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Frozen food stocks in refrigerated warehouses on January 31, 1997, were greater than year earlier levels for turkeys, chicken, and concentrated fruit juices. Cooler stocks of apples and natural cheese were higher than a year earlier.

Total red meat supplies in freezers increased 6 percent from December, but were down 16 percent from January 1996. Frozen pork stocks were 9 percent above last month, but 10 percent below last year. Stocks of pork bellies were up slightly from last month, but were 18 percent below last year's level.

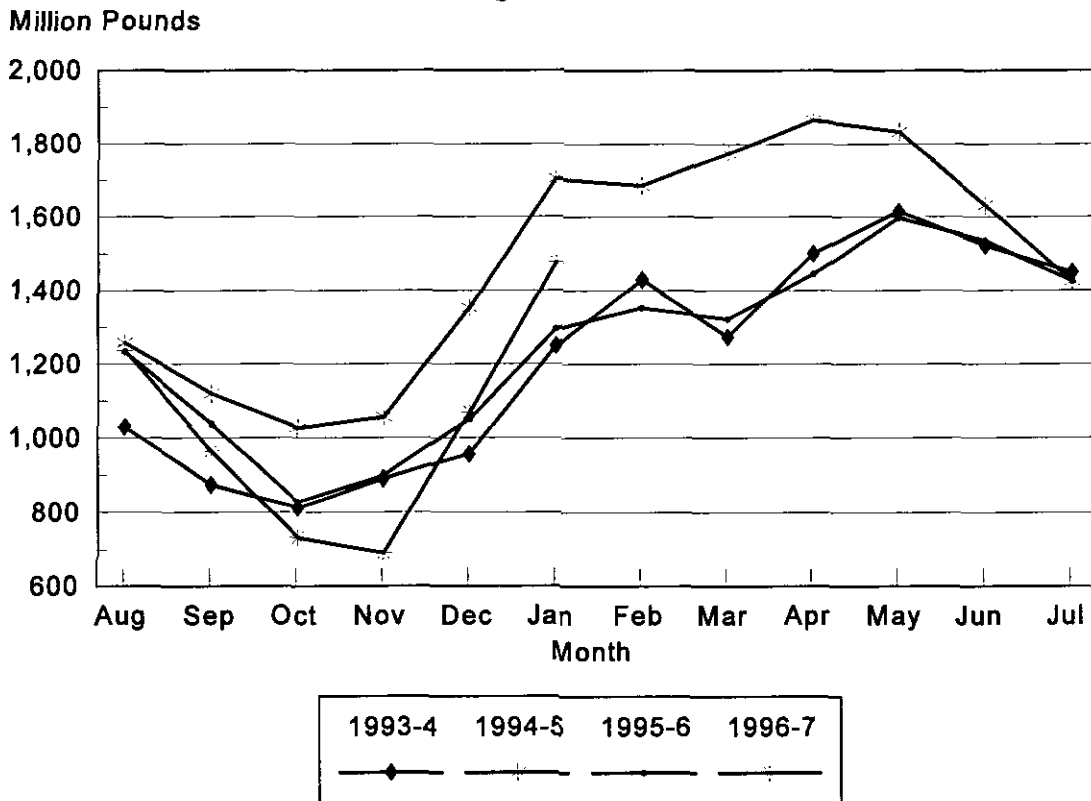
Total frozen poultry supplies increased 11 percent from last month and were 7 percent above last year. Total stocks of chicken increased 5 percent during the month and were 2 percent above 1996. Total pounds of turkey in freezers increased 22 percent from last month and were up 18 percent from last year.

Public cooler occupancy was at 47 percent of capacity, down 3 points from a year ago. Public freezer occupancy at 62 percent was down 1 point from last month and down 4 points from last year.

