

Cold Storage



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Frozen food stocks in refrigerated warehouses on November 30, 1993, were greater than the year earlier levels for orange juice concentrates, frozen fruit, potatoes, meat, and chicken. Cooler items with stocks above those of the previous year included peanuts, fresh fruits, and cheese.

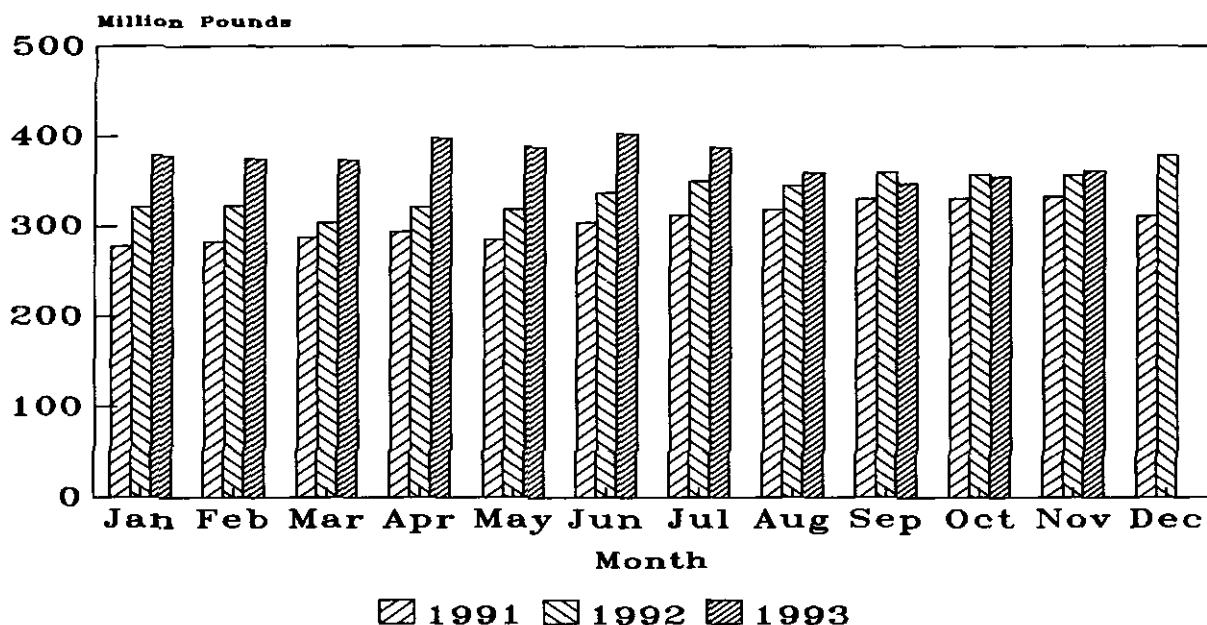
Total red meat supplies in freezers increased 1 percent from last month and were 14 percent more than those on hand November 1992. Frozen pork stocks dropped 1 percent during the month but were 3 percent above the previous year. Stocks of pork bellies were up 131 percent from last month but were 34 percent below 1992.

Total frozen poultry supplies decreased 37 percent from October and were 3 percent below last year. Total stocks of chicken advanced 2 percent during the month and were 1 percent above 1992. Total pounds of turkey in freezers were down 57 percent from last month and down 9 percent from last year.

Public cooler occupancy was at 60 percent of capacity, the same as last year. Public freezer occupancy at 66 percent was 2 points below last month and 1 point below last year.

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Total Frozen Chicken Cold Storage Stocks, 1991-93



Stocks in Cold Storage: By Commodity,
United States, November 1993

Commodity	Stocks in All Warehouses			Percent of		Public Warehouse Stocks
	Nov 30, 1992	Oct 31, 1993	Nov 30, 1993	Nov 1992	Oct 1993	Nov 30, 1993
	----- 1,000 Pounds -----			Percent		1,000 Lbs.
Fresh Fruit						
Apples						
Regular Storage	1,400,078	2,061,993	1,581,631	113	77	
Controlled Atmos.	3,539,081	3,864,229	3,604,251	102	93	
Total	4,939,159	5,926,222	5,185,882	105	88	269,214
Pears						
Bartlett	283	44,004	9,133		21	
Other Varieties	276,403	505,294	415,485	150	82	
Total	276,686	549,298	424,618	153	77	7,282
Grapes	34,452	174,818	41,784	121	24	
Other Fresh Fruit	9,207	7,240	30,466	331	421	4,586
Dried & Evap. Fruit	10,318	14,343	15,596	151	109	9,706
Fresh Vegetables						
Onions	16,839	19,967	16,875	100	85	
Other Fresh Veg.	79,645	26,286	50,515	63	192	
Total	96,484	46,253	67,390	70	146	14,427

