



Cold Storage

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Highlights

Frozen food stocks in refrigerated warehouses on March 31, 2008 were greater than year earlier levels for pork, chicken, turkey, and butter.

Butter stocks were up 8 percent from last month and up 17 percent from a year ago.

Total red meat supplies in freezers were up 5 percent from the previous month and up 17 percent from last year. Frozen pork supplies were up 8 percent from the previous month and up 33 percent from last year. Stocks of pork bellies were up 25 percent from last month and up 79 percent from last year.

Total frozen poultry supplies on March 31, 2008 were up 3 percent from the previous month and up 28 percent from a year ago. Total stocks of chicken were up 4 percent from the previous month and up 31 percent from last year. Total pounds of turkey in freezers were up 3 percent from last month and up 24 percent from March 31, 2007.

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**Stocks in Cold Storage: By Commodity,
United States, March 2008**

Commodity	Stocks in All Warehouses			Percent of		Public Warehouse Stocks
	Mar 31, 2007	Feb 29, 2008 ¹	Mar 31, 2008	Mar 2007	Feb 2008	Mar 31, 2008
	<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	169,054	364,058	236,922	140	65	
Controlled Atmosphere	2,144,969	2,865,032	2,171,169	101	76	
Total	2,314,023	3,229,090	2,408,091	104	75	212
Pears						
Bartlett	136	4,611	399	293	9	
Other Varieties	114,381	178,050	129,615	113	73	
Total	114,517	182,661	130,014	114	71	1,176
Nuts						
Shelled						
Peanuts	391,038	297,411	344,595	88	116	
Pecans	35,362	37,298	40,379	114	108	
In-Shell						
Peanuts	20,310	14,914	19,529	96	131	
Pecans	99,022	234,454	230,391	233	98	
Dairy Products						
Butter, Total	193,104	210,422	226,430	117	108	196,784
Natural Cheese						
American, Total	571,942	513,073	529,067	93	103	
Swiss	34,224	25,891	24,679	72	95	
Other Natural Cheese	286,766	262,028	269,125	94	103	
Total	892,932	800,992	822,871	92	103	452,630
Eggs, Frozen						
Whites	2,752	2,952	2,655	96	90	
Yolks	1,014	962	870	86	90	
Whole & Mixed	5,633	7,097	5,905	105	83	
Unclassified	5,233	5,721	6,072	116	106	
Total	14,632	16,732	15,502	106	93	16,085
Frozen Poultry						
Chicken						
Broilers, Fryers						
Roasters (Whole)	23,987	20,240	20,442	85	101	
Hens, Mature Chickens	6,249	1,969	1,751	28	89	
Breasts & Breast Meat	117,929	146,777	145,371	123	99	
Drumsticks	9,857	16,643	16,668	169	100	
Leg Quarters	51,240	83,423	84,310	165	101	
Legs	6,757	9,860	11,364	168	115	
Thigh & Thigh						
Quarters	11,490	16,876	12,331	107	73	
Thigh Meat	11,374	11,071	12,622	111	114	
Wings	33,282	36,254	35,262	106	97	
Paws and Feet	13,658	16,110	16,543	121	103	
Other	315,043	401,608	432,708	137	108	
Total Chicken	600,866	760,831	789,372	131	104	

