



Cold Storage

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Highlights

Total natural cheese stocks in refrigerated warehouses on September 30, 2014 were down 3 percent from the previous month and down 5 percent from September 30, 2013.

Butter stocks were down 11 percent from last month and down 37 percent from a year ago.

Total frozen poultry supplies on September 30, 2014 were down 2 percent from the previous month and down 10 percent from a year ago. Total stocks of chicken were down 2 percent from the previous month and down 9 percent from last year. Total pounds of turkey in freezers were down 2 percent from last month and down 10 percent from September 30, 2013.

Total frozen fruit stocks were down 2 percent from last month but up 1 percent from a year ago.

Total frozen vegetable stocks were up 15 percent from last month and up 6 percent from a year ago.

Total red meat supplies in freezers were up 3 percent from the previous month but down 8 percent from last year. Total pounds of beef in freezers were up 8 percent from the previous month but down 16 percent from last year. Frozen pork supplies were up slightly from the previous month but down 4 percent from last year. Stocks of pork bellies were down 26 percent from last month but up 44 percent from last year.

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**Nuts, Dairy Products, Frozen Eggs, and Frozen Poultry in Cold Storage – United States:
September 30, 2014 with Comparisons**

Commodity	Stocks in all warehouses			September 30, 2014 as a percent of		Public warehouse stocks
	September 30, 2013	August 31, 2014	September 30, 2014	September 30, 2013	August 31, 2014	September 30, 2014
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)	(1,000 pounds)
Nuts						
Shelled						
Pecans	43,800	53,125	52,833	121	99	
In-Shell						
Pecans	75,446	73,275	51,450	68	70	
Dairy products						
Butter	233,031	164,979	146,088	63	89	121,309
Natural cheese						
American	661,046	647,909	631,279	95	97	
Swiss	29,975	27,085	25,177	84	93	
Other	379,676	365,539	356,819	94	98	
Total natural cheese	1,070,697	1,040,533	1,013,275	95	97	610,442
Frozen eggs						
Whites	5,140	3,615	4,146	81	115	
Yolks	1,721	1,756	1,791	104	102	
Whole and mixed	11,841	10,585	10,385	88	98	
Unclassified	14,875	13,864	14,804	100	107	
Total frozen eggs	33,577	29,820	31,126	93	104	29,617
Frozen poultry						
Chicken						
Broilers, fryers, and roasters	23,244	12,603	11,092	48	88	
Hens, mature chickens	3,155	6,946	6,934	220	100	
Breasts and breast meat	89,739	110,520	114,033	127	103	
Drumsticks	17,919	18,030	17,445	97	97	
Leg quarters	153,233	127,116	118,616	77	93	
Legs	7,214	11,327	11,859	164	105	
Thigh and thigh quarters	6,200	8,115	8,434	136	104	
Thigh Meat	15,796	20,390	16,970	107	83	
Wings	90,926	63,781	62,014	68	97	
Paws and feet	23,130	25,228	25,356	110	101	
Other	246,364	224,563	221,537	90	99	
Total chicken	676,920	628,619	614,290	91	98	
Turkey						
Whole turkeys						
Toms	188,007	136,686	141,964	76	104	
Hens	137,334	164,098	155,259	113	95	
Total whole turkeys	325,341	300,784	297,223	91	99	
Breasts	64,925	50,394	48,599	75	96	
Legs	13,330	9,350	7,309	55	78	
Mechanically deboned meat	6,011	6,261	6,107	102	98	
Other	32,853	27,545	25,134	77	91	
Unclassified	98,723	100,456	100,175	101	100	
Total turkey	541,183	494,790	484,547	90	98	
Ducks	2,027	2,588	2,887	142	112	
Total frozen poultry	1,220,130	1,125,997	1,101,724	90	98	1,005,177

Frozen Fruit and Frozen Juice in Cold Storage – United States: September 30, 2014 with Comparisons

Commodity	Stocks in all warehouses			September 30, 2014 as a percent of		Public warehouse stocks
	September 30, 2013	August 31, 2014	September 30, 2014	September 30, 2013	August 31, 2014	September 30, 2014
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)	(1,000 pounds)
Frozen fruit						
Apples	32,414	52,050	49,711	153	96	
Apricots	6,276	7,852	7,533	120	96	
Individual quality frozen	22,669	21,313	20,021	88	94	
Pails and tubs	1,313	2,107	1,972	150	94	
Barrels, 400 lbs net	13,668	10,503	10,103	74	96	
Concentrate	230	1,097	953	414	87	
Total blackberries	37,880	35,020	33,049	87	94	
Blueberries	251,279	269,165	265,303	106	99	
Boysenberries	2,764	1,918	1,984	72	103	
Cherries, tart (ripe tart pitted)	139,064	178,542	164,379	118	92	
Cherries, tart (juice stock)	4,545	1,960	2,478	55	126	
Cherries, tart (juice concentrate)	1,459	1,828	2,202	151	120	
Cherries, sweet	20,371	27,390	23,525	115	86	
Grapes	4,498	3,540	3,699	82	104	
Peaches	72,610	54,810	63,033	87	115	
Raspberries, black	1,121	1,401	1,381	123	99	
Individual quality frozen	39,125	36,201	34,753	89	96	
Pails and tubs	8,466	9,475	8,057	95	85	
Barrels, 400 lbs net	30,074	33,746	29,997	100	89	
Concentrate	1,814	2,119	2,001	110	94	
Total red raspberries	79,479	81,541	74,808	94	92	
Individual quality frozen and poly	172,438	148,359	131,035	76	88	
Pails and tubs	107,550	82,167	72,340	67	88	
Barrels and drums	94,512	87,713	80,575	85	92	
Juice stock	17,532	12,427	11,019	63	89	
Total strawberries	392,032	330,666	294,969	75	89	
Other	224,171	264,490	292,187	130	110	
Total frozen fruit	1,269,963	1,312,173	1,280,241	101	98	1,123,083
Frozen juice concentrate						
Orange	795,828	773,000	712,015	89	92	
(Gallon equivalent)	80,419	78,112	71,950			
Other	315,541	255,042	258,332	82	101	
Total frozen juice concentrate	1,111,369	1,028,042	970,347	87	94	203,572

