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## December 2016 Highlights

**Total natural cheese stocks** in refrigerated warehouses on December 31, 2016 were up 2 percent from the previous month and up 5 percent from December 31, 2015.

**Butter stocks** were up 9 percent from last month and up 13 percent from a year ago.

**Total frozen poultry supplies** on December 31, 2016 were up 6 percent from the previous month and up 2 percent from a year ago. Total stocks of chicken were up 2 percent from the previous month but down 6 percent from last year. Total pounds of turkey in freezers were up 18 percent from last month and up 39 percent from December 31, 2015.

**Total frozen fruit stocks** were down 7 percent from last month but up 20 percent from a year ago.

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

**Total red meat supplies** in freezers were up 1 percent from the previous month but down 2 percent from last year. Total pounds of beef in freezers were up 7 percent from the previous month and up 11 percent from last year. Frozen pork supplies were down 8 percent from the previous month and down 13 percent from last year. Stocks of pork bellies were down 4 percent from last month and down 67 percent from last year.

## Records

Record highs and lows for the month of December can be found on pages 20-24.

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**Nuts, Dairy Products, Frozen Eggs, and Frozen Poultry in Cold Storage – United States:  
December 31, 2016 with Comparisons**

| Commodity                            | Stocks in all warehouses |                      |                      | December 31, 2016<br>as a percent of |                      | Public<br>warehouse<br>stocks |
|--------------------------------------|--------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------|-------------------------------|
|                                      | December 31,<br>2015     | November 30,<br>2016 | December 31,<br>2016 | December 31,<br>2015                 | November 30,<br>2016 | December 31,<br>2016          |
|                                      | (1,000 pounds)           | (1,000 pounds)       | (1,000 pounds)       | (percent)                            | (percent)            | (1,000 pounds)                |
| <b>Nuts</b>                          |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |                               |
| Shelled                              |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |                               |
| Pecans .....                         | 34,771                   | 34,388               | 36,900               | 106                                  | 107                  |                               |
| In-Shell                             |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |                               |
| Pecans .....                         | 111,848                  | 74,562               | 130,547              | 117                                  | 175                  |                               |
| <b>Dairy products</b>                |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |                               |
| Butter .....                         | 155,082                  | 161,203              | 174,933              | 113                                  | 109                  | 150,048                       |
| Natural cheese                       |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |                               |
| American .....                       | 701,073                  | 713,231              | 728,945              | 104                                  | 102                  |                               |
| Swiss .....                          | 24,587                   | 24,749               | 24,572               | 100                                  | 99                   |                               |
| Other .....                          | 420,426                  | 444,666              | 453,087              | 108                                  | 102                  |                               |
| Total natural cheese .....           | 1,146,086                | 1,182,646            | 1,206,604            | 105                                  | 102                  | 792,168                       |
| <b>Frozen eggs</b>                   |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |                               |
| Whites .....                         | 3,817                    | 4,558                | 4,928                | 129                                  | 108                  |                               |
| Yolks .....                          | 1,169                    | 1,062                | 1,131                | 97                                   | 106                  |                               |
| Whole and mixed .....                | 19,023                   | 13,130               | 11,340               | 60                                   | 86                   |                               |
| Unclassified .....                   | 16,887                   | 17,740               | 18,422               | 109                                  | 104                  |                               |
| Total frozen eggs .....              | 40,896                   | 36,490               | 35,821               | 88                                   | 98                   | 35,391                        |
| <b>Frozen poultry</b>                |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |                               |
| Chicken                              |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |                               |
| Broilers, fryers, and roasters ..... | 15,031                   | 15,709               | 15,457               | 103                                  | 98                   |                               |
| Hens, mature chickens .....          | 7,657                    | 9,636                | 8,087                | 106                                  | 84                   |                               |
| Breasts and breast meat .....        | 171,896                  | 172,231              | 192,682              | 112                                  | 112                  |                               |
| Drumsticks .....                     | 37,153                   | 18,709               | 16,577               | 45                                   | 89                   |                               |
| Leg quarters .....                   | 140,098                  | 139,485              | 131,425              | 94                                   | 94                   |                               |
| Legs .....                           | 19,406                   | 11,230               | 10,906               | 56                                   | 97                   |                               |
| Thigh and thigh quarters .....       | 18,121                   | 9,304                | 9,230                | 51                                   | 99                   |                               |
| Thigh Meat .....                     | 24,267                   | 22,066               | 26,184               | 108                                  | 119                  |                               |
| Wings .....                          | 78,254                   | 86,351               | 78,509               | 100                                  | 91                   |                               |
| Paws and feet .....                  | 21,650                   | 20,389               | 18,273               | 84                                   | 90                   |                               |
| Other .....                          | 328,106                  | 285,842              | 302,451              | 92                                   | 106                  |                               |
| Total chicken .....                  | 861,639                  | 790,952              | 809,781              | 94                                   | 102                  |                               |
| Turkey                               |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |                               |
| Whole turkeys                        |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |                               |
| Toms .....                           | 22,375                   | 31,162               | 34,083               | 152                                  | 109                  |                               |
| Hens .....                           | 31,098                   | 39,205               | 40,549               | 130                                  | 103                  |                               |
| Total whole turkeys .....            | 53,473                   | 70,367               | 74,632               | 140                                  | 106                  |                               |
| Breasts .....                        | 35,805                   | 55,719               | 73,719               | 206                                  | 132                  |                               |
| Legs .....                           | 14,061                   | 9,653                | 12,875               | 92                                   | 133                  |                               |
| Mechanically deboned meat .....      | 8,098                    | 7,547                | 7,095                | 88                                   | 94                   |                               |
| Other .....                          | 26,713                   | 30,127               | 35,379               | 132                                  | 117                  |                               |
| Unclassified .....                   | 62,861                   | 63,449               | 75,493               | 120                                  | 119                  |                               |
| Total turkey .....                   | 201,011                  | 236,862              | 279,193              | 139                                  | 118                  |                               |
| Ducks .....                          | 6,579                    | 5,650                | 4,883                | 74                                   | 86                   |                               |
| Total frozen poultry .....           | 1,069,229                | 1,033,464            | 1,093,857            | 102                                  | 106                  | 1,002,710                     |

