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Highlights

Frozen food stocks in refrigerated warehouses on August 31, 2005 were greater than year earlier levels for pork, frozen fruit, and eggs.

Butter stocks were down 15 percent from last month, and down 7 percent from a year ago.

Total red meat supplies in freezers were down slightly from last month, but up 2 percent from last year. Frozen pork supplies were down 7 percent from last month, but up 9 percent from the previous year. Stocks of pork bellies were down 56 percent from last month, but up 45 percent from last year.

Total frozen poultry supplies on August 31, 2005 were down 2 percent from the previous month and down 8 percent from a year ago. Total stocks of chicken were down 3 percent from the previous month and down 5 percent from last year. Total pounds of turkey in freezers were up 1 percent from last month, but down 13 percent from August 31, 2004.

Special Note

Included in this issue are revisions to Frozen Apples for the months of April through December, 2004. Also, revised are Total Frozen Fruit, and Frozen Apples in the East North Central Region for the same time period.

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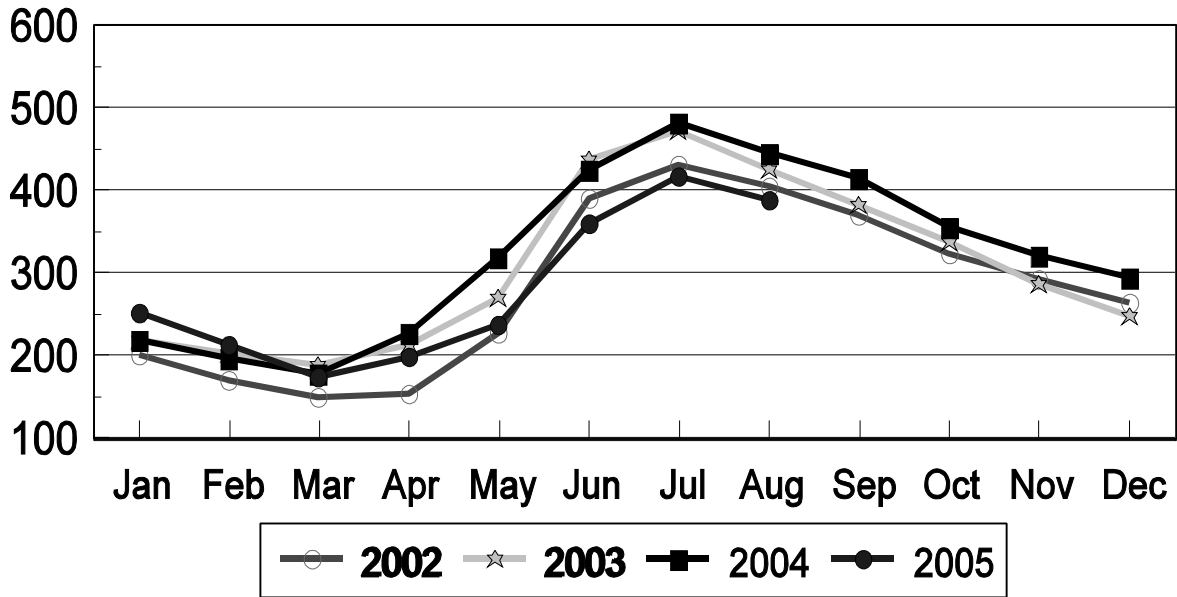
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Frozen Strawberries-United States

Cold Storage Stocks, 2002- 2005

Million Pounds



**Stocks in Cold Storage: By Commodity,
United States, 2004-2005**

Year and Month	United States		East North Central Region
	Frozen Apples	Total Frozen Fruit	Frozen Apples
	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>
2004			
January	48,596	895,506	28,024
February	50,778	803,321	28,059
March	55,604	715,709	28,050
*April	76,921	724,805	48,094
*May	73,897	759,481	46,605
*June	66,704	839,835	41,353
*July	58,519	1,070,294	36,449
*August	50,023	1,059,966	32,277
*September	40,485	1,036,710	25,688
*October	50,749	1,210,340	31,432
*November	59,468	1,181,257	37,944
*December	65,909	1,093,884	42,481
2005			
January	73,385	989,394	45,183
February	89,864	879,606	55,430
March	89,064	753,493	54,748
April	93,849	711,997	57,272
May	89,909	687,592	54,494
June	85,145	769,159	50,570
July	76,457	1,055,978	44,270
August			
September			
October			
November			
December			

* Revised, based on updated plant information.