**Frozen Vegetables and Potatoes in Cold Storage – United States: September 30, 2014
with Comparisons**

Commodity	Stocks in all warehouses			September 30, 2014 as a percent of		Public warehouse stocks
	September 30, 2013	August 31, 2014	September 30, 2014	September 30, 2013	August 31, 2014	September 30, 2014
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)	(1,000 pounds)
Frozen vegetables						
Asparagus	9,378	16,324	16,931	181	104	
Lima beans	52,301	35,991	56,999	109	158	
Green beans, regular cut	252,315	225,135	253,016	100	112	
Green beans, french style	20,563	18,840	20,852	101	111	
Broccoli, spears	21,245	32,216	30,203	142	94	
Broccoli, chopped and cut	43,243	41,970	41,049	95	98	
Brussels sprouts	7,594	10,142	9,798	129	97	
Carrots, diced	75,125	76,540	73,468	98	96	
Carrots, other	113,138	102,216	128,829	114	126	
Cauliflower	18,745	14,427	15,284	82	106	
Corn, cut	585,455	462,352	624,046	107	135	
Corn, cob	244,077	175,199	258,594	106	148	
Mixed vegetables	51,341	58,514	59,694	116	102	
Okra	25,739	36,605	43,164	168	118	
Onion rings	11,049	9,755	9,981	90	102	
Onions, other	39,203	51,107	42,755	109	84	
Blackeye peas	3,004	1,484	1,784	59	120	
Green peas	305,131	395,401	365,716	120	92	
Peas and carrots mixed	6,476	7,840	7,703	119	98	
Spinach	43,889	46,541	38,045	87	82	
Squash, summer/zucchini	55,229	53,729	56,780	103	106	
Southern greens	9,869	12,353	10,597	107	86	
Other	436,882	348,101	402,196	92	116	
Total frozen vegetables	2,430,991	2,232,782	2,567,484	106	115	1,731,630
Frozen potatoes						
French fries	920,034	742,033	837,281	91	113	
Other	217,556	194,555	201,790	93	104	
Total frozen potatoes	1,137,590	936,588	1,039,071	91	111	809,138

Red Meat and Commodities in Cold Storage – United States: September 30, 2014 with Comparisons

Commodity	Stocks in all warehouses			September 30, 2014 as a percent of		Public warehouse stocks
	September 30, 2013	August 31, 2014	September 30, 2014	September 30, 2013	August 31, 2014	September 30, 2014
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)	(1,000 pounds)
Frozen red meat						
Beef						
Boneless	401,443	308,350	333,531	83	108	
Beef cuts	43,716	38,206	39,813	91	104	
Total beef	445,159	346,556	373,344	84	108	371,899
Pork						
Picnics, bone-in	13,115	8,505	10,313	79	121	
Hams						
Bone-in	121,270	86,106	96,916	80	113	
Boneless	100,363	93,377	97,161	97	104	
Total hams	221,633	179,483	194,077	88	108	
Bellies	23,491	45,562	33,811	144	74	
Loins						
Bone-in	7,510	6,859	7,508	100	109	
Boneless	16,152	14,054	12,726	79	91	
Total loins	23,662	20,913	20,234	86	97	
Ribs	56,107	49,621	50,872	91	103	
Butts	17,756	23,778	20,942	118	88	
Trimmings	38,273	40,440	34,974	91	86	
Other	92,479	90,271	90,627	98	100	
Variety meats	27,971	33,587	34,524	123	103	
Unclassified	53,340	51,506	54,624	102	106	
Total pork	567,827	543,666	544,998	96	100	469,234
Other red meat						
Veal	4,571	3,581	2,326	51	65	
Lamb and mutton	23,444	40,157	39,693	169	99	
Total other red meat	28,015	43,738	42,019	150	96	42,010
Total frozen red meat	1,041,001	933,960	960,361	92	103	883,143
Commodities						
Stored in coolers	1,422,974	1,331,912	1,263,646	89	95	755,661
Stored in freezers	8,244,621	7,599,362	7,950,354	96	105	5,785,360
Total Commodities	9,667,595	8,931,274	9,214,000	95	103	6,541,021

Nuts and Dairy Products in Cold Storage – Regions: September 30, 2014 with Comparisons