## Frozen Fruit and Frozen Juice in Cold Storage – United States: December 31, 2016 with Comparisons

| Commodity                                   | Stocks in all warehouses |                      |                      | December 31, 2016<br>as a percent of |                      | Public<br>warehouse<br>stocks |
|---|--------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------|-------------------------------|
|   | December 31,<br>2015     | November 30,<br>2016 | December 31,<br>2016 | December 31,<br>2015                 | November 30,<br>2016 | December 31,<br>2016          |
|   | (1,000 pounds)           | (1,000 pounds)       | (1,000 pounds)       | (percent)                            | (percent)            | (1,000 pounds)                |
| <b>Frozen fruit</b>                         |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |                               |
| Apples .....                                | 37,596                   | 32,407               | 38,020               | 101                                  | 117                  |                               |
| Apricots .....                              | 4,921                    | 8,958                | 8,488                | 172                                  | 95                   |                               |
| <b>Blackberries</b>                         |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |                               |
| Individual quality frozen .....             | 21,238                   | 22,165               | 20,907               | 98                                   | 94                   |                               |
| Pails and tubs .....                        | 1,350                    | 1,739                | 1,725                | 128                                  | 99                   |                               |
| Barrels, 400 lbs net .....                  | 3,179                    | 4,510                | 4,425                | 139                                  | 98                   |                               |
| Concentrate .....                           | 827                      | 720                  | 699                  | 85                                   | 97                   |                               |
| Total blackberries .....                    | 26,594                   | 29,134               | 27,756               | 104                                  | 95                   |                               |
| Blueberries .....                           | 224,696                  | 294,135              | 269,016              | 120                                  | 91                   |                               |
| Boysenberries .....                         | 954                      | 1,733                | 1,713                | 180                                  | 99                   |                               |
| Cherries, tart (ripe tart pitted) .....     | 123,378                  | 156,973              | 143,032              | 116                                  | 91                   |                               |
| Cherries, tart (juice stock) .....          | 1,428                    | 7,889                | 7,787                | 545                                  | 99                   |                               |
| Cherries, tart (juice concentrate) .....    | 1,654                    | 5,749                | 5,537                | 335                                  | 96                   |                               |
| Cherries, sweet .....                       | 18,076                   | 21,616               | 20,360               | 113                                  | 94                   |                               |
| Grapes .....                                | 2,469                    | 1,440                | 1,197                | 48                                   | 83                   |                               |
| Peaches .....                               | 74,308                   | 88,731               | 81,877               | 110                                  | 92                   |                               |
| Raspberries, black .....                    | 1,356                    | 1,340                | 1,281                | 94                                   | 96                   |                               |
| <b>Raspberries, red</b>                     |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |                               |
| Individual quality frozen .....             | 31,991                   | 36,760               | 33,320               | 104                                  | 91                   |                               |
| Pails and tubs .....                        | 7,033                    | 8,012                | 7,041                | 100                                  | 88                   |                               |
| Barrels, 400 lbs net .....                  | 16,692                   | 28,984               | 25,419               | 152                                  | 88                   |                               |
| Concentrate .....                           | 1,646                    | 2,287                | 2,585                | 157                                  | 113                  |                               |
| Total red raspberries .....                 | 57,362                   | 76,043               | 68,365               | 119                                  | 90                   |                               |
| <b>Strawberries</b>                         |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |                               |
| Individual quality frozen and poly .....    | 98,091                   | 131,881              | 120,458              | 123                                  | 91                   |                               |
| Pails and tubs .....                        | 79,219                   | 99,560               | 93,333               | 118                                  | 94                   |                               |
| Barrels and drums .....                     | 50,958                   | 73,838               | 67,580               | 133                                  | 92                   |                               |
| Juice stock .....                           | 7,584                    | 26,110               | 24,181               | 319                                  | 93                   |                               |
| Total strawberries .....                    | 235,852                  | 331,389              | 305,552              | 130                                  | 92                   |                               |
| Other .....                                 | 587,967                  | 737,054              | 694,252              | 118                                  | 94                   |                               |
| <b>Total frozen fruit</b> .....             | <b>1,398,611</b>         | <b>1,794,591</b>     | <b>1,674,233</b>     | <b>120</b>                           | <b>93</b>            | <b>1,545,400</b>              |
| <b>Frozen juice concentrate</b>             |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |                               |
| Orange .....                                | 639,347                  | 519,550              | 516,603              | 81                                   | 99                   |                               |
| (Gallon equivalent) .....                   | 64,607                   | 52,501               | 52,203               |                                      |                      |                               |
| Other .....                                 | 247,511                  | 296,194              | 289,427              | 117                                  | 98                   |                               |
| <b>Total frozen juice concentrate</b> ..... | <b>886,858</b>           | <b>815,744</b>       | <b>806,030</b>       | <b>91</b>                            | <b>99</b>            | <b>212,979</b>                |

**Frozen Vegetables and Potatoes in Cold Storage – United States: December 31, 2016  
with Comparisons**

| Commodity                       | Stocks in all warehouses |                      |                      | December 31, 2016<br>as a percent of |                      | Public<br>warehouse<br>stocks |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------|-------------------------------|
|                                 | December 31,<br>2015     | November 30,<br>2016 | December 31,<br>2016 | December 31,<br>2015                 | November 30,<br>2016 | December 31,<br>2016          |
|                                 | (1,000 pounds)           | (1,000 pounds)       | (1,000 pounds)       | (percent)                            | (percent)            | (1,000 pounds)                |
| <b>Frozen vegetables</b>        |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |                               |
| Asparagus .....                 | 11,926                   | 12,133               | 11,534               | 97                                   | 95                   |                               |
| Lima beans .....                | 57,841                   | 59,516               | 56,098               | 97                                   | 94                   |                               |
| Green beans, regular cut .....  | 199,994                  | 230,722              | 215,103              | 108                                  | 93                   |                               |
| Green beans, french style ..... | 15,279                   | 16,312               | 14,550               | 95                                   | 89                   |                               |
| Broccoli, spears .....          | 25,023                   | 23,822               | 22,002               | 88                                   | 92                   |                               |
| Broccoli, chopped and cut ..... | 39,398                   | 41,462               | 43,526               | 110                                  | 105                  |                               |
| Brussels sprouts .....          | 19,843                   | 18,241               | 22,598               | 114                                  | 124                  |                               |
| Carrots, diced .....            | 161,755                  | 173,404              | 159,578              | 99                                   | 92                   |                               |
| Carrots, other .....            | 166,317                  | 195,968              | 194,011              | 117                                  | 99                   |                               |
| Cauliflower .....               | 26,448                   | 26,986               | 27,334               | 103                                  | 101                  |                               |
| Corn, cut .....                 | 520,804                  | 548,801              | 518,847              | 100                                  | 95                   |                               |
| Corn, cob .....                 | 220,295                  | 227,305              | 219,388              | 100                                  | 97                   |                               |
| Mixed vegetables .....          | 55,067                   | 61,384               | 62,454               | 113                                  | 102                  |                               |
| Okra .....                      | 56,080                   | 38,372               | 34,158               | 61                                   | 89                   |                               |
| Onion rings .....               | 12,004                   | 13,542               | 13,769               | 115                                  | 102                  |                               |
| Onions, other .....             | 33,020                   | 46,329               | 48,664               | 147                                  | 105                  |                               |
| Blackeye peas .....             | 2,434                    | 1,629                | 1,608                | 66                                   | 99                   |                               |
| Green peas .....                | 274,778                  | 343,397              | 326,354              | 119                                  | 95                   |                               |
| Peas and carrots mixed .....    | 7,052                    | 6,640                | 6,793                | 96                                   | 102                  |                               |
| Spinach .....                   | 42,629                   | 53,268               | 55,071               | 129                                  | 103                  |                               |
| Squash, summer/zucchini .....   | 65,550                   | 66,882               | 64,241               | 98                                   | 96                   |                               |
| Southern greens .....           | 18,405                   | 16,668               | 18,905               | 103                                  | 113                  |                               |
| Other .....                     | 391,886                  | 457,852              | 453,545              | 116                                  | 99                   |                               |
| Total frozen vegetables .....   | 2,423,828                | 2,680,635            | 2,590,131            | 107                                  | 97                   | 1,887,398                     |
| <b>Frozen potatoes</b>          |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |                               |
| French fries .....              | 809,569                  | 927,791              | 894,632              | 111                                  | 96                   |                               |
| Other .....                     | 197,327                  | 252,691              | 231,881              | 118                                  | 92                   |                               |
| Total frozen potatoes .....     | 1,006,896                | 1,180,482            | 1,126,513            | 112                                  | 95                   | 983,132                       |