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Turkeys						
Toms (Whole Carcasses)	84,725	79,694	95,492	113	120	
Hens (Whole Carcasses)	86,126	75,580	78,776	91	104	
Whole Turkeys	170,851	155,274	174,268	102	112	
Other Turkey	175,933	261,420	256,238	146	98	
Total Turkey	346,784	416,694	430,506	124	103	
Ducks	5,660	5,228	4,197	74	80	
Total Poultry	953,310	1,182,753	1,224,075	128	103	1,028,256
Frozen Fruit						
Apples	94,087	75,670	78,602	84	104	
Apricots	3,675	8,042	7,796	212	97	
Blackberries, Total	22,748	25,723	22,626	99	88	
IQF	17,913	19,039	17,741	99	93	
Pails and Tubs	2,806	3,246	2,734	97	84	
Barrels, 400 lbs net	1,823	3,247	2,084	114	64	
Concentrate	206	191	67	33	35	
Blueberries	65,398	94,652	83,500	128	88	
Boysenberries	3,666	2,968	2,886	79	97	
Cherries, Tart (RTP)	76,170	109,423	101,757	134	93	
Cherries, Tart (Juice)	3,203	5,018	4,425	138	88	
Cherries, Sweet	11,424	12,861	11,983	105	93	
Grapes	7,404	6,190	4,566	62	74	
Peaches	60,635	62,681	52,186	86	83	
Raspberries, Black	924	1,064	910	98	86	
Raspberries, Red, Total	34,686	25,349	21,804	63	86	
IQF	17,451	14,852	12,971	74	87	
Pails and Tubs	6,953	3,641	2,795	40	77	
Barrels, 400 lbs net	8,531	5,458	4,423	52	81	
Concentrate	1,751	1,398	1,615	92	116	
Strawberries, Total	150,460	236,353	205,030	136	87	
IQF and Poly	66,738	125,684	116,236	174	92	
Pails and Tubs	53,668	69,551	56,913	106	82	
Barrels and Drums	23,704	33,186	26,512	112	80	
Juice Stock	6,350	7,932	5,369	85	68	
Other Frozen Fruit	319,167	402,895	334,055	105	83	
Total	853,647	1,068,889	932,126	109	87	787,352
Frozen Juice						
Orange Juice Conc. ²	825,090	942,397	1,053,272	128	112	
(Gallon Equivalent)	83,376	95,230	106,434			
Other Juice Concentrate	372,276	421,150	388,057	104	92	
Total	1,197,366	1,363,547	1,441,329	120	106	225,889

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Frozen Vegetables						
Asparagus	4,282	3,499	3,119	73	89	
Limas, Fordhook	4,328	5,687	4,778	110	84	
Limas, Baby	29,791	28,610	26,199	88	92	
Green Beans, Reg. Cut	117,447	138,508	114,378	97	83	
Green Beans, Fr. Style	15,506	25,690	22,141	143	86	
Broccoli, Spears	25,669	29,637	33,473	130	113	
Broccoli, Chopped & Cut	40,732	44,108	45,368	111	103	
Brussels Sprouts	15,218	13,922	12,555	83	90	
Carrots, Diced	79,937	105,301	96,747	121	92	
Carrots, Other	83,961	112,980	97,849	117	87	
Cauliflower	24,560	24,919	23,092	94	93	
Corn, Cut	307,655	352,171	286,903	93	81	
Corn, Cob	172,282	185,562	151,866	88	82	
Mixed Vegetables	46,651	42,788	45,316	97	106	
Okra	10,185	12,819	8,378	82	65	
Onion Rings	7,790	6,408	6,443	83	101	
Onions, Other	38,454	37,079	37,956	99	102	
Blackeye Peas	3,924	4,176	3,882	99	93	
Green Peas	124,968	173,323	125,231	100	72	
Peas & Carrots Mixed	4,744	4,531	3,768	79	83	
Spinach	54,276	38,676	53,159	98	137	
Squash, Summer/Zucchini	51,469	53,337	49,595	96	93	
Southern Greens	13,625	14,648	13,739	101	94	
Other Vegetables	256,480	311,246	302,702	118	97	
Total	1,533,934	1,769,625	1,568,637	102	89	1,038,089
Potatoes						
French Fries	886,170	899,273	879,681	99	98	
Other Frozen	230,056	218,218	206,750	90	95	
Total	1,116,226	1,117,491	1,086,431	97	97	823,887

