530 | 5,511 | 782 | 27,841 |
| Green Beans, Reg. Cut | 477 | 31,647 | 61,920 | 5,097 | 6,409 |
| Green Beans, Fr. Style | 256 | 12,271 | 8,693 | 820 | 1,391 |
| Broccoli, Spears | 430 | 5,278 | 784 | 1,358 | 3,382 |
| Broccoli, Chop & Cut | 319 | 7,385 | 6,519 | 3,386 | 4,603 |
| Brussels Sprouts | 135 | 1,052 | 1,053 | 1,028 | 918 |
| Carrots, Diced | 218 | 4,428 | 15,813 | 505 | 7,302 |
| Carrots, Other | 73 | 4,816 | 10,851 | 2,647 | 5,983 |
| Cauliflower | 161 | 6,860 | 6,510 | 2,277 | 2,010 |
| Corn, Cut | 809 | 12,070 | 64,649 | 23,463 | 9,931 |
| Corn, Cob | 352 | 21,906 | 37,735 | 43,842 | 7,582 |
| Mixed Vegetables | 461 | 6,152 | 2,434 | 5,342 | 4,244 |
| Okra | 10 | 966 | 323 | 161 | 3,297 |
| Onion Rings | | 1,435 | 3,205 | 187 | 628 |
| Onions, Other | 17 | 1,205 | 3,283 | 415 | 1,253 |
| Blackeye Peas | 1 | 292 | 3 | 25 | 6,624 |
| Green Peas | 8,031 | 12,379 | 32,290 | 13,747 | 7,868 |
| Peas & Carrots Mixed | 119 | 1,098 | 358 | 608 | 928 |
| Spinach | 343 | 9,456 | 1,076 | 2,194 | 1,783 |
| Squash, Summer/Zucchini | 39 | 4,230 | 9,399 | 937 | 4,003 |
| Southern Greens | | 2,526 | 29 | 120 | 3,955 |
| Other Vegetables | 955 | 31,857 | 33,804 | 4,455 | 26,723 |
| Potatoes: | | | | | |
| French Fries | 40,448 | 10,181 | 70,378 | 41,696 | 43,407 |
| Other Frozen | 11,864 | 16,802 | 55,878 | 4,991 | 19,148 |
| Meat | | | | | |
| Frozen Beef: | | | | | |
| Boneless | 2,453 | 25,981 | 29,823 | 59,383 | 35,263 |
| Beef Cuts | 62 | 427 | 2,026 | 3,859 | 1,242 |
| Frozen Pork: | | | | | |
| Hams | 65 | 1,878 | 8,378 | 11,338 | 10,662 |
| Bellies | | 625 | 21,881 | 50,728 | 1,510 |
| Loins | 18 | 519 | 3,222 | 4,163 | 966 |
| Spareribs | 49 | 1,552 | 18,510 | 15,668 | 2,571 |
| Trimmings | 368 | 1,571 | 7,336 | 20,211 | 2,670 |
| Other | 973 | 3,651 | 34,445 | 50,366 | 12,499 |
| Other: | | | | | |
| Veal | 710 | 636 | 2,142 | 578 | 401 |
| Lamb & Mutton | 33 | 110 | 896 | 1,470 | 1,058 |
| Canned: | | | | | |
| Canned Hams | 156 | 9,618 | 1,784 | 7,332 | 883 |
| Other Canned Meat | | 1 | 520 | 2,888 | 78 |

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Stocks in Cold Storage, by Region, February 29, 1992

