

Cold Storage



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Frozen food stocks in refrigerated warehouses on April 30, 1992, were greater than the year earlier levels for frozen eggs, butter, meat, poultry, fruit, and potatoes. Cooler items with stocks above those of the previous year included shell eggs, peanuts, and pecans.

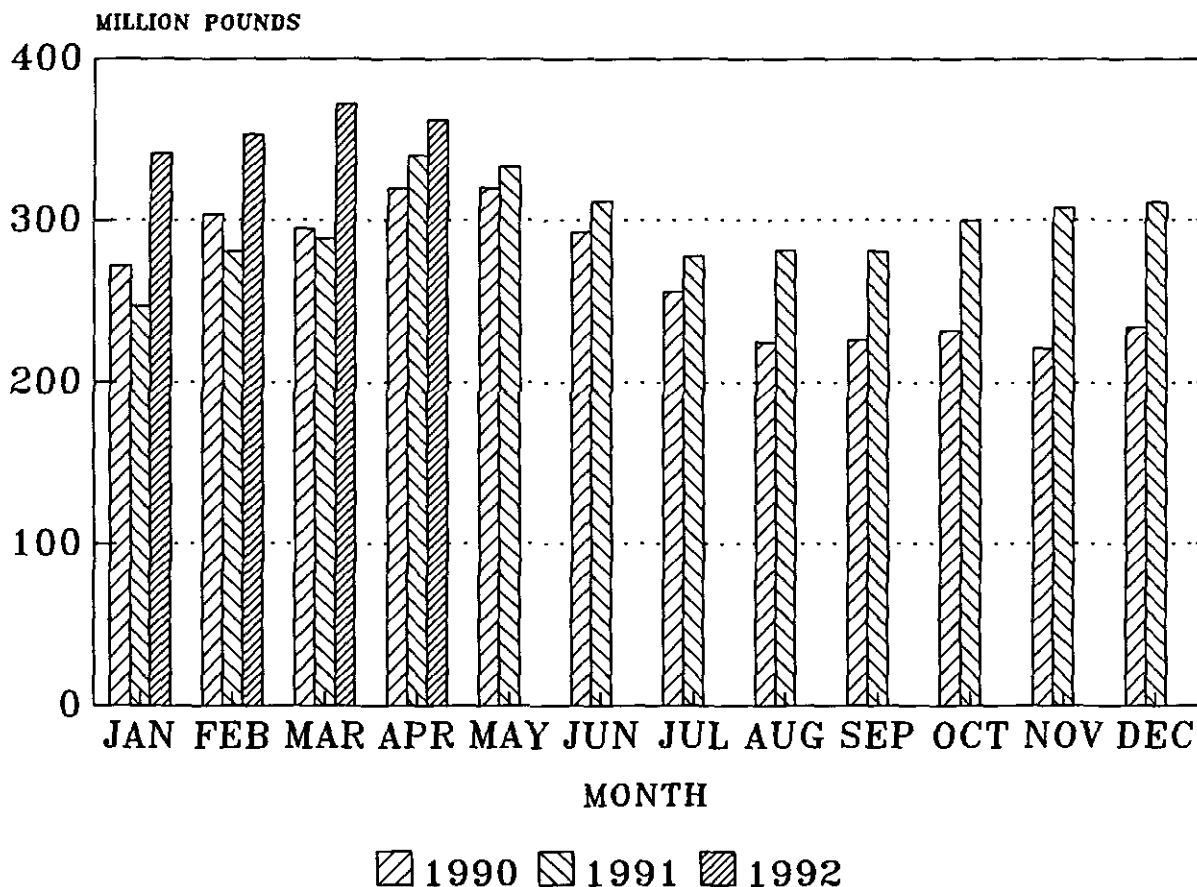
Total red meat supplies in freezers declined 2 percent from last month but were 11 percent more than those on hand April 30, 1991. Frozen pork stocks dropped 3 percent during the month but were 6 percent above the previous year. Stocks of pork bellies were up 14 percent from last month and were 20 percent above 1991.

Total frozen poultry supplies increased 7 percent from March and were 6 percent above last year. Total stocks of chicken advanced 5 percent during the month and were 9 percent above 1991. Total pounds of turkey in freezers were up 9 percent from last month and up 5 percent from last year.

Public cooler occupancy at 57 percent of capacity was the same as last month. Public freezer occupancy at 68 percent was the same as last month and last year.