**Stocks in Cold Storage: By Commodity,
United States, August 2005**

Commodity	Stocks in All Warehouses			Percent of		Public Warehouse Stocks
	Aug 31, 2004	Jul 31, 2005	Aug 31, 2005	Aug 2004	Jul 2005	Aug 31, 2005
	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>1,000 Lbs</i>
Fresh Fruit						
Apples						
Regular Storage	17,991	14,912	23,497	131	158	
Controlled Atmosphere	65,804	433,693	91,812	140	21	
Total	83,795	448,605	115,309	138	26	2,217
Pears						
Bartlett	64,183	8,576	75,049	117	875	
Other Varieties	2,722	601	1,320	48	220	
Total	66,905	9,177	76,369	114	832	1,265
Nuts						
Shelled						
Peanuts	306,668	294,224	268,443	88	91	
Pecans	35,125	34,207	31,365	89	92	
Other Shelled	77,750	108,123	83,943	108	78	
Total	419,543	436,554	383,751	91	88	149,375
In-Shell						
Peanuts	21,028	28,153	19,938	95	71	
Pecans	53,773	42,461	24,018	45	57	
Other In-Shell	11,242	7,436	9,832	87	132	
Total	86,043	78,050	53,788	63	69	19,642
Dairy Products						
Butter, Total	161,025	176,670	150,259	93	85	132,141
(Government Owned)	35	113	55	157	49	
Natural Cheese						
American, Total	568,783	594,508	565,163	99	95	
(Government Owned)	7,076	546	716	10	131	
Swiss	26,759	22,447	22,255	83	99	
Other Natural Cheese	215,979	211,457	209,890	97	99	
Total	811,521	828,412	797,308	98	96	438,736
Eggs, Frozen						
Whites	2,722	2,793	2,757	101	99	
Yolks	1,435	1,174	1,208	84	103	
Whole & Mixed	9,605	12,588	12,467	130	99	
Unclassified	3,505	3,143	3,474	99	111	
Total	17,267	19,698	19,906	115	101	19,354
Frozen Poultry						
Chicken						
Broilers, Fryers						
Roasters (Whole)	21,945	29,684	21,027	96	71	
Hens, Mature Chickens	2,861	2,835	2,998	105	106	
Breasts & Breast Meat	106,699	141,018	132,482	124	94	
Drumsticks	15,024	10,411	10,233	68	98	
Leg Quarters	99,106	72,094	81,904	83	114	
Legs	7,481	12,378	10,171	136	82	
Thigh & Thigh Quarters	11,641	9,440	8,161	70	86	
Thigh Meat	17,498	11,636	11,217	64	96	
Wings	34,628	43,182	42,610	123	99	
Paws and Feet	18,733	7,743	8,213	44	106	
Other	390,170	374,818	362,303	93	97	
Total Chicken	725,786	715,239	691,319	95	97	

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**Stocks in Cold Storage: By Commodity,
United States, August 2005**

Commodity	Stocks in All Warehouses			Percent of		Public Warehouse Stocks
	Aug 31, 2004	Jul 31, 2005	Aug 31, 2005	Aug 2004	Jul 2005	Aug 31, 2005
	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>1,000 Lbs</i>
Turkeys						
Toms (Whole Carcasses)	189,213	168,635	168,505	89	100	
Hens (Whole Carcasses)	119,518	117,712	127,918	107	109	
Whole Turkeys	308,731	286,347	296,423	96	104	
Other Turkey	291,454	235,875	228,559	78	97	
Total Turkey	600,185	522,222	524,982	87	101	401,868
Ducks	969	551	638	66	116	
Total Poultry	1,326,940	1,238,012	1,216,939	92	98	1,050,201
Frozen Fruit						
Apples	50,023	76,457	62,195	207	81	
Apricots	10,043	6,772	6,842	68	101	
Blackberries, Total	42,147	33,893	33,376	79	98	
IQF	27,392	23,209	21,985	80	95	
Pails and Tubs	4,949	4,741	5,450	110	115	
Barrels, 400 lbs net	9,584	5,546	5,635	59	102	
Concentrate	222	397	306	138	77	
Blueberries	113,322	62,347	111,286	98	178	
Boysenberries	2,703	2,480	2,572	95	104	
Cherries, Tart (RTP)	93,985	136,008	152,203	162	112	
Cherries, Tart (Juice)	1,991	5,972	6,912	347	116	
Cherries, Sweet	9,141	15,098	13,986	153	93	
Grapes	2,727	2,976	2,776	102	93	
Peaches	65,100	18,573	45,325	70	244	
Raspberries, Black	1,410	2,992	2,354	167	79	
Raspberries, Red, Total	67,782	92,699	86,316	127	93	
IQF	26,481	28,359	25,941	98	91	
Pails and Tubs	15,042	16,851	16,129	107	96	
Barrels, 400 lbs net	24,727	45,746	42,229	171	92	
Concentrate	1,532	1,743	2,017	132	116	
Strawberries, Total	445,197	418,480	387,831	87	93	
IQF and Poly	230,865	191,631	179,578	78	94	
Pails and Tubs	126,214	134,083	121,072	96	90	
Barrels and Drums	68,463	75,080	70,299	103	94	
Juice Stock	19,655	17,686	16,882	86	95	
Other Frozen Fruit	154,395	181,231	165,388	107	91	
Total	1,059,966	1,055,978	1,079,362	104	102	916,977
Frozen Juice						
Orange Juice Conc. ¹	1,823,271	1,501,593	1,397,422	77	93	
(Gallon Equivalent)	184,243	151,737	141,211			
Other Juice Concentrate	296,960	268,412	254,089	86	95	
Total	2,120,231	1,770,005	1,651,511	78	93	232,149