| Commodity | All Warehouses | | | | | Total |
|-------------------------|------------------|------------------|----------|---------|-----------|-------|
| | East | West | Mountain | Pacific | | |
| | South Central | South Central | | | | |
| | 1,000 Lbs. | | | | | |
| Frozen Juice | | | | | | |
| Orange Juice Conc. | 589 | 3,645 | 4,242 | 59,583 | 1,149,977 | |
| Other Juice Conc. | 1,445 | 9,672 | 2,471 | 165,916 | 546,662 | |
| Frozen Vegetables 2/ | | | | | | |
| Asparagus | | 149 | 106 | 4,112 | 7,424 | |
| Limas, Fordhook | | 122 | 37 | 7,879 | 11,790 | |
| Limas, Baby | | 978 | 4,159 | 20,407 | 64,386 | |
| Green Beans, Reg. Cut | | 1,283 | 758 | 55,185 | 162,776 | |
| Green Beans, Fr. Style | | 224 | 300 | 22,596 | 46,551 | |
| Broccoli, Spears | | 10,429 | 414 | 11,253 | 33,328 | |
| Broccoli, Chop & Cut | | 20,790 | 1,197 | 36,563 | 80,762 | |
| Brussels Sprouts | | 1,281 | 190 | 13,465 | 19,122 | |
| Carrots, Diced | | 874 | 464 | 34,214 | 63,818 | |
| Carrots, Other | | 3,416 | 644 | 60,730 | 89,160 | |
| Cauliflower | | 17,477 | 426 | 39,788 | 75,509 | |
| Corn, Cut | | 2,606 | 3,365 | 115,483 | 232,376 | |
| Corn, Cob | | 2,585 | 25,423 | 158,695 | 298,120 | |
| Mixed Vegetables | | 3,253 | 1,865 | 21,894 | 45,645 | |
| Okra | | 29,136 | 9 | 637 | 34,539 | |
| Onion Rings | | 520 | 199 | 4,205 | 10,379 | |
| Onions, Other | | 674 | 1,732 | 17,221 | 25,800 | |
| Blackeye Peas | | 8,251 | 21 | 406 | 15,623 | |
| Green Peas | | 2,190 | 14,415 | 110,449 | 201,369 | |
| Peas & Carrots Mixed | | 121 | 80 | 3,354 | 6,666 | |
| Spinach | | 8,388 | 1,052 | 16,457 | 40,749 | |
| Squash, Summer/Zucchini | | 5,642 | 288 | 21,203 | 45,741 | |
| Southern Greens | | 14,816 | 4 | 275 | 21,725 | |
| Other Vegetables | | 28,154 | 10,618 | 114,895 | 251,461 | |
| Potatoes: | | | | | | |
| French Fries | 5,526 | 3,065 | 233,086 | 327,807 | 775,594 | |
| Other Frozen | 1,820 | 1,654 | 60,327 | 88,250 | 260,734 | |
| Meat | | | | | | |
| Frozen Beef: | | | | | | |
| Boneless | 5,045 | 57,949 | 12,881 | 38,100 | 266,878 | |
| Beef Cuts | 1,214 | 9,063 | 4,562 | 9,537 | 31,992 | |
| Frozen Pork: | | | | | | |
| Hams | 185 | 562 | 1,092 | 2,120 | 36,280 | |
| Bellies | 345 | 334 | 35 | 467 | 75,925 | |
| Loins | 1,350 | 126 | 612 | 1,162 | 12,138 | |
| Spareribs | 3,447 | 950 | 448 | 3,175 | 46,370 | |
| Trimmings | 1,541 | 4,331 | 436 | 901 | 39,365 | |
| Other | 4,659 | 16,957 | 1,824 | 10,894 | 136,268 | |
| Other: | | | | | | |
| Veal | 69 | 157 | 9 | 2,609 | 7,311 | |
| Lamb & Mutton | 49 | 535 | 1,003 | 1,516 | 6,670 | |
| Canned: | | | | | | |
| Canned Hams | 445 | | | 961 | 21,179 | |
| Other Canned Meat | 5 | | 15 | 6 | 3,513 | |

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Stocks in Cold Storage, by Region, March 31, 1992

