



Cold Storage

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Highlights

Total natural cheese stocks in refrigerated warehouses on May 31, 2013 were up 3 percent from the previous month and up 8 percent from May 31, 2012.

Butter stocks were up 4 percent from last month and up 24 percent from a year ago.

Total frozen poultry supplies on May 31, 2013 were up 6 percent from the previous month and up 5 percent from a year ago. Total stocks of chicken were up 2 percent from the previous month and up 6 percent from last year. Total pounds of turkey in freezers were up 14 percent from last month and up 4 percent from May 31, 2012.

Total frozen fruit stocks were down 2 percent from last month but up 15 percent from a year ago.

Total frozen vegetable stocks were down 10 percent from last month but up 4 percent from a year ago.

Total red meat supplies in freezers were down 6 percent from the previous month but up 1 percent from last year. Total pounds of beef in freezers were down 6 percent from the previous month and down 4 percent from last year. Frozen pork supplies were down 6 percent from the previous month but up 4 percent from last year. Stocks of pork bellies were down 3 percent from last month and down 17 percent from last year.

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Nuts, Dairy Products, Frozen Eggs, and Frozen Poultry in Cold Storage – United States: May 31, 2013 with Comparisons

Commodity	Stocks in all warehouses			May 31, 2013 as a percent of		Public warehouse stocks
	May 31, 2012	April 30, 2013	May 31, 2013	May 31, 2012	April 30, 2013	May 31, 2013
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)	(1,000 pounds)
Nuts						
Shelled						
Pecans	48,167	54,467	55,166	115	101	
In-Shell						
Pecans	106,560	194,670	174,561	164	90	
Dairy products						
Butter	261,586	309,719	323,187	124	104	273,613
Natural cheese						
American	652,052	698,655	717,934	110	103	
Swiss	29,576	28,503	29,856	101	105	
Other	387,458	394,135	408,929	106	104	
Total natural cheese	1,069,086	1,121,293	1,156,719	108	103	731,398
Frozen eggs						
Whites	3,116	3,065	3,053	98	100	
Yolks	2,634	2,318	2,395	91	103	
Whole and mixed	10,312	8,609	8,089	78	94	
Unclassified	18,436	15,347	15,351	83	100	
Total frozen eggs	34,498	29,339	28,888	84	98	27,315
Frozen poultry						
Chicken						
Broilers, fryers, and roasters	13,571	16,305	14,356	106	88	
Hens, mature chickens	2,894	4,162	5,149	178	124	
Breasts and breast meat	111,203	121,075	107,746	97	89	
Drumsticks	17,377	19,263	16,449	95	85	
Leg quarters	106,023	119,077	147,564	139	124	
Legs	14,479	8,884	10,761	74	121	
Thigh and thigh quarters	6,808	7,792	7,246	106	93	
Thigh Meat	16,397	16,870	14,173	86	84	
Wings	41,080	83,811	90,649	221	108	
Paws and feet	33,299	28,116	23,043	69	82	
Other	278,594	243,877	242,202	87	99	
Total chicken	641,725	669,232	679,338	106	102	
Turkey						
Whole turkeys						
Toms	119,797	122,022	153,412	128	126	
Hens	137,087	110,136	133,060	97	121	
Total whole turkeys	256,884	232,158	286,472	112	123	
Breasts	76,852	73,892	73,961	96	100	
Legs	22,575	16,324	13,235	59	81	
Mechanically deboned meat	11,700	13,470	11,872	101	88	
Other	33,684	31,950	36,955	110	116	
Unclassified	96,724	89,781	97,061	100	108	
Total turkey	498,419	457,575	519,556	104	114	
Ducks	4,250	2,311	1,249	29	54	
Total frozen poultry	1,144,394	1,129,118	1,200,143	105	106	1,107,627

Frozen Fruit and Frozen Juice in Cold Storage – United States: May 31, 2013 with Comparisons

Commodity	Stocks in all warehouses			May 31, 2013 as a percent of		Public warehouse stocks
	May 31, 2012	April 30, 2013	May 31, 2013	May 31, 2012	April 30, 2013	May 31, 2013
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)	(1,000 pounds)
Frozen fruit						
Apples	60,688	42,047	39,540	65	94	
Apricots	1,990	1,452	1,750	88	121	
Blackberries						
Individual quality frozen	14,219	13,991	10,955	77	78	
Pails and tubs	1,116	1,569	1,520	136	97	
Barrels, 400 lbs net	2,414	5,983	5,173	214	86	
Concentrate	327	249	158	48	63	
Total blackberries	18,076	21,792	17,806	99	82	
Blueberries	73,717	119,814	100,854	137	84	
Boysenberries	349	1,113	925	265	83	
Cherries, tart (ripe tart pitted)	32,532	26,644	19,154	59	72	
Cherries, tart (juice stock)	926	949	913	99	96	
Cherries, tart (juice concentrate)	1,046	414	332	32	80	
Cherries, sweet	7,751	18,445	16,425	212	89	
Grapes	4,030	1,672	1,683	42	101	
Peaches	39,734	28,880	22,107	56	77	
Raspberries, black	107	320	354	331	111	
Raspberries, red						
Individual quality frozen	14,753	13,276	12,085	82	91	
Pails and tubs	5,272	5,352	4,664	88	87	
Barrels, 400 lbs net	10,059	11,894	9,188	91	77	
Concentrate	1,200	1,144	1,135	95	99	
Total red raspberries	31,284	31,666	27,072	87	85	
Strawberries						
Individual quality frozen and poly	115,128	132,720	171,153	149	129	
Pails and tubs	83,530	88,998	106,220	127	119	
Barrels and drums	82,939	100,253	110,462	133	110	
Juice stock	24,364	12,388	9,765	40	79	
Total strawberries	305,961	334,359	397,600	130	119	
Other	256,890	355,428	316,243	123	89	
Total frozen fruit	835,081	984,995	962,758	115	98	847,654
Frozen juice concentrate						
Orange	1,057,627	1,021,312	1,042,208	99	102	
(Gallon equivalent)	106,874	103,205	105,316			
Other	312,487	393,216	365,863	117	93	
Total frozen juice concentrate	1,370,114	1,414,528	1,408,071	103	100	243,582