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TOTAL FROZEN PORK COLD STORAGE STOCKS, 1990-92



Stocks in Cold Storage, United States

Commodity	All Warehouses Stocks		Percent of		Public Warehouse Stocks
	Apr 30 1991	Mar 31 1992	Apr 30 1992	Apr:Mar 1991:1992	Apr 30 1992
Fresh Fruit	1,000 Lbs		Percent		1,000 Lbs
Apples:					
Regular Storage	32,539	133,679	66,944	206 50	
Controlled Atmos.	1,134,988	1,489,461	1,006,378	89 68	
Total Apples	1,167,527	1,623,140	1,073,322	92 66	281
Pears:					
Bartlett		869	989	114	
Other Varieties	50,787	92,761	55,967	110 60	
Total Pears	50,787	93,630	56,956	112 61	2,961
Grapes	2,792	14,549	5,898	211 41	
Other Fresh Fruit	10,876	4,873	6,848	63 141	5,275
Dried & Evap. Fruit	14,570	10,186	9,610	66 94	2,745
Fresh Vegetables					
Onions	995	595	357	36 60	
Other Fresh Veg.	36,635	22,881	22,146	60 97	
Total Fresh Veg.	37,630	23,476	22,503	60 96	2,738
Nuts					
Shelled:					
Peanuts	301,204	463,267	483,827	161 104	
Pecans	27,709	27,657	30,175	109 109	
Other Shelled	210,815	122,159	138,588	66 113	
Total Shelled	539,728	613,083	652,590	121 106	373,684
In Shell:					
Peanuts	27,532	36,119	41,724	152 116	
Pecans	56,238	88,542	73,697	131 83	
Other In Shell	3,880	20,731	14,916	384 72	
Total In Shell	87,650	145,392	130,337	149 90	44,475
Dairy Products					
Cream	1,552	1,438	2,234	144 155	1,704
Butter, Total	620,491	655,683	700,955	113 107	688,158
(Government Owned)	548,111	611,943	657,831	120 107	
Evap & Cond-Milk	1,444	1,352	1,405	97 104	1,385
Natural Cheese:					
American, Total	403,904	335,461	335,483	83 100	
(Government Owned):	32,734	18,630	17,575	54 94	
Swiss	13,705	11,051	11,337	83 103	
Other Nat. Cheese	92,653	102,456	101,801	110 99	
Total Nat. Cheese:	510,262	448,968	448,621	88 100	250,093
Eggs					
Shell (Thou. Cases)	12	28	27	225 96	23
Frozen Eggs:					
Whites	636	1,566	1,664	262 106	
Yolks	1,306	1,968	1,838	141 93	
Whole & Mixed	9,914	13,520	12,430	125 92	
Unclassified	1,097	2,692	2,946	269 109	
Total Frzn Eggs	12,953	19,746	18,878	146 96	16,650

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Stocks in Cold Storage, United States