Commodity	Stocks in all warehouses			September 30, 2014 as a percent of	
	September 30, 2013	August 31, 2014	September 30, 2014	September 30, 2013	August 31, 2014
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)
Nuts ¹					
Shelled					
Pecans					
South Atlantic	11,850	14,385	13,719	116	95
East South Central	1,119	1,218	865	77	71
West South Central	30,831	37,522	38,249	124	102
In-shell					
Pecans					
South Atlantic	20,300	16,603	12,398	61	75
East South Central	77	6	59	77	983
West South Central	55,069	56,666	38,993	71	69
Dairy products					
Natural cheese					
American, total					
New England	48,700	62,866	63,593	131	101
Middle Atlantic	58,924	53,398	54,112	92	101
East North Central	264,201	243,599	237,633	90	98
West North Central	95,027	113,879	107,592	113	94
South Atlantic	644	605	636	99	105
East South Central	4,850	5,119	4,773	98	93
West South Central	9,625	18,485	17,870	186	97
Mountain	63,115	53,115	53,786	85	101
Pacific	115,960	96,843	91,284	79	94
Other					
New England	909	784	1,003	110	128
Middle Atlantic	18,032	23,385	22,094	123	94
East North Central	272,472	246,345	239,228	88	97
West North Central	39,971	44,573	42,244	106	95
South Atlantic	5,039	4,741	5,576	111	118
East South Central	9,304	11,701	13,942	150	119
West South Central	612	504	704	115	140
Mountain	3,510	2,335	2,115	60	91
Pacific	29,827	31,171	29,913	100	96

- Represents zero.

(X) Not applicable.

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: September 30, 2014 with Comparisons

Commodity	Stocks in all warehouses			September 30, 2014 as a percent of	
	September 30, 2013	August 31, 2014	September 30, 2014	September 30, 2013	August 31, 2014
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)
Frozen poultry					
Chicken ¹					
Broilers, fryers, and roasters					
South Atlantic	4,797	5,481	4,841	101	88
East South Central	1,420	949	574	40	60
West South Central	15,505	1,476	1,881	12	127
Pacific	1,522	4,697	3,796	249	81
Hens, mature chickens					
South Atlantic	1,341	1,511	1,521	113	101
East South Central	435	872	1,330	306	153
West South Central	1,254	4,094	3,768	300	92
Pacific	125	469	315	252	67
Breasts and breast meat					
South Atlantic	27,310	29,901	29,634	109	99
East South Central	21,809	26,465	27,239	125	103
West South Central	34,951	47,218	49,026	140	104
Pacific	5,669	6,936	8,134	143	117
Drumsticks					
South Atlantic	6,852	9,450	8,649	126	92
East South Central	4,395	3,856	4,235	96	110
West South Central	6,018	3,702	3,489	58	94
Pacific	654	1,022	1,072	164	105
Leg quarters					
South Atlantic	60,078	61,845	65,606	109	106
East South Central	39,013	34,973	22,152	57	63
West South Central	52,814	28,678	30,062	57	105
Pacific	1,328	1,620	796	60	49
Legs					
South Atlantic	3,529	7,717	7,974	226	103
East South Central	812	1,058	1,133	140	107
West South Central	2,305	1,918	2,161	94	113
Pacific	568	634	591	104	93
Thigh and thigh quarters					
South Atlantic	3,802	4,637	5,177	136	112
East South Central	841	1,379	1,222	145	89
West South Central	1,059	1,710	1,840	174	108
Pacific	498	389	195	39	50
Thigh meat					
South Atlantic	10,887	11,631	10,811	99	93
East South Central	1,521	1,465	1,647	108	112
West South Central	2,232	6,063	3,340	150	55
Pacific	1,156	1,231	1,172	101	95
Wings					
South Atlantic	45,741	29,447	27,213	59	92
East South Central	11,608	7,553	7,484	64	99
West South Central	29,431	20,893	21,644	74	104
Pacific	4,146	5,888	5,673	137	96
Paws and feet					
South Atlantic	12,673	15,538	15,446	122	99
East South Central	4,451	5,840	5,542	125	95
West South Central	5,450	2,964	3,579	66	121
Pacific	556	886	789	142	89
Other					
South Atlantic	133,979	112,675	104,894	78	93
East South Central	53,316	43,060	45,638	86	106
West South Central	43,354	47,074	49,771	115	106
Pacific	15,715	21,754	21,234	135	98
Total chicken					
South Atlantic	310,989	289,833	281,766	91	97
East South Central	139,621	127,470	118,196	85	93
West South Central	194,373	165,790	170,561	88	103
Pacific	31,937	45,526	43,767	137	96

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Frozen Poultry in Cold Storage – Regions: September 30, 2014 with Comparisons (continued)