Frozen Vegetables and Potatoes in Cold Storage – United States: May 31, 2013 with Comparisons

Commodity	Stocks in all warehouses			May 31, 2013 as a percent of		Public warehouse stocks
	May 31, 2012	April 30, 2013	May 31, 2013	May 31, 2012	April 30, 2013	May 31, 2013
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)	(1,000 pounds)
Frozen vegetables						
Asparagus	10,340	4,648	6,503	63	140	
Lima beans	21,595	38,938	30,824	143	79	
Green beans, regular cut	96,182	164,526	153,629	160	93	
Green beans, french style	12,271	11,732	8,441	69	72	
Broccoli, spears	41,410	27,768	27,249	66	98	
Broccoli, chopped and cut	55,781	44,958	41,788	75	93	
Brussels sprouts	10,391	11,373	11,224	108	99	
Carrots, diced	98,949	130,094	120,485	122	93	
Carrots, other	98,670	123,435	112,991	115	92	
Cauliflower	21,132	21,609	21,656	102	100	
Corn, cut	242,158	330,335	280,335	116	85	
Corn, cob	118,460	150,267	121,941	103	81	
Mixed vegetables	43,875	44,956	43,890	100	98	
Okra	13,861	9,713	11,177	81	115	
Onion rings	6,539	11,845	11,502	176	97	
Onions, other	68,891	40,990	39,349	57	96	
Blackeye peas	1,378	1,415	1,660	120	117	
Green peas	102,379	112,263	100,080	98	89	
Peas and carrots mixed	5,560	7,376	6,578	118	89	
Spinach	75,994	58,951	58,538	77	99	
Squash, summer/zucchini	48,813	48,090	48,898	100	102	
Southern greens	18,652	16,231	16,438	88	101	
Other	308,273	349,274	301,032	98	86	
Total frozen vegetables	1,521,554	1,760,787	1,576,208	104	90	984,943
Frozen potatoes						
French fries	863,510	990,246	931,465	108	94	
Other	228,115	232,128	251,827	110	108	
Total frozen potatoes	1,091,625	1,222,374	1,183,292	108	97	928,920

Red Meat and Commodities in Cold Storage – United States: May 31, 2013 with Comparisons

Commodity	Stocks in all warehouses			May 31, 2013 as a percent of		Public warehouse stocks
	May 31, 2012	April 30, 2013	May 31, 2013	May 31, 2012	April 30, 2013	May 31, 2013
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)	(1,000 pounds)
Frozen red meat						
Beef						
Boneless	426,833	460,043	436,848	102	95	
Beef cuts	71,064	50,086	41,680	59	83	
Total beef	497,897	510,129	478,528	96	94	475,913
Pork						
Picnics, bone-in	15,297	21,152	16,018	105	76	
Hams						
Bone-in	64,439	54,137	64,305	100	119	
Boneless	64,420	72,794	92,245	143	127	
Total hams	128,859	126,931	156,550	121	123	
Bellies	65,648	56,352	54,740	83	97	
Loins						
Bone-in	12,883	15,481	13,739	107	89	
Boneless	27,146	30,659	25,243	93	82	
Total loins	40,029	46,140	38,982	97	84	
Ribs	90,665	120,593	91,444	101	76	
Butts	31,657	23,854	21,824	69	91	
Trimblings	53,534	66,050	59,699	112	90	
Other	103,828	129,912	117,873	114	91	
Variety meats	33,029	32,926	32,807	99	100	
Unclassified	73,471	77,067	71,849	98	93	
Total pork	636,017	700,977	661,786	104	94	586,556
Other red meat						
Veal	4,106	5,404	4,868	119	90	
Lamb and mutton	19,680	21,463	21,097	107	98	
Total other red meat	23,786	26,867	25,965	109	97	25,784
Total frozen red meat	1,157,700	1,237,973	1,166,279	101	94	1,088,253
Commodities						
Stored in coolers	1,485,399	1,680,149	1,709,633	115	102	1,075,097
Stored in freezers	7,154,966	7,779,114	7,525,639	105	97	5,228,294
Total Commodities	8,640,365	9,459,263	9,235,272	107	98	6,303,391

Nuts and Dairy Products in Cold Storage – Regions: May 31, 2013 with Comparisons

Commodity	Stocks in all warehouses			May 31, 2013 as a percent of	
	May 31, 2012	April 30, 2013	May 31, 2013	May 31, 2012	April 30, 2013
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)
Nuts ¹					
Shelled					
Pecans					
South Atlantic	12,690	15,211	15,599	123	103
East South Central	1,676	1,678	1,684	100	100
West South Central	33,801	37,578	37,883	112	101
In-shell					
Pecans					
South Atlantic	28,350	48,538	41,597	147	86
East South Central	88	166	89	101	54
West South Central	78,122	145,966	132,875	170	91
Dairy products					
Natural cheese					
American, total					
New England	38,655	47,197	47,758	124	101
Middle Atlantic	52,141	50,033	52,110	100	104
East North Central	290,353	297,207	309,125	106	104
West North Central	96,000	116,281	113,328	118	97
South Atlantic	32	607	644	2,013	106
East South Central	3,892	5,723	5,596	144	98
West South Central	12,959	10,759	11,890	92	111
Mountain	48,321	52,711	54,454	113	103
Pacific	109,699	118,137	123,029	112	104
Other					
New England	866	1,141	1,075	124	94
Middle Atlantic	16,101	19,665	19,756	123	100
East North Central	283,561	277,514	283,075	100	102
West North Central	37,220	38,744	41,230	111	106
South Atlantic	6,077	5,605	9,381	154	167
East South Central	12,678	14,224	16,747	132	118
West South Central	1,044	465	496	48	107
Mountain	6,414	7,146	6,269	98	88
Pacific	23,497	29,631	30,900	132	104

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.