Commodity	All Warehouses Stocks			Percent of		Public Warehouse Stocks
	Apr 30 1991	Mar 31 1992	Apr 30 1992	Apr:1991	Mar:1992	Apr 30 1992
Frozen Poultry	1,000 Lbs			Percent		1,000 Lbs
Chicken:						
Broilers (Whole)	35,535	31,797	33,896	95	107	
Hens	8,150	10,537	10,579	130	100	
Other Chicken	249,898	261,851	274,493	110	105	
Total Chicken	293,583	304,185	318,968	109	105	
Turkey:						
Whole Turkeys	271,168	264,011	296,062	109	112	
Other Turkey	137,294	129,277	134,573	98	104	
Total Turkey	408,462	393,288	430,635	105	109	
Ducks	5,535	2,816	2,893	52	103	
Total Froz. Poultry:	707,580	700,289	752,496	106	107	661,886
Frozen Fruit						
Apples	100,882	103,584	97,210	96	94	
Apricots	3,777	3,143	2,598	69	83	
Blackberries	8,705	8,594	8,130	93	95	
Blueberries	42,313	43,966	37,946	90	86	
Boysenberries	2,602	1,780	1,389	53	78	
Cherries, Tart(RSP)	33,483	35,743	27,069	81	76	
Cherries, Tart(Juice)	978	558	375	38	67	
Cherries, Sweet	9,437	6,490	5,626	60	87	
Grapes	3,180	2,318	1,702	54	73	
Peaches	70,562	61,808	51,687	73	84	
Raspberries, Red	20,822	19,208	15,549	75	81	
Strawberries, Total	151,244	141,279	163,934	108	116	
Other Frozen Fruit	118,717	205,580	170,400	144	83	
Total Frozen Fruit	566,702	634,051	583,615	103	92	434,437
Frozen Juice						
Orange Juice Conc. 1/ (Gallon Equivalent)	1,363,205	1,102,896	1,294,137	95	117	
Other Juice Conc.	137,753	111,449	130,774	96	99	
Total Frozen Juice	608,693	585,715	582,195	96	99	362,608
Total Frozen Juice	1,971,898	1,688,611	1,876,332	95	111	
Frozen Vegetables 2/						
Asparagus	9,337	6,149	9,445	101	154	
Limas, Fordhook	9,468	10,709	9,357	99	87	
Limas, Baby	59,784	56,033	54,021	90	96	
Green Beans, Reg. Cut	102,091	139,616	119,540	117	86	
Green Beans, Fr.Style	43,444	40,815	35,556	82	87	
Broccoli, Spears	45,838	33,902	34,491	75	102	
Broccoli, Chop. & Cut	88,807	93,113	104,426	118	112	
Brussels Sprouts	25,836	17,339	15,677	61	90	
Carrots, Diced	60,557	55,852	48,455	80	87	
Carrots, Other	77,108	79,729	70,996	92	89	
Cauliflower	72,928	64,908	55,692	76	86	
Corn, Cut	196,194	204,541	178,740	91	87	
Corn, Cob	179,113	273,553	246,226	137	90	
Mixed Vegetables	60,219	46,137	49,072	81	106	
Okra	15,838	29,580	22,534	142	76	
Onion Rings	11,529	8,890	9,191	80	103	
Onions, Other	24,411	22,858	21,852	90	96	
Blackeye Peas	16,139	13,899	10,046	62	72	
Green Peas	146,478	160,818	142,976	98	89	
Peas & Carrots Mixed	6,401	6,743	6,532	102	97	
Spinach	117,549	58,828	79,909	68	136	
Squash, Sum. & Zucch.	45,983	38,257	39,103	85	102	
Southern Greens	31,028	21,484	21,353	69	99	
Other Vegetables	223,845	232,561	214,743	96	92	
Total Vegetables	1,669,925	1,716,314	1,599,933	96	93	1,052,414

Stocks in Cold Storage, United States

Commodity	All Warehouses Stocks			Percent of		Public Warehouse Stocks
	Apr 30 1991	Mar 31 1992	Apr 30 1992	Apr:Mar 1991:1992:	Apr 30 1992	Apr 30 1992
	1,000 Lbs			Percent		1,000 Lbs
Potatoes:						
French Fries	829,732	830,715	817,463	99	98	
Other Frozen	220,715	251,941	257,008	116	102	
Total Potatoes	1,050,447	1,082,656	1,074,471	102	99	669,387
Meat						
Frozen Beef:						
Boneless	239,353	280,744	271,874	114	97	
Beef Cuts	26,230	33,001	36,347	139	110	
Total Frozen Beef:	265,583	313,745	308,221	116	98	304,411
(Government Owned)	10,939	17,236	12,307	113	71	
Frozen Pork:						
Picnics	8,321	7,777	5,212	63	67	
Hams	37,392	36,915	25,568	68	69	
Bellies	80,289	85,095	96,653	120	114	
Loins	9,598	11,602	10,953	114	94	
Spareribs	39,654	49,536	50,551	127	102	
Trimnings	22,825	34,489	32,369	142	94	
Other	141,964	146,825	140,769	99	96	
Total Frozen Pork:	340,043	372,239	362,075	106	97	343,439
(Government Owned)	3,897	2,949	2,399	62	81	
Other:						
Veal	6,301	6,159	6,186	98	100	
Lamb & Mutton	7,277	8,455	8,619	118	102	
Total Other	13,578	14,614	14,805	109	101	14,156
Canned:						
Canned Hams	23,249	21,927	25,709	111	117	
Other Canned Meat	1,878	2,897	1,658	88	57	
Total Canned	25,127	24,824	27,367	109	110	19,423
Total Meat	644,331	725,422	712,468	111	98	681,429
Miscellaneous						
Cooler:						
Hides & Pelts	795	3,966	2,263	285	57	
Other Cooler Misc.	416,149	441,530	446,536	107	101	
Total Cooler	416,944	445,496	448,799	108	101	350,555
Freezer:						
Total Freezer	1,668,219	1,774,531	1,829,311	110	103	1,702,858
Total Misc.	2,085,163	2,220,027	2,278,110	109	103	2,053,413
Commodities						
Stored in Coolers	2,865,899	3,450,279	2,885,520	101	84	1,060,361
Stored in Freezers	8,888,971	8,973,917	9,123,326	103	102	6,252,108
Total Commodities	11,754,870	12,424,196	12,008,846	102	97	7,312,469