## Red Meat and Commodities in Cold Storage – United States: December 31, 2016 with Comparisons

| Commodity                          | Stocks in all warehouses |                      |                      | December 31, 2016<br>as a percent of |                      | Public<br>warehouse<br>stocks |
|------------------------------------|--------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------|-------------------------------|
|                                    | December 31,<br>2015     | November 30,<br>2016 | December 31,<br>2016 | December 31,<br>2015                 | November 30,<br>2016 | December 31,<br>2016          |
|                                    | (1,000 pounds)           | (1,000 pounds)       | (1,000 pounds)       | (percent)                            | (percent)            | (1,000 pounds)                |
| <b>Frozen red meat</b>             |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |                               |
| <b>Beef</b>                        |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |                               |
| Boneless .....                     | 473,967                  | 493,396              | 525,948              | 111                                  | 107                  |                               |
| Beef cuts .....                    | 38,557                   | 37,557               | 41,054               | 106                                  | 109                  |                               |
| Total beef .....                   | 512,524                  | 530,953              | 567,002              | 111                                  | 107                  | 564,609                       |
| <b>Pork</b>                        |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |                               |
| Picnics, bone-in .....             | 10,634                   | 8,980                | 8,243                | 78                                   | 92                   |                               |
| Hams                               |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |                               |
| Bone-in .....                      | 26,780                   | 49,143               | 21,623               | 81                                   | 44                   |                               |
| Boneless .....                     | 41,033                   | 56,958               | 48,090               | 117                                  | 84                   |                               |
| Total hams .....                   | 67,813                   | 106,101              | 69,713               | 103                                  | 66                   |                               |
| Bellies .....                      | 53,392                   | 18,526               | 17,759               | 33                                   | 96                   |                               |
| Loins                              |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |                               |
| Bone-in .....                      | 17,419                   | 14,633               | 14,192               | 81                                   | 97                   |                               |
| Boneless .....                     | 28,802                   | 26,180               | 24,938               | 87                                   | 95                   |                               |
| Total loins .....                  | 46,221                   | 40,813               | 39,130               | 85                                   | 96                   |                               |
| Ribs .....                         | 134,777                  | 109,413              | 115,913              | 86                                   | 106                  |                               |
| Butts .....                        | 15,029                   | 21,654               | 18,869               | 126                                  | 87                   |                               |
| Trimming .....                     | 42,655                   | 35,678               | 33,994               | 80                                   | 95                   |                               |
| Other .....                        | 89,434                   | 83,038               | 82,535               | 92                                   | 99                   |                               |
| Variety meats .....                | 43,170                   | 47,403               | 48,418               | 112                                  | 102                  |                               |
| Unclassified .....                 | 42,571                   | 47,207               | 42,640               | 100                                  | 90                   |                               |
| Total pork .....                   | 545,696                  | 518,813              | 477,214              | 87                                   | 92                   | 421,233                       |
| <b>Other red meat</b>              |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |                               |
| Veal .....                         | 6,235                    | 7,581                | 14,956               | 240                                  | 197                  |                               |
| Lamb and mutton .....              | 41,452                   | 21,876               | 25,961               | 63                                   | 119                  |                               |
| Total other red meat .....         | 47,687                   | 29,457               | 40,917               | 86                                   | 139                  | 40,911                        |
| <b>Total frozen red meat .....</b> | <b>1,105,907</b>         | <b>1,079,223</b>     | <b>1,085,133</b>     | <b>98</b>                            | <b>101</b>           | <b>1,026,753</b>              |
| <b>Commodities</b>                 |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |                               |
| Stored in coolers .....            | 1,447,787                | 1,452,799            | 1,548,984            | 107                                  | 107                  | 984,303                       |
| Stored in freezers .....           | 7,932,225                | 8,620,629            | 8,411,718            | 106                                  | 98                   | 6,693,763                     |
| <b>Total Commodities .....</b>     | <b>9,380,012</b>         | <b>10,073,428</b>    | <b>9,960,702</b>     | <b>106</b>                           | <b>99</b>            | <b>7,678,066</b>              |

## Nuts and Dairy Products in Cold Storage – Regions: December 31, 2016 with Comparisons

| Commodity                | Stocks in all warehouses |                      |                      | December 31, 2016<br>as a percent of |                      |
|--------------------------|--------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------|
|                          | December 31,<br>2015     | November 30,<br>2016 | December 31,<br>2016 | December 31,<br>2015                 | November 30,<br>2016 |
|                          | (1,000 pounds)           | (1,000 pounds)       | (1,000 pounds)       | (percent)                            | (percent)            |
| <b>Nuts <sup>1</sup></b> |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |
| Shelled                  |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |
| Pecans                   |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |
| South Atlantic .....     | 7,225                    | 7,138                | 8,438                | 117                                  | 118                  |
| East South Central ..... | 490                      | 808                  | 737                  | 150                                  | 91                   |
| West South Central ..... | 27,056                   | 26,442               | 27,725               | 102                                  | 105                  |
| In-shell                 |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |
| Pecans                   |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |
| South Atlantic .....     | 52,806                   | 42,069               | 40,529               | 77                                   | 96                   |
| East South Central ..... | 1,365                    | 1,030                | 1,310                | 96                                   | 127                  |
| West South Central ..... | 57,677                   | 31,463               | 88,708               | 154                                  | 282                  |
| <b>Dairy products</b>    |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |
| Natural cheese           |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |
| American, total          |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |
| New England .....        | 61,581                   | 64,395               | 63,926               | 104                                  | 99                   |
| Middle Atlantic .....    | 73,797                   | 85,823               | 81,364               | 110                                  | 95                   |
| East North Central ..... | 281,100                  | 281,676              | 292,831              | 104                                  | 104                  |
| West North Central ..... | 107,446                  | 117,599              | 117,631              | 109                                  | 100                  |
| South Atlantic .....     | 778                      | 1,311                | 1,486                | 191                                  | 113                  |
| East South Central ..... | 6,080                    | 5,269                | 5,567                | 92                                   | 106                  |
| West South Central ..... | 11,680                   | 16,283               | 16,033               | 137                                  | 98                   |
| Mountain .....           | 58,728                   | 48,760               | 51,821               | 88                                   | 106                  |
| Pacific .....            | 99,883                   | 92,115               | 98,286               | 98                                   | 107                  |
| Other                    |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |
| New England .....        | 1,111                    | 1,200                | 898                  | 81                                   | 75                   |
| Middle Atlantic .....    | 22,246                   | 15,213               | 15,748               | 71                                   | 104                  |
| East North Central ..... | 267,307                  | 283,305              | 287,274              | 107                                  | 101                  |
| West North Central ..... | 47,867                   | 49,690               | 49,251               | 103                                  | 99                   |
| South Atlantic .....     | 22,031                   | 22,324               | 22,756               | 103                                  | 102                  |
| East South Central ..... | 14,556                   | 24,041               | 24,580               | 169                                  | 102                  |
| West South Central ..... | 1,008                    | 1,518                | 1,144                | 113                                  | 75                   |
| Mountain .....           | 3,147                    | 2,237                | 3,354                | 107                                  | 150                  |
| Pacific .....            | 41,153                   | 45,138               | 48,082               | 117                                  | 107                  |

<sup>1</sup> 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: December 31, 2016 with Comparisons