Frozen Poultry in Cold Storage – Regions: May 31, 2013 with Comparisons

Commodity	Stocks in all warehouses			May 31, 2013 as a percent of	
	May 31, 2012	April 30, 2013	May 31, 2013	May 31, 2012	April 30, 2013
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)
Frozen poultry					
Chicken ¹					
Broilers, fryers, and roasters					
South Atlantic	7,646	3,408	3,877	51	114
East South Central	377	897	811	215	90
West South Central	3,769	10,384	8,034	213	77
Pacific	1,779	1,616	1,634	92	101
Hens, mature chickens					
South Atlantic	2,128	595	784	37	132
East South Central	74	173	129	174	75
West South Central	627	3,337	4,170	665	125
Pacific	65	57	66	102	116
Breasts and breast meat					
South Atlantic	33,284	38,619	35,194	106	91
East South Central	23,127	22,645	21,238	92	94
West South Central	43,176	49,289	42,118	98	85
Pacific	11,616	10,522	9,196	79	87
Drumsticks					
South Atlantic	11,017	7,307	5,465	50	75
East South Central	4,257	2,831	2,977	70	105
West South Central	1,583	8,498	7,380	466	87
Pacific	520	627	627	121	100
Leg quarters					
South Atlantic	47,244	37,863	56,120	119	148
East South Central	39,132	45,372	51,591	132	114
West South Central	17,069	34,509	38,156	224	111
Pacific	2,578	1,333	1,697	66	127
Legs					
South Atlantic	5,438	4,764	4,548	84	95
East South Central	550	1,083	1,890	344	175
West South Central	7,892	2,551	3,644	46	143
Pacific	599	486	679	113	140
Thigh and thigh quarters					
South Atlantic	5,060	3,630	4,224	83	116
East South Central	360	2,859	1,099	305	38
West South Central	966	971	1,519	157	156
Pacific	422	332	404	96	122
Thigh meat					
South Atlantic	13,101	11,768	9,357	71	80
East South Central	1,803	775	1,061	59	137
West South Central	916	3,406	2,842	310	83
Pacific	577	921	913	158	99
Wings					
South Atlantic	23,713	46,820	49,219	208	105
East South Central	4,329	13,470	13,417	310	100
West South Central	11,885	21,515	25,015	210	116
Pacific	1,153	2,006	2,998	260	149
Paws and feet					
South Atlantic	21,474	18,015	14,615	68	81
East South Central	8,007	4,012	4,308	54	107
West South Central	3,241	5,286	3,453	107	65
Pacific	577	803	667	116	83
Other					
South Atlantic	115,568	123,775	125,595	109	101
East South Central	68,113	52,751	50,757	75	96
West South Central	81,773	55,567	54,028	66	97
Pacific	13,140	11,784	11,822	90	100
Total chicken					
South Atlantic	285,673	296,564	308,998	108	104
East South Central	150,129	146,868	149,278	99	102
West South Central	172,897	195,313	190,359	110	97
Pacific	33,026	30,487	30,703	93	101

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Frozen Poultry in Cold Storage – Regions: May 31, 2013 with Comparisons (continued)

Commodity	Stocks in all warehouses			May 31, 2013 as a percent of	
	May 31, 2012	April 30, 2013	May 31, 2013	May 31, 2012	April 30, 2013
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)
Turkeys					
Whole turkeys					
New England	5,132	3,774	3,887	76	103
Middle Atlantic	20,651	9,176	10,495	51	114
East North Central	25,393	21,030	26,319	104	125
West North Central	34,364	30,124	36,401	106	121
South Atlantic	22,072	35,481	39,068	177	110
East South Central	10,961	693	4,384	40	633
West South Central	106,776	106,891	136,135	127	127
Mountain	13,119	12,537	14,342	109	114
Pacific	18,416	12,452	15,441	84	124
Breasts					
New England	11	13	13	118	100
Middle Atlantic	2,475	2,269	2,221	90	98
East North Central	17,009	17,397	18,730	110	108
West North Central	18,615	18,128	17,234	93	95
South Atlantic	12,665	10,173	9,606	76	94
East South Central	287	432	481	168	111
West South Central	21,612	17,986	20,037	93	111
Mountain	1,068	3,274	2,744	257	84
Pacific	3,110	4,220	2,895	93	69
Legs					
New England	-	-	-	(X)	(X)
Middle Atlantic	477	358	291	61	81
East North Central	2,826	2,892	2,689	95	93
West North Central	7,656	6,948	6,020	79	87
South Atlantic	3,204	1,452	677	21	47
East South Central	43	569	655	1,523	115
West South Central	7,221	1,802	1,349	19	75
Mountain	719	784	427	59	54
Pacific	429	1,519	1,127	263	74
Mechanically deboned meat					
New England	-	-	-	(X)	(X)
Middle Atlantic	1,730	2,248	2,026	117	90
East North Central	892	572	444	50	78
West North Central	638	791	665	104	84
South Atlantic	2,895	6,060	4,855	168	80
East South Central	1,566	2,945	3,435	219	117
West South Central	2,972	119	121	4	102
Mountain	268	186	232	87	125
Pacific	739	549	94	13	17

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Frozen Poultry in Cold Storage – Regions: May 31, 2013 with Comparisons (continued)