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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				
Fresh Fruit					
Total Apples	27,480	207,852	70,406	89	46,014
Total Pears		2,054			27
Dried & Evap. Fruit	2	264	848	87	234
Nuts					
Shelled:					
Peanuts	108	293	1,208	86	250,710
Pecans 3/		95		181	11,361
In Shell:					
Pecans 3/					39,500
Dairy Products					
Butter, Total	2,945	45,633	132,664	252,458	24,845
Natural Cheese:					
American, Total	22,940	40,132	181,097	51,800	348
Swiss	2,948	643	5,386	682	66
Other Natural Cheese	842	13,647	80,481	902	610
Eggs					
Total Frozen Eggs	453	748	4,459	6,683	1,323
Frozen Poultry					
Broilers (Whole)		1,189	805	1,546	13,740
Hens	32	427	204	3,894	1,890
Other Chicken	3,019	9,761	13,353	18,043	55,798
Total Chicken	3,051	11,377	14,362	23,483	71,428
Whole Turkeys	2,001	18,561	32,822	76,903	50,750
Other Turkey	173	7,049	21,287	26,216	34,079
Total Turkey	2,174	25,610	54,109	103,119	84,829
Ducks	29	108	2,228	13	26
Total Frozen Poultry:	5,254	37,095	70,699	126,615	156,283
Frozen Fruit					
Apples	94	26,083	32,735	644	21,253
Apricots	6	420	403	274	8
Blackberries	24	338	767	237	40
Blueberries	14,732	4,729	18,150	512	788
Boysenberries	6	3	82	12	3
Cherries, Tart (RSP)	13	3,159	19,945	146	227
Cherries, Sweet	21	216	2,634	328	75
Grapes			777	2	98
Peaches	46	4,059	6,328	911	869
Raspberries, Red	39	1,773	1,642	304	108
Strawberries, Total	335	7,365	8,099	8,008	1,303
Other Frozen Fruit	20,445	16,120	59,232	2,814	6,085

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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	1,257,257		1,623,140
Total Pears				91,549		93,630
Dried & Evap. Fruit	35	312	15	8,389		10,186
Nuts						
Shelled:						
Peanuts	83,315	127,475	39	33		463,267
Pecans 4/	809	14,890		321		27,657
In Shell:						
Pecans 4/	3,374	45,345		323		88,542
Dairy Products						
Butter, Total	3,451	33,884	38,634	121,169		655,683
Natural Cheese:						
American, Total	420	785	11,422	26,517		335,461
Swiss			1,181	145		11,051
Other Natural Cheese	4,138	63	470	1,303		102,456
Eggs						
Total Frozen Eggs	406	909	138	4,627		19,746
Frozen Poultry						
Broilers (Whole)	2,471	5,671	172	6,203		31,797
Hens	2,609	362	19	1,100		10,537
Other Chicken	48,943	83,049	2,977	26,908		261,851
Total Chicken	54,023	89,082	3,168	34,211		304,185
Whole Turkeys	7,313	39,555	10,879	25,227		264,011
Other Turkey	1,396	10,853	4,407	23,817		129,277
Total Turkey	8,709	50,408	15,286	49,044		393,288
Ducks	10	49	4	349		2,816
Total Frozen Poultry:	62,742	139,539	18,458	83,604		700,289
Frozen Fruit						
Apples	69	410	416	21,880		103,584
Apricots	212	82	8	1,730		3,143
Blackberries	67	1,188	65	5,868		8,594
Blueberries	126	394	201	4,334		43,966
Boysenberries			11	1,663		1,780
Cherries, Tart (RSP)	37	282	10,337	1,597		35,743
Cherries, Sweet		113	53	3,050		6,490
Grapes	10	1		1,430		2,318
Peaches	462	944	140	48,049		61,808
Raspberries, Red	538	48	80	14,676		19,208
Strawberries, Total	1,146	19,532	837	94,654		141,279
Other Frozen Fruit	822	6,624	773	92,665		205,580