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Orange Juice Concentrate Cold Storage Stocks, 1993-7



Stocks in Cold Storage: By Commodity,
United States, January 1997

Commodity	Stocks in All Warehouses			Percent of		Public Warehouse Stocks
	Jan 31, 1996	Dec 31, 1996	Jan 31, 1997	Jan 1996	Dec 1996	Jan 1997
	1,000 Pounds			Percent		1,000 Lbs
Fresh Fruit						
Apples						
Regular Storage	400,068	941,523	473,011	118	50	
Controlled Atmosphere	2,909,565	3,731,341	3,394,662	117	91	
Total	3,309,633	4,672,864	3,867,673	117	83	9,463
Pears						
Bartlett	529	117	72	14	62	
Other Varieties	292,556	209,215	152,586	52	73	
Total	293,085	209,332	152,658	52	73	61
Nuts						
Shelled						
Peanuts	280,136	215,702	269,740	96	125	
Pecans	30,782	34,794	38,490	125	111	
Other Shelled	113,148	94,886	96,403	85	102	
Total	424,066	345,382	404,633	95	117	193,777
In-Shell						
Peanuts	14,494	20,469	24,350	168	119	
Pecans	153,555	70,596	100,635	66	143	
Other In-Shell	7,491	7,057	7,523	100	107	
Total	175,540	98,122	132,508	75	135	34,644
Dairy Products						
Butter, Total	25,476	13,707	21,738	85	159	19,917
(Government Owned)	3,406	294	204	6	69	
Natural Cheese						
American, Total	346,143	379,673	390,985	113	103	
(Government Owned)	78	47	141	181	300	
Swiss	8,805	12,668	13,253	151	105	
Other Natural Cheese	115,283	94,609	100,416	87	106	
Total	470,231	486,950	504,654	107	104	261,526
Eggs, Frozen						
Whites	1,400	1,062	1,014	72	95	
Yolks	2,330	1,014	971	42	96	
Whole & Mixed	10,300	6,810	7,560	73	111	
Unclassified	1,570	1,299	1,495	95	115	
Total	15,600	10,185	11,040	71	108	10,568
Frozen Poultry						
Chicken						
Broilers (Whole)	45,898	33,306	39,392	86	118	
Hens	10,399	5,705	5,300	51	93	
Other Chicken	612,181	608,000	636,120	104	105	
Total	668,478	647,011	680,812	102	105	
Turkey						
Whole Turkeys	182,015	146,859	194,225	107	132	
Other Turkey	157,163	181,092	206,203	131	114	
Total	339,178	327,951	400,428	118	122	
Ducks	3,154	2,203	1,772	56	80	
Total	1,010,810	977,165	1,083,012	107	111	974,714

Stocks in Cold Storage: By Commodity,
United States, January 1997 (Continued)

Commodity	Stocks in All Warehouses			Percent of		Public Warehouse Stocks
	Jan 31, 1996	Dec 31, 1996	Jan 31, 1997	Jan 1996:	Dec 1996:	Jan 1997
	1,000 Pounds			Percent		1,000 Lbs
Frozen Fruit						
Apples	103,879	75,665	89,481	86	118	
Apricots	5,318	8,545	7,464	140	87	
Blackberries, Total	14,849	20,227	18,110	122	90	
IQF	8,448	12,407	11,924	141	96	
Pails and Tubs	2,372	2,750	2,483	105	90	
Barrels, 400 lbs net	2,119	4,159	2,607	123	63	
Concentrate	1,910	911	1,096	57	120	
Blueberries	60,590	60,126	55,613	92	92	
Boysenberries	2,236	3,561	2,955	132	83	
Cherries, Tart (RSP)	116,522	127,102	112,818	97	89	
Cherries, Tart (Juice)	1,174	4,076	2,002	171	49	
Cherries, Sweet	12,868	12,201	10,892	85	89	
Grapes	5,566	4,879	5,549	100	114	
Peaches	44,191	50,471	42,471	96	84	
Raspberries, Black	1,538	1,324	1,191	77	90	
Raspberries, Red, Total	36,982	36,494	33,464	90	92	
IQF	10,269	12,717	11,589	113	91	
Pails and Tubs	16,413	13,173	12,462	76	95	
Barrels, 400 lbs net	7,969	9,615	8,517	107	89	
Concentrate	2,331	989	896	38	91	
Strawberries, Total	216,386	212,031	185,294	86	87	
Pkgs. 20 Oz. & Less	99,754		78,009	78		
Pkgs. Over 20 Oz.	116,632		107,285	92		
Other Frozen Fruit	435,438	473,832	426,313	98	90	
Total	1,057,537	1,090,534	993,617	94	91	578,544
Frozen Juice						
Orange Juice Conc. 1/ (Gallon Equivalent)	1,295,401	1,069,372	1,477,241	114	138	
Other Juice Concentrate	504,603	410,221	438,683	87	107	
Total	1,800,004	1,479,593	1,915,924	106	129	297,618
Frozen Vegetables						
Asparagus	9,920	8,353	7,658	77	92	
Limas, Fordhook	15,722	15,209	14,279	91	94	
Limas, Baby	37,561	44,036	37,454	100	85	
Green Beans, Reg. Cut	152,596	161,433	139,943	92	87	
Green Beans, Fr. Style	40,218	41,174	39,784	99	97	
Broccoli, Spears	31,889	22,101	19,640	62	89	
Broccoli, Chopped & Cut	100,577	98,870	85,005	85	86	
Brussels Sprouts	17,356	16,314	18,751	108	115	
Carrots, Diced	77,790	92,298	78,489	101	85	
Carrots, Other	205,559	189,493	165,801	81	87	
Cauliflower	62,052	54,618	54,315	88	99	
Corn, Cut	328,732	352,378	310,293	94	88	
Corn, Cob	255,474	293,046	260,621	102	89	
Mixed Vegetables	55,134	54,208	53,370	97	98	
Okra	37,358	28,576	24,221	65	85	
Onion Rings	11,565	10,040	11,054	96	110	
Onions, Other	35,819	30,481	28,135	79	92	
Blackeye Peas	7,964	9,795	7,012	88	72	
Green Peas	245,525	208,357	168,581	69	81	
Peas & Carrots Mixed	8,873	6,731	5,913	67	88	
Spinach	62,915	47,868	40,035	64	84	
Squash, Summer/Zucchini	54,558	58,749	50,741	93	86	
Southern Greens	21,586	26,936	27,278	126	101	
Other Vegetables	270,500	314,640	292,239	108	93	
Total	2,147,243	2,185,704	1,940,612	90	89	1,294,144