Commodity	Stocks in all warehouses			May 31, 2013 as a percent of	
	May 31, 2012	April 30, 2013	May 31, 2013	May 31, 2012	April 30, 2013
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)
Other					
New England	-	-	2,040	(X)	(X)
Middle Atlantic	1,637	1,706	1,905	116	112
East North Central	5,789	5,313	6,023	104	113
West North Central	8,027	7,316	8,036	100	110
South Atlantic	11,304	9,713	10,936	97	113
East South Central	791	1,899	2,265	286	119
West South Central	3,957	4,019	4,026	102	100
Mountain	415	202	179	43	89
Pacific	1,764	1,782	1,545	88	87
Unclassified					
New England	9	6	4	44	67
Middle Atlantic	865	1,319	1,272	147	96
East North Central	8,131	10,930	12,162	150	111
West North Central	15,143	12,818	13,080	86	102
South Atlantic	61,508	48,209	61,470	100	128
East South Central	71	205	155	218	76
West South Central	9,154	13,474	6,170	67	46
Mountain	412	756	741	180	98
Pacific	1,431	2,064	2,007	140	97
Total turkey					
New England	5,152	3,793	5,944	115	157
Middle Atlantic	27,835	17,076	18,210	65	107
East North Central	60,040	58,134	66,367	111	114
West North Central	84,443	76,125	81,436	96	107
South Atlantic	113,648	111,088	126,612	111	114
East South Central	13,719	6,743	11,375	83	169
West South Central	151,692	144,291	167,838	111	116
Mountain	16,001	17,739	18,665	117	105
Pacific	25,889	22,586	23,109	89	102
Ducks					
New England	-	9	9	(X)	100
Middle Atlantic	510	362	297	58	82
East North Central	2,527	1,187	345	14	29
West North Central	844	155	113	13	73
South Atlantic	5	3	-	(X)	(X)
East South Central	-	-	-	(X)	(X)
West South Central	-	-	-	(X)	(X)
Mountain	11	6	4	36	67
Pacific	353	589	481	136	82

- Represents zero.

(X) Not applicable.

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

Frozen Fruit and Frozen Juice in Cold Storage – Regions: May 31, 2013 with Comparisons

Commodity	Stocks in all warehouses			May 31, 2013 as a percent of	
	May 31, 2012	April 30, 2013	May 31, 2013	May 31, 2012	April 30, 2013
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)
Frozen fruit					
Apples					
New England	64	47	53	83	113
Middle Atlantic	1,702	1,128	1,109	65	98
East North Central	53,182	34,508	30,981	58	90
West North Central	270	171	148	55	87
South Atlantic	229	121	126	55	104
East South Central	78	69	91	117	132
West South Central	655	541	486	74	90
Mountain	125	43	40	32	93
Pacific	4,383	5,419	6,506	148	120
Blueberries					
New England	5,154	10,696	6,825	132	64
Middle Atlantic	3,860	3,518	3,536	92	101
East North Central	22,305	41,173	34,857	156	85
West North Central	592	762	711	120	93
South Atlantic	7,143	3,754	3,383	47	90
East South Central	146	964	779	534	81
West South Central	499	971	896	180	92
Mountain	252	40	72	29	180
Pacific	33,766	57,936	49,795	147	86
Cherries, tart (ripe tart pitted)					
New England	-	-	-	(X)	(X)
Middle Atlantic	3,361	2,336	1,695	50	73
East North Central	17,628	11,790	9,066	51	77
West North Central	147	200	148	101	74
South Atlantic	9	25	54	600	216
East South Central	-	-	-	(X)	(X)
West South Central	35	113	132	377	117
Mountain	9,998	7,986	4,201	42	53
Pacific	1,354	4,194	3,858	285	92
Cherries, sweet					
New England	-	-	-	(X)	(X)
Middle Atlantic	61	731	695	1,139	95
East North Central	4,387	9,981	8,785	200	88
West North Central	162	207	163	101	79
South Atlantic	45	8	11	24	138
East South Central	6	27	23	383	85
West South Central	55	145	100	182	69
Mountain	14	-	-	(X)	(X)
Pacific	3,021	7,346	6,648	220	90
Peaches					
New England	2	5	4	200	80
Middle Atlantic	621	890	862	139	97
East North Central	9,788	9,757	8,537	87	87
West North Central	305	535	405	133	76
South Atlantic	568	589	495	87	84
East South Central	133	357	39	29	11
West South Central	451	513	473	105	92
Mountain	118	48	42	36	88
Pacific	27,748	16,186	11,250	41	70
Raspberries, red					
New England	5	5	5	100	100
Middle Atlantic	1,265	949	1,027	81	108
East North Central	1,743	1,263	1,245	71	99
West North Central	590	616	526	89	85
South Atlantic	37	43	56	151	130
East South Central	129	705	635	492	90
West South Central	233	737	718	308	97
Mountain	67	108	84	125	78
Pacific	27,215	27,240	22,776	84	84

See footnote(s) at end of table.

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Frozen Fruit and Frozen Juice in Cold Storage – Regions: May 31, 2013 with Comparisons (continued)