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**Stocks in Cold Storage: By Commodity,
United States, August 2005**

Commodity	Stocks in All Warehouses			Percent of		Public Warehouse Stocks
	Aug 31, 2004	Jul 31, 2005	Aug 31, 2005	Aug 2004	Jul 2005	Aug 31, 2005
	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>1,000 Lbs</i>
Frozen Vegetables						
Asparagus	13,811	13,670	13,090	95	96	
Limas, Fordhook	6,633	2,773	7,547	114	272	
Limas, Baby	30,687	24,822	27,925	91	113	
Green Beans, Reg. Cut	189,833	138,833	198,905	105	143	
Green Beans, Fr. Style	27,046	17,024	26,840	99	158	
Broccoli, Spears	46,901	46,889	45,651	97	97	
Broccoli, Chopped & Cut	59,249	61,798	59,164	100	96	
Brussels Sprouts	8,701	13,389	11,788	135	88	
Carrots, Diced	32,919	52,692	50,674	154	96	
Carrots, Other	69,482	89,532	83,104	120	93	
Cauliflower	13,956	17,539	18,953	136	108	
Corn, Cut	368,960	225,023	365,472	99	162	
Corn, Cob	190,176	78,676	161,321	85	205	
Mixed Vegetables	53,226	49,047	53,393	100	109	
Okra	42,175	35,936	42,482	101	118	
Onion Rings	7,465	5,171	4,696	63	91	
Onions, Other	27,423	42,060	40,700	148	97	
Blackeye Peas	3,629	2,567	2,970	82	116	
Green Peas	349,150	349,905	328,803	94	94	
Peas & Carrots Mixed	6,596	5,829	6,305	96	108	
Spinach	67,454	77,762	65,525	97	84	
Squash, Summer/Zucchini	40,215	39,627	42,807	106	108	
Southern Greens	17,322	17,538	15,642	90	89	
Other Vegetables	323,971	289,891	322,815	100	111	
Total	1,996,980	1,697,993	1,996,572	100	118	1,522,310
Potatoes						
French Fries	877,320	901,765	894,056	102	99	
Other Frozen	249,711	249,632	228,659	92	92	
Total	1,127,031	1,151,397	1,122,715	100	98	840,060

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	Aug 31, 2004	Jul 31, 2005	Aug 31, 2005	Aug 2004	Jul 2005	Aug 31, 2005
	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>1,000 Lbs</i>
Meat						
Frozen Beef						
Boneless ²	398,726	342,811	369,251	93	108	
Beef Cuts ³	47,268	42,942	45,084	95	105	
Total	445,994	385,753	414,335	93	107	410,465
(Government Owned)	3,702	2,042	2,494	67	122	
Frozen Pork						
Picnics, Bone-in	11,507	7,768	8,192	71	105	
Hams, Total	98,965	103,917	109,297	110	105	104,581
Bone-in	56,614	59,262	64,904	115	110	64,317
Boneless ⁴	42,351	44,655	44,393	105	99	40,264
Bellies	15,230	50,315	22,132	145	44	
Loins, Total	29,023	27,132	27,079	93	100	25,400
Bone-in	15,372	16,326	14,845	97	91	
Boneless ⁵	13,651	10,806	12,234	90	113	
Ribs ⁶	40,680	49,876	49,329	121	99	
Butts	5,255	6,516	5,908	112	91	
Trimming ⁷	19,434	37,725	32,788	169	87	
Other ⁸	70,244	75,997	74,581	106	98	
Variety Meats ⁹	47,937	37,655	32,606	68	87	
Unclassified ¹⁰	43,833	52,199	55,745	127	107	
Total	382,108	449,100	417,657	109	93	367,322
(Government Owned)	797	216	232	29	107	
Other						
Veal	4,257	3,303	3,561	84	108	
Lamb & Mutton	3,878	11,756	11,816	305	101	
Total	8,135	15,059	15,377	189	102	15,308
Canned						
Canned Hams	4,070	4,750	4,224	104	89	
Other Canned Meat	1,592	2,817	4,259	268	151	
Total	5,662	7,567	8,483	150	112	8,452
Total	841,899	857,479	855,852	102	100	801,547
Miscellaneous						
Cooler	584,032	541,152	562,630	96	104	266,707
Freezer	2,114,382	2,077,698	2,191,891	104	105	2,134,676
Total	2,698,414	2,618,850	2,754,521	102	105	2,401,383
Commodities						
Stored in Coolers	2,072,814	2,363,842	2,009,177	97	85	1,057,857
Stored in Freezers	10,724,746	10,023,038	10,264,985	96	102	7,640,963
Total	12,797,560	12,386,880	12,274,162	96	99	8,698,820