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Stocks in Cold Storage: By Commodity,
United States, November 1993 (continued)

Commodity	Stocks in All Warehouses			Percent of		Public Warehouse Stocks
	Nov 30, 1992	Oct 31, 1993	Nov 30, 1993	Nov 1992	Oct 1993	Nov 30, 1993
	----- 1,000 Pounds -----			Percent		1,000 Lbs.
Nuts						
Shelled						
Peanuts	280,842	372,160	325,468	116	87	
Pecans	17,309	13,122	11,851	68	90	
Other Shelled	106,196	84,476	92,621	87	110	
Total	404,347	469,758	429,940	106	92	257,970
In-Shell						
Peanuts	19,636	17,541	16,593	85	95	
Pecans	28,706	4,797	29,880	104	623	
Other In-Shell	6,268	8,237	9,754	156	118	
Total	54,610	30,575	56,227	103	184	17,712
Dairy Products						
Cream	1,710	1,965	2,294	134	117	1,923
Butter, Total	487,578	351,426	279,175	57	79	274,318
(Government Owned)	461,372	332,162	263,225	57	79	
Evap & Cond-Milk	1,598	3,529	3,169	198	90	3,149
Natural Cheese						
American, Total	319,213	394,344	362,550	114	92	
(Government Owned)	7,098	1,634	1,686	24	103	
Swiss	10,448	9,475	8,890	85	94	
Other Nat. Cheese	111,475	94,508	91,035	82	96	
Total	441,136	498,327	462,475	105	93	273,341
Eggs						
Shell (Thou. Cases) <u>1/</u>	15	13	10	67	77	9
Frozen Eggs						
Whites	2,462	1,405	1,175	48	84	
Yolks	1,972	1,909	1,857	94	97	
Whole & Mixed	12,673	9,246	9,203	73	100	
Unclassified	1,545	1,481	1,283	83	87	
Total	18,652	14,041	13,518	72	96	10,262
Frozen Poultry						
Chicken						
Broilers (Whole)	29,023	32,746	29,157	100	89	
Hens	11,514	12,877	8,574	74	67	
Other Chicken	315,842	309,127	323,267	102	105	
Total	356,379	354,750	360,998	101	102	
Turkey						
Whole Turkeys	191,976	554,224	192,109	100	35	
Other Turkey	128,537	129,396	99,133	77	77	
Total	320,513	683,620	291,242	91	43	
Ducks	1,601	6,372	5,030	314	79	
Total	678,493	1,044,742	657,270	97	63	572,355

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Stocks in Cold Storage: By Commodity,
United States, November 1993 (continued)