Commodity	Stocks in all warehouses			May 31, 2013 as a percent of	
	May 31, 2012	April 30, 2013	May 31, 2013	May 31, 2012	April 30, 2013
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)
Strawberries, total					
New England	126	94	25	20	27
Middle Atlantic	4,107	3,978	5,072	123	128
East North Central	25,427	20,578	26,416	104	128
West North Central	5,957	5,498	6,122	103	111
South Atlantic	2,865	1,525	6,019	210	395
East South Central	1,469	6,730	7,670	522	114
West South Central	20,812	38,144	44,073	212	116
Mountain	180	109	122	68	112
Pacific	245,018	257,703	302,081	123	117
Other					
New England	14,209	13,610	10,919	77	80
Middle Atlantic	2,658	12,805	13,758	518	107
East North Central	143,009	209,026	182,423	128	87
West North Central	1,396	3,440	3,016	216	88
South Atlantic	2,265	2,493	3,563	157	143
East South Central	281	195	171	61	88
West South Central	14,459	8,193	7,976	55	97
Mountain	219	189	198	90	105
Pacific	78,394	105,477	94,219	120	89
Frozen juice concentrate					
Orange					
New England	57	48	24	42	50
East North Central	4,263	4,343	4,206	99	97
West North Central	745	694	629	84	91
South Atlantic	1,009,124	971,825	995,405	99	102
East South Central	96	91	96	100	105
West South Central	12,202	18,302	16,568	136	91
Mountain	2,323	2,110	2,266	98	107
Pacific	28,817	23,899	23,014	80	96
Other					
New England	21,703	8,100	7,140	33	88
Middle Atlantic	69,679	77,576	74,356	107	96
East North Central	14,830	30,902	29,238	197	95
West North Central	9,853	14,761	13,480	137	91
South Atlantic	95,428	91,572	81,844	86	89
East South Central	825	1,482	1,384	168	93
West South Central	14,202	36,314	34,152	240	94
Mountain	2,456	3,362	3,350	136	100
Pacific	83,511	129,147	120,919	145	94
Total frozen juice concentrate²					
New England	21,760	8,148	7,164	33	88
Middle Atlantic	69,679	77,576	74,356	107	96
East North Central	19,093	35,245	33,444	175	95
West North Central	10,598	15,455	14,109	133	91
South Atlantic	1,104,552	1,063,397	1,077,249	98	101
East South Central	921	1,573	1,480	161	94
West South Central	26,404	54,616	50,720	192	93
Mountain	4,779	5,472	5,616	118	103
Pacific	112,328	153,046	143,933	128	94

- Represents zero.

(X) Not applicable.

¹ Middle Atlantic combined with South Atlantic.

² Middle Atlantic orange juice combined with South Atlantic.

Frozen Vegetables in Cold Storage – Regions: May 31, 2013 with Comparisons

Commodity	Stocks in all warehouses			May 31, 2013 as a percent of	
	May 31, 2012	April 30, 2013	May 31, 2013	May 31, 2012	April 30, 2013
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)
Frozen vegetables ¹					
Asparagus					
Middle Atlantic	361	320	284	79	89
East North Central	7,602	2,151	3,728	49	173
West North Central	247	157	226	91	144
South Atlantic	56	23	55	98	239
West South Central	857	891	798	93	90
Mountain	22	58	55	250	95
Pacific	1,195	1,048	1,357	114	129
Lima beans					
Middle Atlantic	2,196	7,730	6,881	313	89
East North Central	3,592	4,440	2,915	81	66
West North Central	914	5,159	4,397	481	85
South Atlantic	4,222	11,063	7,838	186	71
West South Central	747	397	368	49	93
Mountain	8	7	5	63	71
Pacific	9,916	10,142	8,420	85	83
Green beans, regular cut					
Middle Atlantic	8,826	28,955	27,131	307	94
East North Central	25,776	42,730	37,022	144	87
West North Central	6,360	16,977	15,723	247	93
South Atlantic	3,685	5,237	8,833	240	169
West South Central	2,653	1,716	1,636	62	95
Mountain	100	120	41	41	34
Pacific	48,782	68,791	63,243	130	92
Green beans, french style					
Middle Atlantic	1,582	3,627	1,727	109	48
East North Central	4,684	3,894	2,966	63	76
West North Central	551	167	162	29	97
South Atlantic	123	121	84	68	69
West South Central	187	6	25	13	417
Mountain	15	4	4	27	100
Pacific	5,129	3,913	3,473	68	89
Broccoli, spears					
Middle Atlantic	4,023	5,106	6,261	156	123
East North Central	8,365	6,119	6,368	76	104
West North Central	328	214	198	60	93
South Atlantic	1,912	1,210	767	40	63
West South Central	15,603	12,016	10,803	69	90
Mountain	3	2	2	67	100
Pacific	11,176	3,101	2,850	26	92
Broccoli, chopped and cut					
Middle Atlantic	4,019	3,502	3,613	90	103
East North Central	9,353	9,717	8,098	87	83
West North Central	337	2,747	2,536	753	92
South Atlantic	1,351	1,434	954	71	67
West South Central	20,650	11,576	11,659	56	101
Mountain	413	241	185	45	77
Pacific	19,658	15,741	14,743	75	94

See footnote(s) at end of table.

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Frozen Vegetables in Cold Storage – Regions: May 31, 2013 with Comparisons (continued)

Commodity	Stocks in all warehouses			May 31, 2013 as a percent of	
	May 31, 2012	April 30, 2013	May 31, 2013	May 31, 2012	April 30, 2013
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)
Brussels sprouts					
Middle Atlantic	1,180	1,277	1,018	86	80
East North Central	2,828	2,586	2,334	83	90
West North Central	72	17	22	31	129
South Atlantic	1,062	1,166	1,796	169	154
West South Central	843	839	1,036	123	123
Mountain	-	-	-	(X)	(X)
Pacific	4,406	5,488	5,018	114	91
Carrots, diced					
Middle Atlantic	15,451	14,647	12,740	82	87
East North Central	31,470	51,173	48,000	153	94
West North Central	9,611	7,308	6,774	70	93
South Atlantic	824	383	375	46	98
West South Central	508	508	488	96	96
Mountain	33	2	2	6	100
Pacific	41,052	56,073	52,106	127	93
Carrots, other					
Middle Atlantic	11,601	18,245	15,507	134	85
East North Central	22,702	28,433	24,645	109	87
West North Central	1,754	4,702	4,270	243	91
South Atlantic	1,575	1,027	1,256	80	122
West South Central	8,907	7,137	8,527	96	119
Mountain	154	106	184	119	174
Pacific	51,977	63,785	58,602	113	92
Cauliflower					
Middle Atlantic	2,645	3,114	3,885	147	125
East North Central	4,364	3,761	3,238	74	86
West North Central	142	572	515	363	90
South Atlantic	915	614	552	60	90
West South Central	3,322	3,854	4,051	122	105
Mountain	-	-	-	(X)	(X)
Pacific	9,744	9,694	9,415	97	97
Corn, cut					
Middle Atlantic	11,691	28,695	26,314	225	92
East North Central	23,862	50,201	40,462	170	81
West North Central	31,839	33,286	25,304	79	76
South Atlantic	7,327	13,391	14,689	200	110
West South Central	1,479	1,591	2,132	144	134
Mountain	827	610	696	84	114
Pacific	165,133	202,561	170,738	103	84
Corn, cob					
Middle Atlantic	4,126	2,295	1,694	41	74
East North Central	7,639	16,130	12,274	161	76
West North Central	12,167	21,147	14,490	119	69
South Atlantic	2,520	1,782	1,948	77	109
West South Central	2,621	3,171	2,735	104	86
Mountain	102	116	77	75	66
Pacific	89,285	105,626	88,723	99	84

