



Cold Storage

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Highlights

Total natural cheese stocks in refrigerated warehouses on April 30, 2015 were up 1 percent from the previous month and up 4 percent from April 30, 2014.

Butter stocks were up 25 percent from last month and up 23 percent from a year ago.

Total frozen poultry supplies on April 30, 2015 were up 6 percent from the previous month and up 21 percent from a year ago. Total stocks of chicken were up 2 percent from the previous month and up 31 percent from last year. Total pounds of turkey in freezers were up 14 percent from last month and up 5 percent from April 30, 2014.

Total frozen fruit stocks were down 7 percent from last month and down 3 percent from a year ago.

Total frozen vegetable stocks were down 7 percent from last month but up 3 percent from a year ago.

Total red meat supplies in freezers were up 2 percent from the previous month and up 20 percent from last year. Total pounds of beef in freezers were down 1 percent from the previous month but up 18 percent from last year. Frozen pork supplies were up 4 percent from the previous month and up 20 percent from last year. Stocks of pork bellies were up 3 percent from last month but down 16 percent from last year.

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Nuts, Dairy Products, Frozen Eggs, and Frozen Poultry in Cold Storage – United States: April 30, 2015 with Comparisons

Commodity	Stocks in all warehouses			April 30, 2015 as a percent of		Public warehouse stocks
	April 30, 2014	March 31, 2015	April 30, 2015	April 30, 2014	March 31, 2015	April 30, 2015
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)	(1,000 pounds)
Nuts						
Shelled						
Pecans	51,514	57,710	57,462	112	100	
In-Shell						
Pecans	183,169	135,169	114,726	63	85	
Dairy products						
Butter	186,914	184,373	230,433	123	125	202,222
Natural cheese						
American	648,900	631,640	639,548	99	101	
Swiss	28,316	24,573	23,991	85	98	
Other	360,370	409,114	417,370	116	102	
Total natural cheese	1,037,586	1,065,327	1,080,909	104	101	665,830
Frozen eggs						
Whites	3,427	5,001	4,754	139	95	
Yolks	1,627	949	960	59	101	
Whole and mixed	9,279	10,586	10,641	115	101	
Unclassified	13,097	15,442	14,915	114	97	
Total frozen eggs	27,430	31,978	31,270	114	98	30,919
Frozen poultry						
Chicken						
Broilers, fryers, and roasters	8,448	14,836	17,208	204	116	
Hens, mature chickens	5,472	1,888	3,778	69	200	
Breasts and breast meat	108,812	151,960	150,401	138	99	
Drumsticks	25,127	26,303	32,573	130	124	
Leg quarters	100,723	189,412	180,837	180	95	
Legs	13,320	13,528	15,889	119	117	
Thigh and thigh quarters	8,403	12,187	10,757	128	88	
Thigh Meat	17,759	20,085	21,716	122	108	
Wings	61,373	42,596	44,845	73	105	
Paws and feet	21,380	30,311	28,518	133	94	
Other	213,276	248,743	258,995	121	104	
Total chicken	584,093	751,849	765,517	131	102	
Turkey						
Whole turkeys						
Toms	88,096	82,683	97,839	111	118	
Hens	104,883	96,487	118,658	113	123	
Total whole turkeys	192,979	179,170	216,497	112	121	
Breasts	51,436	47,509	52,318	102	110	
Legs	7,471	10,414	13,510	181	130	
Mechanically deboned meat	5,079	5,712	6,254	123	109	
Other	25,924	25,710	25,338	98	99	
Unclassified	92,124	77,063	80,465	87	104	
Total turkey	375,013	345,578	394,382	105	114	
Ducks	1,793	3,280	5,179	289	158	
Total frozen poultry	960,899	1,100,707	1,165,078	121	106	1,078,750

Frozen Fruit and Frozen Juice in Cold Storage – United States: April 30, 2015 with Comparisons

Commodity	Stocks in all warehouses			April 30, 2015 as a percent of		Public warehouse stocks
	April 30, 2014	March 31, 2015	April 30, 2015	April 30, 2014	March 31, 2015	April 30, 2015
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)	(1,000 pounds)
Frozen fruit						
Apples	60,693	52,078	51,028	84	98	
Apricots	2,384	4,162	4,051	170	97	
Blackberries						
Individual quality frozen	12,446	16,119	14,510	117	90	
Pails and tubs	936	1,140	1,158	124	102	
Barrels, 400 lbs net	7,245	5,058	4,450	61	88	
Concentrate	483	754	774	160	103	
Total blackberries	21,110	23,071	20,892	99	91	
Blueberries	117,065	152,745	133,858	114	88	
Boysenberries	960	1,003	848	88	85	
Cherries, tart (ripe tart pitted)	71,746	105,707	98,519	137	93	
Cherries, tart (juice stock)	1,007	2,727	2,406	239	88	
Cherries, tart (juice concentrate)	1,118	1,093	1,067	95	98	
Cherries, sweet	12,245	19,275	17,411	142	90	
Grapes	3,322	2,682	2,432	73	91	
Peaches	32,936	35,803	30,721	93	86	
Raspberries, black	592	944	924	156	98	
Raspberries, red						
Individual quality frozen	18,519	22,869	20,117	109	88	
Pails and tubs	3,868	4,250	4,135	107	97	
Barrels, 400 lbs net	10,074	13,399	10,983	109	82	
Concentrate	1,212	2,258	2,008	166	89	
Total red raspberries	33,673	42,776	37,243	111	87	
Strawberries						
Individual quality frozen and poly	108,405	94,274	96,647	89	103	
Pails and tubs	57,051	47,393	52,887	93	112	
Barrels and drums	53,629	32,754	36,668	68	112	
Juice stock	14,062	12,396	13,095	93	106	
Total strawberries	233,147	186,817	199,297	85	107	
Other	389,071	384,732	348,296	90	91	
Total frozen fruit	981,069	1,015,615	948,993	97	93	841,834
Frozen juice concentrate						
Orange	877,826	832,345	857,519	98	103	
(Gallon equivalent)	88,705	84,109	86,653			
Other	293,391	275,609	283,812	97	103	
Total frozen juice concentrate	1,171,217	1,107,954	1,141,331	97	103	203,130