| Commodity | All Warehouses | | | | |
|----------------------|----------------|----------|------------------|------------------|----------|
| | New | Middle | East | West | South |
| | England | Atlantic | North Central | North Central | Atlantic |
| | 1,000 Lbs. | | | | |
| Fresh Fruit | | | | | |
| Total Apples | 27,480 | 207,852 | 70,406 | 89 | 46,014 |
| Total Pears | | 2,054 | | | 27 |
| Dried & Evap. Fruit | 2 | 264 | 849 | 87 | 234 |
| Nuts | | | | | |
| Shelled: | | | | | |
| Peanuts | 108 | 293 | 1,208 | 86 | 250,712 |
| Pecans 3/ | | 95 | | 181 | 11,283 |
| In Shell: | | | | | |
| Pecans 3/ | | | | | 39,681 |
| Dairy Products | | | | | |
| Butter, Total | 2,945 | 45,633 | 132,621 | 252,809 | 24,937 |
| Natural Cheese: | | | | | |
| American, Total | 22,940 | 43,272 | 163,041 | 51,739 | 348 |
| Swiss | 2,948 | 643 | 5,272 | 682 | 66 |
| Other Natural Cheese | 842 | 10,507 | 64,499 | 1,527 | 610 |
| Eggs | | | | | |
| Total Frozen Eggs | 453 | 748 | 4,460 | 6,680 | 1,300 |
| Frozen Poultry | | | | | |
| Broilers (Whole) | | 1,189 | 795 | 1,546 | 13,740 |
| Hens | 32 | 427 | 182 | 3,894 | 1,890 |
| Other Chicken | 3,019 | 9,783 | 13,301 | 18,113 | 55,402 |
| Total Chicken | 3,051 | 11,399 | 14,278 | 23,553 | 71,032 |
| Whole Turkeys | 2,001 | 18,561 | 32,696 | 75,500 | 51,321 |
| Other Turkey | 173 | 6,971 | 19,875 | 25,600 | 34,550 |
| Total Turkey | 2,174 | 25,532 | 52,571 | 101,100 | 85,871 |
| Ducks | 29 | 108 | 2,228 | 13 | 26 |
| Total Frozen Poultry | 5,254 | 37,039 | 69,077 | 124,666 | 156,929 |
| Frozen Fruit | | | | | |
| Apples | 94 | 26,083 | 33,787 | 644 | 21,253 |
| Apricots | 6 | 420 | 401 | 274 | 8 |
| Blackberries | 24 | 338 | 766 | 237 | 40 |
| Blueberries | 14,732 | 4,803 | 18,368 | 512 | 788 |
| Boysenberries | 6 | 3 | 82 | 12 | 3 |
| Cherries, Tart (RSP) | 13 | 3,159 | 20,115 | 146 | 227 |
| Cherries, Sweet | 21 | 188 | 2,643 | 328 | 75 |
| Grapes | | | 663 | 2 | 98 |
| Peaches | 46 | 4,063 | 6,365 | 911 | 869 |
| Raspberries, Red | 39 | 1,727 | 1,643 | 304 | 108 |
| Strawberries, Total | 335 | 7,264 | 8,179 | 8,008 | 1,303 |
| Other Frozen Fruit | 20,445 | 16,558 | 59,226 | 2,814 | 5,741 |

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Stocks in Cold Storage, by Region, March 31, 1992