Commodity	Stocks in All Warehouses			Percent of		Public Warehouse Stocks
	Nov 30, 1992	Oct 31, 1993	Nov 30, 1993	Nov 1992	Oct 1993	Nov 30, 1993
	----- 1,000 Pounds -----			Percent		1,000 Lbs.
Frozen Fruit						
Apples	72,838	61,223	70,098	96	114	
Apricots	10,164	15,364	14,197	140	92	
Blackberries, Total	24,808	22,124	19,030	77	86	
IQF	9,917	8,206	6,991	70	85	
Pails and Tubs	7,284	5,763	5,166	71	90	
Barrels, 400lbs net	6,519	6,970	5,477	84	79	
Concentrate	1,088	1,185	1,396	128	118	
Blueberries	86,286	105,609	97,493	113	92	
Boysenberries	3,754	4,687	3,870	103	83	
Cherries, Tart(RSP)	134,113	129,512	118,439	88	91	
Cherries, Tart(Juice)	8,459	6,177	5,575	66	90	
Cherries, Sweet	12,675	11,245	10,784	85	96	
Grapes	4,395	4,718	6,931	158	147	
Peaches	85,199	113,951	110,478	130	97	
Raspberries, Black	799	1,284	945	118	74	
Raspberries, Red, Tot	41,459	44,811	39,587	95	88	
IQF	5,853	13,506	11,791	201	87	
Pails and Tubs	13,184	12,610	11,462	87	91	
Barrels, 400lbs net	21,535	16,680	14,324	67	86	
Concentrate	887	2,015	2,010	227	100	
Strawberries, Total	199,566	270,933	245,852	123	91	
Pkgs. 20 oz. & less	65,857		76,214	116		
Pkgs. over 20 oz.	133,709		169,638	127		
Other Frozen Fruit	280,131	397,065	368,658	132	93	
Total	964,646	1,188,703	1,111,937	115	94	785,905
Frozen Juice						
Orange Juice Conc. 2/ (Gallon Equivalent)	637,981	813,285	888,406	139	109	
Other Juice Conc.	456,743	513,366	503,303	110	98	
Total	1,094,724	1,326,651	1,391,709	127	105	280,247
Frozen Vegetables						
Asparagus	9,726	15,370	17,267	178	112	
Limas, Fordhook	12,834	12,660	12,029	94	95	
Limas, Baby	57,140	41,867	38,474	67	92	
Green Beans, Reg. Cut	166,060	179,952	181,156	109	101	
Green Beans, Fr.Style	41,818	37,900	31,694	76	84	
Broccoli, Spears	30,215	28,392	31,468	104	111	
Broccoli, Chop. & Cut	112,700	121,661	111,813	99	92	
Brussels Sprouts	20,983	11,086	23,126	110	209	
Carrots, Diced	130,295	71,507	102,067	78	143	
Carrots, Other	135,768	141,366	167,592	123	119	
Cauliflower	66,433	43,685	51,709	78	118	
Corn, Cut	376,692	369,086	309,279	82	84	
Corn, Cob	351,142	220,342	260,767	74	118	
Mixed Vegetables	48,274	56,132	43,201	89	77	
Okra	53,730	24,985	21,525	40	86	
Onion Rings	9,041	7,613	8,667	96	114	
Onions, Other	27,100	26,145	29,269	108	112	
Blackeye Peas	11,044	11,612	11,008	100	95	
Green Peas	354,397	303,591	285,989	81	94	
Peas & Carrots Mixed	7,063	15,822	14,070	199	89	
Spinach	67,452	46,643	56,274	83	121	
Squash, Sum. & Zucch.	61,152	64,351	64,555	106	100	
Southern Greens	24,850	22,060	40,189	162	182	
Other Vegetables	312,878	272,885	274,124	88	100	
Total	2,488,787	2,146,713	2,187,312	88	102	1,472,149

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Commodity	Stocks in All Warehouses			Percent of		Public Warehouse Stocks
	Nov 30, 1992	Oct 31, 1993	Nov 30, 1993	Nov 1992	Oct 1993	Nov 30, 1993
	1,000 Pounds			Percent		1,000 Lbs.
Potatoes						
French Fries	820,538	907,617	883,624	108	97	
Other Frozen	218,120	277,108	233,227	107	84	
Total	1,038,658	1,184,725	1,116,851	108	94	701,890
Meat						
Frozen Beef						
Boneless	243,487	307,100	312,897	129	102	
Beef Cuts	32,432	37,320	42,523	131	114	
Total	275,919	344,420	355,420	129	103	343,376
(Government Owned)	14,435	6,214	12,452	86	200	
Frozen Pork						
Picnics, bone-in	5,922	9,680	8,168	138	84	
Hams, total	49,673	95,807	71,333	144	74	56,933
Bone-in		69,949	48,479		69	
Boneless		25,858	22,854		88	
Bellies	49,970	14,345	33,194	66	231	
Loins, total	9,999	9,045	12,744	127	141	11,365
Bone-in		5,174	7,681		148	
Boneless		3,871	5,063		131	
Ribs	44,179	36,189	43,142	98	119	
Butts		2,548	3,075		121	
Trimmings	23,515	25,325	27,745	118	110	
Other	133,411	106,106	99,613	75	94	
Variety Meats		16,964	14,470		85	
Unclassified		12,725	12,040		95	
Total	316,669	328,734	325,524	103	99	277,906
(Government Owned)	863	1,166	932	108	80	
Other						
Veal	5,993	4,326	4,229	71	98	
Lamb & Mutton	8,406	11,843	9,878	118	83	
Total	14,399	16,169	14,107	98	87	13,493
Canned						
Canned Hams	17,208	15,323	14,905	87	97	
Other Canned Meat	2,355	1,633	1,466	62	90	
Total	19,563	16,956	16,371	84	97	8,547
Total	626,550	706,279	711,422	114	101	643,322
Miscellaneous						
Cooler	526,126	642,162	636,815	121	99	483,053
Freezer	1,826,824	1,885,581	1,846,832	101	98	1,715,704
Total	2,352,950	2,527,743	2,483,647	106	98	2,198,757
Commodities						
Stored in Coolers	6,814,388	8,380,089	7,371,341	108	88	1,354,788
Stored in Freezers	9,207,059	9,771,904	9,244,447	100	95	6,406,546
Total	16,021,447	18,151,993	16,615,788	104	92	7,761,334

1/ 46.8 pounds per case.

2/ Adjusted to 42.0 degrees Brix equivalent (9.896 pounds per gallon).