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

² Includes all boxed boneless beef, such as ground beef, roasts, steaks, loins, strips, rounds, trimmings, etc. Variety meats (edible offal), such as tongues, livers, hearts, kidneys, and other organs removed from slaughtered beef, are included as miscellaneous freezer stocks.

³ Includes all boxed primal beef cuts, bone-in.

⁴ Includes full ham, bone removed and individual muscles separated.

⁵ Includes pork tenderloins.

⁶ Includes spareribs and backribs.

⁷ Includes 42% regular trimmings, 72% special trimmings, boneless picnic meat, jowls, neckbone trimmings, blade, cheek, head, and shank meat, etc. Packaged bacon, sausage, and processed items, such as hot dogs and luncheon meats, are included in miscellaneous cooler or freezer stocks.

⁸ Includes ears, tails, feet, neckbones and snouts.

⁹ Includes tongues, kidneys, livers, stomachs, hearts, chitterlings, salivary glands, and other organs removed from slaughtered hogs.

¹⁰ Includes product unable to be classified elsewhere in this report.

**Stocks in Cold Storage: By Commodity, Region,
and United States, July 31, 2005, Revised**

Commodity	New England	Middle Atlantic	East North Central	West North Central	South Atlantic
	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>
Total Fresh Apples		42,756		14	21
Nuts					
Shelled					
Peanuts		7	19	17	195,246
Pecans ¹	70	207			7,170
In-Shell					
Pecans ¹					4,878
Dairy Products					
Natural Cheese					
American, Total	24,776	52,376	246,173	132,845	7,281
Other Natural Cheese	57	13,887	122,378	54,776	113
Frozen Poultry					
Chicken					
Broilers, Fryers					
Roasters (Whole)		2,013	448	789	4,786
Hens, Mature Chickens	8	121	53	20	477
Other	701	13,812	15,316	36,132	249,097
Total Chicken	709	15,946	15,817	36,941	254,360
Turkeys					
Whole Turkeys	4,840	20,067	8,745	42,000	65,212
Other Turkey	779	8,060	17,682	64,462	70,878
Total Turkey	5,619	28,127	26,427	106,462	136,090
Ducks		39	320	1	49
Total Poultry	6,328	44,112	42,564	143,404	390,499
Frozen Fruit					
Apples	32	20,922	44,270	119	227
Blueberries	3,318	9,686	21,964	511	3,137
Cherries, Tart (RTP)	54	5,659	114,768	109	901
Cherries, Sweet		214	9,871	72	3
Peaches	89	1,843	2,915	2,431	256
Raspberries, Red	114	1,779	1,324	683	262
Strawberries, Total	66	6,306	7,786	1,792	2,898
Other Frozen Fruit	1,076	7,107	91,623	3,111	1,289

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**Stocks in Cold Storage: By Commodity, Region,
and United States, July 31, 2005, Revised, (continued)**