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Stocks in Cold Storage: By Commodity,
United States, January 1997 (Continued)

Commodity	Stocks in All Warehouses			Percent of		Public Warehouse Stocks
	Jan 31, 1996	Dec 31, 1996	Jan 31, 1997	Jan 1996	Dec 1996	Jan 1997
	1,000 Pounds			Percent		1,000 Lbs
Potatoes						
French Fries	931,840	921,248	926,036	99	101	
Other Frozen	215,384	177,173	192,062	89	108	
Total	1,147,224	1,098,421	1,118,098	97	102	791,180
Meat						
Frozen Beef						
Boneless	333,919	256,625	265,329	79	103	
Beef Cuts	33,971	28,317	24,976	74	88	
Total	367,890	284,942	290,305	79	102	283,503
(Government Owned)	10,475	5,879	6,372	61	108	
Frozen Pork						
Picnics, Bone-in	6,702	4,595	6,510	97	142	
Hams, Total	59,460	33,506	49,790	84	149	46,724
Bone-in	30,314	18,537	25,734	85	139	23,912
Boneless	29,146	14,969	24,056	83	161	22,812
Bellies	46,498	37,930	38,041	82	100	
Loins, Total	20,438	18,214	19,624	96	108	17,860
Bone-in	8,587	8,968	9,165	107	102	
Boneless	11,851	9,246	10,459	88	113	
Ribs	63,575	71,234	72,988	115	102	
Butts	10,374	5,941	8,246	79	139	
Trimmings	49,447	32,696	32,512	66	99	
Other	89,307	70,994	79,133	89	111	
Variety Meats	26,666	24,403	21,071	79	86	
Unclassified	9,754	14,310	14,496	149	101	
Total	382,221	313,823	342,411	90	109	301,550
(Government Owned)	2,750	1,259	1,155	42	92	
Other						
Veal	7,172	7,273	6,904	96	95	
Lamb & Mutton	9,794	8,899	9,446	96	106	
Total	16,966	16,172	16,350	96	101	15,922
Canned						
Canned Hams	10,965	5,336	5,932	54	111	
Other Canned Meat	1,448	980	899	62	92	
Total	12,413	6,316	6,831	55	108	5,731
Total	779,490	621,253	655,897	84	106	606,706
Miscellaneous						
Cooler	627,007	679,823	606,696	97	89	444,745
Freezer	1,709,002	1,673,589	1,691,822	99	101	1,626,565
Total	2,336,009	2,353,412	2,298,518	98	98	2,071,310
Commodities						
Stored in Coolers	5,313,196	6,500,359	5,677,324	107	87	951,252
Stored in Freezers	9,678,752	9,142,265	9,423,258	97	103	6,192,920
Total	14,991,948	15,642,624	15,100,582	101	97	7,144,172