| Commodity | All Warehouses | | | | | Total |
|----------------------|------------------|------------------|----------|-----------|--|-----------|
| | East | West | Mountain | Pacific | | |
| | South Central | South Central | | | | |
| | 1,000 Lbs. | | | | | |
| Fresh Fruit | | | | | | |
| Total Apples | 9 | 4 | 14,029 | 1,257,340 | | 1,623,223 |
| Total Pears | | | | 91,549 | | 93,630 |
| Dried & Evap. Fruit | 35 | 312 | 15 | 8,389 | | 10,187 |
| Nuts | | | | | | |
| Shelled: | | | | | | |
| Peanuts | 83,315 | 127,475 | 39 | 33 | | 463,269 |
| Pecans 4/ | 769 | 11,360 | | 321 | | 24,009 |
| In Shell: | | | | | | |
| Pecans 4/ | 3,584 | 45,345 | | 323 | | 88,933 |
| Dairy Products | | | | | | |
| Butter, Total | 3,451 | 33,884 | 38,634 | 121,399 | | 656,313 |
| Natural Cheese: | | | | | | |
| American, Total | 420 | 785 | 11,422 | 26,235 | | 320,202 |
| Swiss | | | 1,181 | 125 | | 10,917 |
| Other Natural Cheese | 4,138 | 63 | 470 | 1,303 | | 83,959 |
| Eggs | | | | | | |
| Total Frozen Eggs | 406 | 909 | 138 | 4,627 | | 19,721 |
| Frozen Poultry | | | | | | |
| Broilers (Whole) | 2,471 | 5,671 | 172 | 6,203 | | 31,787 |
| Hens | 2,609 | 362 | 19 | 1,100 | | 10,515 |
| Other Chicken | 48,943 | 82,929 | 2,977 | 26,908 | | 261,375 |
| Total Chicken | 54,023 | 88,962 | 3,168 | 34,211 | | 303,677 |
| Whole Turkeys | 7,313 | 39,495 | 10,879 | 25,227 | | 262,993 |
| Other Turkey | 1,396 | 10,853 | 4,407 | 23,817 | | 127,642 |
| Total Turkey | 8,709 | 50,348 | 15,286 | 49,044 | | 390,635 |
| Ducks | 10 | 49 | 4 | 349 | | 2,816 |
| Total Frozen Poultry | 62,742 | 139,359 | 18,458 | 83,604 | | 697,128 |
| Frozen Fruit | | | | | | |
| Apples | 69 | 410 | 416 | 21,468 | | 104,224 |
| Apricots | 212 | 82 | 8 | 2,519 | | 3,930 |
| Blackberries | 67 | 1,188 | 65 | 5,875 | | 8,600 |
| Blueberries | 126 | 394 | 201 | 4,174 | | 44,098 |
| Boysenberries | | | 11 | 1,675 | | 1,792 |
| Cherries, Tart (RSP) | 37 | 282 | 10,337 | 1,621 | | 35,937 |
| Cherries, Sweet | | 113 | 53 | 3,050 | | 6,471 |
| Grapes | 10 | 1 | | 1,430 | | 2,204 |
| Peaches | 462 | 944 | 140 | 48,604 | | 62,404 |
| Raspberries, Red | 538 | 48 | 80 | 14,704 | | 19,191 |
| Strawberries, Total | 1,146 | 20,082 | 837 | 95,547 | | 142,701 |
| Other Frozen Fruit | 822 | 6,624 | 773 | 91,057 | | 204,060 |

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Stocks in Cold Storage, by Region, March 31, 1992

| Commodity | All Warehouses | | | | |
|-------------------------|----------------|--------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------|