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Meat						
Frozen Beef						
Boneless ³	366,248	347,050	348,597	95	100	
Beef Cuts ⁴	60,940	77,074	75,471	124	98	
Total	427,188	424,124	424,068	99	100	415,780
Frozen Pork						
Picnics, Bone-in	13,229	18,102	14,392	109	80	
Hams, Total	57,475	86,772	89,536	156	103	
Bone-in	24,919	43,656	45,964	184	105	
Boneless ⁵	32,556	43,116	43,572	134	101	
Bellies	55,160	79,282	98,984	179	125	
Loins, Total	37,238	47,351	48,221	129	102	
Bone-in	13,184	18,270	18,168	138	99	
Boneless ⁶	24,054	29,081	30,053	125	103	
Ribs ⁷	83,351	83,769	90,176	108	108	
Butts	12,729	25,332	22,971	180	91	
Trimming ⁸	54,487	70,604	78,960	145	112	
Other ⁹	101,221	105,570	115,741	114	110	
Variety Meats ¹⁰	36,966	32,480	31,164	84	96	
Unclassified ¹¹	42,905	56,456	66,961	156	119	
Total	494,761	605,718	657,106	133	108	585,998
Other						
Veal	5,576	6,107	5,606	101	92	
Lamb & Mutton	15,996	18,157	17,117	107	94	
Total	21,572	24,264	22,723	105	94	22,320
Total	943,521	1,054,106	1,103,897	117	105	1,024,098
Commodities						
Stored in Coolers	4,060,308	5,007,242	4,222,300	104	84	650,802
Stored in Freezers	6,612,636	7,573,143	7,371,997	111	97	4,943,656
Total	10,672,944	12,580,385	11,594,297	109	92	5,594,458

¹ Revised.

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

³ Includes all boxed boneless beef, such as ground beef, roasts, steaks, loins, strips, rounds, trimmings, etc. Excludes variety meats (edible offal), such as tongues, livers, hearts, kidneys, and other organs removed from slaughtered beef.

⁴ Includes all boxed primal beef cuts, bone-in.

⁵ Includes full ham, bone removed and individual muscles separated.

⁶ Includes pork tenderloins.

⁷ Includes spareribs and backribs.

⁸ 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.

⁹ Includes ears, tails, feet, neckbones and snouts.

¹⁰ Includes tongues, kidneys, livers, stomachs, hearts, chitterlings, salivary glands, and other organs removed from slaughtered hogs.

¹¹ Includes product unable to be classified elsewhere in this report.

**Stocks in Cold Storage: By Commodity, Region,
and United States, February 29, 2008, 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	13,150	525,101	124,253		140,949
Nuts ¹					
Shelled					
Peanuts					217,278
Pecans					12,290
In-Shell					
Pecans					52,835
Dairy Products					
Natural Cheese					
American, Total	36,009	46,155	238,991	80,630	4,736
Other Natural Cheese	185	13,217	157,314	55,799	81
Frozen Poultry					
Chicken ²					
Broilers, Fryers					
Roasters (Whole)					7,764
Hens, Mature Chickens					851
Breasts & Breast Meat					38,162
Drumsticks					6,881
Leg Quarters					26,139
Legs					8,150
Thigh & Thigh					
Quarters					8,852
Thigh Meat					4,158
Wings					16,230
Paws and Feet					8,234
Other					158,112
Total Chicken					283,533
Turkeys					
Whole Turkeys	29	11,283	6,962	31,611	22,552
Other Turkey	175	4,318	21,379	91,954	104,756
Total Turkey	204	15,601	28,341	123,565	127,308
Ducks	10	232	4,090	5	38
Frozen Fruit					
Apples	34	19,470	44,416	125	415
Blueberries	6,112	6,932	45,034	346	771
Cherries, Tart (RTP)	114	7,993	86,533	93	35
Cherries, Sweet		325	9,673	41	1
Peaches	18	1,689	10,237	145	205
Raspberries, Red	2	1,231	1,393	364	35
Strawberries, Total	13	5,450	12,047	2,067	1,071
Other Frozen Fruit	15,544	3,610	222,079	6,512	5,513