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

Stocks in Cold Storage: By Commodity, Region,
and United States, December 31, 1996

Commodity	New England	Middle Atlantic	East North Central	West North Central	South Atlantic
1,000 Pounds					
Total Fresh Apples	66,960	492,282	272,913	2,058	209,864
Nuts					
Shelled					
Peanuts		2	265	17	114,460
Pecans 1/ In-Shell		60			8,778
Pecans 1/ In-Shell		11			23,373
Dairy Products					
Butter, Total	1,198	1,575	3,957	1,481	550
Natural Cheese					
American, Total	14,634	33,899	212,061	60,798	223
Other Natural Cheese	102	3,639	77,506	2,278	6,245
Broilers (Whole)	115	405	454	1,672	16,275
Hens		43	338	717	2,059
Other Chicken	2,039	4,994	16,085	32,361	170,892
Total	2,154	5,442	16,877	34,750	189,226
Whole Turkeys	1,131	15,581	11,614	19,234	27,554
Other Turkey	420	8,570	18,950	49,096	55,280
Total	1,551	24,151	30,564	68,330	82,834
Ducks	17	63	1,397	30	47
Total	3,722	29,656	48,838	103,110	272,107
Frozen Fruit					
Apples	46	24,402	25,463	301	6,580
Blueberries	20,508	7,066	18,058	571	2,008
Cherries, Tart (RSP)	72	6,344	99,813	100	246
Cherries, Sweet		2,118	5,543	508	76
Peaches	27	2,298	1,834	402	1,336
Raspberries, Red	200	2,138	973	394	303
Strawberries, Total	110	4,775	5,319	6,190	1,584
Other Frozen Fruit	119,696	42,927	218,114	1,835	1,606

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Stocks in Cold Storage: By Commodity, Region,
and United States, December 31, 1996 (continued)

Commodity	: East	: West	:	:	:
	: South	: South	: Mountain	: Pacific	: US
	: Central	: Central	:	:	: Total
			1,000 Pounds		
Total Fresh Apples		38	96,289	3,532,460	4,672,864
Nuts					
Shelled					
Peanuts	33,078	66,921	106	853	215,702
Pecans 1/	240	25,590		126	34,794
In-Shell					
Pecans 1/	2,407	44,805			70,596
Dairy Products					
Butter, Total	256	1,193	389	3,108	13,707
Natural Cheese					
American, Total	179	471	18,515	38,893	379,673
Other Natural Cheese	2,391	123	806	1,519	94,609
Broilers (Whole)	1,309	8,087	1,416	3,573	33,306
Hens	1,467	99	2	980	5,705
Other Chicken	112,589	236,237	2,027	30,776	608,000
Total	115,365	244,423	3,445	35,329	647,011
Whole Turkeys	2,010	40,096	15,996	13,643	146,859
Other Turkey	1,207	15,572	7,214	24,783	181,092
Total	3,217	55,668	23,210	38,426	327,951
Ducks	6	2	2	639	2,203
Total	118,588	300,093	26,657	74,394	977,165
Frozen Fruit					
Apples	81	2,181	365	16,246	75,665
Blueberries	147	1,007	361	10,400	60,126
Cherries, Tart (RSP)	15	801	12,867	6,844	127,102
Cherries, Sweet	92	579	50	3,235	12,201
Peaches	87	1,827	124	42,536	50,471
Raspberries, Red	149	1,617	35	30,685	36,494
Strawberries, Total	2,072	20,895	620	170,466	212,031
Other Frozen Fruit	367	5,343	2,532	81,412	473,832

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Stocks in Cold Storage: By Commodity, Region,
and United States, December 31, 1996 (continued)