Frozen Vegetables and Potatoes in Cold Storage – United States: April 30, 2015 with Comparisons

Commodity	Stocks in all warehouses			April 30, 2015 as a percent of		Public warehouse stocks
	April 30, 2014	March 31, 2015	April 30, 2015	April 30, 2014	March 31, 2015	April 30, 2015
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)	(1,000 pounds)
Frozen vegetables						
Asparagus	7,946	10,608	10,072	127	95	
Lima beans	43,074	51,849	47,888	111	92	
Green beans, regular cut	125,882	135,211	125,083	99	93	
Green beans, french style	10,675	10,177	8,206	77	81	
Broccoli, spears	30,509	29,124	29,218	96	100	
Broccoli, chopped and cut	30,447	37,416	39,182	129	105	
Brussels sprouts	14,283	13,448	12,976	91	96	
Carrots, diced	114,796	134,587	121,560	106	90	
Carrots, other	118,973	120,999	118,041	99	98	
Cauliflower	17,768	17,903	17,910	101	100	
Corn, cut	345,504	389,943	343,844	100	88	
Corn, cob	156,311	156,425	131,730	84	84	
Mixed vegetables	48,023	57,846	58,559	122	101	
Okra	7,353	23,998	19,368	263	81	
Onion rings	8,032	9,862	11,914	148	121	
Onions, other	38,143	39,098	40,893	107	105	
Blackeye peas	1,684	1,822	2,364	140	130	
Green peas	111,179	154,385	125,517	113	81	
Peas and carrots mixed	7,106	7,315	7,252	102	99	
Spinach	48,413	48,253	52,106	108	108	
Squash, summer/zucchini	48,985	49,520	43,962	90	89	
Southern greens	13,295	17,021	20,893	157	123	
Other	311,776	327,915	319,474	102	97	
Total frozen vegetables	1,660,157	1,844,725	1,708,012	103	93	1,126,408
Frozen potatoes						
French fries	806,282	915,139	878,997	109	96	
Other	202,949	220,500	218,157	107	99	
Total frozen potatoes	1,009,231	1,135,639	1,097,154	109	97	903,938

Red Meat and Commodities in Cold Storage – United States: April 30, 2015 with Comparisons

Commodity	Stocks in all warehouses			April 30, 2015 as a percent of		Public warehouse stocks
	April 30, 2014	March 31, 2015	April 30, 2015	April 30, 2014	March 31, 2015	April 30, 2015
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)	(1,000 pounds)
Frozen red meat						
Beef						
Boneless	360,079	440,402	436,839	121	99	
Beef cuts	42,202	41,071	39,863	94	97	
Total beef	402,281	481,473	476,702	118	99	475,136
Pork						
Picnics, bone-in	13,204	19,582	16,239	123	83	
Hams						
Bone-in	34,580	41,669	59,102	171	142	
Boneless	47,205	56,362	76,477	162	136	
Total hams	81,785	98,031	135,579	166	138	
Bellies	83,579	68,297	70,393	84	103	
Loins						
Bone-in	16,239	14,676	17,014	105	116	
Boneless	29,711	27,822	27,623	93	99	
Total loins	45,950	42,498	44,637	97	105	
Ribs	115,957	115,372	113,824	98	99	
Butts	19,771	33,656	25,224	128	75	
Trimmings	42,023	69,262	64,053	152	92	
Other	97,321	102,269	107,884	111	105	
Variety meats	38,733	45,365	47,153	122	104	
Unclassified	45,568	78,099	74,620	164	96	
Total pork	583,891	672,431	699,606	120	104	625,377
Other red meat						
Veal	3,212	8,159	6,723	209	82	
Lamb and mutton	26,536	34,250	36,700	138	107	
Total other red meat	29,748	42,409	43,423	146	102	43,419
Total frozen red meat	1,015,920	1,196,313	1,219,731	120	102	1,143,932
Commodities						
Stored in coolers	1,459,183	1,442,579	1,483,530	102	103	909,777
Stored in freezers	6,825,923	7,432,931	7,311,569	107	98	5,328,911
Total Commodities	8,285,106	8,875,510	8,795,099	106	99	6,238,688

Nuts and Dairy Products in Cold Storage – Regions: April 30, 2015 with Comparisons