| | New England | Middle Atlantic | East North Central | West North Central | South Atlantic |
| | 1,000 Lbs. | | | | |
| Frozen Juice | | | | | |
| Orange Juice Conc. | 551 | 3,271 | 5,546 | 927 | 1,013,677 |
| Other Juice Conc. | 1,733 | 60,248 | 38,034 | 2,119 | 286,776 |
| Frozen Vegetables 2/ | | | | | |
| Asparagus | 79 | 553 | 1,467 | 212 | 284 |
| Limas, Fordhook | 2 | 1,492 | 693 | 381 | 681 |
| Limas, Baby | 166 | 3,826 | 4,412 | 914 | 23,612 |
| Green Beans, Reg. Cut | 453 | 27,482 | 50,653 | 4,722 | 5,698 |
| Green Beans, Fr. Style | 216 | 11,078 | 7,722 | 744 | 1,246 |
| Broccoli, Spears | 449 | 5,588 | 1,065 | 1,405 | 3,381 |
| Broccoli, Chop & Cut | 271 | 9,041 | 7,153 | 3,263 | 5,254 |
| Brussels Sprouts | 126 | 886 | 985 | 917 | 940 |
| Carrots, Diced | 225 | 3,704 | 12,028 | 643 | 7,286 |
| Carrots, Other | 66 | 5,420 | 9,848 | 2,523 | 5,955 |
| Cauliflower | 136 | 6,318 | 5,644 | 2,195 | 1,693 |
| Corn, Cut | 797 | 9,817 | 51,147 | 19,470 | 10,003 |
| Corn, Cob | 277 | 18,778 | 33,697 | 38,063 | 7,144 |
| Mixed Vegetables | 504 | 6,284 | 2,584 | 5,158 | 4,413 |
| Okra | 9 | 1,006 | 275 | 120 | 3,073 |
| Onion Rings | | 1,426 | 2,910 | 222 | 378 |
| Onions, Other | 14 | 940 | 2,966 | 381 | 969 |
| Blackeye Peas | 1 | 274 | 3 | 22 | 5,862 |
| Green Peas | 7,751 | 10,257 | 27,835 | 10,759 | 6,232 |
| Peas & Carrots Mixed | 75 | 1,295 | 311 | 632 | 897 |
| Spinach | 350 | 7,443 | 1,513 | 2,857 | 2,429 |
| Squash, Summer/Zucchini | 32 | 3,917 | 8,655 | 668 | 3,507 |
| Southern Greens | | 2,203 | 24 | 273 | 3,870 |
| Other Vegetables | 888 | 29,371 | 31,620 | 4,490 | 25,158 |
| Potatoes: | | | | | |
| French Fries | 44,821 | 10,464 | 77,979 | 49,204 | 47,188 |
| Other Frozen | 10,584 | 17,084 | 53,572 | 5,813 | 20,238 |
| Meat | | | | | |
| Frozen Beef: | | | | | |
| Boneless | 2,447 | 25,644 | 34,688 | 58,299 | 36,602 |
| Beef Cuts | 63 | 130 | 2,410 | 3,508 | 1,525 |
| Frozen Pork: | | | | | |
| Hams | 39 | 1,866 | 10,714 | 7,751 | 11,125 |
| Bellies | | 582 | 23,027 | 58,656 | 1,588 |
| Loins | 24 | 506 | 3,320 | 3,440 | 969 |
| Spareribs | 46 | 1,822 | 18,726 | 16,890 | 3,395 |
| Trimblings | 317 | 1,367 | 7,726 | 16,853 | 2,382 |
| Other | 1,035 | 4,273 | 37,937 | 50,690 | 14,474 |
| Other: | | | | | |
| Veal | 537 | 809 | 2,235 | 441 | 330 |
| Lamb & Mutton | 54 | 150 | 1,098 | 2,432 | 1,762 |
| Canned: | | | | | |
| Canned Hams | 430 | 9,660 | 1,760 | 7,203 | 908 |
| Other Canned Meat | | 1 | 375 | 2,580 | 65 |