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Frozen Vegetables in Cold Storage – Regions: May 31, 2013 with Comparisons (continued)

Commodity	Stocks in all warehouses			May 31, 2013 as a percent of	
	May 31, 2012	April 30, 2013	May 31, 2013	May 31, 2012	April 30, 2013
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)
Mixed vegetables					
Middle Atlantic	2,742	1,554	1,388	51	89
East North Central	7,747	9,965	8,559	110	86
West North Central	645	1,393	2,047	317	147
South Atlantic	1,050	1,525	1,148	109	75
West South Central	8,634	6,437	5,741	66	89
Mountain	2,564	2,488	2,307	90	93
Pacific	20,493	21,594	22,700	111	105
Okra					
Middle Atlantic	2,129	1,919	2,228	105	116
East North Central	993	1,172	435	44	37
West North Central	20	3	4	20	133
South Atlantic	3,101	965	1,579	51	164
West South Central	6,574	4,668	5,879	89	126
Mountain	-	-	-	(X)	(X)
Pacific	1,044	986	1,052	101	107
Onion rings					
Middle Atlantic	676	893	894	132	100
East North Central	726	814	907	125	111
West North Central	896	706	699	78	99
South Atlantic	2,655	4,433	3,917	148	88
West South Central	273	1,400	1,529	560	109
Mountain	805	2,146	2,190	272	102
Pacific	508	1,453	1,366	269	94
Onions, other					
Middle Atlantic	3,545	3,250	3,563	101	110
East North Central	3,900	4,399	3,784	97	86
West North Central	816	476	472	58	99
South Atlantic	3,710	2,122	3,334	90	157
West South Central	1,392	1,786	1,782	128	100
Mountain	33,853	10,363	8,952	26	86
Pacific	21,675	18,594	17,462	81	94
Blackeye peas					
Middle Atlantic	361	270	315	87	117
East North Central	84	102	88	105	86
West North Central	-	-	-	(X)	(X)
South Atlantic	269	603	821	305	136
West South Central	578	393	303	52	77
Mountain	-	-	-	(X)	(X)
Pacific	86	47	133	155	283
Green peas					
Middle Atlantic	8,293	9,855	8,367	101	85
East North Central	21,353	21,718	16,196	76	75
West North Central	8,161	6,909	6,066	74	88
South Atlantic	7,180	3,685	8,155	114	221
West South Central	3,850	2,532	2,081	54	82
Mountain	23	43	34	148	79
Pacific	53,519	67,521	59,181	111	88

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Frozen Vegetables in Cold Storage – Regions: May 31, 2013 with Comparisons (continued)

Commodity	Stocks in all warehouses			May 31, 2013 as a percent of	
	May 31, 2012	April 30, 2013	May 31, 2013	May 31, 2012	April 30, 2013
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)
Peas and carrots mixed					
Middle Atlantic	1,033	521	492	48	94
East North Central	892	1,110	686	77	62
West North Central	25	181	179	716	99
South Atlantic	294	310	565	192	182
West South Central	192	241	305	159	127
Mountain	1	10	10	1,000	100
Pacific	3,123	5,003	4,341	139	87
Spinach					
Middle Atlantic	11,770	12,503	9,538	81	76
East North Central	6,478	6,704	5,923	91	88
West North Central	1,190	986	1,013	85	103
South Atlantic	6,355	4,409	7,612	120	173
West South Central	14,531	17,939	17,745	122	99
Mountain	38	27	26	68	96
Pacific	35,632	16,383	16,681	47	102
Squash, summer/zucchini					
Middle Atlantic	2,721	3,046	2,965	109	97
East North Central	15,159	15,725	13,557	89	86
West North Central	101	20	22	22	110
South Atlantic	2,723	2,862	3,072	113	107
West South Central	6,902	6,410	11,271	163	176
Mountain	984	56	75	8	134
Pacific	20,223	19,971	17,936	89	90
Southern greens					
Middle Atlantic	2,127	773	753	35	97
East North Central	451	321	300	67	93
West North Central	10	-	-	(X)	(X)
South Atlantic	3,728	4,709	4,475	120	95
West South Central	11,937	9,867	10,449	88	106
Mountain	-	-	-	(X)	(X)
Pacific	399	561	461	116	82
Other					
Middle Atlantic	35,408	41,589	41,027	116	99
East North Central	62,870	89,801	55,017	88	61
West North Central	18,726	17,923	17,833	95	99
South Atlantic	26,456	29,915	27,123	103	91
West South Central	44,087	34,583	34,521	78	100
Mountain	10,374	12,365	12,732	123	103
Pacific	110,352	123,098	112,779	102	92
Total frozen vegetables					
Middle Atlantic	138,506	193,686	178,585	129	92
East North Central	272,890	373,166	297,502	109	80
West North Central	94,912	121,050	102,952	108	85
South Atlantic	83,093	92,989	100,948	121	109
West South Central	157,327	129,958	135,864	86	105
Mountain	50,319	28,764	27,577	55	96
Pacific	724,507	821,174	732,780	101	89

- Represents zero.