| Commodity                      | Stocks in all warehouses |                      |                      | December 31, 2016<br>as a percent of |                      |
|--------------------------------|--------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------|
|                                | December 31,<br>2015     | November 30,<br>2016 | December 31,<br>2016 | December 31,<br>2015                 | November 30,<br>2016 |
|                                | (1,000 pounds)           | (1,000 pounds)       | (1,000 pounds)       | (percent)                            | (percent)            |
| <b>Frozen poultry</b>          |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |
| Chicken <sup>1</sup>           |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |
| Broilers, fryers, and roasters |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |
| South Atlantic .....           | 4,913                    | 4,133                | 3,997                | 81                                   | 97                   |
| East South Central .....       | 3,202                    | 3,415                | 4,080                | 127                                  | 119                  |
| West South Central .....       | 2,782                    | 6,072                | 5,588                | 201                                  | 92                   |
| Pacific .....                  | 4,134                    | 2,089                | 1,792                | 43                                   | 86                   |
| Hens, mature chickens          |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |
| South Atlantic .....           | 4,355                    | 4,746                | 3,943                | 91                                   | 83                   |
| East South Central .....       | 751                      | 1,075                | 926                  | 123                                  | 86                   |
| West South Central .....       | 2,301                    | 3,716                | 3,101                | 135                                  | 83                   |
| Pacific .....                  | 250                      | 99                   | 117                  | 47                                   | 118                  |
| Breasts and breast meat        |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |
| South Atlantic .....           | 39,537                   | 42,322               | 43,533               | 110                                  | 103                  |
| East South Central .....       | 34,775                   | 35,630               | 45,499               | 131                                  | 128                  |
| West South Central .....       | 85,050                   | 85,467               | 94,338               | 111                                  | 110                  |
| Pacific .....                  | 12,534                   | 8,812                | 9,312                | 74                                   | 106                  |
| Drumsticks                     |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |
| South Atlantic .....           | 16,734                   | 8,476                | 6,025                | 36                                   | 71                   |
| East South Central .....       | 7,739                    | 2,666                | 3,024                | 39                                   | 113                  |
| West South Central .....       | 9,419                    | 5,521                | 5,579                | 59                                   | 101                  |
| Pacific .....                  | 3,261                    | 2,046                | 1,949                | 60                                   | 95                   |
| Leg quarters                   |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |
| South Atlantic .....           | 68,972                   | 80,769               | 78,044               | 113                                  | 97                   |
| East South Central .....       | 25,381                   | 17,312               | 16,554               | 65                                   | 96                   |
| West South Central .....       | 44,127                   | 40,413               | 35,977               | 82                                   | 89                   |
| Pacific .....                  | 1,618                    | 991                  | 850                  | 53                                   | 86                   |
| Legs                           |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |
| South Atlantic .....           | 9,077                    | 6,112                | 5,668                | 62                                   | 93                   |
| East South Central .....       | 1,699                    | 1,342                | 1,795                | 106                                  | 134                  |
| West South Central .....       | 7,453                    | 3,012                | 2,716                | 36                                   | 90                   |
| Pacific .....                  | 1,177                    | 764                  | 727                  | 62                                   | 95                   |
| Thigh and thigh quarters       |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |
| South Atlantic .....           | 9,589                    | 4,287                | 3,898                | 41                                   | 91                   |
| East South Central .....       | 1,318                    | 1,049                | 724                  | 55                                   | 69                   |
| West South Central .....       | 2,497                    | 2,241                | 2,422                | 97                                   | 108                  |
| Pacific .....                  | 4,717                    | 1,727                | 2,186                | 46                                   | 127                  |
| Thigh meat                     |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |
| South Atlantic .....           | 14,940                   | 14,855               | 18,682               | 125                                  | 126                  |
| East South Central .....       | 1,305                    | 2,708                | 2,247                | 172                                  | 83                   |
| West South Central .....       | 5,083                    | 2,905                | 3,104                | 61                                   | 107                  |
| Pacific .....                  | 2,939                    | 1,598                | 2,151                | 73                                   | 135                  |
| Wings                          |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |
| South Atlantic .....           | 29,825                   | 36,880               | 31,031               | 104                                  | 84                   |
| East South Central .....       | 7,360                    | 11,342               | 9,705                | 132                                  | 86                   |
| West South Central .....       | 37,132                   | 35,224               | 35,241               | 95                                   | 100                  |
| Pacific .....                  | 3,937                    | 2,905                | 2,532                | 64                                   | 87                   |
| Paws and feet                  |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |
| South Atlantic .....           | 12,180                   | 12,078               | 10,600               | 87                                   | 88                   |
| East South Central .....       | 6,333                    | 4,723                | 4,728                | 75                                   | 100                  |
| West South Central .....       | 2,950                    | 3,484                | 2,793                | 95                                   | 80                   |
| Pacific .....                  | 187                      | 104                  | 152                  | 81                                   | 146                  |
| Other                          |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |
| South Atlantic .....           | 138,266                  | 122,432              | 124,453              | 90                                   | 102                  |
| East South Central .....       | 56,557                   | 51,441               | 62,654               | 111                                  | 122                  |
| West South Central .....       | 86,273                   | 73,699               | 76,792               | 89                                   | 104                  |
| Pacific .....                  | 47,010                   | 38,270               | 38,552               | 82                                   | 101                  |
| Total chicken                  |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |
| South Atlantic .....           | 348,388                  | 337,090              | 329,874              | 95                                   | 98                   |
| East South Central .....       | 146,420                  | 132,703              | 151,936              | 104                                  | 114                  |
| West South Central .....       | 285,067                  | 261,754              | 267,651              | 94                                   | 102                  |
| Pacific .....                  | 81,764                   | 59,405               | 60,320               | 74                                   | 102                  |

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**Frozen Poultry in Cold Storage – Regions: December 31, 2016 with Comparisons (continued)**

| Commodity                 | Stocks in all warehouses |                      |                      | December 31, 2016<br>as a percent of |                      |
|---------------------------|--------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------|
|                           | December 31,<br>2015     | November 30,<br>2016 | December 31,<br>2016 | December 31,<br>2015                 | November 30,<br>2016 |
|                           | (1,000 pounds)           | (1,000 pounds)       | (1,000 pounds)       | (percent)                            | (percent)            |
| <b>Turkeys</b>            |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |
| Whole turkeys             |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |
| New England .....         | 1,491                    | 1,069                | 1,051                | 70                                   | 98                   |
| Middle Atlantic .....     | 2,366                    | 4,133                | 3,938                | 166                                  | 95                   |
| East North Central .....  | 1,550                    | 3,534                | 5,131                | 331                                  | 145                  |
| West North Central .....  | 10,931                   | 9,648                | 13,677               | 125                                  | 142                  |
| South Atlantic .....      | 8,169                    | 22,342               | 11,486               | 141                                  | 51                   |
| East South Central .....  | 752                      | 985                  | 600                  | 80                                   | 61                   |
| West South Central .....  | 23,287                   | 20,584               | 27,872               | 120                                  | 135                  |
| Mountain .....            | 4,082                    | 5,484                | 7,535                | 185                                  | 137                  |
| Pacific .....             | 845                      | 2,588                | 3,342                | 396                                  | 129                  |
| Breasts                   |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |
| New England .....         | 680                      | 84                   | 69                   | 10                                   | 82                   |
| Middle Atlantic .....     | 1,080                    | 1,503                | 1,943                | 180                                  | 129                  |
| East North Central .....  | 6,384                    | 9,254                | 12,799               | 200                                  | 138                  |
| West North Central .....  | 12,989                   | 22,108               | 31,294               | 241                                  | 142                  |
| South Atlantic .....      | 5,216                    | 8,539                | 10,401               | 199                                  | 122                  |
| East South Central .....  | 262                      | 1,043                | 1,010                | 385                                  | 97                   |
| West South Central .....  | 4,524                    | 7,262                | 8,795                | 194                                  | 121                  |
| Mountain .....            | 831                      | 3,619                | 4,836                | 582                                  | 134                  |
| Pacific .....             | 3,839                    | 2,307                | 2,572                | 67                                   | 111                  |
| Legs                      |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |
| New England .....         | -                        | -                    | -                    | (X)                                  | (X)                  |
| Middle Atlantic .....     | 646                      | 37                   | 76                   | 12                                   | 205                  |
| East North Central .....  | 2,523                    | 1,013                | 1,545                | 61                                   | 153                  |
| West North Central .....  | 5,286                    | 3,873                | 5,030                | 95                                   | 130                  |
| South Atlantic .....      | 1,698                    | 1,624                | 2,631                | 155                                  | 162                  |
| East South Central .....  | 387                      | 488                  | 499                  | 129                                  | 102                  |
| West South Central .....  | 2,497                    | 1,839                | 1,901                | 76                                   | 103                  |
| Mountain .....            | 408                      | 336                  | 411                  | 101                                  | 122                  |
| Pacific .....             | 616                      | 443                  | 782                  | 127                                  | 177                  |
| Mechanically deboned meat |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |
| New England .....         | -                        | 3                    | 3                    | (X)                                  | 100                  |
| Middle Atlantic .....     | 418                      | 310                  | 255                  | 61                                   | 82                   |
| East North Central .....  | 1,867                    | 1,858                | 1,750                | 94                                   | 94                   |
| West North Central .....  | 1,887                    | 1,133                | 923                  | 49                                   | 81                   |
| South Atlantic .....      | 2,030                    | 1,733                | 1,617                | 80                                   | 93                   |
| East South Central .....  | 321                      | 636                  | 550                  | 171                                  | 86                   |
| West South Central .....  | 302                      | 578                  | 646                  | 214                                  | 112                  |
| Mountain .....            | 409                      | 736                  | 754                  | 184                                  | 102                  |
| Pacific .....             | 864                      | 560                  | 597                  | 69                                   | 107                  |