Commodity	Stocks in all warehouses			September 30, 2014 as a percent of	
	September 30, 2013	August 31, 2014	September 30, 2014	September 30, 2013	August 31, 2014
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)
Turkeys					
Whole turkeys					
New England	9,364	6,821	10,357	111	152
Middle Atlantic	20,587	28,074	26,242	127	93
East North Central	27,925	20,057	20,329	73	101
West North Central	28,622	28,099	31,048	108	110
South Atlantic	55,860	43,785	47,210	85	108
East South Central	15,944	16,711	20,706	130	124
West South Central	121,265	121,916	106,817	88	88
Mountain	14,865	18,470	16,729	113	91
Pacific	30,909	16,851	17,785	58	106
Breasts					
New England	47	320	238	506	74
Middle Atlantic	2,127	1,509	2,052	96	136
East North Central	15,104	8,194	7,950	53	97
West North Central	15,069	16,189	14,443	96	89
South Atlantic	12,136	5,376	4,864	40	90
East South Central	1,685	2,295	3,108	184	135
West South Central	15,147	12,028	11,541	76	96
Mountain	1,771	992	900	51	91
Pacific	1,839	3,491	3,503	190	100
Legs					
New England	-	-	-	(X)	(X)
Middle Atlantic	275	266	278	101	105
East North Central	3,357	2,102	1,815	54	86
West North Central	5,280	3,927	2,969	56	76
South Atlantic	1,655	1,600	1,029	62	64
East South Central	487	68	56	11	82
West South Central	841	771	723	86	94
Mountain	367	450	347	95	77
Pacific	1,068	166	92	9	55
Mechanically deboned meat					
New England	-	-	-	(X)	(X)
Middle Atlantic	1,426	269	298	21	111
East North Central	571	1,314	935	164	71
West North Central	679	1,211	1,699	250	140
South Atlantic	1,055	1,297	1,325	126	102
East South Central	1,523	638	749	49	117
West South Central	174	419	304	175	73
Mountain	218	386	435	200	113
Pacific	365	727	362	99	50

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Frozen Poultry in Cold Storage – Regions: September 30, 2014 with Comparisons (continued)

Commodity	Stocks in all warehouses			September 30, 2014 as a percent of	
	September 30, 2013	August 31, 2014	September 30, 2014	September 30, 2013	August 31, 2014
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)
Other					
New England	-	-	-	(X)	(X)
Middle Atlantic	1,874	1,036	2,330	124	225
East North Central	6,014	4,485	4,435	74	99
West North Central	7,075	6,260	5,722	81	91
South Atlantic	8,498	7,533	6,201	73	82
East South Central	2,706	2,644	2,603	96	98
West South Central	4,032	4,585	2,923	72	64
Mountain	206	245	301	146	123
Pacific	2,448	757	619	25	82
Unclassified					
New England	40	4	17	43	425
Middle Atlantic	1,093	1,319	1,055	97	80
East North Central	10,798	12,640	12,111	112	96
West North Central	13,473	14,624	14,084	105	96
South Atlantic	65,466	59,924	59,734	91	100
East South Central	545	314	357	66	114
West South Central	4,021	6,489	7,403	184	114
Mountain	1,047	605	645	62	107
Pacific	2,240	4,537	4,769	213	105
Total turkey					
New England	9,451	7,145	10,612	112	149
Middle Atlantic	27,382	32,473	32,255	118	99
East North Central	63,769	48,792	47,575	75	98
West North Central	70,198	70,310	69,965	100	100
South Atlantic	144,670	119,515	120,363	83	101
East South Central	22,890	22,670	27,579	120	122
West South Central	145,480	146,208	129,711	89	89
Mountain	18,474	21,148	19,357	105	92
Pacific	38,869	26,529	27,130	70	102
Ducks					
New England	29	41	27	93	66
Middle Atlantic	372	595	689	185	116
East North Central	1,242	781	995	80	127
West North Central	141	343	327	232	95
South Atlantic	-	8	8	(X)	100
East South Central	-	-	-	(X)	(X)
West South Central	-	-	-	(X)	(X)
Mountain	6	3	14	233	467
Pacific	237	817	827	349	101

- 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: September 30, 2014 with Comparisons

Commodity	Stocks in all warehouses			September 30, 2014 as a percent of	
	September 30, 2013	August 31, 2014	September 30, 2014	September 30, 2013	August 31, 2014
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)
Frozen fruit					
Apples					
New England	54	85	65	120	76
Middle Atlantic	1,137	1,069	983	86	92
East North Central	21,476	41,626	41,849	195	101
West North Central	156	312	195	125	63
South Atlantic	107	287	342	320	119
East South Central	60	75	72	120	96
West South Central	422	486	428	101	88
Mountain	10	46	32	320	70
Pacific	8,992	8,064	5,745	64	71
Blueberries					
New England	18,928	19,300	26,337	139	136
Middle Atlantic	13,707	10,176	9,811	72	96
East North Central	85,877	84,038	82,588	96	98
West North Central	1,215	4,358	4,348	358	100
South Atlantic	9,878	13,949	15,229	154	109
East South Central	34	2,464	1,611	4,738	65
West South Central	825	1,062	1,355	164	128
Mountain	95	104	113	119	109
Pacific	120,720	133,714	123,911	103	93
Cherries, tart (ripe tart pitted)					
New England	-	-	-	(X)	(X)
Middle Atlantic	6,867	6,313	7,759	113	123
East North Central	104,879	128,085	117,557	112	92
West North Central	643	374	355	55	95
South Atlantic	52	13	52	100	400
East South Central	-	13	12	(X)	92
West South Central	127	105	85	67	81
Mountain	16,339	32,398	29,267	179	90
Pacific	10,157	11,241	9,292	91	83
Cherries, sweet					
New England	-	-	-	(X)	(X)
Middle Atlantic	430	533	336	78	63
East North Central	14,670	22,133	18,765	128	85
West North Central	224	159	133	59	84
South Atlantic	5	8	7	140	88
East South Central	29	176	165	569	94
West South Central	116	113	104	90	92
Mountain	-	-	-	(X)	(X)
Pacific	4,897	4,268	4,015	82	94
Peaches					
New England	3	2	1	33	50
Middle Atlantic	1,144	2,107	2,179	190	103
East North Central	15,624	6,497	10,295	66	158
West North Central	892	1,001	1,089	122	109
South Atlantic	1,418	1,855	1,787	126	96
East South Central	141	187	204	145	109
West South Central	469	320	443	94	138
Mountain	85	3	66	78	2,200
Pacific	52,834	42,838	46,969	89	110
Raspberries, red					
New England	4	22	373	9,325	1,695
Middle Atlantic	1,124	2,894	2,938	261	102
East North Central	1,619	1,307	1,410	87	108
West North Central	1,337	2,540	2,316	173	91
South Atlantic	41	360	506	1,234	141
East South Central	685	147	133	19	90
West South Central	434	513	374	86	73
Mountain	81	92	86	106	93
Pacific	74,154	73,666	66,672	90	91