Commodity	Stocks in all warehouses			April 30, 2015 as a percent of	
	April 30, 2014	March 31, 2015	April 30, 2015	April 30, 2014	March 31, 2015
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)
Nuts ¹					
Shelled					
Pecans					
South Atlantic	18,288	14,592	13,233	72	91
East South Central	1,539	1,237	1,348	88	109
West South Central	31,687	41,881	42,881	135	102
In-shell					
Pecans					
South Atlantic	49,392	25,939	23,668	48	91
East South Central	334	337	113	34	34
West South Central	133,443	108,893	90,945	68	84
Dairy products					
Natural cheese					
American, total					
New England	57,695	62,236	59,870	104	96
Middle Atlantic	61,153	66,467	67,808	111	102
East North Central	231,322	237,242	247,112	107	104
West North Central	106,212	102,656	108,040	102	105
South Atlantic	843	645	670	79	104
East South Central	3,702	4,444	4,931	133	111
West South Central	13,933	12,726	13,103	94	103
Mountain	56,985	50,620	46,173	81	91
Pacific	117,055	94,604	91,841	78	97
Other					
New England	1,052	788	662	63	84
Middle Atlantic	19,506	23,600	22,785	117	97
East North Central	243,554	251,329	259,225	106	103
West North Central	41,745	45,195	45,887	110	102
South Atlantic	4,809	26,506	30,050	625	113
East South Central	12,606	12,491	15,153	120	121
West South Central	680	704	947	139	135
Mountain	2,466	1,907	1,902	77	100
Pacific	33,952	46,594	40,759	120	87

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: April 30, 2015 with Comparisons

Commodity	Stocks in all warehouses			April 30, 2015 as a percent of	
	April 30, 2014	March 31, 2015	April 30, 2015	April 30, 2014	March 31, 2015
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)
Frozen poultry					
Chicken ¹					
Broilers, fryers, and roasters					
South Atlantic	3,088	5,320	6,224	202	117
East South Central	801	1,584	2,963	370	187
West South Central	1,592	5,216	5,241	329	100
Pacific	2,967	2,716	2,780	94	102
Hens, mature chickens					
South Atlantic	1,166	791	1,871	160	237
East South Central	102	108	114	112	106
West South Central	3,140	939	1,710	54	182
Pacific	1,064	50	83	8	166
Breasts and breast meat					
South Atlantic	30,096	42,059	40,314	134	96
East South Central	25,939	36,134	38,985	150	108
West South Central	45,081	61,609	59,524	132	97
Pacific	7,696	12,158	11,578	150	95
Drumsticks					
South Atlantic	13,061	12,267	15,826	121	129
East South Central	6,712	4,825	5,207	78	108
West South Central	4,659	8,043	9,834	211	122
Pacific	695	1,168	1,706	245	146
Leg quarters					
South Atlantic	42,620	89,503	84,318	198	94
East South Central	29,966	35,560	33,938	113	95
West South Central	27,183	62,350	60,831	224	98
Pacific	954	1,999	1,750	183	88
Legs					
South Atlantic	6,444	6,093	6,986	108	115
East South Central	1,601	2,769	2,473	154	89
West South Central	4,931	4,327	6,131	124	142
Pacific	344	339	299	87	88
Thigh and thigh quarters					
South Atlantic	4,221	7,524	5,623	133	75
East South Central	1,729	1,110	715	41	64
West South Central	2,174	2,071	2,122	98	102
Pacific	279	1,482	2,297	823	155
Thigh meat					
South Atlantic	10,278	12,379	13,851	135	112
East South Central	1,973	1,741	1,352	69	78
West South Central	3,816	4,083	4,207	110	103
Pacific	1,692	1,882	2,306	136	123
Wings					
South Atlantic	27,238	23,551	23,637	87	100
East South Central	7,908	4,783	4,803	61	100
West South Central	21,170	11,298	13,540	64	120
Pacific	5,057	2,964	2,865	57	97
Paws and feet					
South Atlantic	12,371	20,889	19,923	161	95
East South Central	3,942	5,646	5,031	128	89
West South Central	4,469	3,280	2,971	66	91
Pacific	598	496	593	99	120
Other					
South Atlantic	98,250	118,445	121,179	123	102
East South Central	44,273	43,380	44,991	102	104
West South Central	50,055	62,615	62,199	124	99
Pacific	20,698	24,303	30,626	148	126
Total chicken					
South Atlantic	248,833	338,821	339,752	137	100
East South Central	124,946	137,640	140,572	113	102
West South Central	168,270	225,831	228,310	136	101
Pacific	42,044	49,557	56,883	135	115

See footnote(s) at end of table.

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Frozen Poultry in Cold Storage – Regions: April 30, 2015 with Comparisons (continued)