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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	2,476	5,546	924	1,017,373
Other Juice Conc.	1,733	59,830	38,018	2,119	303,020
Frozen Vegetables					
Asparagus	79	553	1,022	212	284
Limas, Fordhook	2	1,492	1,027	381	826
Limas, Baby	166	3,819	4,538	914	24,601
Green Beans, Reg. Cut	453	27,499	47,691	4,722	5,698
Green Beans, Fr. Style	216	11,078	7,226	744	1,246
Broccoli, Spears	449	5,634	1,064	1,404	3,381
Broccoli, Chop & Cut	271	9,317	8,951	3,261	5,254
Brussels Sprouts	126	844	867	917	940
Carrots, Diced	225	3,698	10,328	643	7,286
Carrots, Other	66	5,474	8,575	2,523	5,955
Cauliflower	136	6,305	4,947	2,197	1,693
Corn, Cut	797	9,792	63,225	19,470	10,003
Corn, Cob	277	18,778	34,436	38,063	7,144
Mixed Vegetables	504	6,323	2,685	5,158	4,413
Okra	9	1,006	254	120	3,073
Onion Rings		1,426	3,155	222	378
Onions, Other	14	1,009	2,861	381	969
Blackeye Peas	1	274	3	22	5,862
Green Peas	7,751	10,299	24,632	10,759	6,232
Peas & Carrots Mixed	75	1,344	308	632	897
Spinach	350	7,361	1,579	2,856	2,429
Squash, Summer/Zucchini	32	3,869	8,901	668	3,507
Southern Greens		2,203	24	273	3,870
Other Vegetables	888	29,311	30,866	4,490	25,079
Potatoes:					
French Fries	44,821	10,464	77,931	49,320	47,188
Other Frozen	10,584	17,083	52,787	5,796	20,238
Meat					
Frozen Beef:					
Boneless	2,447	25,644	35,267	57,869	37,081
Beef Cuts	63	130	2,338	3,505	2,004
Frozen Pork:					
Hams	39	1,866	9,736	7,753	11,125
Bellies		582	23,027	58,656	1,588
Loins	24	506	3,320	3,583	969
Spareribs	46	1,822	18,742	16,317	3,395
Trimming	317	1,367	7,715	16,403	2,382
Other	1,035	4,273	38,000	51,606	14,550
Other:					
Veal	537	809	2,235	440	330
Lamb & Mutton	54	150	1,099	2,432	1,862
Canned:					
Canned Hams	430	9,660	1,760	8,133	906
Other Canned Meat		1	394	2,261	71

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

Commodity	All Warehouses					Total
	East South Central	West South Central	Mountain	Pacific		
	1,000 Lbs					
Frozen Juice						
Orange Juice Conc.	667	3,298	3,903	68,158	1,102,896	
Other Juice Conc.	1,555	7,039	2,820	169,581	585,715	
Frozen Vegetables 2/:						
Asparagus		132	109	3,758	6,149	
Limas, Fordhook		127	38	6,816	10,709	
Limas, Baby		699	3,901	17,395	56,033	
Green Beans, Reg. Cut		1,151	686	51,716	139,616	
Green Beans, Fr. Style		214	292	19,799	40,815	
Broccoli, Spears		12,816	624	8,530	33,902	
Broccoli, Chop & Cut		32,023	1,314	32,722	93,113	
Brussels Sprouts		1,707	148	11,790	17,339	
Carrots, Diced		1,937	428	31,307	55,852	
Carrots, Other		5,288	625	51,223	79,729	
Cauliflower		14,951	282	34,397	64,908	
Corn, Cut		2,817	3,109	95,328	204,541	
Corn, Cob		2,534	23,550	148,771	273,553	
Mixed Vegetables		3,303	1,941	21,810	46,137	
Okra		24,584	10	524	29,580	
Onion Rings		488	125	3,096	8,890	
Onions, Other		546	1,523	15,555	22,858	
Blackeye Peas		7,455	35	247	13,899	
Green Peas		1,929	12,037	87,179	160,818	
Peas & Carrots Mixed		114	98	3,275	6,743	
Spinach		10,954	1,189	32,110	58,828	
Squash, Summer/Zucchini		3,114	261	17,905	38,257	
Southern Greens		14,781	6	327	21,484	
Other Vegetables		31,920	8,333	101,674	232,561	
Potatoes:						
French Fries	5,723	3,819	258,776	332,673	830,715	
Other Frozen	1,542	1,642	55,940	86,329	251,941	
Meat						
Frozen Beef:						
Boneless	4,787	65,074	11,998	40,577	280,744	
Beef Cuts	1,096	9,795	4,610	9,460	33,001	
Frozen Pork:						
Hams	161	504	3,988	1,743	36,915	
Bellies	393	283	27	539	85,095	
Loins	1,322	451	582	845	11,602	
Spareribs	3,819	1,042	354	3,999	49,536	
Trimmings	1,470	3,755	359	721	34,489	
Other	4,584	20,014	1,915	10,848	146,825	
Other:						
Veal	64	198	13	1,533	6,159	
Lamb & Mutton	25	450	831	1,552	8,455	
Canned:						
Canned Hams	348			690	21,927	
Other Canned Meat	8	54	103	5	2,897	