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## Frozen Poultry in Cold Storage – Regions: December 31, 2016 with Comparisons (continued)

| Commodity                | Stocks in all warehouses |                      |                      | December 31, 2016<br>as a percent of |                      |
|--------------------------|--------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------|
|                          | December 31,<br>2015     | November 30,<br>2016 | December 31,<br>2016 | December 31,<br>2015                 | November 30,<br>2016 |
|                          | (1,000 pounds)           | (1,000 pounds)       | (1,000 pounds)       | (percent)                            | (percent)            |
| <b>Other</b>             |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |
| New England .....        | 1                        | 2                    | 1                    | 100                                  | 50                   |
| Middle Atlantic .....    | 720                      | 743                  | 578                  | 80                                   | 78                   |
| East North Central ..... | 4,331                    | 8,338                | 8,475                | 196                                  | 102                  |
| West North Central ..... | 4,717                    | 4,924                | 5,789                | 123                                  | 118                  |
| South Atlantic .....     | 9,415                    | 7,883                | 9,768                | 104                                  | 124                  |
| East South Central ..... | 588                      | 784                  | 940                  | 160                                  | 120                  |
| West South Central ..... | 5,229                    | 3,840                | 3,760                | 72                                   | 98                   |
| Mountain .....           | 483                      | 619                  | 745                  | 154                                  | 120                  |
| Pacific .....            | 1,229                    | 2,994                | 5,323                | 433                                  | 178                  |
| <b>Unclassified</b>      |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |
| New England .....        | 3                        | 39                   | 12                   | 400                                  | 31                   |
| Middle Atlantic .....    | 937                      | 540                  | 680                  | 73                                   | 126                  |
| East North Central ..... | 12,460                   | 10,562               | 11,171               | 90                                   | 106                  |
| West North Central ..... | 11,639                   | 9,299                | 11,735               | 101                                  | 126                  |
| South Atlantic .....     | 29,665                   | 34,384               | 43,356               | 146                                  | 126                  |
| East South Central ..... | 148                      | 188                  | 140                  | 95                                   | 74                   |
| West South Central ..... | 2,062                    | 1,596                | 2,299                | 111                                  | 144                  |
| Mountain .....           | 754                      | 1,683                | 1,747                | 232                                  | 104                  |
| Pacific .....            | 5,193                    | 5,158                | 4,353                | 84                                   | 84                   |
| <b>Total turkey</b>      |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |
| New England .....        | 2,175                    | 1,197                | 1,136                | 52                                   | 95                   |
| Middle Atlantic .....    | 6,167                    | 7,266                | 7,470                | 121                                  | 103                  |
| East North Central ..... | 29,115                   | 34,559               | 40,871               | 140                                  | 118                  |
| West North Central ..... | 47,449                   | 50,985               | 68,448               | 144                                  | 134                  |
| South Atlantic .....     | 56,193                   | 76,505               | 79,259               | 141                                  | 104                  |
| East South Central ..... | 2,458                    | 4,124                | 3,739                | 152                                  | 91                   |
| West South Central ..... | 37,901                   | 35,699               | 45,273               | 119                                  | 127                  |
| Mountain .....           | 6,967                    | 12,477               | 16,028               | 230                                  | 128                  |
| Pacific .....            | 12,586                   | 14,050               | 16,969               | 135                                  | 121                  |
| <b>Ducks</b>             |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |
| New England .....        | 67                       | 313                  | 244                  | 364                                  | 78                   |
| Middle Atlantic .....    | 1,933                    | 1,803                | 1,985                | 103                                  | 110                  |
| East North Central ..... | 2,348                    | 1,108                | 758                  | 32                                   | 68                   |
| West North Central ..... | 98                       | 197                  | 152                  | 155                                  | 77                   |
| South Atlantic .....     | 3                        | -                    | -                    | (X)                                  | (X)                  |
| East South Central ..... | -                        | 1                    | 1                    | (X)                                  | 100                  |
| West South Central ..... | -                        | -                    | -                    | (X)                                  | (X)                  |
| Mountain .....           | 9                        | 8                    | 16                   | 178                                  | 200                  |
| Pacific .....            | 2,121                    | 2,220                | 1,727                | 81                                   | 78                   |

- Represents zero.

(X) Not applicable.

<sup>1</sup> 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: December 31, 2016 with Comparisons