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**Stocks in Cold Storage: By Commodity, Region,
and United States, February 29, 2008, 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			7,561	2,418,076	3,229,090
Nuts ¹					
Shelled					
Peanuts	26,635	53,498			297,411
Pecans	1,525	23,483			37,298
In-Shell					
Pecans	3,349	178,270			234,454
Dairy Products					
Natural Cheese					
American, Total	275	3,668	26,958	75,651	513,073
Other Natural Cheese	2,853	969	4,092	27,518	262,028
Frozen Poultry					
Chicken ²					
Broilers, Fryers					
Roasters (Whole)	5,588	4,666		2,222	20,240
Hens, Mature Chickens	100	880		138	1,969
Breasts & Breast Meat	31,427	60,104		17,084	146,777
Drumsticks	5,153	4,202		407	16,643
Leg Quarters	39,493	16,933		858	83,423
Legs	919	685		106	9,860
Thigh & Thigh Quarters	1,468	4,966		1,590	16,876
Thigh Meat	2,146	2,995		1,772	11,071
Wings	5,939	12,110		1,975	36,254
Paws and Feet	4,333	3,469		74	16,110
Other	99,971	129,457		14,068	401,608
Total Chicken	196,537	240,467		40,294	760,831
Turkeys					
Whole Turkeys	1,337	64,385	5,279	11,836	155,274
Other Turkey	1,477	21,517	4,556	11,288	261,420
Total Turkey	2,814	85,902	9,835	23,124	416,694
Ducks	17		29	807	5,228
Frozen Fruit					
Apples	14	656	91	10,449	75,670
Blueberries	64	340	76	34,977	94,652
Cherries, Tart (RTP)		176	10,348	4,131	109,423
Cherries, Sweet	1	6		2,814	12,861
Peaches	3	1,722	78	48,584	62,681
Raspberries, Red	25	124	38	22,137	25,349
Strawberries, Total	21	17,592	179	197,913	236,353
Other Frozen Fruit	28	16,958	32	132,619	402,895

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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. ³	278		2,132	54	893,688
Other Juice Concentrate	14,082	61,960	65,700	773	146,892
Total Frozen Juice	14,360	61,960	67,832	827	1,040,580
Frozen Vegetables ⁴					
Asparagus		962	1,355		107
Limas, Fordhook		850	665	136	492
Limas, Baby		3,051	4,013	1,245	5,862
Green Beans, Reg. Cut		20,468	45,861	3,535	1,971
Green Beans, Fr. Style		6,073	4,542	1,300	263
Broccoli, Spears		3,641	2,742	1	6,206
Broccoli, Chopped & Cut		5,133	5,325	403	4,526
Brussels Sprouts		2,657	1,973		466
Carrots, Diced		11,765	23,320	3,941	720
Carrots, Other		13,425	24,851	2,963	1,025
Cauliflower		4,396	1,916	208	943
Corn, Cut		32,258	51,149	33,434	3,019
Corn, Cob		17,376	22,598	29,823	2,552
Mixed Vegetables		4,207	7,055	12	2,232
Okra		1,216	513	3	1,827
Onion Rings		140	2,977	445	1,691
Onions, Other		3,539	2,291	139	4,168
Blackeye Peas		761	252		2,096
Green Peas		16,005	22,239	23,083	5,682
Peas & Carrots Mixed		1,110	790	3	178
Spinach		6,407	3,221	105	1,725
Squash, Summer/Zucchini		4,041	19,337		748
Southern Greens		2,105	398	40	1,632
Other Vegetables		59,376	30,027	22,810	34,911
Total Vegetables		220,962	279,410	123,629	85,042
Potatoes					
French Fries	36,699	25,484	74,010	114,126	18,457
Other Frozen	7,723	12,733	26,487	7,811	1,736
Total Potatoes	44,422	38,217	100,497	121,937	20,193
Meat					
Frozen Beef					
Boneless ⁵	1,068	47,701	41,422	102,013	21,012
Beef Cuts ⁶	155	892	6,925	24,550	4,374
Total Beef	1,223	48,593	48,347	126,563	25,386
Other ⁷					
Veal		2,451	1,375		
Lamb & Mutton		7,679	1,571		
Total Other Meat		10,130	2,946		