Stocks in Cold Storage: By Commodity, Region,
and United States, October 31, 1993

Commodity	New England	Middle Atlantic	East North Central	West North Central	South Atlantic
1,000 Pounds					
Fresh Fruit					
Total Apples	120,672	609,727	576,603	2,810	337,468
Total Pears		4,362			34
Dried & Evap. Fruit	177	717	2,848	293	142
Nuts					
Shelled					
Peanuts		600	472	37	245,012
Pecans <u>1/</u>		133		126	5,368
In-Shell					
Pecans <u>1/</u>		15		1	3,366
Dairy Products					
Butter, Total	2,318	7,286	64,176	209,467	6,890
Natural Cheese					
American, Total	17,650	42,595	212,215	55,712	301
Swiss	959	590	6,492	403	71
Other Natural Cheese:	115	16,364	66,182	1,273	1,201
Frozen Eggs	244	505	3,362	4,860	775
Frozen Poultry					
Broilers (Whole)	109	858	1,142	166	14,527
Hens	31	67	282	4,661	4,304
Other Chicken	1,198	8,557	9,234	18,950	82,311
Total	1,338	9,482	10,658	23,777	101,142
Whole Turkeys	16,409	58,079	86,727	111,005	100,070
Other Turkey	307	10,652	30,700	17,870	36,403
Total	16,716	68,731	117,427	128,875	136,473
Ducks	28	232	4,465	781	14
Total	18,082	78,445	132,550	153,433	237,629
Frozen Fruit					
Apples	122	15,636	19,173	343	11,589
Apricots		1,910	1,131	1,810	24
Blackberries	17	325	576	140	97
Blueberries	34,421	5,795	46,727	814	1,063
Boysenberries		3	98	42	5
Cherries, Tart (RSP)	73	8,141	109,875	235	162
Cherries, Sweet	5	536	3,411	360	36
Grapes		1	319		101
Peaches	48	4,510	6,006	1,056	2,038
Raspberries, Red	212	1,195	2,055	2,210	584
Strawberries, Total	552	9,474	11,331	14,949	2,687
Other Frozen Fruit	132,023	28,281	91,331	5,134	8,257

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Stocks in Cold Storage: By Commodity, Region,
and United States, October 31, 1993 (continued)

Commodity	East South Central	West South Central	Mountain	Pacific	US Total
1,000 Pounds					
Fresh Fruit					
Total Apples	465	952	167,066	4,110,459	5,926,222
Total Pears			76	544,826	549,298
Dried & Evap. Fruit	48	377	15	9,726	14,343
Nuts					
Shelled					
Peanuts	57,963	67,856	2	218	372,160
Pecans <u>2/</u>	90	7,270		135	13,122
In-Shell					
Pecans <u>2/</u>	56	1,355		4	4,797
Dairy Products					
Butter, Total	2,538	9,843	7,053	41,855	351,426
Natural Cheese					
American, Total	239	155	20,232	45,245	394,344
Swiss	24		822	114	9,475
Other Natural Cheese	3,892	276	4,007	1,198	94,508
Frozen Eggs	205	1,073	337	2,680	14,041
Frozen Poultry					
Broilers (Whole)	539	9,368	485	5,552	32,746
Hens	801	482	399	1,850	12,877
Other Chicken	62,499	100,111	3,365	22,902	309,127
Total	63,839	109,961	4,249	30,304	354,750
Whole Turkeys	15,840	64,090	25,942	76,062	554,224
Other Turkey	1,464	12,190	5,507	14,303	129,396
Total	17,304	76,280	31,449	90,365	683,620
Ducks	40	122	6	684	6,372
Total	81,183	186,363	35,704	121,353	1,044,742
Frozen Fruit					
Apples	205	1,201	180	12,774	61,223
Apricots	187	51	7	10,244	15,364
Blackberries	136	284	184	20,365	22,124
Blueberries	375	1,037	294	15,083	105,609
Boysenberries	1		7	4,531	4,687
Cherries, Tart (RSP)	61	1,042	4,694	5,229	129,512
Cherries, Sweet	55	193	241	6,408	11,245
Grapes	48	45		4,204	4,718
Peaches	261	1,229	72	98,731	113,951
Raspberries, Red	193	127	60	38,175	44,811
Strawberries, Total	2,947	17,062	851	211,080	270,933
Other Frozen Fruit	584	7,505	1,095	122,855	397,065

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Stocks in Cold Storage: By Commodity, Region,
and United States, October 31, 1993 (continued)