| Commodity                                | Stocks in all warehouses |                      |                      | December 31, 2016<br>as a percent of |                      |
|--|--------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------|
|  | December 31,<br>2015     | November 30,<br>2016 | December 31,<br>2016 | December 31,<br>2015                 | November 30,<br>2016 |
|  | (1,000 pounds)           | (1,000 pounds)       | (1,000 pounds)       | (percent)                            | (percent)            |
| <b>Frozen fruit</b>                      |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |
| <b>Apples</b>                            |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |
| New England .....                        | 156                      | 92                   | 80                   | 51                                   | 87                   |
| Middle Atlantic .....                    | 1,106                    | 1,486                | 1,467                | 133                                  | 99                   |
| East North Central .....                 | 28,846                   | 24,670               | 27,735               | 96                                   | 112                  |
| West North Central .....                 | 681                      | 458                  | 458                  | 67                                   | 100                  |
| South Atlantic .....                     | 231                      | 136                  | 200                  | 87                                   | 147                  |
| East South Central .....                 | 67                       | 29                   | 51                   | 76                                   | 176                  |
| West South Central .....                 | 1,015                    | 1,699                | 1,638                | 161                                  | 96                   |
| Mountain .....                           | 51                       | 26                   | 78                   | 153                                  | 300                  |
| Pacific .....                            | 5,443                    | 3,811                | 6,313                | 116                                  | 166                  |
| <b>Blueberries</b>                       |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |
| New England .....                        | 34,232                   | 58,303               | 54,113               | 158                                  | 93                   |
| Middle Atlantic .....                    | 11,014                   | 17,647               | 16,390               | 149                                  | 93                   |
| East North Central .....                 | 50,089                   | 65,039               | 61,246               | 122                                  | 94                   |
| West North Central .....                 | 3,745                    | 5,137                | 4,674                | 125                                  | 91                   |
| South Atlantic .....                     | 6,250                    | 9,233                | 8,584                | 137                                  | 93                   |
| East South Central .....                 | 1,481                    | 1,113                | 1,054                | 71                                   | 95                   |
| West South Central .....                 | 1,817                    | 1,780                | 1,744                | 96                                   | 98                   |
| Mountain .....                           | 164                      | 151                  | 150                  | 91                                   | 99                   |
| Pacific .....                            | 115,904                  | 135,732              | 121,061              | 104                                  | 89                   |
| <b>Cherries, tart (ripe tart pitted)</b> |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |
| New England .....                        | -                        | -                    | -                    | (X)                                  | (X)                  |
| Middle Atlantic .....                    | 4,992                    | 6,119                | 5,832                | 117                                  | 95                   |
| East North Central .....                 | 89,380                   | 116,074              | 106,704              | 119                                  | 92                   |
| West North Central .....                 | 291                      | 349                  | 316                  | 109                                  | 91                   |
| South Atlantic .....                     | 48                       | 122                  | 96                   | 200                                  | 79                   |
| East South Central .....                 | 8                        | 10                   | 9                    | 113                                  | 90                   |
| West South Central .....                 | 186                      | 303                  | 301                  | 162                                  | 99                   |
| Mountain .....                           | 17,435                   | 18,065               | 15,661               | 90                                   | 87                   |
| Pacific .....                            | 11,038                   | 15,931               | 14,113               | 128                                  | 89                   |
| <b>Cherries, sweet</b>                   |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |
| New England .....                        | -                        | -                    | -                    | (X)                                  | (X)                  |
| Middle Atlantic .....                    | 1,285                    | 777                  | 765                  | 60                                   | 98                   |
| East North Central .....                 | 12,889                   | 15,861               | 14,930               | 116                                  | 94                   |
| West North Central .....                 | 109                      | 124                  | 117                  | 107                                  | 94                   |
| South Atlantic .....                     | 122                      | 174                  | 197                  | 161                                  | 113                  |
| East South Central .....                 | 28                       | 155                  | 159                  | 568                                  | 103                  |
| West South Central .....                 | 429                      | 771                  | 758                  | 177                                  | 98                   |
| Mountain .....                           | 5                        | 1                    | 43                   | 860                                  | 4,300                |
| Pacific .....                            | 3,209                    | 3,753                | 3,391                | 106                                  | 90                   |
| <b>Peaches</b>                           |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |
| New England .....                        | 16                       | 38                   | 48                   | 300                                  | 126                  |
| Middle Atlantic .....                    | 2,644                    | 3,670                | 3,195                | 121                                  | 87                   |
| East North Central .....                 | 8,231                    | 7,950                | 7,735                | 94                                   | 97                   |
| West North Central .....                 | 1,452                    | 1,609                | 1,487                | 102                                  | 92                   |
| South Atlantic .....                     | 3,226                    | 3,382                | 3,150                | 98                                   | 93                   |
| East South Central .....                 | 249                      | 342                  | 329                  | 132                                  | 96                   |
| West South Central .....                 | 720                      | 1,279                | 1,080                | 150                                  | 84                   |
| Mountain .....                           | 38                       | 29                   | 111                  | 292                                  | 383                  |
| Pacific .....                            | 57,732                   | 70,432               | 64,742               | 112                                  | 92                   |
| <b>Raspberries, red</b>                  |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |
| New England .....                        | 255                      | 812                  | 786                  | 308                                  | 97                   |
| Middle Atlantic .....                    | 4,571                    | 4,044                | 3,645                | 80                                   | 90                   |
| East North Central .....                 | 1,682                    | 3,182                | 3,256                | 194                                  | 102                  |
| West North Central .....                 | 1,874                    | 2,469                | 2,261                | 121                                  | 92                   |
| South Atlantic .....                     | 1,237                    | 377                  | 421                  | 34                                   | 112                  |
| East South Central .....                 | 709                      | 1,295                | 1,229                | 173                                  | 95                   |
| West South Central .....                 | 750                      | 1,128                | 1,301                | 173                                  | 115                  |
| Mountain .....                           | 108                      | 112                  | 47                   | 44                                   | 42                   |
| Pacific .....                            | 46,176                   | 62,624               | 55,419               | 120                                  | 88                   |

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**Frozen Fruit and Frozen Juice in Cold Storage – Regions: December 31, 2016 with Comparisons (continued)**

| Commodity   | Stocks in all warehouses |                      |                      | December 31, 2016<br>as a percent of |                      |
|---|--------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------|
|   | December 31,<br>2015     | November 30,<br>2016 | December 31,<br>2016 | December 31,<br>2015                 | November 30,<br>2016 |
|   | (1,000 pounds)           | (1,000 pounds)       | (1,000 pounds)       | (percent)                            | (percent)            |
| <b>Strawberries, total</b>                        |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |
| New England .....                                 | 107                      | 154                  | 118                  | 110                                  | 77                   |
| Middle Atlantic .....                             | 9,734                    | 8,318                | 7,554                | 78                                   | 91                   |
| East North Central .....                          | 10,760                   | 15,625               | 15,013               | 140                                  | 96                   |
| West North Central .....                          | 4,698                    | 6,833                | 6,360                | 135                                  | 93                   |
| South Atlantic .....                              | 4,048                    | 2,401                | 2,555                | 63                                   | 106                  |
| East South Central .....                          | 4,432                    | 4,416                | 4,413                | 100                                  | 100                  |
| West South Central .....                          | 11,606                   | 19,412               | 17,242               | 149                                  | 89                   |
| Mountain .....                                    | 134                      | 117                  | 64                   | 48                                   | 55                   |
| Pacific .....                                     | 190,333                  | 274,113              | 252,233              | 133                                  | 92                   |
| <b>Other</b>                                      |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |
| New England .....                                 | 91,680                   | 85,545               | 80,225               | 88                                   | 94                   |
| Middle Atlantic .....                             | 11,332                   | 24,161               | 23,297               | 206                                  | 96                   |
| East North Central .....                          | 330,569                  | 385,553              | 361,776              | 109                                  | 94                   |
| West North Central .....                          | 6,587                    | 7,937                | 7,457                | 113                                  | 94                   |
| South Atlantic .....                              | 6,202                    | 4,902                | 4,669                | 75                                   | 95                   |
| East South Central .....                          | 839                      | 664                  | 597                  | 71                                   | 90                   |
| West South Central .....                          | 15,872                   | 25,914               | 24,578               | 155                                  | 95                   |
| Mountain .....                                    | 1,954                    | 2,595                | 2,448                | 125                                  | 94                   |
| Pacific .....                                     | 122,932                  | 199,783              | 189,205              | 154                                  | 95                   |
| <b>Frozen juice concentrate</b>                   |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |
| <b>Orange<sup>1</sup></b>                         |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |
| New England .....                                 | 393                      | 95                   | -                    | (X)                                  | (X)                  |
| East North Central .....                          | 2,608                    | 2,016                | 2,012                | 77                                   | 100                  |
| West North Central .....                          | 488                      | 426                  | 398                  | 82                                   | 93                   |
| South Atlantic .....                              | 629,715                  | 501,188              | 498,426              | 79                                   | 99                   |
| East South Central .....                          | 23                       | 6                    | 6                    | 26                                   | 100                  |
| West South Central .....                          | 2,299                    | 4,253                | 4,154                | 181                                  | 98                   |
| Mountain .....                                    | 1,310                    | 1,173                | 1,070                | 82                                   | 91                   |
| Pacific .....                                     | 2,511                    | 10,393               | 10,537               | 420                                  | 101                  |
| <b>Other</b>                                      |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |
| New England .....                                 | 1,288                    | 24,464               | 19,656               | 1,526                                | 80                   |
| Middle Atlantic .....                             | 35,234                   | 57,483               | 55,077               | 156                                  | 96                   |
| East North Central .....                          | 16,638                   | 15,944               | 16,383               | 98                                   | 103                  |
| West North Central .....                          | 7,409                    | 5,205                | 5,082                | 69                                   | 98                   |
| South Atlantic .....                              | 52,940                   | 46,022               | 45,073               | 85                                   | 98                   |
| East South Central .....                          | 1,298                    | 690                  | 675                  | 52                                   | 98                   |
| West South Central .....                          | 17,583                   | 19,474               | 23,786               | 135                                  | 122                  |
| Mountain .....                                    | 1,522                    | 1,279                | 1,269                | 83                                   | 99                   |
| Pacific .....                                     | 113,599                  | 125,633              | 122,426              | 108                                  | 97                   |
| <b>Total frozen juice concentrate<sup>2</sup></b> |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |
| New England .....                                 | 1,681                    | 24,559               | 19,656               | 1,169                                | 80                   |
| Middle Atlantic .....                             | 35,234                   | 57,483               | 55,077               | 156                                  | 96                   |
| East North Central .....                          | 19,246                   | 17,960               | 18,395               | 96                                   | 102                  |
| West North Central .....                          | 7,897                    | 5,631                | 5,480                | 69                                   | 97                   |
| South Atlantic .....                              | 682,655                  | 547,210              | 543,499              | 80                                   | 99                   |
| East South Central .....                          | 1,321                    | 696                  | 681                  | 52                                   | 98                   |
| West South Central .....                          | 19,882                   | 23,727               | 27,940               | 141                                  | 118                  |
| Mountain .....                                    | 2,832                    | 2,452                | 2,339                | 83                                   | 95                   |
| Pacific .....                                     | 116,110                  | 136,026              | 132,963              | 115                                  | 98                   |

- Represents zero.