Commodity	Stocks in all warehouses			April 30, 2015 as a percent of	
	April 30, 2014	March 31, 2015	April 30, 2015	April 30, 2014	March 31, 2015
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)
Turkeys					
Whole turkeys					
New England	4,744	3,212	4,059	86	126
Middle Atlantic	7,733	7,466	13,932	180	187
East North Central	12,101	8,384	12,910	107	154
West North Central	27,200	28,586	33,961	125	119
South Atlantic	19,310	21,833	28,364	147	130
East South Central	4,074	3,078	3,815	94	124
West South Central	101,055	91,591	100,913	100	110
Mountain	10,801	12,500	13,834	128	111
Pacific	5,961	2,520	4,709	79	187
Breasts					
New England	247	104	95	38	91
Middle Atlantic	789	2,389	2,768	351	116
East North Central	10,953	9,299	10,368	95	111
West North Central	16,423	16,594	19,686	120	119
South Atlantic	7,637	6,536	6,491	85	99
East South Central	205	713	589	287	83
West South Central	11,565	8,828	9,651	83	109
Mountain	760	1,290	1,084	143	84
Pacific	2,857	1,756	1,586	56	90
Legs					
New England	-	-	-	(X)	(X)
Middle Atlantic	151	232	563	373	243
East North Central	1,260	1,818	2,501	198	138
West North Central	3,114	4,416	5,806	186	131
South Atlantic	1,483	1,126	1,808	122	161
East South Central	185	60	39	21	65
West South Central	781	2,128	2,023	259	95
Mountain	84	272	314	374	115
Pacific	413	362	456	110	126
Mechanically deboned meat					
New England	-	-	-	(X)	(X)
Middle Atlantic	1,468	403	446	30	111
East North Central	611	1,350	1,482	243	110
West North Central	742	1,133	1,911	258	169
South Atlantic	823	1,372	1,489	181	109
East South Central	610	538	153	25	28
West South Central	239	572	351	147	61
Mountain	135	58	132	98	228
Pacific	451	286	290	64	101

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Frozen Poultry in Cold Storage – Regions: April 30, 2015 with Comparisons (continued)

Commodity	Stocks in all warehouses			April 30, 2015 as a percent of	
	April 30, 2014	March 31, 2015	April 30, 2015	April 30, 2014	March 31, 2015
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)
Other					
New England	107	347	-	(X)	(X)
Middle Atlantic	1,681	1,214	449	27	37
East North Central	5,070	4,593	3,471	68	76
West North Central	5,892	5,318	6,409	109	121
South Atlantic	7,031	6,635	7,128	101	107
East South Central	1,321	2,615	1,753	133	67
West South Central	3,894	4,239	5,180	133	122
Mountain	186	176	247	133	140
Pacific	742	573	701	94	122
Unclassified					
New England	19	24	19	100	79
Middle Atlantic	762	936	1,033	136	110
East North Central	12,095	11,647	13,999	116	120
West North Central	11,163	12,933	13,389	120	104
South Atlantic	57,970	41,109	38,099	66	93
East South Central	105	190	179	170	94
West South Central	6,946	6,716	9,680	139	144
Mountain	601	652	1,207	201	185
Pacific	2,463	2,856	2,860	116	100
Total turkey					
New England	5,117	3,687	4,173	82	113
Middle Atlantic	12,584	12,640	19,191	153	152
East North Central	42,090	37,091	44,731	106	121
West North Central	64,534	68,980	81,162	126	118
South Atlantic	94,254	78,611	83,379	88	106
East South Central	6,500	7,194	6,528	100	91
West South Central	124,480	114,074	127,798	103	112
Mountain	12,567	14,948	16,818	134	113
Pacific	12,887	8,353	10,602	82	127
Ducks					
New England	19	33	30	158	91
Middle Atlantic	399	1,091	1,376	345	126
East North Central	487	635	2,101	431	331
West North Central	356	281	252	71	90
South Atlantic	8	17	16	200	94
East South Central	-	-	-	(X)	(X)
West South Central	-	-	-	(X)	(X)
Mountain	7	247	312	4,457	126
Pacific	517	976	1,092	211	112

- 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: April 30, 2015 with Comparisons

Commodity	Stocks in all warehouses			April 30, 2015 as a percent of	
	April 30, 2014	March 31, 2015	April 30, 2015	April 30, 2014	March 31, 2015
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)
Frozen fruit					
Apples					
New England	141	54	37	26	69
Middle Atlantic	1,577	1,096	1,010	64	92
East North Central	49,245	42,356	41,577	84	98
West North Central	241	347	257	107	74
South Atlantic	296	99	103	35	104
East South Central	66	113	79	120	70
West South Central	226	384	387	171	101
Mountain	58	39	38	66	97
Pacific	8,843	7,590	7,540	85	99
Blueberries					
New England	8,676	18,293	16,017	185	88
Middle Atlantic	4,699	7,586	6,377	136	84
East North Central	40,707	45,017	38,458	94	85
West North Central	2,924	2,636	2,422	83	92
South Atlantic	3,565	6,477	4,875	137	75
East South Central	584	1,738	1,786	306	103
West South Central	1,173	1,208	1,102	94	91
Mountain	65	28	25	38	89
Pacific	54,672	69,762	62,796	115	90
Cherries, tart (ripe tart pitted)					
New England	-	-	-	(X)	(X)
Middle Atlantic	3,613	4,360	3,673	102	84
East North Central	57,246	82,644	75,173	131	91
West North Central	246	204	207	84	101
South Atlantic	36	36	30	83	83
East South Central	-	7	7	(X)	100
West South Central	137	219	163	119	74
Mountain	6,889	12,667	13,579	197	107
Pacific	3,579	5,570	5,687	159	102
Cherries, sweet					
New England	-	-	-	(X)	(X)
Middle Atlantic	345	658	784	227	119
East North Central	7,446	12,841	11,505	155	90
West North Central	153	120	113	74	94
South Atlantic	2	4	3	150	75
East South Central	7	129	121	1,729	94
West South Central	80	267	88	110	33
Mountain	-	-	-	(X)	(X)
Pacific	4,212	5,256	4,797	114	91
Peaches					
New England	5	30	12	240	40
Middle Atlantic	2,462	2,712	2,058	84	76
East North Central	10,423	7,597	6,769	65	89
West North Central	832	606	519	62	86
South Atlantic	874	1,210	1,051	120	87
East South Central	175	130	111	63	85
West South Central	388	396	384	99	97
Mountain	10	-	5	50	(X)
Pacific	17,767	23,122	19,812	112	86
Raspberries, red					
New England	13	104	89	685	86
Middle Atlantic	3,047	2,892	2,942	97	102
East North Central	1,301	1,736	1,800	138	104
West North Central	1,396	1,337	1,161	83	87
South Atlantic	53	1,023	1,143	2,157	112
East South Central	794	74	69	9	93
West South Central	424	963	1,137	268	118
Mountain	46	20	91	198	455
Pacific	26,599	34,627	28,811	108	83

See footnote(s) at end of table.