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Stocks in Cold Storage, by Region, April 30, 1992

Commodity	All Warehouses				
	New England	Middle Atlantic	East North Central	West North Central	South Atlantic
	1,000 Lbs				
Fresh Fruit					
Total Apples	12,060	90,210	31,736	3	18,275
Total Pears	3	2,726			2
Dried & Evap. Fruit	2	429	795	77	181
Nuts					
Shelled:					
Peanuts	103	334	706	85	262,912
Pecans <u>3/</u>		62		142	12,864
In Shell:					
Pecans <u>3/</u>					31,818
Dairy Products					
Butter, Total	2,847	49,733	141,061	263,455	34,742
Natural Cheese:					
American, Total	22,404	42,616	178,697	52,171	328
Swiss	2,977	589	5,719	762	60
Other Natural Cheese	1,041	12,426	80,991	1,232	615
Eggs					
Total Frozen Eggs	434	568	3,782	6,173	1,510
Frozen Poultry					
Broilers (Whole)		1,424	698	1,228	14,306
Hens	100	446	227	4,403	1,571
Other Chicken	2,663	10,792	12,523	15,706	57,569
Total Chicken	2,763	12,662	13,448	21,337	73,446
Whole Turkeys	2,348	24,609	38,245	81,826	50,625
Other Turkey	178	7,738	20,724	27,852	35,820
Total Turkey	2,526	32,347	58,969	109,678	86,445
Ducks	22	102	2,451	11	27
Total Frozen Poultry:	5,311	45,111	74,868	131,026	159,918
Frozen Fruit					
Apples	91	23,290	30,806	571	20,971
Apricots	6	774	359	192	6
Blackberries	22	872	686	150	39
Blueberries	12,944	4,379	15,232	478	887
Boysenberries	4	2	68	7	2
Cherries, Tart (RSP)	7	2,738	14,566	89	159
Cherries, Sweet	22	356	2,087	344	81
Grapes			754		100
Peaches	39	3,175	5,145	807	724
Raspberries, Red	32	1,165	1,435	224	68
Strawberries, Total	366	6,900	7,677	6,587	1,296
Other Frozen Fruit	12,569	14,118	50,664	2,551	5,336

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Stocks in Cold Storage, by Region, April 30, 1992

Commodity	All Warehouses					Total
	East	West	Mountain	Pacific		
	South Central	South Central				
	1,000 Lbs					
Fresh Fruit						
Total Apples	3	2	9,173	911,860		1,073,322
Total Pears				54,225		56,956
Dried & Evap. Fruit	37	311	18	7,760		9,610
Nuts						
Shelled:						
Peanuts	81,173	138,375	37	102		483,827
Pecans	4/ 1,072	15,530		505		30,175
In Shell:						
Pecans	4/ 2,710	38,898		271		73,697
Dairy Products						
Butter, Total	4,131	33,680	38,862	132,444		700,955
Natural Cheese:						
American, Total	260	660	11,805	26,542		335,483
Swiss			1,112	118		11,337
Other Natural Cheese	3,944	73	446	1,033		101,801
Eggs						
Total Frozen Eggs	370	1,151	277	4,613		18,878
Frozen Poultry						
Broilers (Whole)	2,987	6,029	581	6,643		33,896
Hens	2,557	386	18	871		10,579
Other Chicken	54,602	84,818	3,240	32,580		274,493
Total Chicken	60,146	91,233	3,839	40,094		318,968
Whole Turkeys	7,922	50,591	11,823	28,073		296,062
Other Turkey	1,157	12,965	3,859	24,280		134,573
Total Turkey	9,079	63,556	15,682	52,353		430,635
Ducks	8	46	2	224		2,893
Total Frozen Poultry:	69,233	154,835	19,523	92,671		752,496
Frozen Fruit						
Apples	68	484	284	20,645		97,210
Apricots	170	66	6	1,019		2,598
Blackberries	61	1,061	57	5,182		8,130
Blueberries	123	569	192	3,142		37,946
Boysenberries			11	1,295		1,389
Cherries, Tart (RSP)	33	266	7,787	1,424		27,069
Cherries, Sweet	2	108	58	2,568		5,626
Grapes	4	2		842		1,702
Peaches	441	945	122	40,289		51,687
Raspberries, Red	568	55	66	11,936		15,549
Strawberries, Total	1,515	28,675	805	110,113		163,934
Other Frozen Fruit	393	5,480	797	78,492		170,400