Commodity	East South Central	West South Central	Mountain	Pacific	US Total
	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>
Total Fresh Apples			66	405,748	448,605
Nuts					
Shelled					
Peanuts	22,472	76,232	86	145	294,224
Pecans ¹	834	25,582		344	34,207
In-Shell					
Pecans ¹	1,002	36,581			42,461
Dairy Products					
Natural Cheese					
American, Total	147	5,030	40,402	85,478	594,508
Other Natural Cheese	2,581	53	3,183	14,429	211,457
Frozen Poultry					
Chicken					
Broilers, Fryers					
Roasters (Whole)	6,168	12,861	445	2,174	29,684
Hens, Mature Chickens	1,335	709	2	110	2,835
Other	137,116	193,498	3,772	33,276	682,720
Total Chicken	144,619	207,068	4,219	35,560	715,239
Turkeys					
Whole Turkeys	4,988	86,372	23,901	30,222	286,347
Other Turkey	2,258	33,522	12,485	25,749	235,875
Total Turkey	7,246	119,894	36,386	55,971	522,222
Ducks	9	52	56	25	551
Total Poultry	151,874	327,014	40,661	91,556	1,238,012
Frozen Fruit					
Apples	4	1,258	77	9,548	76,457
Blueberries	101	533	43	23,054	62,347
Cherries, Tart (RTP)		165	10,407	3,945	136,008
Cherries, Sweet	1	88	128	4,721	15,098
Peaches	15	209	38	10,777	18,573
Raspberries, Red	136	606	33	87,762	92,699
Strawberries, Total	1,161	31,594	123	366,754	418,480
Other Frozen Fruit	90	11,073	2,344	63,518	181,231

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**Stocks in Cold Storage: By Commodity, Region,
and United States, July 31, 2005, Revised**

Commodity	New England	Middle Atlantic	East North Central	West North Central	South Atlantic
	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>
Frozen Juice					
Orange Juice Conc. ²	17		749	195	1,440,373
Other Juice Concentrate	2,770	20,536	29,477	1,804	106,300
Frozen Vegetables ³					
Asparagus		715	7,881	52	97
Limas, Fordhook		887	391		201
Limas, Baby		4,256	1,013	1	4,941
Green Beans, Reg. Cut		16,059	29,657	868	13,802
Green Beans, Fr. Style		3,211	2,571	199	808
Broccoli, Spears		6,096	6,340		3,370
Broccoli, Chopped & Cut		7,961	5,505	2,525	5,878
Brussels Sprouts		1,559	853		1,461
Carrots, Diced		3,824	9,809	77	2,943
Carrots, Other		10,172	10,986	571	3,674
Cauliflower		2,532	1,390	203	765
Corn, Cut		17,680	23,556	5,294	12,581
Corn, Cob		2,848	7,676	1,607	4,343
Mixed Vegetables		4,279	6,678	33	2,079
Okra		1,544	427	3,782	7,030
Onion Rings		236	2,692	911	369
Onions, Other		4,308	4,402	345	1,970
Blackeye Peas		301	42		860
Green Peas		55,046	44,804	23,243	9,710
Peas & Carrots Mixed		859	722		390
Spinach		11,366	4,692	34	5,513
Squash, Summer/Zucchini		3,581	8,459		2,795
Southern Greens		1,581	193	1	2,596
Other Vegetables		31,554	38,752	4,432	18,578
Potatoes					
French Fries	36,365	22,192	58,855	106,153	24,257
Other Frozen	5,275	9,958	36,884	10,489	2,581
Meat					
Frozen Beef					
Boneless ⁴	1,206	54,013	29,477	101,204	30,129
Beef Cuts ⁵	211	1,624	7,024	8,883	5,502
Frozen Pork					
Ribs ⁶	231	528	13,145	21,240	8,171
Trimmings ⁷		52	7,671	23,219	1,576
Other ⁸	7,715	409	10,438	39,611	10,818
Other					
Veal		812	625	68	26
Lamb & Mutton		5,699	1,354	79	1,563

See footnote(s) at end of table.

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**Stocks in Cold Storage: By Commodity, Region,
and United States, July 31, 2005, Revised, (continued)**