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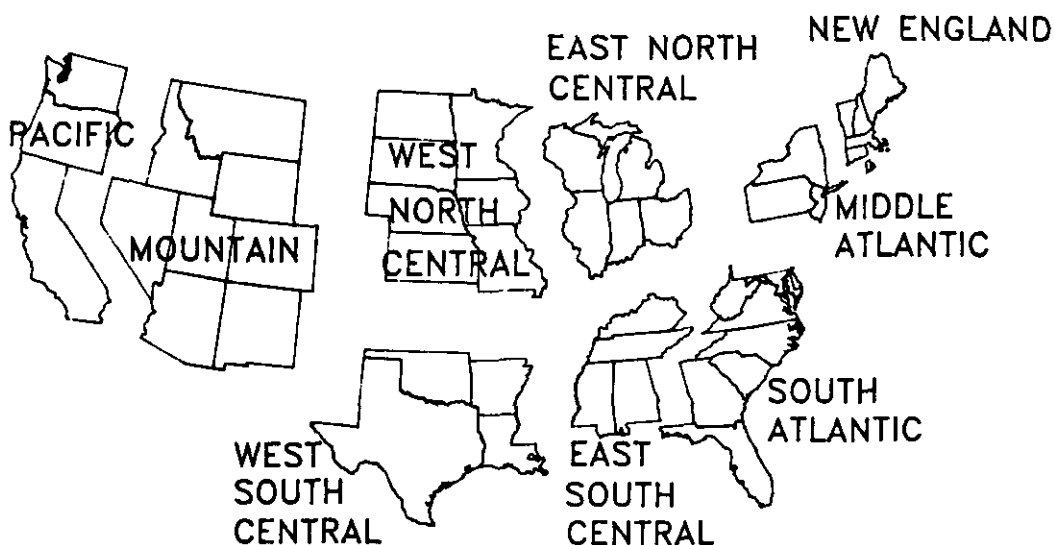
| Commodity | All Warehouses | | | | |
|-------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|----------|---------|-----------|
| | East South Central | West South Central | Mountain | Pacific | Total |
| | 1,000 Lbs. | | | | |
| Frozen Juice | | | | | |
| Orange Juice Conc. | 667 | 5,238 | 3,903 | 68,193 | 1,101,973 |
| Other Juice Conc. | 1,555 | 10,289 | 2,820 | 169,554 | 573,128 |
| Frozen Vegetables 2/ | | | | | |
| Asparagus | | 132 | 109 | 3,758 | 6,594 |
| Limas, Fordhook | | 127 | 38 | 6,816 | 10,230 |
| Limas, Baby | | 619 | 3,901 | 17,395 | 54,845 |
| Green Beans, Reg. Cut | | 1,148 | 686 | 51,716 | 142,558 |
| Green Beans, Fr. Style | | 214 | 292 | 19,799 | 41,311 |
| Broccoli, Spears | | 12,831 | 624 | 8,530 | 33,873 |
| Broccoli, Chop & Cut | | 30,153 | 1,314 | 32,722 | 89,171 |
| Brussels Sprouts | | 1,744 | 148 | 11,790 | 17,536 |
| Carrots, Diced | | 1,629 | 428 | 31,307 | 57,250 |
| Carrots, Other | | 5,283 | 625 | 51,223 | 80,943 |
| Cauliflower | | 14,938 | 282 | 34,397 | 65,603 |
| Corn, Cut | | 2,400 | 3,109 | 95,328 | 192,071 |
| Corn, Cob | | 2,528 | 23,550 | 148,771 | 272,808 |
| Mixed Vegetables | | 3,313 | 1,941 | 21,810 | 46,007 |
| Okra | | 24,169 | 10 | 524 | 29,186 |
| Onion Rings | | 488 | 125 | 3,096 | 8,645 |
| Onions, Other | | 616 | 1,523 | 15,555 | 22,964 |
| Blackeye Peas | | 7,391 | 35 | 247 | 13,835 |
| Green Peas | | 1,962 | 12,037 | 88,490 | 165,323 |
| Peas & Carrots Mixed | | 115 | 98 | 3,275 | 6,698 |
| Spinach | | 10,969 | 1,189 | 32,110 | 58,860 |
| Squash, Summer/Zucchini | | 3,130 | 261 | 17,905 | 38,075 |
| Southern Greens | | 14,781 | 6 | 327 | 21,484 |
| Other Vegetables | | 31,920 | 8,333 | 101,674 | 233,454 |
| Potatoes: | | | | | |
| French Fries | 5,723 | 3,779 | 258,776 | 332,673 | 830,607 |
| Other Frozen | 1,542 | 1,642 | 55,940 | 86,329 | 252,744 |
| Meat | | | | | |
| Frozen Beef: | | | | | |
| Boneless | 4,787 | 65,074 | 11,998 | 40,577 | 280,116 |
| Beef Cuts | 1,096 | 9,795 | 4,610 | 9,460 | 32,597 |
| Frozen Pork: | | | | | |
| Hams | 161 | 504 | 3,988 | 1,743 | 37,891 |
| Bellies | 393 | 283 | 27 | 539 | 85,095 |
| Loins | 1,322 | 451 | 582 | 845 | 11,459 |
| Spareribs | 3,819 | 1,042 | 354 | 3,999 | 50,093 |
| Trimmings | 1,470 | 3,641 | 359 | 721 | 34,836 |
| Other | 4,584 | 20,014 | 1,915 | 10,848 | 145,770 |
| Other: | | | | | |
| Veal | 64 | 281 | 13 | 1,533 | 6,243 |
| Lamb & Mutton | 25 | 450 | 831 | 1,552 | 8,354 |
| Canned: | | | | | |
| Canned Hams | 348 | | | 690 | 20,999 |
| Other Canned Meat | 8 | 54 | 103 | 5 | 3,191 |