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Stocks in Cold Storage, by Region, April 30, 1992

Commodity	All Warehouses				
	New England	Middle Atlantic	East North Central	West North Central	South Atlantic
	1,000 Lbs				
Frozen Juice					
Orange Juice Conc.	456	2,722	5,731	854	1,199,179
Other Juice Conc.	1,510	52,100	35,410	2,210	302,763
Frozen Vegetables <u>2/</u>					
Asparagus	80	595	844	243	309
Limas, Fordhook	70	1,376	877	320	694
Limas, Baby	95	3,879	4,299	734	22,907
Green Beans, Reg. Cut	433	23,610	41,516	4,284	4,542
Green Beans, Fr. Style	204	9,407	6,509	718	980
Broccoli, Spears	466	4,598	1,184	1,354	3,516
Broccoli, Chop & Cut	306	11,140	9,269	3,213	8,714
Brussels Sprouts	116	814	733	882	943
Carrots, Diced	22	3,491	9,012	447	7,041
Carrots, Other	232	5,109	7,683	2,529	5,297
Cauliflower	132	5,642	4,271	1,928	1,585
Corn, Cut	728	8,534	53,163	17,094	10,748
Corn, Cob	158	16,256	29,684	36,924	9,328
Mixed Vegetables	499	7,127	2,830	4,733	5,242
Okra	6	833	227	124	2,470
Onion Rings	39	1,737	3,106	210	530
Onions, Other	14	1,164	2,891	352	951
Blackeye Peas	1	296	6	23	2,808
Green Peas	4,793	9,951	21,627	9,813	5,973
Peas & Carrots Mixed	74	1,328	357	587	835
Spinach	353	12,627	1,891	3,054	4,136
Squash, Summer/Zucchini	118	3,333	7,773	528	5,022
Southern Greens	3	1,954	23	195	4,965
Other Vegetables	634	26,035	26,220	4,340	23,957
Potatoes:					
French Fries	51,347	12,624	76,797	49,165	51,437
Other Frozen	12,799	17,406	54,761	5,666	20,891
Meat					
Frozen Beef:					
Boneless	1,685	25,244	29,591	57,604	38,301
Beef Cuts	675	458	2,480	2,913	2,182
Frozen Pork:					
Hams	63	1,713	6,502	8,711	6,478
Bellies		646	25,070	66,728	2,018
Loins	23	474	3,840	2,858	867
Spareribs	91	1,945	17,604	17,139	3,771
Trimnings	319	1,024	7,605	15,437	2,094
Other	904	2,537	35,344	50,857	15,313
Other:					
Veal	538	617	2,376	415	313
Lamb & Mutton	52	93	944	2,133	2,018
Canned:					
Canned Hams	473	10,468	1,999	11,014	958
Other Canned Meat		2	355	1,103	67