Commodity	East South Central	West South Central	Mountain	Pacific	US Total
	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>
Frozen Juice					
Orange Juice Concentrate	58	6,433	1,380	52,388	1,501,593
Other Juice Concentrate	66	17,631	1,561	88,267	268,412
Frozen Vegetables ³					
Asparagus		313	33	4,579	13,670
Limas, Fordhook		129		1,165	2,773
Limas, Baby		1,691	998	11,922	24,822
Green Beans, Reg. Cut		1,236	305	76,906	138,833
Green Beans, Fr. Style		147	32	10,056	17,024
Broccoli, Spears		14,181	1	16,901	46,889
Broccoli, Chopped & Cut		16,747	707	22,475	61,798
Brussels Sprouts		963		8,553	13,389
Carrots, Diced		1,145	31	34,863	52,692
Carrots, Other		15,104	76	48,949	89,532
Cauliflower		3,600	146	8,903	17,539
Corn, Cut		1,544	912	163,456	225,023
Corn, Cob		1,882	22	60,298	78,676
Mixed Vegetables		8,756	1,617	25,605	49,047
Okra		22,301		852	35,936
Onion Rings		373	308	282	5,171
Onions, Other		1,642	11,945	17,448	42,060
Blackeye Peas		1,044		320	2,567
Green Peas		3,311	9,891	203,900	349,905
Peas & Carrots Mixed		924	26	2,908	5,829
Spinach		9,773	106	46,278	77,762
Squash, Summer/Zucchini		5,936	488	18,368	39,627
Southern Greens		10,390		2,777	17,538
Other Vegetables		32,199	5,304	159,072	289,891
Potatoes					
French Fries	6,600	17,526	192,547	437,270	901,765
Other Frozen	1,632	21,945	47,963	112,905	249,632
Meat					
Frozen Beef					
Boneless ⁴	5,463	66,634	8,449	46,236	342,811
Beef Cuts ⁵	996	5,458	8,576	4,668	42,942
Frozen Pork					
Ribs ⁶	2,875	1,720	94	1,872	49,876
Trimming ⁷	768	3,160	42	1,237	37,725
Other ⁸	2,734	2,390	229	1,653	75,997
Other					
Veal		240		1,532	3,303
Lamb & Mutton		538	55	2,468	11,756

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.

⁴ Includes all boxed boneless beef, such as ground beef, roasts, steaks, loins, strips, rounds, trimmings, etc. Variety meats (edible offal), such as tongues, livers, hearts, kidneys, and other organs removed from slaughtered beef, are included as miscellaneous freezer stocks.

⁵ Includes all boxed primal beef cuts, bone-in.

⁶ Includes spareribs and backribs.

⁷ Includes 42% regular trimmings, 72% special trimmings, boneless picnic meat, jowls, neckbone trimmings, blade, cheek, head, and shank meat, etc. Packaged bacon, sausage, and processed items, such as hot dogs and luncheon meats, are included in miscellaneous cooler or freezer stocks.

⁸ Includes ears, tails, feet, neckbones and snouts.

**Stocks in Cold Storage: By Commodity, Region,
and United States, August 31, 2005**

Commodity	New England	Middle Atlantic	East North Central	West North Central	South Atlantic
	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>
Total Fresh Apples		19,698	10	14	18
Nuts					
Shelled					
Peanuts			20	15	163,729
Pecans ¹	66	192			6,448
In-Shell					
Pecans ¹					2,620
Dairy Products					
Natural Cheese					
American, Total	24,239	52,716	230,691	121,148	7,206
Other Natural Cheese	54	13,462	123,256	54,987	136
Frozen Poultry					
Chicken					
Broilers, Fryers					
Roasters (Whole)		1,983	314	725	5,186
Hens, Mature Chickens	8	102	75	32	448
Other	709	14,940	16,329	35,834	235,492
Total Chicken	717	17,025	16,718	36,591	241,126
Turkeys					
Whole Turkeys	6,191	25,550	12,421	41,302	51,213
Other Turkey	843	7,503	16,888	59,845	72,055
Total Turkey	7,034	33,053	29,309	101,147	123,268
Ducks		76	386	2	50
Total Poultry	7,751	50,154	46,413	137,740	364,444
Frozen Fruit					
Apples	28	16,196	36,726	116	176
Blueberries	10,947	12,678	47,524	1,118	6,257
Cherries, Tart (RTP)	1	6,675	121,388	159	1,007
Cherries, Sweet		210	9,066	265	1
Peaches	44	1,626	8,150	2,525	502
Raspberries, Red	25	1,832	1,320	658	245
Strawberries, Total	8	5,750	7,742	1,754	2,672
Other Frozen Fruit	46	5,797	78,821	4,040	1,234

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**Stocks in Cold Storage: By Commodity, Region,
and United States, August 31, 2005 (continued)**