Commodity	New England	Middle Atlantic	East North Central	West North Central	South Atlantic
1,000 Pounds					
Frozen Juice					
Orange Juice Conc. 2/	30		2,543	281	1,002,409
Other Juice Concentrate	677	22,255	13,327	2,756	162,518
Frozen Vegetables 3/					
Asparagus		268	2,751	382	244
Limás, Fordhook		159	685	248	1,965
Limás, Baby		1,762	1,965	711	13,711
Green Beans, Reg. Cut		22,962	37,696	1,449	6,757
Green Beans, Fr. Style		7,176	5,782	375	940
Broccoli, Spears		2,704	338	1,107	887
Broccoli, Chopped & Cut		3,470	5,332	3,571	2,680
Brussels Sprouts		400	597	874	554
Carrots, Diced		7,298	30,890	1,456	5,153
Carrots, Other		3,280	13,583	2,268	12,060
Cauliflower		1,202	2,442	1,423	1,133
Corn, Cut		13,624	36,694	40,563	9,972
Corn, Cob		11,809	13,362	25,125	3,466
Mixed Vegetables		2,265	4,590	2,273	7,258
Okra		571	154	581	7,205
Onion Rings		1,744	3,889	1,399	526
Onions, Other		884	2,395	645	2,087
Blackeye Peas		468	435	23	7,742
Green Peas		22,329	29,076	17,183	8,579
Peas & Carrots Mixed		661	501	132	427
Spinach		6,371	1,080	687	2,317
Squash, Summer/Zucchini		2,398	23,000	381	6,646
Southern Greens		2,242	33	80	9,549
Other Vegetables		31,458	26,347	16,618	22,443
Potatoes					
French Fries	29,237	13,511	103,719	97,803	15,027
Other Frozen	8,614	13,356	30,066	7,749	3,078
Meat					
Frozen Beef					
Boneless	3,778	23,846	29,459	61,800	23,183
Beef Cuts	2,281	649	2,751	6,815	776
Frozen Pork					
Ribs	206	2,518	30,434	24,707	7,945
Trimnings	444	1,095	5,046	20,153	3,182
Other	385	1,368	13,395	22,935	15,411
Other					
Veal	320	2,738	1,567	1,044	238
Lamb & Mutton	299	1,912	964	774	1,309

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Stocks in Cold Storage: By Commodity, Region,
and United States, December 31, 1996 (continued)

Commodity	: East	: West	: Mountain	: Pacific	: US
	: South	: South	: Central	: Central	: Total
	: Central	: Central	: Central	: Central	: Total
			1,000 Pounds		
Frozen Juice					
Orange Juice Concentrate	176	5,890	1,645	56,398	1,069,372
Other Juice Concentrate	537	19,944	606	187,601	410,221
Frozen Vegetables 3/					
Asparagus		275	9	4,424	8,353
Limas, Fordhook		106	10	12,036	15,209
Limas, Baby		863	4,097	20,927	44,036
Green Beans, Reg. Cut		1,443	653	90,473	161,433
Green Beans, Fr. Style		446	448	26,007	41,174
Broccoli, Spears		8,973	91	8,001	22,101
Broccoli, Chopped & Cut		28,569	1,265	53,983	98,870
Brussels Sprouts		826	19	13,044	16,314
Carrots, Diced		844	481	46,176	92,298
Carrots, Other		10,265	1,698	146,339	189,493
Cauliflower		9,770	781	37,867	54,618
Corn, Cut		2,660	1,798	247,067	352,378
Corn, Cob		2,309	658	236,317	293,046
Mixed Vegetables		7,561	673	29,588	54,208
Okra		19,212	10	843	28,576
Onion Rings		226	56	2,200	10,040
Onions, Other		1,726	2,290	20,454	30,481
Blackeye Peas		916	6	205	9,795
Green Peas		1,736	9,260	120,194	208,357
Peas & Carrots Mixed		118	60	4,832	6,731
Spinach		7,867	305	29,241	47,868
Squash, Summer/Zucchini		7,320	546	18,458	58,749
Southern Greens		14,369		663	26,936
Other Vegetables		36,774	6,207	174,793	314,640
Potatoes					
French Fries	3,124	1,562	261,944	395,321	921,248
Other Frozen	720	3,746	39,576	70,268	177,173
Meat					
Frozen Beef					
Boneless	8,718	54,364	3,535	47,942	256,625
Beef Cuts	1,160	2,430	5,306	6,149	28,317
Frozen Pork					
Ribs	2,641	1,467	12	1,304	71,234
Trimmings	324	889	175	1,388	32,696
Other	2,263	10,198	313	4,726	70,994
Other					
Veal	3	340	8	1,015	7,273
Lamb & Mutton		373	1,189	2,079	8,899

- 1/ East North Central combined with South Atlantic. Mountain and West North Central combined with West South Central.
- 2/ Middle Atlantic combined with South Atlantic.
- 3/ New England combined with Middle Atlantic. East South Central combined with South Atlantic.