Commodity	New England	Middle Atlantic	East North Central	West North Central	South Atlantic
1,000 Pounds					
Frozen Juice					
Orange Juice Conc.	156	4,982	3,476	504	751,160
Other Juice Conc.	392	53,331	40,269	1,725	194,190
Frozen Vegetables ^{3/}					
Asparagus	44	619	3,065	282	378
Limas, Fordhook	44	1,548	778	287	1,480
Limas, Baby	39	3,626	2,044	327	16,406
Green Beans, Reg. Cut	377	30,689	49,808	2,579	9,553
Green Beans, Fr. Style	131	8,663	3,688	207	1,449
Broccoli, Spears	236	3,697	466	918	8,517
Broccoli, Chop & Cut	142	11,654	7,928	6,900	7,108
Brussels Sprouts	49	362	544	456	626
Carrots, Diced	20	4,195	12,915	374	6,925
Carrots, Other	106	4,230	6,765	1,219	8,008
Cauliflower	42	2,153	2,374	796	1,487
Corn, Cut	473	27,843	65,896	18,190	20,140
Corn, Cob	64	27,083	31,681	29,325	5,991
Mixed Vegetables	426	5,558	3,138	2,304	3,983
Okra	9	918	262	155	5,964
Onion Rings	72	1,266	2,966	166	1,035
Onions, Other	11	1,559	2,267	484	2,637
Blackeye Peas		723	273	26	8,382
Green Peas	7,746	22,724	29,748	18,047	22,001
Peas & Carrots Mixed	78	1,444	477	379	1,049
Spinach	285	7,924	1,304	1,780	3,669
Squash, Summer/Zucchini	196	3,886	8,918	761	8,093
Southern Greens	47	1,604	43	60	7,273
Other Vegetables	364	27,453	25,355	13,134	27,072
Potatoes					
French Fries	55,781	24,044	77,738	57,896	33,825
Other Frozen	4,885	15,802	50,303	11,773	17,339
Meat					
Frozen Beef					
Boneless	1,746	20,860	33,037	53,452	35,789
Beef Cuts	306	332	3,985	3,205	1,534
Frozen Pork					
Bellies		218	4,136	6,549	684
Ribs	13	1,180	14,811	11,353	2,770
Trimmings	239	2,796	5,036	11,988	1,473
Other	514	1,922	15,658	30,161	28,198
Other					
Veal	330	597	992	395	875
Lamb & Mutton	270	1,185	1,922	1,628	1,081
Canned					
Canned Hams	289	7,750	845	4,910	803
Other Canned Meat	1	41	188	1,359	31

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Stocks in Cold Storage: By Commodity, Region,
and United States, October 31, 1993 (continued)

Commodity	East South Central	West South Central	Mountain	Pacific	US Total
1,000 Pounds					
Frozen Juice					
Orange Juice Conc.	222	1,362	4,611	46,812	813,285
Other Juice Conc.	1,008	6,726	2,967	212,758	513,366
Frozen Vegetables ^{3/}					
Asparagus		180	68	10,734	15,370
Limas, Fordhook		149	1,709	6,665	12,660
Limas, Baby		1,301	3,341	14,783	41,867
Green Beans, Reg. Cut		926	1,273	84,747	179,952
Green Beans, Fr. Style		93	507	23,162	37,900
Broccoli, Spears		7,084	807	6,667	28,392
Broccoli, Chop & Cut		34,483	9,875	43,571	121,661
Brussels Sprouts		614	28	8,407	11,086
Carrots, Diced		1,624	197	45,257	71,507
Carrots, Other		4,249	1,672	115,117	141,366
Cauliflower		5,133	567	31,133	43,685
Corn, Cut		959	2,427	233,158	369,086
Corn, Cob		1,954	27,695	96,549	220,342
Mixed Vegetables		3,517	1,412	35,794	56,132
Okra		17,212	28	437	24,985
Onion Rings		539	172	1,397	7,613
Onions, Other		1,385	1,058	16,744	26,145
Blackeye Peas		2,029	25	154	11,612
Green Peas		2,035	19,885	181,405	303,591
Peas & Carrots Mixed		89	43	12,263	15,822
Spinach		5,118	805	25,758	46,643
Squash, Summer/Zucchini		9,702	562	32,233	64,351
Southern Greens		12,913	10	110	22,060
Other Vegetables		28,623	7,743	143,141	272,885
Potatoes					
French Fries	8,725	3,013	266,659	379,936	907,617
Other Frozen	1,876	6,326	66,499	102,305	277,108
Meat					
Frozen Beef					
Boneless	7,091	88,150	16,630	50,345	307,100
Beef Cuts	969	3,750	9,505	13,734	37,320
Frozen Pork					
Bellies	1,028	283	42	1,405	14,345
Ribs	2,208	1,805	24	2,025	36,189
Trimmings	104	1,177	319	2,193	25,325
Other	5,081	11,833	2,467	10,272	106,106
Other					
Veal	73	39	76	949	4,326
Lamb & Mutton	51	277	3,064	2,365	11,843
Canned					
Canned Hams	410	30	2	284	15,323
Other Canned Meat	4			9	1,633

^{1/} East North Central and South Atlantic combined.