(X) Not applicable.

<sup>1</sup> Middle Atlantic combined with South Atlantic.

<sup>2</sup> Middle Atlantic orange juice combined with South Atlantic.

## Frozen Vegetables in Cold Storage – Regions: December 31, 2016 with Comparisons

| Commodity                             | Stocks in all warehouses |                      |                      | December 31, 2016<br>as a percent of |                      |
|---------------------------------------|--------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------|
|                                       | December 31,<br>2015     | November 30,<br>2016 | December 31,<br>2016 | December 31,<br>2015                 | November 30,<br>2016 |
|                                       | (1,000 pounds)           | (1,000 pounds)       | (1,000 pounds)       | (percent)                            | (percent)            |
| <b>Frozen vegetables <sup>1</sup></b> |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |
| Asparagus                             |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |
| Middle Atlantic .....                 | 536                      | 427                  | 347                  | 65                                   | 81                   |
| East North Central .....              | 6,931                    | 6,866                | 6,662                | 96                                   | 97                   |
| West North Central .....              | 153                      | 127                  | 115                  | 75                                   | 91                   |
| South Atlantic .....                  | 414                      | 125                  | 239                  | 58                                   | 191                  |
| West South Central .....              | 764                      | 650                  | 723                  | 95                                   | 111                  |
| Mountain .....                        | 73                       | 29                   | 28                   | 38                                   | 97                   |
| Pacific .....                         | 3,055                    | 3,909                | 3,420                | 112                                  | 87                   |
| Lima beans                            |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |
| Middle Atlantic .....                 | 7,697                    | 8,928                | 8,057                | 105                                  | 90                   |
| East North Central .....              | 3,278                    | 5,273                | 4,809                | 147                                  | 91                   |
| West North Central .....              | 2,266                    | 3,579                | 3,031                | 134                                  | 85                   |
| South Atlantic .....                  | 22,425                   | 15,325               | 14,927               | 67                                   | 97                   |
| West South Central .....              | 678                      | 717                  | 779                  | 115                                  | 109                  |
| Mountain .....                        | 4                        | 559                  | 558                  | 13,950                               | 100                  |
| Pacific .....                         | 21,493                   | 25,135               | 23,937               | 111                                  | 95                   |
| Green beans, regular cut              |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |
| Middle Atlantic .....                 | 25,736                   | 44,193               | 41,123               | 160                                  | 93                   |
| East North Central .....              | 71,925                   | 80,307               | 76,406               | 106                                  | 95                   |
| West North Central .....              | 8,597                    | 8,601                | 6,552                | 76                                   | 76                   |
| South Atlantic .....                  | 15,296                   | 10,812               | 9,567                | 63                                   | 88                   |
| West South Central .....              | 3,524                    | 2,345                | 2,451                | 70                                   | 105                  |
| Mountain .....                        | 1,114                    | 524                  | 624                  | 56                                   | 119                  |
| Pacific .....                         | 73,802                   | 83,940               | 78,380               | 106                                  | 93                   |
| Green beans, french style             |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |
| Middle Atlantic .....                 | 1,970                    | 3,753                | 3,256                | 165                                  | 87                   |
| East North Central .....              | 7,588                    | 4,815                | 4,552                | 60                                   | 95                   |
| West North Central .....              | 388                      | 1,059                | 599                  | 154                                  | 57                   |
| South Atlantic .....                  | 89                       | 110                  | 106                  | 119                                  | 96                   |
| West South Central .....              | 16                       | 74                   | 29                   | 181                                  | 39                   |
| Mountain .....                        | -                        | 1                    | 1                    | (X)                                  | 100                  |
| Pacific .....                         | 5,228                    | 6,500                | 6,007                | 115                                  | 92                   |
| Broccoli, spears                      |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |
| Middle Atlantic .....                 | 5,558                    | 6,892                | 7,854                | 141                                  | 114                  |
| East North Central .....              | 7,033                    | 7,144                | 5,388                | 77                                   | 75                   |
| West North Central .....              | 1,021                    | 1,317                | 975                  | 95                                   | 74                   |
| South Atlantic .....                  | 1,217                    | 1,257                | 1,124                | 92                                   | 89                   |
| West South Central .....              | 7,292                    | 5,332                | 5,009                | 69                                   | 94                   |
| Mountain .....                        | 4                        | 134                  | 124                  | 3,100                                | 93                   |
| Pacific .....                         | 2,898                    | 1,746                | 1,528                | 53                                   | 88                   |
| Broccoli, chopped and cut             |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |
| Middle Atlantic .....                 | 2,927                    | 3,066                | 3,902                | 133                                  | 127                  |
| East North Central .....              | 11,344                   | 9,181                | 10,590               | 93                                   | 115                  |
| West North Central .....              | 766                      | 669                  | 702                  | 92                                   | 105                  |
| South Atlantic .....                  | 2,132                    | 2,594                | 2,279                | 107                                  | 88                   |
| West South Central .....              | 8,775                    | 6,704                | 7,132                | 81                                   | 106                  |
| Mountain .....                        | 112                      | 594                  | 476                  | 425                                  | 80                   |
| Pacific .....                         | 13,342                   | 18,654               | 18,445               | 138                                  | 99                   |

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**Frozen Vegetables in Cold Storage – Regions: December 31, 2016 with Comparisons (continued)**