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Frozen Fruit and Frozen Juice in Cold Storage – Regions: April 30, 2015 with Comparisons (continued)

Commodity	Stocks in all warehouses			April 30, 2015 as a percent of	
	April 30, 2014	March 31, 2015	April 30, 2015	April 30, 2014	March 31, 2015
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)
Strawberries, total					
New England	38	49	25	66	51
Middle Atlantic	5,604	5,714	6,725	120	118
East North Central	18,676	8,456	8,580	46	101
West North Central	5,465	3,668	3,839	70	105
South Atlantic	6,544	5,317	5,082	78	96
East South Central	6,281	2,810	3,367	54	120
West South Central	27,675	17,934	23,201	84	129
Mountain	43	5	5	12	100
Pacific	162,821	142,864	148,473	91	104
Other					
New England	5,058	19,773	17,726	350	90
Middle Atlantic	5,036	7,967	8,964	178	113
East North Central	254,785	240,326	211,405	83	88
West North Central	6,220	5,103	4,555	73	89
South Atlantic	1,976	3,147	3,467	175	110
East South Central	224	409	491	219	120
West South Central	9,541	5,858	5,414	57	92
Mountain	1,158	1,168	1,063	92	91
Pacific	105,073	100,981	95,211	91	94
Frozen juice concentrate					
Orange ¹					
New England	57	16	28	49	175
East North Central	3,622	2,728	2,799	77	103
West North Central	784	492	539	69	110
South Atlantic	826,156	802,632	821,486	99	102
East South Central	18	10	11	61	110
West South Central	17,669	13,513	19,087	108	141
Mountain	1,780	1,399	1,488	84	106
Pacific	27,740	11,555	12,081	44	105
Other					
New England	4,704	3,762	3,826	81	102
Middle Atlantic	30,895	40,976	45,853	148	112
East North Central	25,425	19,980	19,075	75	95
West North Central	11,884	8,385	8,810	74	105
South Atlantic	78,405	68,311	74,270	95	109
East South Central	1,017	1,169	1,216	120	104
West South Central	27,322	22,135	20,874	76	94
Mountain	1,683	1,629	1,905	113	117
Pacific	112,056	109,262	107,983	96	99
Total frozen juice concentrate ²					
New England	4,761	3,778	3,854	81	102
Middle Atlantic	30,895	40,976	45,853	148	112
East North Central	29,047	22,708	21,874	75	96
West North Central	12,668	8,877	9,349	74	105
South Atlantic	904,561	870,943	895,756	99	103
East South Central	1,035	1,179	1,227	119	104
West South Central	44,991	35,648	39,961	89	112
Mountain	3,463	3,028	3,393	98	112
Pacific	139,796	120,817	120,064	86	99

- 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: April 30, 2015 with Comparisons

Commodity	Stocks in all warehouses			April 30, 2015 as a percent of	
	April 30, 2014	March 31, 2015	April 30, 2015	April 30, 2014	March 31, 2015
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)
Frozen vegetables ¹					
Asparagus					
Middle Atlantic	385	475	860	223	181
East North Central	4,103	5,080	4,032	98	79
West North Central	44	205	300	682	146
South Atlantic	535	504	536	100	106
West South Central	1,306	1,128	1,031	79	91
Mountain	39	32	38	97	119
Pacific	1,534	3,184	3,275	213	103
Lima beans					
Middle Atlantic	5,990	8,550	7,927	132	93
East North Central	2,760	2,389	2,005	73	84
West North Central	2,338	2,279	1,587	68	70
South Atlantic	16,232	23,771	22,281	137	94
West South Central	405	907	770	190	85
Mountain	4	-	2	50	(X)
Pacific	15,345	13,953	13,316	87	95
Green beans, regular cut					
Middle Atlantic	19,169	18,270	16,917	88	93
East North Central	29,486	34,620	31,738	108	92
West North Central	4,994	5,087	3,078	62	61
South Atlantic	8,599	8,241	10,320	120	125
West South Central	2,971	3,873	3,768	127	97
Mountain	79	42	46	58	110
Pacific	60,584	65,078	59,216	98	91
Green beans, french style					
Middle Atlantic	2,352	1,782	1,109	47	62
East North Central	5,142	4,478	3,786	74	85
West North Central	27	119	82	304	69
South Atlantic	234	102	67	29	66
West South Central	151	60	45	30	75
Mountain	8	-	-	(X)	(X)
Pacific	2,761	3,636	3,117	113	86
Broccoli, spears					
Middle Atlantic	4,273	5,069	4,659	109	92
East North Central	6,666	5,693	6,171	93	108
West North Central	234	1,452	1,482	633	102
South Atlantic	1,320	2,286	2,994	227	131
West South Central	11,369	11,002	10,057	88	91
Mountain	6	5	4	67	80
Pacific	6,641	3,617	3,851	58	106
Broccoli, chopped and cut					
Middle Atlantic	3,195	4,403	3,816	119	87
East North Central	7,679	8,739	12,387	161	142
West North Central	1,060	288	286	27	99
South Atlantic	1,832	1,541	1,902	104	123
West South Central	8,313	10,952	10,282	124	94
Mountain	272	356	393	144	110
Pacific	8,096	11,137	10,116	125	91