(X) Not applicable.

¹ New England combined with Middle Atlantic. East South Central combined with South Atlantic.

Frozen Potatoes in Cold Storage – Regions: May 31, 2013 with Comparisons

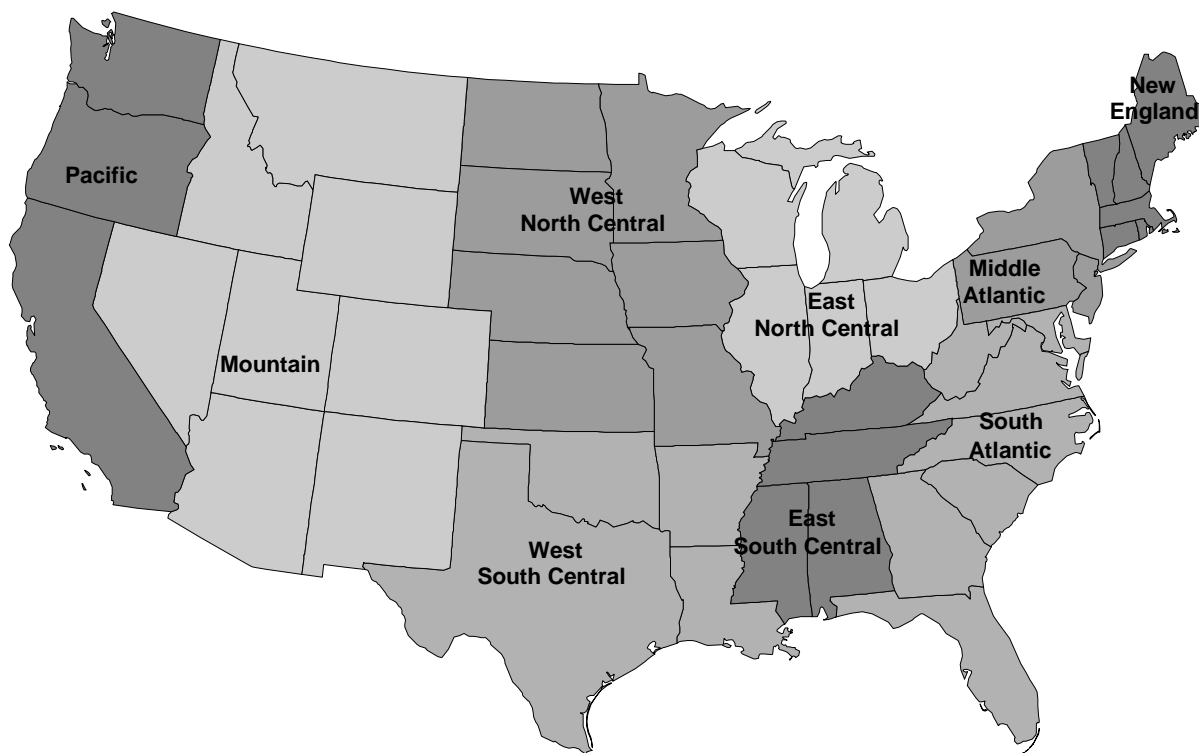
Commodity	Stocks in all warehouses			May 31, 2013 as a percent of	
	May 31, 2012	April 30, 2013	May 31, 2013	May 31, 2012	April 30, 2013
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)
Frozen potatoes					
French fries					
New England	32,616	19,469	18,781	58	96
Middle Atlantic	38,888	37,508	38,879	100	104
East North Central	62,832	73,612	53,275	85	72
West North Central	93,023	111,928	107,945	116	96
South Atlantic	41,351	54,440	53,581	130	98
East South Central	1,040	1,442	1,587	153	110
West South Central	35,462	50,170	45,112	127	90
Mountain	194,207	186,398	205,110	106	110
Pacific	364,091	455,279	407,195	112	89
Other					
New England	5,233	5,284	5,494	105	104
Middle Atlantic	11,888	14,942	15,651	132	105
East North Central	18,934	19,434	21,066	111	108
West North Central	11,620	9,944	9,698	83	98
South Atlantic	20,153	23,137	22,747	113	98
East South Central	536	6,942	10,296	1,921	148
West South Central	34,796	28,818	31,527	91	109
Mountain	63,143	59,434	61,665	98	104
Pacific	61,812	64,193	73,683	119	115
Total frozen potatoes					
New England	37,849	24,753	24,275	64	98
Middle Atlantic	50,776	52,450	54,530	107	104
East North Central	81,766	93,046	74,341	91	80
West North Central	104,643	121,872	117,643	112	97
South Atlantic	61,504	77,577	76,328	124	98
East South Central	1,576	8,384	11,883	754	142
West South Central	70,258	78,988	76,639	109	97
Mountain	257,350	245,832	266,775	104	109
Pacific	425,903	519,472	480,878	113	93