* Shell eggs in thousand cases (46.8 pounds per case). 1/ Adjusted to 42.0 degree Brix equivalent (9.896 pounds per gallon). 2/ East South Central and South Atlantic combined. 3/ East North Central and South Atlantic combined. 4/ West South Central and Mountain combined.

Public General Warehouses: Cold Storage Space Occupied,
by Region and United States

| Region | Cooler | | | | Freezer | | | |
|-----------------|---------|--------|----------|----------|---------|--------|----------|----------|
| | Usable | Usable | Usable | Usable | Usable | Usable | Usable | Usable |
| | Space | Space | Occupied | Occupied | Space | Space | Occupied | Occupied |
| | Mar 31 | Mar 31 | Feb 29 | Mar 31 | Mar 31 | Mar 31 | Feb 29 | Mar 31 |
| | 1992 | 1991 | 1992 | 1992 | 1992 | 1991 | 1992 | 1992 |
| | 1,000 | | Percent | | 1,000 | | Percent | |
| | Cu Ft | | --- | --- | Cu Ft | | --- | --- |
| New England | 3,980 | 64 | 44 | 44 | 25,792 | 68 | 32 | 30 |
| Middle Atlantic | 23,050 | 50 | 58 | 57 | 81,853 | 67 | 70 | 68 |
| East North Cent | 40,269 | 61 | 65 | 62 | 155,872 | 70 | 70 | 70 |
| West North Cent | 34,634 | 62 | 78 | 80 | 125,211 | 74 | 83 | 81 |
| South Atlantic | 39,838 | 48 | 46 | 50 | 114,896 | 72 | 65 | 63 |
| East South Cent | 7,430 | 43 | 59 | 58 | 26,636 | 52 | 50 | 50 |
| West South Cent | 16,995 | 42 | 45 | 53 | 75,431 | 63 | 51 | 54 |
| Mountain | 3,150 | 63 | 104 | 63 | 34,716 | 82 | 71 | 74 |
| Pacific | 30,495 | 48 | 44 | 36 | 218,077 | 64 | 74 | 72 |
| US | 199,841 | 53 | 58 | 57 | 858,484 | 68 | 69 | 68 |

COLD STORAGE REGIONS



Apples in Cold Storage, by State and United States

| State | All Warehouses | | |
|--------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| | Mar 31, 1991 | Feb 29, 1992 | Mar 31, 1992 |
| | 1,000 Pounds | | |
| N ENG | 26,217 | 41,942 | 27,480 |
| NY | 114,954 | 170,142 | 115,946 |
| NJ | 264 | 528 | 514 |
| PA | 54,334 | 131,976 | 91,392 |
| OH | 1,584 | 2,376 | 924 |
| MI | 47,538 | 114,700 | 69,160 |
| VA | 24,480 | 64,648 | 37,867 |
| WV | 8,396 | 16,134 | 6,047 |
| WA | 1,401,000 | 1,672,841 | 1,227,705 |
| OR | 5,123 | 4,086 | 2,302 |
| CA | 27,974 | 60,707 | 27,333 |
| Other States | 14,336 | 35,361 | 16,553 |
| US | 1,726,200 | 2,315,441 | 1,623,223 |

Survey procedures: Questionnaires are mailed about the 24th of each month to all operators on the list of approximately 1,650 public and private cold storage warehouses. In addition, apple data are obtained from special surveys and other sources (State Departments of Agriculture, American Apple Institute, etc.). All survey data represent stocks as of the end of the month.

Data are collected from warehouses artificially cooled to a temperature of 50 degrees Fahrenheit or lower, and whose food products are normally stored for 30 days or more. All food items in these facilities are reported regardless of the number of days stored at the time of the report. Also included are specialized storage facilities meeting the 30 day requirement, such as fruit houses, dairy manufacturing plants, frozen fruit, fruit juice, and vegetable processors, and poultry and meat packing plants. Excluded are stocks in space maintained by wholesalers, jobbers, distributors, chain stores, locker plants containing individual lockers, meat packer branch houses, and frozen food processors whose entire inventories are turned over more than once a month.

Estimating procedures: Data for reporting firms are added to estimates for non-reporting firms to obtain regional and National totals. Estimates for non-reporting firms are obtained by multiplying the previous month's figure by a percent change from the previous month. The percent change is calculated for each item from totals of the current and previous month summed from firms that reported both months.

Revision policy: Data are revised the following month based on late reports or corrected data. Final figures are published in the annual summary in February of the following year.

Reliability: Reports are received from 900 firms each month which represent about 70 percent of the total capacity. Firms that are not on the list or firms who have never reported are not represented in the data. Monthly data can vary due to different firms reporting month to month. Survey data are also subject to non-sampling errors such as omissions and mistakes in reporting and in processing the data. While these errors cannot be measured directly, they are minimized by carefully reviewing all reported data for consistency and reasonableness.

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