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Frozen Vegetables in Cold Storage – Regions: April 30, 2015 with Comparisons (continued)

Commodity	Stocks in all warehouses			April 30, 2015 as a percent of	
	April 30, 2014	March 31, 2015	April 30, 2015	April 30, 2014	March 31, 2015
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)
Brussels sprouts					
Middle Atlantic	2,415	1,947	2,017	84	104
East North Central	2,344	2,435	2,758	118	113
West North Central	81	85	126	156	148
South Atlantic	2,858	2,099	1,996	70	95
West South Central	1,496	1,060	1,140	76	108
Mountain	-	-	-	(X)	(X)
Pacific	5,089	5,822	4,939	97	85
Carrots, diced					
Middle Atlantic	18,840	14,369	13,530	72	94
East North Central	42,667	45,038	42,542	100	94
West North Central	3,588	7,167	4,484	125	63
South Atlantic	275	385	314	114	82
West South Central	442	525	465	105	89
Mountain	3	3	3	100	100
Pacific	48,981	67,100	60,222	123	90
Carrots, other					
Middle Atlantic	14,561	12,485	11,710	80	94
East North Central	39,128	29,766	31,201	80	105
West North Central	2,978	2,290	2,033	68	89
South Atlantic	1,110	1,445	1,230	111	85
West South Central	8,055	4,586	4,674	58	102
Mountain	60	70	52	87	74
Pacific	53,081	70,357	67,141	126	95
Cauliflower					
Middle Atlantic	1,836	2,128	1,728	94	81
East North Central	3,071	2,700	2,754	90	102
West North Central	427	340	309	72	91
South Atlantic	121	315	205	169	65
West South Central	2,970	3,486	4,073	137	117
Mountain	-	1	1	(X)	100
Pacific	9,343	8,933	8,840	95	99
Corn, cut					
Middle Atlantic	16,379	13,856	12,855	78	93
East North Central	46,291	53,355	44,468	96	83
West North Central	37,778	42,124	35,060	93	83
South Atlantic	6,871	14,838	13,253	193	89
West South Central	1,795	1,850	2,795	156	151
Mountain	539	632	412	76	65
Pacific	235,851	263,288	235,001	100	89
Corn, cob					
Middle Atlantic	3,295	4,719	4,133	125	88
East North Central	13,622	8,920	8,523	63	96
West North Central	26,245	27,839	19,802	75	71
South Atlantic	1,955	2,377	2,179	111	92
West South Central	3,580	4,417	3,336	93	76
Mountain	603	24	31	5	129
Pacific	107,011	108,129	93,726	88	87

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Frozen Vegetables in Cold Storage – Regions: April 30, 2015 with Comparisons (continued)

Commodity	Stocks in all warehouses			April 30, 2015 as a percent of	
	April 30, 2014	March 31, 2015	April 30, 2015	April 30, 2014	March 31, 2015
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)
Mixed vegetables					
Middle Atlantic	2,794	3,662	4,009	143	109
East North Central	12,671	20,619	20,830	164	101
West North Central	406	547	422	104	77
South Atlantic	1,318	1,764	1,758	133	100
West South Central	6,324	6,336	7,827	124	124
Mountain	2,108	858	909	43	106
Pacific	22,402	24,060	22,804	102	95
Okra					
Middle Atlantic	1,073	2,618	2,833	264	108
East North Central	223	455	464	208	102
West North Central	13	17	12	92	71
South Atlantic	862	3,756	3,177	369	85
West South Central	4,296	16,213	11,995	279	74
Mountain	-	-	-	(X)	(X)
Pacific	886	939	887	100	94
Onion rings					
Middle Atlantic	642	785	718	112	91
East North Central	594	608	660	111	109
West North Central	420	439	491	117	112
South Atlantic	3,929	3,833	3,990	102	104
West South Central	902	1,273	2,152	239	169
Mountain	1,096	2,327	2,561	234	110
Pacific	449	597	1,342	299	225
Onions, other					
Middle Atlantic	2,155	2,917	2,556	119	88
East North Central	3,725	3,433	3,432	92	100
West North Central	901	576	606	67	105
South Atlantic	2,026	2,342	1,977	98	84
West South Central	1,706	2,145	2,036	119	95
Mountain	11,661	10,446	11,833	101	113
Pacific	15,969	17,239	18,453	116	107
Blackeye peas					
Middle Atlantic	234	365	570	244	156
East North Central	60	96	133	222	139
West North Central	-	-	-	(X)	(X)
South Atlantic	893	752	860	96	114
West South Central	308	362	475	154	131
Mountain	-	-	-	(X)	(X)
Pacific	189	247	326	172	132
Green peas					
Middle Atlantic	7,275	13,508	10,639	146	79
East North Central	19,083	22,302	17,934	94	80
West North Central	6,542	11,140	7,203	110	65
South Atlantic	7,716	9,109	7,441	96	82
West South Central	3,980	3,544	3,688	93	104
Mountain	110	2	2	2	100
Pacific	66,473	94,780	78,610	118	83