See footnote(s) at end of table.

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Frozen Fruit and Frozen Juice in Cold Storage – Regions: September 30, 2014 with Comparisons (continued)

Commodity	Stocks in all warehouses			September 30, 2014 as a percent of	
	September 30, 2013	August 31, 2014	September 30, 2014	September 30, 2013	August 31, 2014
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)
Strawberries, total					
New England	149	215	160	107	74
Middle Atlantic	4,318	7,271	5,765	134	79
East North Central	27,375	13,942	12,550	46	90
West North Central	6,586	8,276	6,747	102	82
South Atlantic	1,674	1,241	980	59	79
East South Central	6,314	4,760	4,276	68	90
West South Central	25,929	25,222	19,807	76	79
Mountain	158	50	68	43	136
Pacific	319,529	269,689	244,616	77	91
Other					
New England	6,696	3,653	4,329	65	119
Middle Atlantic	4,138	6,441	6,509	157	101
East North Central	90,097	126,979	150,616	167	119
West North Central	2,614	3,294	3,214	123	98
South Atlantic	3,289	2,430	2,370	72	98
East South Central	244	271	272	111	100
West South Central	18,786	12,943	12,554	67	97
Mountain	149	768	722	485	94
Pacific	98,158	107,711	111,601	114	104
Frozen juice concentrate					
Orange¹					
New England	28	38	52	186	137
East North Central	3,258	2,708	2,415	74	89
West North Central	525	370	391	74	106
South Atlantic	769,908	747,075	690,323	90	92
East South Central	52	10	9	17	90
West South Central	9,646	10,908	8,995	93	82
Mountain	2,079	1,434	1,336	64	93
Pacific	10,332	10,457	8,494	82	81
Other					
New England	6,006	3,203	3,151	52	98
Middle Atlantic	43,833	24,122	23,923	55	99
East North Central	19,677	21,634	17,902	91	83
West North Central	10,581	8,661	8,482	80	98
South Atlantic	65,241	53,706	55,286	85	103
East South Central	1,721	1,117	1,134	66	102
West South Central	29,357	28,717	28,502	97	99
Mountain	1,733	1,757	1,780	103	101
Pacific	137,392	112,125	118,172	86	105
Total frozen juice concentrate²					
New England	6,034	3,241	3,203	53	99
Middle Atlantic	43,833	24,122	23,923	55	99
East North Central	22,935	24,342	20,317	89	83
West North Central	11,106	9,031	8,873	80	98
South Atlantic	835,149	800,781	745,609	89	93
East South Central	1,773	1,127	1,143	64	101
West South Central	39,003	39,625	37,497	96	95
Mountain	3,812	3,191	3,116	82	98
Pacific	147,724	122,582	126,666	86	103

- 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: September 30, 2014 with Comparisons

Commodity	Stocks in all warehouses			September 30, 2014 as a percent of	
	September 30, 2013	August 31, 2014	September 30, 2014	September 30, 2013	August 31, 2014
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)
Frozen vegetables ¹					
Asparagus					
Middle Atlantic	635	487	490	77	101
East North Central	5,613	9,694	10,685	190	110
West North Central	292	177	184	63	104
South Atlantic	89	598	631	709	106
West South Central	1,490	1,207	962	65	80
Mountain	72	22	20	28	91
Pacific	1,187	4,139	3,959	334	96
Lima beans					
Middle Atlantic	6,728	4,736	8,384	125	177
East North Central	4,388	3,456	5,011	114	145
West North Central	3,986	1,552	3,735	94	241
South Atlantic	13,044	10,062	17,877	137	178
West South Central	623	475	518	83	109
Mountain	3	12	10	333	83
Pacific	23,529	15,698	21,464	91	137
Green beans, regular cut					
Middle Atlantic	36,974	26,064	32,028	87	123
East North Central	77,229	62,072	76,149	99	123
West North Central	18,932	9,640	13,680	72	142
South Atlantic	7,139	14,246	17,152	240	120
West South Central	2,504	3,167	3,186	127	101
Mountain	129	77	69	53	90
Pacific	109,408	109,869	110,752	101	101
Green beans, french style					
Middle Atlantic	4,488	4,205	3,856	86	92
East North Central	9,759	7,354	9,440	97	128
West North Central	317	482	472	149	98
South Atlantic	164	205	264	161	129
West South Central	71	67	77	108	115
Mountain	7	-	-	(X)	(X)
Pacific	5,757	6,527	6,743	117	103
Broccoli, spears					
Middle Atlantic	4,649	5,358	5,290	114	99
East North Central	2,311	8,439	7,773	336	92
West North Central	64	1,193	1,212	1,894	102
South Atlantic	607	1,311	861	142	66
West South Central	10,571	11,454	11,621	110	101
Mountain	2	7	6	300	86
Pacific	3,041	4,454	3,440	113	77
Broccoli, chopped and cut					
Middle Atlantic	3,212	3,478	3,986	124	115
East North Central	9,231	7,757	7,974	86	103
West North Central	1,496	84	55	4	65
South Atlantic	1,281	1,880	1,808	141	96
West South Central	13,298	10,630	10,673	80	100
Mountain	255	213	173	68	81
Pacific	14,470	17,928	16,380	113	91