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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 Conc. ³	17	4,575	1,010	40,643	942,397
Other Juice Concentrate	40	18,291	12,413	100,999	421,150
Total Frozen Juice	57	22,866	13,423	141,642	1,363,547
Frozen Vegetables ⁴					
Asparagus		211	2	862	3,499
Limas, Fordhook		130		3,414	5,687
Limas, Baby		689	2	13,748	28,610
Green Beans, Reg. Cut		1,606	99	64,968	138,508
Green Beans, Fr. Style		70	50	13,392	25,690
Broccoli, Spears		14,071	5	2,971	29,637
Broccoli, Chopped & Cut		12,574	349	15,798	44,108
Brussels Sprouts		498		8,328	13,922
Carrots, Diced		860	43	64,652	105,301
Carrots, Other		5,727	121	64,868	112,980
Cauliflower		4,728	61	12,667	24,919
Corn, Cut		5,791	1,205	225,315	352,171
Corn, Cob		3,067	754	109,392	185,562
Mixed Vegetables		7,512	969	20,801	42,788
Okra		8,194		1,066	12,819
Onion Rings		521	439	195	6,408
Onions, Other		2,376	9,508	15,058	37,079
Blackeye Peas		899		168	4,176
Green Peas		2,939	523	102,852	173,323
Peas & Carrots Mixed		40	5	2,405	4,531
Spinach		13,305	12	13,901	38,676
Squash, Summer/Zucchini		4,553	168	24,490	53,337
Southern Greens		9,447		1,026	14,648
Other Vegetables		31,500	9,546	123,076	311,246
Total Vegetables		131,308	23,861	905,413	1,769,625
Potatoes					
French Fries	6,415	22,717	202,496	398,869	899,273
Other Frozen	2,025	34,538	69,389	55,776	218,218
Total Potatoes	8,440	57,255	271,885	454,645	1,117,491
Meat					
Frozen Beef					
Boneless ⁵	3,153	66,256	12,261	52,164	347,050
Beef Cuts ⁶	1,030	6,395	14,940	17,813	77,074
Total Beef	4,183	72,651	27,201	69,977	424,124
Other ⁷					
Veal		886		1,395	6,107
Lamb & Mutton		164		8,743	18,157
Total Other Meat		1,050		10,138	24,264

¹ New England and Middle Atlantic combined with South Atlantic. East North Central combined with East South Central. Pacific, Mountain and West North Central combined with West South Central.

² New England and Middle Atlantic combined with South Atlantic. East North Central combined with East South Central. Mountain combined with Pacific. West North Central combined with West South Central.

³ Middle Atlantic combined with South Atlantic.

⁴ New England combined with Middle Atlantic. East South Central combined with South Atlantic.

⁵ Includes all boxed boneless beef, such as ground beef, roasts, steaks, loins, strips, rounds, trimmings, etc. Excludes variety meats (edible offal), such as tongues, livers, hearts, kidneys, and other organs removed from slaughtered beef.

⁶ Includes all boxed primal beef cuts, bone-in.

⁷ New England and South Atlantic combined with Middle Atlantic. East South Central combined with East North Central. West North Central combined with West South Central. Mountain combined with Pacific.