Stocks in Cold Storage: By Commodity, Region,
and United States, January 31, 1997

Commodity	New England	Middle Atlantic	East North Central	West North Central	South Atlantic
1,000 Pounds					
Total Fresh Apples	45,407	397,153	198,757	569	158,725
Nuts					
Shelled					
Peanuts		18	301	19	150,486
Pecans 1/		79			11,394
In-Shell					
Pecans 1/					28,997
Dairy Products					
Butter, Total	3,080	2,226	5,902	2,217	1,078
Natural Cheese					
American, Total	15,549	33,222	214,121	63,719	328
Other Natural Cheese	156	5,648	85,468	3,290	652
Broilers (Whole)	126	465	360	1,793	17,772
Hens		20	125	695	1,829
Other Chicken	1,929	4,661	15,359	35,779	167,412
Total	2,055	5,146	15,844	38,267	187,013
Whole Turkeys	1,427	21,312	13,487	25,840	46,288
Other Turkey	468	10,053	22,789	56,900	64,749
Total	1,895	31,365	36,276	82,740	111,037
Ducks	14	131	1,246	31	38
Total	3,964	36,642	53,366	121,038	298,088
Frozen Fruit					
Apples	84	28,109	32,294	356	7,754
Blueberries	20,165	6,620	15,601	632	1,576
Cherries, Tart (RSP)	60	5,555	88,843	100	122
Cherries, Sweet	8	2,030	4,865	408	117
Peaches	28	1,962	1,508	451	1,222
Raspberries, Red	175	2,113	1,344	368	258
Strawberries, Total	109	4,857	5,048	5,573	1,715
Other Frozen Fruit	106,356	39,528	193,361	1,586	1,767

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Stocks in Cold Storage: By Commodity, Region,
and United States, January 31, 1997 (continued)

Commodity	: East	: West	:	:	:
	: South	: South	: Mountain	: Pacific	: US
	: Central	: Central	:	:	: Total
					1,000 Pounds
Total Fresh Apples		1,110	71,184	2,994,768	3,867,673
Nuts					
Shelled					
Peanuts	39,976	77,864	95	981	269,740
Pecans 1/	569	26,339		109	38,490
In-Shell					
Pecans 1/	2,614	69,024			100,635
Dairy Products					
Butter, Total	264	1,131	324	5,516	21,738
Natural Cheese					
American, Total	182	687	22,230	40,947	390,985
Other Natural Cheese	2,641	56	901	1,604	100,416
Broilers (Whole)	1,548	9,071	1,589	6,668	39,392
Hens	1,533	89		1,009	5,300
Other Chicken	128,123	245,415	2,177	35,265	636,120
Total	131,204	254,575	3,766	42,942	680,812
Whole Turkeys	2,307	51,276	14,160	18,128	194,225
Other Turkey	1,093	16,049	7,757	26,345	206,203
Total	3,400	67,325	21,917	44,473	400,428
Ducks	8	2	1	301	1,772
Total	134,612	321,902	25,684	87,716	1,083,012
Frozen Fruit					
Apples	143	1,869	329	18,543	89,481
Blueberries	121	918	360	9,620	55,613
Cherries, Tart (RSP)	28	754	11,144	6,212	112,818
Cherries, Sweet	82	500	36	2,846	10,892
Peaches	124	1,524	104	35,548	42,471
Raspberries, Red	132	1,526	58	27,490	33,464
Strawberries, Total	1,524	16,137	549	149,782	185,294
Other Frozen Fruit	306	6,890	2,572	73,947	426,313

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Stocks in Cold Storage: By Commodity, Region,
and United States, January 31, 1997 (continued)