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Frozen Vegetables in Cold Storage – Regions: September 30, 2014 with Comparisons (continued)

Commodity	Stocks in all warehouses			September 30, 2014 as a percent of	
	September 30, 2013	August 31, 2014	September 30, 2014	September 30, 2013	August 31, 2014
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)
Brussels sprouts					
Middle Atlantic	1,166	2,007	1,950	167	97
East North Central	2,091	2,867	2,379	114	83
West North Central	11	52	45	409	87
South Atlantic	812	1,681	1,536	189	91
West South Central	1,011	1,518	1,304	129	86
Mountain	-	-	-	(X)	(X)
Pacific	2,503	2,017	2,584	103	128
Carrots, diced					
Middle Atlantic	7,862	11,702	9,485	121	81
East North Central	26,772	30,247	25,949	97	86
West North Central	2,848	167	534	19	320
South Atlantic	175	310	390	223	126
West South Central	825	787	350	42	44
Mountain	1	2	2	200	100
Pacific	36,642	33,325	36,758	100	110
Carrots, other					
Middle Atlantic	10,223	7,683	6,801	67	89
East North Central	19,744	24,202	30,335	154	125
West North Central	3,425	2,687	2,586	76	96
South Atlantic	1,353	1,002	1,403	104	140
West South Central	7,530	6,849	6,666	89	97
Mountain	119	310	179	150	58
Pacific	70,744	59,483	80,859	114	136
Cauliflower					
Middle Atlantic	4,069	2,184	2,378	58	109
East North Central	3,243	3,141	3,033	94	97
West North Central	357	193	203	57	105
South Atlantic	260	114	117	45	103
West South Central	3,956	3,144	2,895	73	92
Mountain	-	1	1	(X)	100
Pacific	6,860	5,650	6,657	97	118
Corn, cut					
Middle Atlantic	45,269	20,887	37,120	82	178
East North Central	76,838	63,138	105,429	137	167
West North Central	97,389	56,247	93,740	96	167
South Atlantic	15,662	12,903	15,077	96	117
West South Central	2,544	1,978	1,992	78	101
Mountain	718	409	534	74	131
Pacific	347,035	306,790	370,154	107	121
Corn, cob					
Middle Atlantic	5,487	7,300	9,092	166	125
East North Central	24,649	9,156	15,805	64	173
West North Central	46,824	28,392	66,062	141	233
South Atlantic	4,122	2,206	2,848	69	129
West South Central	3,969	2,958	3,050	77	103
Mountain	90	43	91	101	212
Pacific	158,936	125,144	161,646	102	129

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Frozen Vegetables in Cold Storage – Regions: September 30, 2014 with Comparisons (continued)

Commodity	Stocks in all warehouses			September 30, 2014 as a percent of	
	September 30, 2013	August 31, 2014	September 30, 2014	September 30, 2013	August 31, 2014
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)
Mixed vegetables					
Middle Atlantic	2,827	4,714	5,753	204	122
East North Central	8,618	17,618	18,147	211	103
West North Central	4,309	3,008	3,902	91	130
South Atlantic	1,528	1,476	1,552	102	105
West South Central	7,132	6,427	6,003	84	93
Mountain	1,634	1,629	1,072	66	66
Pacific	25,293	23,642	23,265	92	98
Okra					
Middle Atlantic	1,274	1,786	1,887	148	106
East North Central	271	329	846	312	257
West North Central	26	16	24	92	150
South Atlantic	2,282	3,327	3,412	150	103
West South Central	20,862	29,791	35,396	170	119
Mountain	-	-	-	(X)	(X)
Pacific	1,024	1,356	1,599	156	118
Onion rings					
Middle Atlantic	689	526	689	100	131
East North Central	816	482	496	61	103
West North Central	607	446	454	75	102
South Atlantic	4,925	4,804	4,191	85	87
West South Central	1,695	1,163	1,484	88	128
Mountain	1,728	1,947	2,264	131	116
Pacific	589	387	403	68	104
Onions, other					
Middle Atlantic	4,755	2,423	2,767	58	114
East North Central	3,778	3,934	3,261	86	83
West North Central	559	876	654	117	75
South Atlantic	2,967	4,593	4,238	143	92
West South Central	1,902	8,428	3,990	210	47
Mountain	8,477	8,588	6,780	80	79
Pacific	16,765	22,265	21,065	126	95
Blackeye peas					
Middle Atlantic	212	564	480	226	85
East North Central	72	61	75	104	123
West North Central	-	-	-	(X)	(X)
South Atlantic	2,360	495	763	32	154
West South Central	281	266	390	139	147
Mountain	-	-	-	(X)	(X)
Pacific	79	98	76	96	78
Green peas					
Middle Atlantic	21,737	31,954	31,887	147	100
East North Central	42,169	63,315	57,087	135	90
West North Central	33,538	46,583	45,481	136	98
South Atlantic	15,047	24,832	24,705	164	99
West South Central	4,108	3,093	3,198	78	103
Mountain	70	8	8	11	100
Pacific	188,462	225,616	203,350	108	90