^{2/} West South Central and Mountain combined.

^{3/} East South Central and South Atlantic combined.

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Commodity	New England	Middle Atlantic	East North Central	West North Central	South Atlantic
1,000 Pounds					
Fresh Fruit					
Total Apples	96,494	505,736	486,543	1,970	284,401
Total Pears		1,504			
Dried & Evap. Fruit	176	786	2,851	342	139
Nuts					
Shelled					
Peanuts		509	432	35	230,704
Pecans <u>1/</u>		125		88	5,100
In-Shell					
Pecans <u>1/</u>				8	16,830
Dairy Products					
Butter, Total	2,160	7,059	27,914	185,002	5,896
Natural Cheese					
American, Total	17,034	46,187	209,783	50,567	317
Swiss	135	578	6,936	577	59
Other Natural Cheese	99	12,428	66,137	1,237	629
Frozen Eggs	322	569	3,728	4,364	688
Frozen Poultry					
Broilers (Whole)	131	331	1,087	179	14,199
Hens	18	129	154	3,662	1,927
Other Chicken	1,339	8,303	8,851	20,651	83,895
Total	1,488	8,763	10,092	24,492	100,021
Whole Turkeys	4,390	23,306	32,180	39,766	34,646
Other Turkey	174	5,509	20,401	15,014	31,948
Total	4,564	28,815	52,581	54,780	66,594
Ducks	61	174	3,431	534	12
Total	6,113	37,752	66,104	79,806	166,627
Frozen Fruit					
Apples	93	18,630	22,591	321	13,636
Apricots	1	1,756	1,134	1,757	158
Blackberries	61	290	644	59	90
Blueberries	33,171	4,932	42,883	632	934
Boysenberries		1	87	36	4
Cherries, Tart (RSP)	64	6,621	101,631	84	84
Cherries, Sweet	10	413	3,123	380	59
Grapes			405		100
Peaches	55	3,983	6,593	952	2,021
Raspberries, Red	178	1,030	1,800	2,470	761
Strawberries, Total	590	10,038	10,779	13,234	2,413
Other Frozen Fruit	119,858	29,861	86,206	5,025	5,324

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Stocks in Cold Storage: By Commodity, Region,
and United States, November 30, 1993 (continued)

Commodity	East South Central	West South Central	Mountain	Pacific	US Total
1,000 Pounds					
Fresh Fruit					
Total Apples	346	921	158,166	3,651,305	5,185,882
Total Pears			53	423,061	424,618
Dried & Evap. Fruit	44	400	16	10,842	15,596
Nuts					
Shelled					
Peanuts	63,864	29,713	2	209	325,468
Pecans <u>2/</u>	107	6,358		73	11,851
In-Shell					
Pecans <u>2/</u>	1,486	11,529		27	29,880
Dairy Products					
Butter, Total	1,268	12,682	5,885	31,309	279,175
Natural Cheese:					
American, Total	237	154	19,782	18,489	362,550
Swiss			504	101	8,890
Other Natural Cheese:	4,156	272	4,801	1,276	91,035
Frozen Eggs	167	1,059	304	2,317	13,518
Frozen Poultry					
Broilers (Whole)	524	8,938	572	3,196	29,157
Hens	706	289	186	1,503	8,574
Other Chicken	62,497	112,175	3,191	22,365	323,267
Total	63,727	121,402	3,949	27,064	360,998
Whole Turkeys	4,530	22,095	13,316	17,880	192,109
Other Turkey	952	9,832	3,923	11,380	99,133
Total	5,482	31,927	17,239	29,260	291,242
Ducks	14	50	8	746	5,030
Total	69,223	153,379	21,196	57,070	657,270
Frozen Fruit					
Apples	228	1,097	171	13,331	70,098
Apricots	181	11	6	9,193	14,197
Blackberries	115	121	170	17,480	19,030
Blueberries	337	925	312	13,367	97,493
Boysenberries	2		7	3,733	3,870
Cherries, Tart (RSP)	56	888	4,561	4,450	118,439
Cherries, Sweet	60	144	246	6,349	10,784
Grapes	83	25		6,318	6,931
Peaches	242	1,193	46	95,393	110,478
Raspberries, Red	188	108	54	32,998	39,587
Strawberries, Total	2,640	13,762	754	191,642	245,852
Other Frozen Fruit	519	7,705	1,065	113,095	368,658