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Frozen Vegetables in Cold Storage – Regions: April 30, 2015 with Comparisons (continued)

Commodity	Stocks in all warehouses			April 30, 2015 as a percent of	
	April 30, 2014	March 31, 2015	April 30, 2015	April 30, 2014	March 31, 2015
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)
Peas and carrots mixed					
Middle Atlantic	552	586	793	144	135
East North Central	1,180	939	711	60	76
West North Central	44	78	18	41	23
South Atlantic	551	526	476	86	90
West South Central	276	355	323	117	91
Mountain	-	-	-	(X)	(X)
Pacific	4,503	4,831	4,931	110	102
Spinach					
Middle Atlantic	4,904	6,501	7,303	149	112
East North Central	3,834	3,687	3,684	96	100
West North Central	849	784	814	96	104
South Atlantic	3,248	4,635	4,590	141	99
West South Central	19,951	17,166	17,957	90	105
Mountain	74	-	-	(X)	(X)
Pacific	15,553	15,480	17,758	114	115
Squash, summer/zucchini					
Middle Atlantic	3,212	5,006	4,653	145	93
East North Central	14,747	14,486	11,649	79	80
West North Central	31	91	92	297	101
South Atlantic	2,899	2,853	2,553	88	89
West South Central	8,731	4,334	4,699	54	108
Mountain	199	9	21	11	233
Pacific	19,166	22,741	20,295	106	89
Southern greens					
Middle Atlantic	1,361	3,220	2,581	190	80
East North Central	476	973	934	196	96
West North Central	1	3	3	300	100
South Atlantic	1,488	2,184	2,238	150	102
West South Central	9,224	10,062	14,422	156	143
Mountain	-	-	-	(X)	(X)
Pacific	745	579	715	96	123
Other					
Middle Atlantic	44,746	52,057	53,910	120	104
East North Central	52,714	68,799	62,960	119	92
West North Central	14,889	16,707	16,525	111	99
South Atlantic	18,195	12,643	15,158	83	120
West South Central	35,108	39,590	39,186	112	99
Mountain	7,947	12,900	12,985	163	101
Pacific	138,177	125,219	118,750	86	95
Total frozen vegetables					
Middle Atlantic	161,638	179,278	171,826	106	96
East North Central	312,266	339,610	315,756	101	93
West North Central	103,890	119,657	94,815	91	79
South Atlantic	85,067	102,301	101,495	119	99
West South Central	133,659	145,226	147,196	110	101
Mountain	24,808	27,707	29,293	118	106
Pacific	838,829	930,946	847,631	101	91

- 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: April 30, 2015 with Comparisons

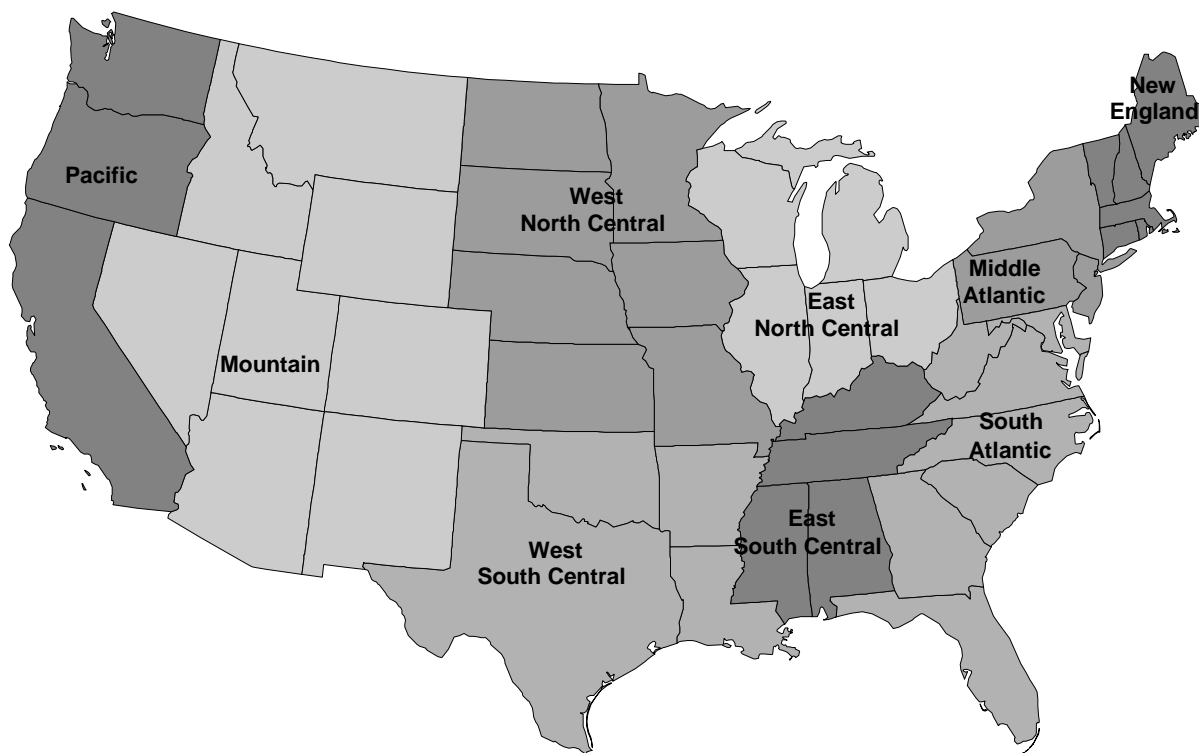
Commodity	Stocks in all warehouses			April 30, 2015 as a percent of	
	April 30, 2014	March 31, 2015	April 30, 2015	April 30, 2014	March 31, 2015
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)
Frozen potatoes					
French fries					
New England	18,538	32,204	30,261	163	94
Middle Atlantic	21,021	22,091	25,074	119	114
East North Central	40,019	40,078	38,472	96	96
West North Central	88,867	104,085	87,654	99	84
South Atlantic	35,439	45,206	48,089	136	106
East South Central	450	1,481	1,240	276	84
West South Central	26,872	28,786	26,629	99	93
Mountain	202,015	175,473	155,123	77	88
Pacific	373,061	465,735	466,455	125	100
Other					
New England	5,601	1,540	1,855	33	120
Middle Atlantic	11,448	15,821	13,786	120	87
East North Central	19,688	20,754	20,827	106	100
West North Central	10,378	12,992	12,806	123	99
South Atlantic	13,755	14,626	13,624	99	93
East South Central	385	282	274	71	97
West South Central	22,359	21,253	21,348	95	100
Mountain	56,471	75,518	76,290	135	101
Pacific	62,864	57,714	57,347	91	99
Total frozen potatoes					
New England	24,139	33,744	32,116	133	95
Middle Atlantic	32,469	37,912	38,860	120	103
East North Central	59,707	60,832	59,299	99	97
West North Central	99,245	117,077	100,460	101	86
South Atlantic	49,194	59,832	61,713	125	103
East South Central	835	1,763	1,514	181	86
West South Central	49,231	50,039	47,977	97	96
Mountain	258,486	250,991	231,413	90	92
Pacific	435,925	523,449	523,802	120	100