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Frozen Vegetables in Cold Storage – Regions: September 30, 2014 with Comparisons (continued)

Commodity	Stocks in all warehouses			September 30, 2014 as a percent of	
	September 30, 2013	August 31, 2014	September 30, 2014	September 30, 2013	August 31, 2014
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)
Peas and carrots mixed					
Middle Atlantic	458	639	693	151	108
East North Central	763	1,193	1,195	157	100
West North Central	114	61	43	38	70
South Atlantic	725	438	580	80	132
West South Central	213	246	224	105	91
Mountain	-	-	-	(X)	(X)
Pacific	4,203	5,263	4,968	118	94
Spinach					
Middle Atlantic	7,081	6,272	5,311	75	85
East North Central	4,907	5,616	5,270	107	94
West North Central	737	805	738	100	92
South Atlantic	4,596	3,840	3,716	81	97
West South Central	11,361	13,815	8,190	72	59
Mountain	95	-	-	(X)	(X)
Pacific	15,112	16,193	14,820	98	92
Squash, summer/zucchini					
Middle Atlantic	3,118	3,037	3,128	100	103
East North Central	23,149	22,430	25,450	110	113
West North Central	94	24	12	13	50
South Atlantic	3,862	3,250	3,413	88	105
West South Central	8,433	7,801	6,901	82	88
Mountain	73	25	35	48	140
Pacific	16,500	17,162	17,841	108	104
Southern greens					
Middle Atlantic	1,559	3,378	3,705	238	110
East North Central	518	291	373	72	128
West North Central	2	3	2	100	67
South Atlantic	1,886	1,412	1,263	67	89
West South Central	5,462	6,498	4,682	86	72
Mountain	-	-	-	(X)	(X)
Pacific	442	771	572	129	74
Other					
Middle Atlantic	51,939	54,844	62,784	121	114
East North Central	68,694	70,557	83,656	122	119
West North Central	24,034	17,341	21,037	88	121
South Atlantic	23,674	14,378	16,554	70	115
West South Central	51,887	39,505	48,728	94	123
Mountain	14,979	8,096	10,019	67	124
Pacific	201,675	143,380	159,418	79	111
Total frozen vegetables					
Middle Atlantic	226,411	206,228	239,944	106	116
East North Central	415,623	417,349	495,818	119	119
West North Central	239,961	170,029	254,855	106	150
South Atlantic	108,560	109,363	124,351	115	114
West South Central	161,728	161,267	162,480	100	101
Mountain	28,452	21,389	21,263	75	99
Pacific	1,250,256	1,147,157	1,268,773	101	111

- 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: September 30, 2014 with Comparisons

Commodity	Stocks in all warehouses			September 30, 2014 as a percent of	
	September 30, 2013	August 31, 2014	September 30, 2014	September 30, 2013	August 31, 2014
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)
Frozen potatoes					
French fries					
New England	18,501	16,934	19,057	103	113
Middle Atlantic	28,328	18,230	19,915	70	109
East North Central	43,512	34,314	38,229	88	111
West North Central	112,856	67,343	102,753	91	153
South Atlantic	53,273	34,805	34,202	64	98
East South Central	1,588	590	835	53	142
West South Central	31,441	23,301	26,858	85	115
Mountain	206,677	170,528	180,575	87	106
Pacific	423,858	375,988	414,857	98	110
Other					
New England	4,949	3,946	3,946	80	100
Middle Atlantic	12,935	10,361	10,725	83	104
East North Central	17,982	17,291	17,037	95	99
West North Central	10,135	10,754	12,580	124	117
South Atlantic	19,834	14,645	14,268	72	97
East South Central	3,113	295	316	10	107
West South Central	29,417	21,856	22,415	76	103
Mountain	55,351	66,225	66,131	119	100
Pacific	63,840	49,182	54,372	85	111
Total frozen potatoes					
New England	23,450	20,880	23,003	98	110
Middle Atlantic	41,263	28,591	30,640	74	107
East North Central	61,494	51,605	55,266	90	107
West North Central	122,991	78,097	115,333	94	148
South Atlantic	73,107	49,450	48,470	66	98
East South Central	4,701	885	1,151	24	130
West South Central	60,858	45,157	49,273	81	109
Mountain	262,028	236,753	246,706	94	104
Pacific	487,698	425,170	469,229	96	110

- Represents zero.