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and United States, March 31, 2008**

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	6,310	392,196	88,619		111,608
Nuts ¹					
Shelled					
Peanuts					260,976
Pecans					13,295
In-Shell					
Pecans					47,640
Dairy Products					
Natural Cheese					
American, Total	36,283	48,148	237,557	84,522	3,024
Other Natural Cheese	246	13,681	161,479	55,889	142
Frozen Poultry					
Chicken ²					
Broilers, Fryers					
Roasters (Whole)					7,815
Hens, Mature Chickens					790
Breasts & Breast Meat					37,975
Drumsticks					7,958
Leg Quarters					31,178
Legs					9,586
Thigh & Thigh					
Quarters					6,323
Thigh Meat					4,846
Wings					16,263
Paws and Feet					8,521
Other					162,810
Total Chicken					294,065
Turkeys					
Whole Turkeys	30	15,786	9,207	36,031	24,175
Other Turkey	139	4,012	22,301	92,038	99,888
Total Turkey	169	19,798	31,508	128,069	124,063
Ducks		262	3,313	1	61
Frozen Fruit					
Apples	31	20,049	46,379	148	419
Blueberries	4,969	6,212	40,718	357	770
Cherries, Tart (RTP)	114	7,212	82,558	91	30
Cherries, Sweet		336	9,163	49	1
Peaches	29	1,562	8,576	127	154
Raspberries, Red	13	1,253	1,272	389	69
Strawberries, Total	7	4,834	9,478	1,761	2,798
Other Frozen Fruit	10,408	3,330	176,101	5,656	4,730

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**Stocks in Cold Storage: By Commodity, Region,
and United States, March 31, 2008 (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			3,660	1,805,698	2,408,091
Nuts ¹					
Shelled					
Peanuts	25,166	58,453			344,595
Pecans	1,910	25,174			40,379
In-Shell					
Pecans	2,590	180,161			230,391
Dairy Products					
Natural Cheese					
American, Total	285	6,503	28,096	84,649	529,067
Other Natural Cheese	2,999	1,063	4,766	28,860	269,125
Frozen Poultry					
Chicken ²					
Broilers, Fryers					
Roasters (Whole)	4,938	5,490		2,199	20,442
Hens, Mature Chickens	104	733		124	1,751
Breasts & Breast Meat	32,642	59,533		15,221	145,371
Drumsticks	4,534	3,876		300	16,668
Leg Quarters	36,178	15,943		1,011	84,310
Legs	925	834		19	11,364
Thigh & Thigh Quarters	1,619	2,611		1,778	12,331
Thigh Meat	1,811	3,964		2,001	12,622
Wings	5,321	11,322		2,356	35,262
Paws and Feet	5,017	2,927		78	16,543
Other	109,223	146,473		14,202	432,708
Total Chicken	202,312	253,706		39,289	789,372
Turkeys					
Whole Turkeys	1,588	67,531	5,903	14,017	174,268
Other Turkey	1,964	20,695	4,604	10,597	256,238
Total Turkey	3,552	88,226	10,507	24,614	430,506
Ducks	14		23	523	4,197
Frozen Fruit					
Apples	13	632	96	10,835	78,602
Blueberries	57	427	72	29,918	83,500
Cherries, Tart (RTP)		165	8,369	3,218	101,757
Cherries, Sweet	1	4		2,429	11,983
Peaches	2	1,693	61	39,982	52,186
Raspberries, Red	21	132	32	18,623	21,804
Strawberries, Total	17	22,788	127	163,220	205,030
Other Frozen Fruit	28	16,031	13	117,758	334,055

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**Stocks in Cold Storage: By Commodity, Region,
and United States, March 31, 2008**