Commodity	East South Central	West South Central	Mountain	Pacific	US Total
	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>
Total Fresh Apples		204	51	95,314	115,309
Nuts					
Shelled					
Peanuts	21,113	83,354	80	132	268,443
Pecans ¹	718	23,606		335	31,365
In-Shell					
Pecans ¹	572	20,826			24,018
Dairy Products					
Natural Cheese					
American, Total	124	6,412	37,961	84,666	565,163
Other Natural Cheese	2,556	46	2,248	13,145	209,890
Frozen Poultry					
Chicken					
Broilers, Fryers					
Roasters (Whole)	4,523	5,603	455	2,238	21,027
Hens, Mature Chickens	1,398	815	11	109	2,998
Other	136,387	190,048	2,840	34,715	667,294
Total Chicken	142,308	196,466	3,306	37,062	691,319
Turkeys					
Whole Turkeys	8,343	94,771	27,513	29,119	296,423
Other Turkey	2,735	29,602	11,007	28,081	228,559
Total Turkey	11,078	124,373	38,520	57,200	524,982
Ducks	10	46	30	38	638
Total Poultry	153,396	320,885	41,856	94,300	1,216,939
Frozen Fruit					
Apples	3	971	43	7,936	62,195
Blueberries	172	495	75	32,020	111,286
Cherries, Tart (RTP)		155	18,721	4,097	152,203
Cherries, Sweet	1	130	48	4,265	13,986
Peaches	29	265	71	32,113	45,325
Raspberries, Red	127	506	30	81,573	86,316
Strawberries, Total	1,092	29,109	115	339,589	387,831
Other Frozen Fruit	84	10,131	2,764	62,471	165,388

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**Stocks in Cold Storage: By Commodity, Region,
and United States, August 31, 2005**

Commodity	New England	Middle Atlantic	East North Central	West North Central	South Atlantic
	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>
Frozen Juice					
Orange Juice Conc. ²	16		740	367	1,339,903
Other Juice Concentrate	2,471	20,076	28,792	1,571	95,500
Frozen Vegetables ³					
Asparagus		700	7,410	53	139
Limas, Fordhook		1,757	927		477
Limas, Baby		3,882	748	211	4,399
Green Beans, Reg. Cut		19,528	51,939	1,342	19,155
Green Beans, Fr. Style		4,351	4,843	228	1,225
Broccoli, Spears		6,183	5,617		3,157
Broccoli, Chopped & Cut		7,359	5,587	2,220	5,824
Brussels Sprouts		1,467	831		1,351
Carrots, Diced		3,363	11,261	118	2,967
Carrots, Other		8,801	10,304	696	3,605
Cauliflower		2,269	1,525	233	752
Corn, Cut		31,578	62,102	25,202	16,547
Corn, Cob		9,336	25,243	19,067	8,165
Mixed Vegetables		4,850	7,047	19	2,255
Okra		1,908	551	3,820	9,327
Onion Rings		199	2,597	707	365
Onions, Other		3,639	4,518	314	1,992
Blackeye Peas		301	34		1,343
Green Peas		51,001	42,693	23,687	14,615
Peas & Carrots Mixed		809	814	1	393
Spinach		11,266	4,702	41	4,930
Squash, Summer/Zucchini		3,185	12,692		3,028
Southern Greens		1,544	217	1	2,531
Other Vegetables		36,431	45,918	5,170	20,949
Potatoes					
French Fries	35,781	21,782	52,795	102,700	21,647
Other Frozen	4,829	10,412	30,439	9,004	2,481
Meat					
Frozen Beef					
Boneless ⁴	1,007	56,207	34,388	111,683	30,713
Beef Cuts ⁵	240	1,419	6,829	10,600	5,463
Frozen Pork					
Ribs ⁶	207	531	9,049	21,359	9,471
Trimmings ⁷	32	18	6,642	19,182	2,220
Other ⁸	7,710	373	11,110	35,796	12,973
Other					
Veal		1,011	753	68	24
Lamb & Mutton		5,623	1,393	73	1,648

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**Stocks in Cold Storage: By Commodity, Region,
and United States, August 31, 2005 (continued)**