Frozen Red Meat in Cold Storage – Regions: April 30, 2015 with Comparisons

Commodity	Stocks in all warehouses			April 30, 2015 as a percent of	
	April 30, 2014	March 31, 2015	April 30, 2015	April 30, 2014	March 31, 2015
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(percent)	(percent)
Frozen red meat					
Beef					
Boneless					
New England	149	794	692	464	87
Middle Atlantic	74,689	96,546	99,464	133	103
East North Central	40,028	64,319	56,921	142	88
West North Central	122,256	143,918	142,627	117	99
South Atlantic	7,361	11,265	9,992	136	89
East South Central	4,042	2,591	2,622	65	101
West South Central	40,087	34,928	35,508	89	102
Mountain	19,758	17,123	16,622	84	97
Pacific	51,709	68,918	72,391	140	105
Beef cuts					
New England	26	203	43	165	21
Middle Atlantic	14,305	4,065	4,064	28	100
East North Central	5,839	6,342	5,581	96	88
West North Central	5,736	7,332	7,745	135	106
South Atlantic	1,308	4,385	3,811	291	87
East South Central	872	592	746	86	126
West South Central	3,661	3,502	3,313	90	95
Mountain	1,004	1,123	1,400	139	125
Pacific	9,451	13,527	13,160	139	97
Total beef					
New England	175	997	735	420	74
Middle Atlantic	88,994	100,611	103,528	116	103
East North Central	45,867	70,661	62,502	136	88
West North Central	127,992	151,250	150,372	117	99
South Atlantic	8,669	15,650	13,803	159	88
East South Central	4,914	3,183	3,368	69	106
West South Central	43,748	38,430	38,821	89	101
Mountain	20,762	18,246	18,022	87	99
Pacific	61,160	82,445	85,551	140	104
Other meat ¹					
Veal					
Middle Atlantic	1,031	2,685	2,292	222	85
East North Central	520	1,057	1,188	228	112
West South Central	848	3,706	2,575	304	69
Pacific	813	711	668	82	94
Lamb and mutton					
Middle Atlantic	11,579	14,263	14,598	126	102
East North Central	998	1,491	1,546	155	104
West South Central	1,628	2,903	3,033	186	104
Pacific	12,331	15,593	17,523	142	112
Total other meat					
Middle Atlantic	12,610	16,948	16,890	134	100
East North Central	1,518	2,548	2,734	180	107
West South Central	2,476	6,609	5,608	226	85
Pacific	13,144	16,304	18,191	138	112

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 20, 2015: The 2014 revisions of Butter, Carrots Other, and Carrot Diced are the result of updated facility information. There was also an increase in reported data for Chicken, Beef and Pork Products due to increased coverage and participation of facilities in the survey. Please refer to the *Cold Storage 2014 Summary*, published February 20, 2015, for all 2014 cold storage commodity estimates. All updated data is also available on our Quick Stats website.

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. All updated data is also available on our Quick Stats website.

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. All updated data is also available on our Quick Stats website.

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. All updated data is also available on our Quick Stats website.

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. All updated data is also available on our Quick Stats website.

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. All updated data is also available on our Quick Stats website.

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. All updated data is also available on our Quick Stats website.

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. All updated data is also available on our Quick Stats website.

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. All updated data is also available on our Quick Stats website.

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 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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