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. ³	254		2,206	46	1,000,101
Other Juice Concentrate	9,824	60,460	46,978	751	154,093
Total Frozen Juice	10,078	60,460	49,184	797	1,154,194
Frozen Vegetables ⁴					
Asparagus		801	1,135		122
Limas, Fordhook		687	532	115	415
Limas, Baby		2,585	3,268	1,042	4,844
Green Beans, Reg. Cut		17,764	36,298	2,825	1,705
Green Beans, Fr. Style		5,944	3,359	1,100	228
Broccoli, Spears		6,272	3,073	1	6,187
Broccoli, Chopped & Cut		5,540	4,915	462	4,907
Brussels Sprouts		2,749	1,349	1	763
Carrots, Diced		11,434	20,828	4,170	640
Carrots, Other		11,041	20,217	2,820	943
Cauliflower		4,224	1,566	168	789
Corn, Cut		27,244	35,176	30,272	2,409
Corn, Cob		16,466	13,161	24,352	2,217
Mixed Vegetables		3,739	5,965	41	2,281
Okra		1,072	276	3	756
Onion Rings		141	2,843	468	1,707
Onions, Other		3,765	2,259	119	4,130
Blackeye Peas		675	157		1,951
Green Peas		11,834	11,656	15,059	4,313
Peas & Carrots Mixed		1,099	644	3	150
Spinach		8,158	3,586	307	2,065
Squash, Summer/Zucchini		3,119	17,622		620
Southern Greens		2,063	291	38	1,595
Other Vegetables		56,041	24,215	23,129	34,444
Total Vegetables		203,411	214,391	106,495	59,980
Potatoes					
French Fries	32,793	24,596	72,969	101,746	19,443
Other Frozen	6,808	12,559	24,652	6,274	1,813
Total Potatoes	39,601	37,155	97,621	108,020	21,256
Meat					
Frozen Beef					
Boneless ⁵	1,187	47,744	37,258	109,930	19,744
Beef Cuts ⁶	84	872	6,375	28,007	4,029
Total Beef	1,271	48,616	43,633	137,937	23,773
Other ⁷					
Veal		2,385	1,330		
Lamb & Mutton		7,756	1,444		
Total Other Meat		10,141	2,774		

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**Stocks in Cold Storage: By Commodity, Region,
and United States, March 31, 2008 (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 Conc. ³	19	4,270	1,147	45,229	1,053,272
Other Juice Concentrate	36	16,559	9,177	90,179	388,057
Total Frozen Juice	55	20,829	10,324	135,408	1,441,329
Frozen Vegetables ⁴					
Asparagus		197	2	862	3,119
Limas, Fordhook		79		2,950	4,778
Limas, Baby		541	2	13,917	26,199
Green Beans, Reg. Cut		1,509	79	54,198	114,378
Green Beans, Fr. Style		75	77	11,358	22,141
Broccoli, Spears		15,357	5	2,578	33,473
Broccoli, Chopped & Cut		12,043	372	17,129	45,368
Brussels Sprouts		669		7,024	12,555
Carrots, Diced		702	40	58,933	96,747
Carrots, Other		6,754	168	55,906	97,849
Cauliflower		5,009	56	11,280	23,092
Corn, Cut		3,542	955	187,305	286,903
Corn, Cob		2,925	634	92,111	151,866
Mixed Vegetables		7,423	1,007	24,860	45,316
Okra		5,426		845	8,378
Onion Rings		539	542	203	6,443
Onions, Other		2,722	9,675	15,286	37,956
Blackeye Peas		1,045		54	3,882
Green Peas		2,632	222	79,515	125,231
Peas & Carrots Mixed		20	3	1,849	3,768
Spinach		13,317	33	25,693	53,159
Squash, Summer/Zucchini		4,831	121	23,282	49,595
Southern Greens		8,912		840	13,739
Other Vegetables		34,378	8,915	121,580	302,702
Total Vegetables		130,647	22,908	809,558	1,568,637
Potatoes					
French Fries	6,581	23,648	194,148	403,757	879,681
Other Frozen	2,387	34,858	57,962	59,437	206,750
Total Potatoes	8,968	58,506	252,110	463,194	1,086,431
Meat					
Frozen Beef					
Boneless ⁵	2,643	63,580	11,614	54,897	348,597
Beef Cuts ⁶	693	5,939	14,336	15,136	75,471
Total Beef	3,336	69,519	25,950	70,033	424,068
Other ⁷					
Veal		565		1,326	5,606
Lamb & Mutton		144		7,773	17,117
Total Other Meat		709		9,099	22,723

¹ New England and Middle Atlantic combined with South Atlantic. East North Central combined with East South Central. Pacific, Mountain and West North Central combined with West South Central.