Commodity	East South Central	West South Central	Mountain	Pacific	US Total
	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>
Frozen Juice					
Orange Juice Concentrate	54	5,931	1,283	49,128	1,397,422
Other Juice Concentrate	64	17,559	1,790	86,266	254,089
Frozen Vegetables ³					
Asparagus		336	37	4,415	13,090
Limas, Fordhook		105		4,281	7,547
Limas, Baby		1,287	892	16,506	27,925
Green Beans, Reg. Cut		1,248	285	105,408	198,905
Green Beans, Fr. Style		200	28	15,965	26,840
Broccoli, Spears		14,049	3	16,642	45,651
Broccoli, Chopped & Cut		14,553	541	23,080	59,164
Brussels Sprouts		831	2	7,306	11,788
Carrots, Diced		1,245	54	31,666	50,674
Carrots, Other		14,257	98	45,343	83,104
Cauliflower		3,748	141	10,285	18,953
Corn, Cut		1,835	4,471	223,737	365,472
Corn, Cob		1,871	5,295	92,344	161,321
Mixed Vegetables		9,913	1,755	27,554	53,393
Okra		26,191		685	42,482
Onion Rings		408	210	210	4,696
Onions, Other		1,945	12,961	15,331	40,700
Blackeye Peas		934		358	2,970
Green Peas		2,392	8,599	185,816	328,803
Peas & Carrots Mixed		1,202	57	3,029	6,305
Spinach		7,683	100	36,803	65,525
Squash, Summer/Zucchini		5,515	493	17,894	42,807
Southern Greens		9,468		1,881	15,642
Other Vegetables		33,452	6,038	174,857	322,815
Potatoes					
French Fries	6,035	14,271	183,635	455,410	894,056
Other Frozen	1,932	20,674	47,088	101,800	228,659
Meat					
Frozen Beef					
Boneless ⁴	4,973	69,829	8,604	51,847	369,251
Beef Cuts ⁵	1,350	5,883	8,694	4,606	45,084
Frozen Pork					
Ribs ⁶	2,704	2,875	99	3,034	49,329
Trimming ⁷	783	2,598	31	1,282	32,788
Other ⁸	2,901	1,576	237	1,905	74,581
Other					
Veal		238		1,467	3,561
Lamb & Mutton		462	54	2,563	11,816

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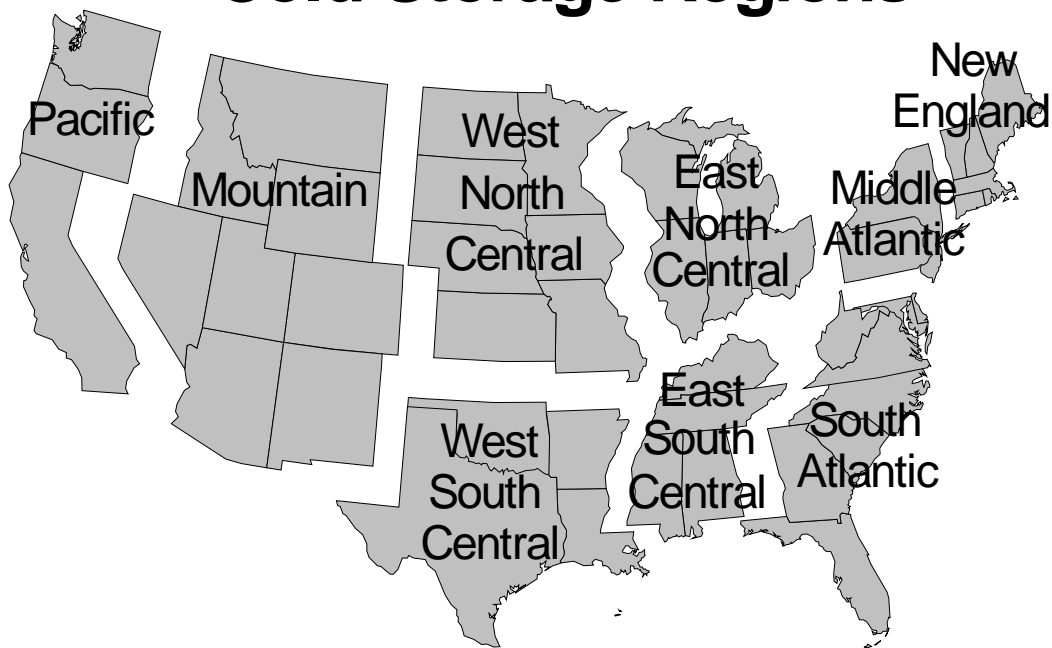
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**Public General Warehouses: Cold Storage Space Occupied
by Region and United States, August 2005**

Region	Cooler				Freezer			
	Usable Space	Usable Space Occupied			Usable Space	Usable Space Occupied		
		Aug 31 2005	Aug 31 2004	Jul 31 2005		Aug 31 2005	Aug 31 2004	Jul 31 2005
	<i>1,000 Cu Ft</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>1,000 Cu Ft</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>
New England	1,791	82	90	91	16,926	77	78	79
Middle Atlantic	50,123	59	65	61	144,110	58	69	70
E. North Central	72,827	57	56	55	271,615	53	57	56
W. North Central	47,322	50	53	51	157,999	62	71	70
South Atlantic	54,647	48	40	38	200,580	60	66	63
E. South Central	9,462	56	76	74	71,119	45	58	58
W. South Central	29,003	29	33	32	140,365	58	56	54
Mountain	12,150	53	56	55	61,553	68	73	71
Pacific	50,283	43	48	50	321,462	70	69	70
US	327,608	50	52	51	1,385,729	61	65	64

Cold Storage Regions



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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