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Stocks in Cold Storage: By Commodity, Region,
and United States, November 30, 1993 (continued)

Commodity	New England	Middle Atlantic	East North Central	West North Central	South Atlantic
1,000 Pounds					
Frozen Juice					
Orange Juice Conc.	309	5,332	3,760	487	814,843
Other Juice Conc.	369	62,456	39,151	1,621	178,463
Frozen Vegetables <u>3/</u>					
Asparagus	22	559	2,856	289	365
Limas, Fordhook	44	1,589	778	336	1,411
Limas, Baby	32	3,279	1,715	485	15,415
Green Beans, Reg. Cut	297	29,830	46,978	2,540	8,998
Green Beans, Fr. Style	126	7,724	3,343	223	1,255
Broccoli, Spears	307	3,299	538	714	8,658
Broccoli, Chop & Cut	281	9,833	7,357	6,470	5,598
Brussels Sprouts	45	504	717	332	853
Carrots, Diced	21	6,082	20,232	450	13,227
Carrots, Other	132	6,112	9,372	1,031	7,194
Cauliflower	69	3,220	2,758	900	1,647
Corn, Cut	354	22,894	54,261	15,955	17,427
Corn, Cob	58	25,235	30,209	26,435	5,052
Mixed Vegetables	342	4,597	2,800	1,947	3,539
Okra	8	914	204	184	4,822
Onion Rings	46	1,480	3,316	464	1,497
Onions, Other	11	1,105	2,370	728	2,395
Blackeye Peas		451	268	24	8,202
Green Peas	7,252	20,528	26,820	14,099	19,923
Peas & Carrots Mixed	70	1,273	434	359	1,003
Spinach	222	11,811	1,290	1,389	5,034
Squash, Summer/Zucchini	169	4,639	7,684	818	7,302
Southern Greens	11,278	2,046	58	54	11,859
Other Vegetables	404	28,131	24,680	10,743	26,545
Potatoes					
French Fries	46,615	23,352	69,384	61,672	37,997
Other Frozen	1,922	17,089	45,393	10,536	15,259
Meat					
Frozen Beef					
Boneless	2,608	25,016	35,334	72,987	37,377
Beef Cuts	280	655	4,266	3,480	1,051
Frozen Pork					
Bellies		456	6,458	22,387	1,949
Ribs	58	1,336	18,438	15,064	3,457
Trimmings	182	4,660	5,780	11,715	1,603
Other	390	1,907	14,742	29,585	25,971
Other					
Veal	419	599	860	327	851
Lamb & Mutton	246	971	1,401	1,319	810
Canned					
Canned Hams	330	7,133	693	5,536	401
Other Canned Meat	1	41	165	1,179	50

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Stocks in Cold Storage: By Commodity, Region,
and United States, November 30, 1993 (continued)