Frozen Red Meat in Cold Storage – Regions: May 31, 2013 with Comparisons

Commodity	Stocks in all warehouses			May 31, 2013 as a percent of	
	May 31, 2012	April 30, 2013	May 31, 2013	May 31, 2012	April 30, 2013
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)
Frozen red meat					
Beef					
Boneless					
New England	242	306	103	43	34
Middle Atlantic	62,653	73,665	76,731	122	104
East North Central	49,579	61,737	52,983	107	86
West North Central	125,010	156,578	145,735	117	93
South Atlantic	20,310	14,262	12,778	63	90
East South Central	1,078	1,327	1,382	128	104
West South Central	73,050	52,477	49,291	67	94
Mountain	26,110	22,412	19,334	74	86
Pacific	68,801	77,279	78,511	114	102
Beef cuts					
New England	70	12	10	14	83
Middle Atlantic	7,785	8,615	7,250	93	84
East North Central	5,122	10,823	7,517	147	69
West North Central	34,994	10,832	8,493	24	78
South Atlantic	2,079	2,318	2,198	106	95
East South Central	118	114	111	94	97
West South Central	4,538	4,868	4,338	96	89
Mountain	7,681	1,210	1,028	13	85
Pacific	8,677	11,294	10,735	124	95
Total beef					
New England	312	318	113	36	36
Middle Atlantic	70,438	82,280	83,981	119	102
East North Central	54,701	72,560	60,500	111	83
West North Central	160,004	167,410	154,228	96	92
South Atlantic	22,389	16,580	14,976	67	90
East South Central	1,196	1,441	1,493	125	104
West South Central	77,588	57,345	53,629	69	94
Mountain	33,791	23,622	20,362	60	86
Pacific	77,478	88,573	89,246	115	101
Other meat ¹					
Veal					
Middle Atlantic	1,248	1,595	1,425	114	89
East North Central	1,730	1,220	1,382	80	113
West South Central	728	1,180	755	104	64
Pacific	400	1,409	1,306	327	93
Lamb and mutton					
Middle Atlantic	8,350	12,542	12,328	148	98
East North Central	1,406	1,061	1,488	106	140
West South Central	1,888	988	1,081	57	109
Pacific	8,036	6,872	6,200	77	90
Total other meat					
Middle Atlantic	9,598	14,137	13,753	143	97
East North Central	3,136	2,281	2,870	92	126
West South Central	2,616	2,168	1,836	70	85
Pacific	8,436	8,281	7,506	89	91

¹ 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.

Cold Storage Regions



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Definitions

Beef, boneless: 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.

Beef cuts: Includes all boxed primal beef cuts, bone-in.

Orange juice concentrate: Adjusted to 42.0 degrees Brix equivalent (9.896 pounds per gallon).

Pork, boneless hams: Includes full ham, bone removed and individual muscles separated.

Pork, boneless loins: Includes pork tenderloins.

Pork, ribs: Includes spareribs and backribs.

Pork, trimmings: 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 not included.

Pork, other: Includes ears, tails, feet, neckbones and snouts.

Pork, variety meats: Includes tongues, kidneys, livers, stomachs, hearts, chitterlings, salivary glands, and other organs removed from slaughtered hogs.

Pork, unclassified: Includes product unable to be classified elsewhere in this report.

Publication Notes

Published February 22, 2013: The 2012 revisions of American and other natural cheese are the result of increased coverage of cold storage facilities. Please refer to the *Cold Storage 2012 Summary*, published February 22, 2013, for all 2012 cold storage commodity estimates.

Published December 22, 2012: Beginning with the February 22, 2013 release, estimates for shelled and in-shell peanuts are scheduled to be discontinued.

Published March 22, 2011: Beginning with the January 31, 2011 data, an increase in survey response and a change in classification of reported data resulted in an increase of breasts & breast meat, drumsticks, legs, and wings along with a corresponding decrease in other chicken. Updated historic reported data prior to 2011 was unavailable. Year to year relationships was impacted by this change.

Published February 22, 2011: The 2010 revisions of American and other natural cheese was the result of increased coverage of cold storage facilities. Please refer to the *Cold Storage 2010 Summary*, published February 22, 2011, for all 2010 cold storage commodity estimates. Beginning with the January 31, 2010 data, cherries, tart (juice) was published under two categories: cherries, tart (juice stock) and cherries, tart (juice concentrate). The 2010 monthly data for these categories was published in the *Cold Storage 2010 Summary*, released on February 22, 2010.

Published June 22, 2010: A change in classification of reported data beginning with May 31, 2010 in the Other Chicken category resulted in an increase of Leg Quarters, Legs, and Paws and Feet along with a corresponding decrease in Other Chicken. There was also an increase in reported data for Drumsticks, Leg Quarters, Paws and Feet, and Other Chicken due to increased coverage and participation of facilities in the survey. Updated historic data prior to May 31, 2010 for these facilities were unavailable.

Published February 22, 2010: A change in classification of reported data beginning with January 31, 2009 in the Other Chicken category resulted in an increase of Leg Quarters along with a corresponding decrease in Other Chicken. The updated 2009 data for these categories was published in the 2009 Annual Summary, released on February 22, 2010. The Total Chicken category was unaffected by this change in reporting.

Published December 22, 2009: The increase in Orange Juice Concentrate from October to November 2009 reflected previously unreported stocks included in the November estimate. Revisions for October and previous months were not available at this time.

Published November 20, 2009: Due to updated facility information, the January 2009 - September 2009 cheese data was revised. Please note the revision tables on pages 13 and 14. Updated data for 2008 was not available.

Published October 22, 2009: Beginning with the February 22, 2010 *Cold Storage report*, Other Turkey was separated into the following five categories: breast meat, legs, mechanically deboned meat, other, and unclassified. The 2009 data for these categories was published in the 2009 Annual Summary, released on February 22, 2010. Data for the five categories prior to 2009 was not available.

Published June 22, 2009: Beginning with April 30, 2009 revised estimates, an increase in strawberry inventory was the result of increased coverage of cold storage facilities as well as updated plant information. The April 2009 revisions of frozen strawberries covered the following categories: Total, IQF and Poly, Pails and Tubs, Barrels and Drums, and Juice Stock. Updated historic reported strawberry data prior to April 2009 was unavailable. Year to year relationships for strawberry and the total fruit categories were impacted by this change.

Statistical Methodology

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, data are obtained from special surveys and other sources. 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, 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.

All commodities reported on the cold storage report are regardless of ownership or origin. NASS does not differentiate between commodities owned by manufacturer, producer, wholesaler, retailer, government owned, or domestically produced vs. imported.

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. Plants storing butter or cheese are required under Federal law as defined in Public Laws 106-532 and 107-171 to complete the monthly *Cold Storage* report. 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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