Commodity	New England	Middle Atlantic	East North Central	West North Central	South Atlantic
1,000 Pounds					
Frozen Juice					
Orange Juice Conc. 2/	8		2,804	608	1,391,376
Other Juice Concentrate	743	53,582	20,471	2,437	158,089
Frozen Vegetables 3/					
Asparagus		241	1,990	364	222
Limas, Fordhook		195	612	253	1,656
Limas, Baby		1,544	1,944	666	10,542
Green Beans, Reg. Cut		20,375	32,208	1,432	4,853
Green Beans, Fr. Style		6,439	5,462	305	1,276
Broccoli, Spears		2,586	266	1,606	932
Broccoli, Chopped & Cut		3,203	4,769	3,258	2,721
Brussels Sprouts		562	532	952	790
Carrots, Diced		6,324	27,772	1,327	4,955
Carrots, Other		2,858	12,901	2,135	9,717
Cauliflower		2,553	2,589	1,336	1,054
Corn, Cut		10,864	30,866	37,441	9,767
Corn, Cob		7,082	11,799	22,318	4,000
Mixed Vegetables		2,818	3,896	2,104	6,379
Okra		627	188	714	5,444
Onion Rings		2,054	4,279	1,591	711
Onions, Other		990	1,971	602	1,639
Blackeye Peas		374	361	27	5,348
Green Peas		19,239	25,385	14,949	6,193
Peas & Carrots Mixed		644	371	143	386
Spinach		5,597	803	659	1,702
Squash, Summer/Zucchini		2,433	20,423	519	5,584
Southern Greens		2,352	33	95	7,517
Other Vegetables		29,888	24,573	14,942	21,045
Potatoes					
French Fries	32,110	28,391	100,174	104,647	16,082
Other Frozen	8,405	20,359	32,528	7,619	2,957
Meat					
Frozen Beef					
Boneless	3,800	26,374	26,920	66,060	26,144
Beef Cuts	2,172	618	2,138	6,159	800
Frozen Pork					
Ribs	275	2,557	30,146	25,156	8,367
Trimmings	116	1,187	4,997	18,688	3,178
Other	191	2,571	15,797	23,289	15,917
Other					
Veal	354	2,538	1,473	1,047	324
Lamb & Mutton	277	2,057	1,285	832	1,404

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Stocks in Cold Storage: By Commodity, Region,
and United States, January 31, 1997 (continued)

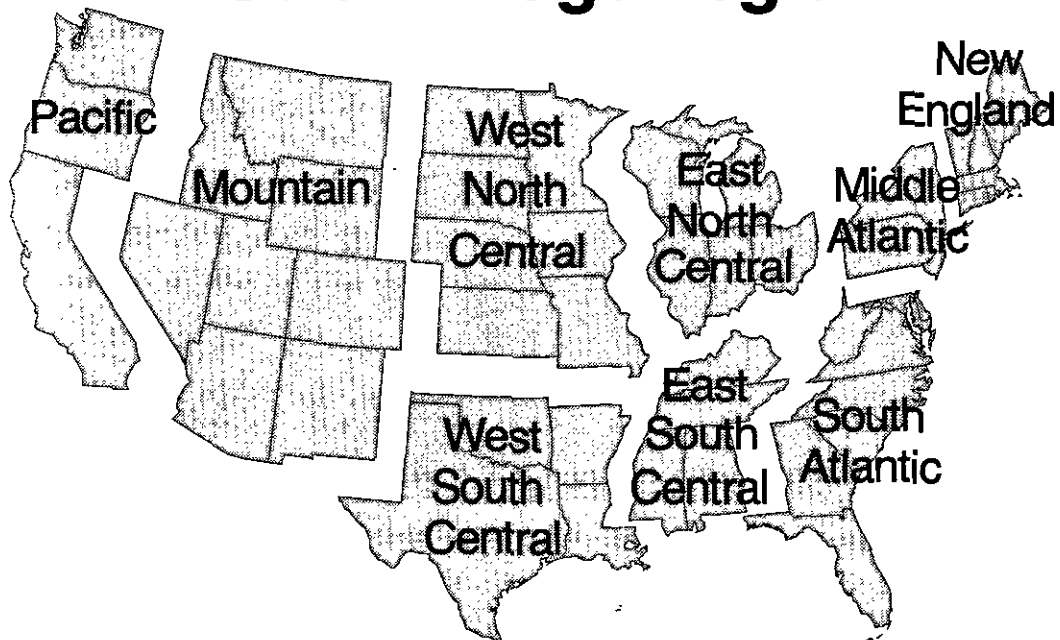
Commodity	: East	: West	: Mountain	: Pacific	: US
	: South	: South	: Central	: Central	: Total
	: Central	: Central	: Central	: Central	: Total
					1,000 Pounds
Frozen Juice					
Orange Juice Concentrate	141	6,041	1,931	74,332	1,477,241
Other Juice Concentrate	496	19,266	449	183,150	438,683
Frozen Vegetables 3/					
Asparagus		300	5	4,536	7,658
Limas, Fordhook		100	9	11,454	14,279
Limas, Baby		807	3,434	18,517	37,454
Green Beans, Reg. Cut		1,440	618	79,017	139,943
Green Beans, Fr. Style		424	491	25,387	39,784
Broccoli, Spears		7,388	108	6,754	19,640
Broccoli, Chopped & Cut		27,334	1,057	42,663	85,005
Brussels Sprouts		1,187	24	14,704	18,751
Carrots, Diced		642	189	37,280	78,489
Carrots, Other		7,552	1,541	129,097	165,801
Cauliflower		11,481	795	34,507	54,315
Corn, Cut		1,848	2,078	217,429	310,293
Corn, Cob		2,014	638	212,770	260,621
Mixed Vegetables		5,754	918	31,501	53,370
Okra		16,429	4	815	24,221
Onion Rings		311	16	2,092	11,054
Onions, Other		2,532	2,185	18,216	28,135
Blackeye Peas		717	6	179	7,012
Green Peas		1,436	7,200	94,179	168,581
Peas & Carrots Mixed		95	195	4,079	5,913
Spinach		6,916	236	24,122	40,035
Squash, Summer/Zucchini		5,725	414	15,643	50,741
Southern Greens		16,706		575	27,278
Other Vegetables		36,283	5,532	159,976	292,239
Potatoes					
French Fries	3,121	1,672	235,801	404,038	926,036
Other Frozen	770	3,719	38,031	77,674	192,062
Meat					
Frozen Beef					
Boneless	11,212	54,508	2,702	47,609	265,329
Beef Cuts	1,376	2,613	4,367	4,733	24,976
Frozen Pork					
Ribs	2,993	1,875	13	1,606	72,988
Trimnings	2,145	859	259	1,083	32,512
Other	3,079	13,252	333	4,704	79,133
Other					
Veal		328		840	6,904
Lamb & Mutton	2	322	974	2,293	9,446