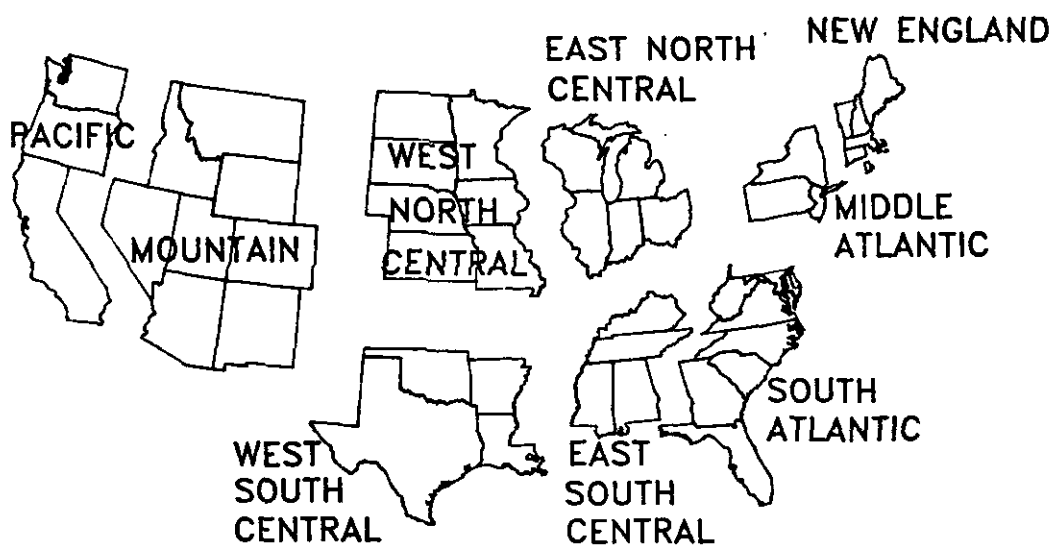
Commodity	East South Central	West South Central	Mountain	Pacific	US Total
1,000 Pounds					
Frozen Juice					
Orange Juice Conc.	244	1,095	5,747	56,589	888,406
Other Juice Conc.	1,178	5,001	2,622	212,442	503,303
Frozen Vegetables <u>3/</u>					
Asparagus		270	50	12,856	17,267
Limas, Fordhook		140	1,180	6,551	12,029
Limas, Baby		1,201	2,657	13,690	38,474
Green Beans, Reg. Cut		859	1,206	90,448	181,156
Green Beans, Fr. Style		140	392	18,491	31,694
Broccoli, Spears		5,257	4,007	8,688	31,468
Broccoli, Chop & Cut		29,956	4,307	48,011	111,813
Brussels Sprouts		950	218	19,507	23,126
Carrots, Diced		1,532	1,987	58,536	102,067
Carrots, Other		4,674	1,698	137,379	167,592
Cauliflower		7,999	605	34,511	51,709
Corn, Cut		1,243	2,167	194,978	309,279
Corn, Cob		1,866	27,205	144,707	260,767
Mixed Vegetables		3,752	1,164	25,060	43,201
Okra		14,903	22	468	21,525
Onion Rings		576	146	1,142	8,667
Onions, Other		542	977	21,141	29,269
Blackeye Peas		1,882	2	179	11,008
Green Peas		1,660	18,305	177,402	285,989
Peas & Carrots Mixed		85	61	10,785	14,070
Spinach		6,058	848	29,622	56,274
Squash, Summer/Zucchini		9,053	316	34,574	64,555
Southern Greens		14,667	5	222	40,189
Other Vegetables		29,094	7,815	146,712	274,124
Potatoes					
French Fries	8,974	2,393	249,259	383,978	883,624
Other Frozen	1,499	5,643	63,177	72,709	233,227
Meat					
Frozen Beef					
Boneless	8,136	73,788	16,208	41,443	312,897
Beef Cuts	969	4,440	11,147	16,235	42,523
Frozen Pork					
Bellies	297	595	30	1,022	33,194
Ribs	1,438	1,082	135	2,134	43,142
Trimmings	169	1,544	284	1,808	27,745
Other	4,505	10,584	1,650	10,279	99,613
Other					
Veal	47	5	78	1,043	4,229
Lamb & Mutton	63	248	2,661	2,159	9,878
Canned					
Canned Hams	480	25		307	14,905
Other Canned Meat	15			15	1,466

1/ East North Central and South Atlantic combined. 2/ West South Central and Mountain combined. 3/ East South Central and South Atlantic combined.

Public General Warehouses: Cold Storage Space Occupied
by Region and United States, November 1993

Region	Cooler				Freezer			
	Usable	Usable	Usable	Usable	Usable	Usable	Usable	Usable
	Space	Space	Occupied	Space	Space	Occupied	Space	Occupied
	Nov 30	Nov 30	Oct 31	Nov 30	Nov 30	Nov 30	Oct 31	Nov 30
1993	1992	1993	1993	1993	1992	1993	1993	
	1,000	--- Percent ---			1,000	--- Percent ---		
	Cu Ft				Cu Ft			
New England	4,155	32	34	32	27,009	44	45	42
Middle Atlantic	23,075	58	54	53	86,902	58	63	60
East North Cent	39,941	64	59	60	158,908	76	76	73
West North Cent	37,059	78	72	73	131,292	62	63	60
South Atlantic	38,950	63	69	67	118,725	55	58	61
East South Cent	6,977	53	65	65	26,761	61	67	64
West South Cent	17,224	30	33	32	80,405	62	64	60
Mountain	4,324	49	49	47	36,936	65	73	70
Pacific	40,508	56	55	59	230,032	78	74	73
US	212,213	60	59	60	896,970	67	68	66

COLD STORAGE REGIONS



Apples in Cold Storage: By State
and United States, November 1993

State	All Warehouses		
	Nov 30, 1992	Oct 31, 1993	Nov 30, 1993
	1,000 Pounds		
N ENG	146,646	120,672	96,494
NY	386,358	349,482	311,640
PA	220,122	256,872	191,940
OH	24,992	35,508	27,368
MI	477,985	513,450	439,242
VA	209,138	228,231	184,142
WV	80,610	71,012	64,334
WA	3,050,009	3,641,880	3,241,984
OR	28,174	46,490	37,854
CA	186,230	422,089	371,467
Other States	128,895	240,536	219,417
US	4,939,159	5,926,222	5,185,882

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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