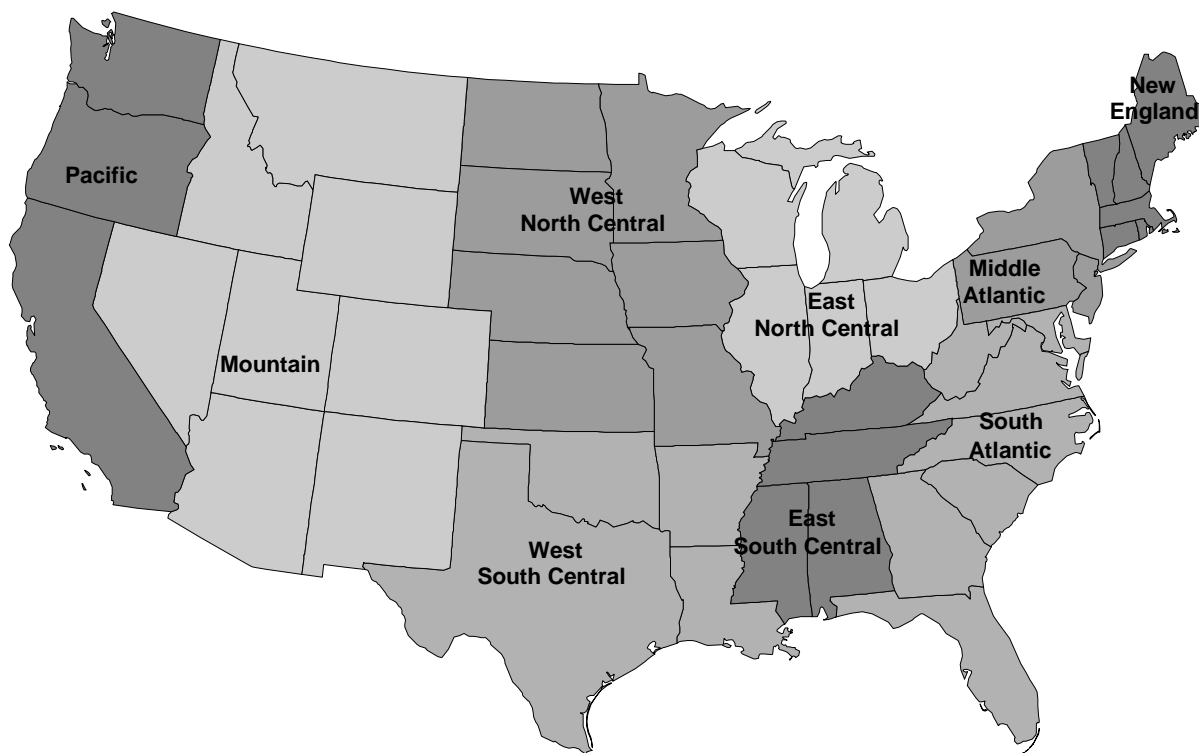
(X) Not applicable.

Frozen Red Meat in Cold Storage – Regions: September 30, 2014 with Comparisons

Commodity	Stocks in all warehouses			September 30, 2014 as a percent of	
	September 30, 2013	August 31, 2014	September 30, 2014	September 30, 2013	August 31, 2014
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)
Frozen red meat					
Beef					
Boneless					
New England	256	177	186	73	105
Middle Atlantic	80,793	61,834	64,143	79	104
East North Central	38,234	32,466	38,858	102	120
West North Central	129,622	107,381	121,353	94	113
South Atlantic	10,297	7,683	7,631	74	99
East South Central	1,851	2,324	2,645	143	114
West South Central	53,873	34,184	31,428	58	92
Mountain	18,325	21,213	20,321	111	96
Pacific	68,192	41,088	46,966	69	114
Beef cuts					
New England	12	93	155	1,292	167
Middle Atlantic	11,896	10,161	9,665	81	95
East North Central	5,774	3,677	4,315	75	117
West North Central	7,017	6,688	7,232	103	108
South Atlantic	1,483	1,258	1,458	98	116
East South Central	169	458	485	287	106
West South Central	4,400	3,835	3,763	86	98
Mountain	1,678	1,397	1,306	78	93
Pacific	11,287	10,639	11,434	101	107
Total beef					
New England	268	270	341	127	126
Middle Atlantic	92,689	71,995	73,808	80	103
East North Central	44,008	36,143	43,173	98	119
West North Central	136,639	114,069	128,585	94	113
South Atlantic	11,780	8,941	9,089	77	102
East South Central	2,020	2,782	3,130	155	113
West South Central	58,273	38,019	35,191	60	93
Mountain	20,003	22,610	21,627	108	96
Pacific	79,479	51,727	58,400	73	113
Other meat ¹					
Veal					
Middle Atlantic	1,878	690	525	28	76
East North Central	1,342	890	1,063	79	119
West South Central	253	1,269	262	104	21
Pacific	1,098	732	476	43	65
Lamb and mutton					
Middle Atlantic	11,062	18,167	18,504	167	102
East North Central	2,230	1,211	1,336	60	110
West South Central	708	2,666	2,710	383	102
Pacific	9,444	18,113	17,143	182	95
Total other meat					
Middle Atlantic	12,940	18,857	19,029	147	101
East North Central	3,572	2,101	2,399	67	114
West South Central	961	3,935	2,972	309	76
Pacific	10,542	18,845	17,619	167	93

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.

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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 21, 2014: The 2013 revisions of chicken leg quarters are the result of updated facility information. Please refer to the *Cold Storage 2013 Summary*, published February 21, 2014, for all 2013 cold storage commodity estimates.

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.

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Statistical Methodology

Survey Procedures: Questionnaires are mailed about the 24th of each month to all operators on the list of approximately 800 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 600 firms each month which represent about 75 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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