- 1/ East North Central combined with South Atlantic. Mountain and West North Central Combined with West South Central.
- 2/ Middle Atlantic combined with South Atlantic.
- 3/ New England combined with Middle Atlantic. East South Central combined with South Atlantic.

Public General Warehouses: Cold Storage Space Occupied
by Region and United States, January 1997

Region	Cooler				Freezer			
	Usable	Usable			Usable	Usable		
	Space	Space Occupied			Space	Space Occupied		
	Jan 31 1997	Jan 31: 1996	Dec 31: 1996	Jan 31: 1997	Jan 31 1997	Jan 31: 1996	Dec 31: 1996	Jan 31 1997
	1,000	----- Percent ----			1,000	----- Percent ----		
	Cu Ft				Cu Ft			
New England	2,415	49	50	50	20,250	52	40	45
Middle Atlantic	34,506	57	57	59	84,256	67	72	71
E. North Central	40,505	55	54	54	167,688	65	60	59
W. North Central	42,148	49	46	43	145,072	60	53	52
South Atlantic	40,587	45	44	47	127,124	61	59	60
E. South Central	9,518	41	38	37	34,835	66	62	63
W. South Central	17,613	28	29	29	114,729	68	64	66
Mountain	5,904	49	51	48	46,116	78	63	59
Pacific	44,980	56	43	42	243,867	70	71	69
US	238,176	50	47	47	983,937	66	63	62

Cold Storage Regions



Apples in Cold Storage: By State
and United States, January 1997

All Warehouses			
State	Jan 31, 1996	Dec 31, 1996	Jan 31, 1997
1,000 Pounds			
CA	65,393	129,741	94,029
MI	275,730	256,222	188,370
N ENG	67,428	66,960	45,407
NY	244,260	294,882	236,922
OH	8,110	10,120	7,260
OR	17,075	48,258	31,930
PA	184,842	197,400	160,062
VA	73,525	108,576	84,090
WA	2,271,822	3,354,460	2,868,810
WV	44,671	50,680	30,356
Other States	56,777	155,565	120,437
US	3,309,633	4,672,864	3,867,673

Survey Procedures: Questionnaires are mailed about the 24th of each month to all operators on the list of approximately 1,400 public and private cold storage warehouses. In addition, apple data are obtained from special surveys and other sources (State Departments of Agriculture, U.S. Apple Association, 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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