² New England and Middle Atlantic combined with South Atlantic. East North Central combined with East South Central. Mountain combined with Pacific. West North Central combined with West South Central.

³ Middle Atlantic combined with South Atlantic.

⁴ New England combined with Middle Atlantic. East South Central combined with South Atlantic.

⁵ Includes all boxed boneless beef, such as ground beef, roasts, steaks, loins, strips, rounds, trimmings, etc. Excludes variety meats (edible offal), such as tongues, livers, hearts, kidneys, and other organs removed from slaughtered beef.

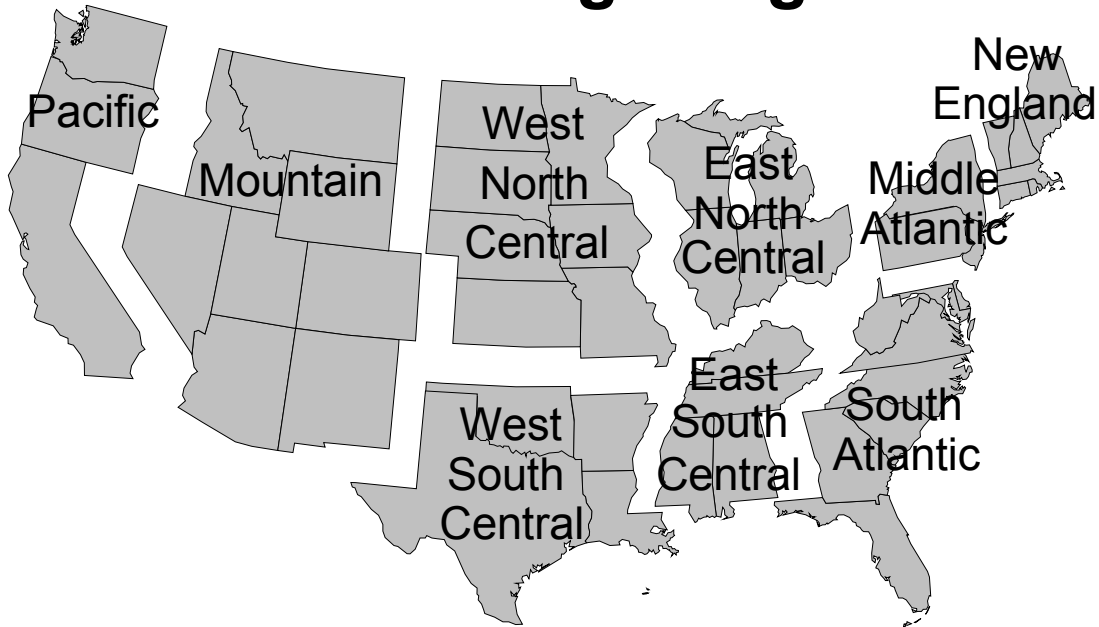
⁶ Includes all boxed primal beef cuts, bone-in.

⁷ New England and South Atlantic combined with Middle Atlantic. East South Central combined with East North Central. West North Central combined with West South Central. Mountain combined with Pacific.

**Apples in Cold Storage: By State
and United States, March 2008**

State	All Warehouses		
	Mar 31, 2007	Feb 29, 2008	Mar 31, 2008
	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>
CA	11,424	16,770	10,117
MI	143,579	122,105	83,984
N ENG	3,961	13,150	6,310
NY	141,120	386,610	295,848
OH	3,070	1,140	640
OR	18,965	20,998	16,701
PA	123,354	138,390	96,348
VA	66,172	87,962	69,680
WA	1,744,344	2,380,308	1,778,880
WV	30,272	36,593	29,780
Other States	27,762	25,064	19,803
US	2,314,023	3,229,090	2,408,091

Cold Storage Regions



Reliability of Cold Storage Estimates

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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