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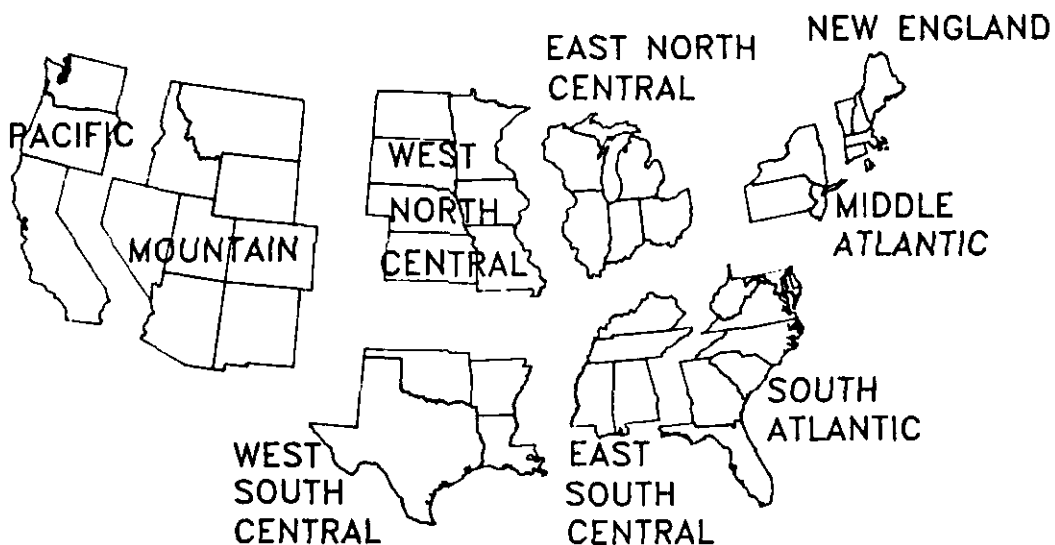
Commodity	All Warehouses					Total
	East South Central	West South Central	Mountain	Pacific		
	1,000 Lbs					
Frozen Juice						
Orange Juice Conc.	693	4,228	4,170	76,104	1,294,137	
Other Juice Conc.	1,778	6,544	3,323	176,557	582,195	
Frozen Vegetables ^{2/}						
Asparagus		113	119	7,142	9,445	
Limas, Fordhook		156	69	5,795	9,357	
Limas, Baby		651	3,748	17,708	54,021	
Green Beans, Reg. Cut		942	621	43,592	119,540	
Green Beans, Fr. Style		224	220	17,294	35,556	
Broccoli, Spears		11,681	1,096	10,596	34,491	
Broccoli, Chop & Cut		34,287	1,228	36,269	104,426	
Brussels Sprouts		1,794	154	10,241	15,677	
Carrots, Diced		1,771	419	26,252	48,455	
Carrots, Other		5,892	540	43,714	70,996	
Cauliflower		12,462	272	29,400	55,692	
Corn, Cut		2,216	6,983	79,274	178,740	
Corn, Cob		2,231	19,811	131,834	246,226	
Mixed Vegetables		2,971	1,415	24,255	49,072	
Okra		18,150	12	712	22,534	
Onion Rings		508	193	2,868	9,191	
Onions, Other		760	1,128	14,592	21,852	
Blackeye Peas		6,298	29	585	10,046	
Green Peas		1,772	9,812	79,235	142,976	
Peas & Carrots Mixed		105	85	3,161	6,532	
Spinach		12,016	960	44,872	79,909	
Squash, Summer/Zucchini		6,551	193	15,585	39,103	
Southern Greens		13,917	8	288	21,353	
Other Vegetables		33,645	5,693	94,219	214,743	
Potatoes:						
French Fries	6,967	3,497	227,474	338,155	817,463	
Other Frozen	2,102	1,652	50,221	91,510	257,008	
Meat						
Frozen Beef:						
Boneless	4,521	65,983	10,122	38,823	271,874	
Beef Cuts	1,189	10,450	5,139	10,861	36,347	
Frozen Pork:						
Hams	316	339	102	1,344	25,568	
Bellies	873	530	23	765	96,653	
Loins	1,219	347	548	777	10,953	
Spareribs	4,061	1,488	310	4,142	50,551	
Trimmings	1,336	3,353	329	872	32,369	
Other	4,723	17,912	2,401	10,778	140,769	
Other:						
Veal	58	222	14	1,633	6,186	
Lamb & Mutton		633	1,112	1,634	8,619	
Canned:						
Canned Hams	254			543	25,709	
Other Canned Meat	9	57	65		1,658	

* 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 Space	Usable Space Occupied	Percent	Usable Space	Usable Space Occupied	Percent		
	Apr 30 1992	Apr 30 1991	Mar 31 1992	Apr 30 1992	Apr 30 1991	Mar 31 1992		
	1,000 Cu Ft	1,000 Cu Ft	Percent	1,000 Cu Ft	1,000 Cu Ft	Percent		
New England	3,980	62	44	41	25,792	68	30	28
Middle Atlantic	23,070	47	57	56	82,028	65	68	71
East North Cent	40,302	57	64	61	155,981	69	70	68
West North Cent	33,813	64	80	82	123,815	75	81	81
South Atlantic	39,838	43	49	49	114,896	74	63	65
East South Cent	7,430	36	58	57	26,636	51	50	52
West South Cent	17,326	38	53	53	76,631	60	54	55
Mountain	3,150	61	63	86	34,716	79	74	71
Pacific	30,850	31	36	35	221,074	63	72	71
US	199,759	47	57	57	861,569	68	68	68

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Apples in Cold Storage, by State and United States

State	All Warehouses		
	Apr 30, 1991	Mar 31, 1992	Apr 30, 1992
1,000 Pounds			
N ENG	10,946	27,480	12,060
NY	60,900	115,946	32,190
NJ	176	514	537
PA	29,500	91,392	57,483
OH	440	924	347
MI	8,991	69,160	31,290
VA	8,502	37,867	16,297
WV	2,858	6,047	1,399
WA	1,016,400	1,227,705	895,809
OR	1,492	2,302	738
CA	20,946	27,250	15,313
Other States	6,376	16,553	9,859
US	1,167,527	1,623,140	1,073,322

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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