| Commodity                | Stocks in all warehouses |                      |                      | December 31, 2016<br>as a percent of |                      |
|--------------------------|--------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------|
|                          | December 31,<br>2015     | November 30,<br>2016 | December 31,<br>2016 | December 31,<br>2015                 | November 30,<br>2016 |
|                          | (1,000 pounds)           | (1,000 pounds)       | (1,000 pounds)       | (percent)                            | (percent)            |
| <b>Brussels sprouts</b>  |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |
| Middle Atlantic .....    | 2,270                    | 2,500                | 2,334                | 103                                  | 93                   |
| East North Central ..... | 5,336                    | 3,010                | 3,693                | 69                                   | 123                  |
| West North Central ..... | 178                      | 174                  | 204                  | 115                                  | 117                  |
| South Atlantic .....     | 4,181                    | 3,915                | 4,554                | 109                                  | 116                  |
| West South Central ..... | 1,165                    | 1,018                | 1,123                | 96                                   | 110                  |
| Mountain .....           | 32                       | 28                   | 887                  | 2,772                                | 3,168                |
| Pacific .....            | 6,681                    | 7,596                | 9,803                | 147                                  | 129                  |
| <b>Carrots, diced</b>    |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |
| Middle Atlantic .....    | 14,246                   | 14,795               | 13,647               | 96                                   | 92                   |
| East North Central ..... | 47,727                   | 47,441               | 46,973               | 98                                   | 99                   |
| West North Central ..... | 7,061                    | 8,101                | 7,509                | 106                                  | 93                   |
| South Atlantic .....     | 290                      | 143                  | 185                  | 64                                   | 129                  |
| West South Central ..... | 498                      | 412                  | 482                  | 97                                   | 117                  |
| Mountain .....           | 7                        | 7                    | 6                    | 86                                   | 86                   |
| Pacific .....            | 91,926                   | 102,505              | 90,776               | 99                                   | 89                   |
| <b>Carrots, other</b>    |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |
| Middle Atlantic .....    | 18,148                   | 16,020               | 17,782               | 98                                   | 111                  |
| East North Central ..... | 40,372                   | 47,347               | 50,655               | 125                                  | 107                  |
| West North Central ..... | 7,360                    | 5,158                | 4,778                | 65                                   | 93                   |
| South Atlantic .....     | 1,384                    | 1,177                | 1,145                | 83                                   | 97                   |
| West South Central ..... | 4,622                    | 4,478                | 4,104                | 89                                   | 92                   |
| Mountain .....           | 87                       | 13                   | 13                   | 15                                   | 100                  |
| Pacific .....            | 94,344                   | 121,775              | 115,534              | 122                                  | 95                   |
| <b>Cauliflower</b>       |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |
| Middle Atlantic .....    | 3,553                    | 5,456                | 6,046                | 170                                  | 111                  |
| East North Central ..... | 3,208                    | 2,223                | 2,507                | 78                                   | 113                  |
| West North Central ..... | 276                      | 91                   | 153                  | 55                                   | 168                  |
| South Atlantic .....     | 411                      | 250                  | 236                  | 57                                   | 94                   |
| West South Central ..... | 7,347                    | 3,803                | 4,339                | 59                                   | 114                  |
| Mountain .....           | 42                       | 48                   | 47                   | 112                                  | 98                   |
| Pacific .....            | 11,611                   | 15,115               | 14,006               | 121                                  | 93                   |
| <b>Corn, cut</b>         |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |
| Middle Atlantic .....    | 58,917                   | 42,206               | 38,409               | 65                                   | 91                   |
| East North Central ..... | 64,617                   | 57,628               | 61,166               | 95                                   | 106                  |
| West North Central ..... | 79,565                   | 79,925               | 73,190               | 92                                   | 92                   |
| South Atlantic .....     | 20,976                   | 19,239               | 17,585               | 84                                   | 91                   |
| West South Central ..... | 2,834                    | 4,434                | 2,683                | 95                                   | 61                   |
| Mountain .....           | 3,609                    | 1,475                | 1,463                | 41                                   | 99                   |
| Pacific .....            | 290,286                  | 343,894              | 324,351              | 112                                  | 94                   |
| <b>Corn, cob</b>         |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |
| Middle Atlantic .....    | 5,812                    | 6,477                | 7,039                | 121                                  | 109                  |
| East North Central ..... | 16,058                   | 15,283               | 26,625               | 166                                  | 174                  |
| West North Central ..... | 62,149                   | 59,184               | 53,071               | 85                                   | 90                   |
| South Atlantic .....     | 3,081                    | 2,798                | 2,703                | 88                                   | 97                   |
| West South Central ..... | 7,074                    | 3,940                | 4,326                | 61                                   | 110                  |
| Mountain .....           | 69                       | 463                  | 207                  | 300                                  | 45                   |
| Pacific .....            | 126,052                  | 139,160              | 125,417              | 99                                   | 90                   |

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**Frozen Vegetables in Cold Storage – Regions: December 31, 2016 with Comparisons (continued)**

| Commodity                | Stocks in all warehouses |                      |                      | December 31, 2016<br>as a percent of |                      |
|--------------------------|--------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------|
|                          | December 31,<br>2015     | November 30,<br>2016 | December 31,<br>2016 | December 31,<br>2015                 | November 30,<br>2016 |
|                          | (1,000 pounds)           | (1,000 pounds)       | (1,000 pounds)       | (percent)                            | (percent)            |
| <b>Mixed vegetables</b>  |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |
| Middle Atlantic .....    | 4,274                    | 4,705                | 4,995                | 117                                  | 106                  |
| East North Central ..... | 19,152                   | 15,820               | 18,041               | 94                                   | 114                  |
| West North Central ..... | 685                      | 740                  | 658                  | 96                                   | 89                   |
| South Atlantic .....     | 1,391                    | 1,321                | 1,307                | 94                                   | 99                   |
| West South Central ..... | 5,915                    | 15,638               | 15,667               | 265                                  | 100                  |
| Mountain .....           | 857                      | 1,764                | 1,665                | 194                                  | 94                   |
| Pacific .....            | 22,793                   | 21,396               | 20,121               | 88                                   | 94                   |
| <b>Okra</b>              |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |
| Middle Atlantic .....    | 2,090                    | 1,880                | 2,033                | 97                                   | 108                  |
| East North Central ..... | 986                      | 879                  | 792                  | 80                                   | 90                   |
| West North Central ..... | 71                       | 60                   | 72                   | 101                                  | 120                  |
| South Atlantic .....     | 6,811                    | 5,924                | 5,522                | 81                                   | 93                   |
| West South Central ..... | 44,819                   | 27,851               | 24,126               | 54                                   | 87                   |
| Mountain .....           | 2                        | 2                    | 1                    | 50                                   | 50                   |
| Pacific .....            | 1,301                    | 1,776                | 1,612                | 124                                  | 91                   |
| <b>Onion rings</b>       |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |
| Middle Atlantic .....    | 1,359                    | 143                  | 158                  | 12                                   | 110                  |
| East North Central ..... | 1,300                    | 5,676                | 5,404                | 416                                  | 95                   |
| West North Central ..... | 472                      | 482                  | 486                  | 103                                  | 101                  |
| South Atlantic .....     | 3,810                    | 2,650                | 3,104                | 81                                   | 117                  |
| West South Central ..... | 2,533                    | 2,320                | 2,300                | 91                                   | 99                   |
| Mountain .....           | 1,497                    | 1,784                | 1,676                | 112                                  | 94                   |
| Pacific .....            | 1,033                    | 487                  | 641                  | 62                                   | 132                  |
| <b>Onions, other</b>     |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |
| Middle Atlantic .....    | 4,095                    | 3,576                | 3,669                | 90                                   | 103                  |
| East North Central ..... | 3,063                    | 3,323                | 4,033                | 132                                  | 121                  |
| West North Central ..... | 857                      | 471                  | 495                  | 58                                   | 105                  |
| South Atlantic .....     | 1,409                    | 828                  | 886                  | 63                                   | 107                  |
| West South Central ..... | 2,782                    | 1,381                | 2,897                | 104                                  | 210                  |
| Mountain .....           | 7,608                    | 11,019               | 11,903               | 156                                  | 108                  |
| Pacific .....            | 13,206                   | 25,731               | 24,781               | 188                                  | 96                   |
| <b>Blackeye peas</b>     |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |
| Middle Atlantic .....    | 783                      | 810                  | 901                  | 115                                  | 111                  |
| East North Central ..... | 129                      | 34                   | 35                   | 27                                   | 103                  |
| West North Central ..... | -                        | -                    | -                    | (X)                                  | (X)                  |
| South Atlantic .....     | 940                      | 404                  | 386                  | 41                                   | 96                   |
| West South Central ..... | 441                      | 242                  | 185                  | 42                                   | 76                   |
| Mountain .....           | 2                        | -                    | -                    | (X)                                  | (X)                  |
| Pacific .....            | 139                      | 139                  | 101                  | 73                                   | 73                   |
| <b>Green peas</b>        |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |
| Middle Atlantic .....    | 23,861                   | 26,173               | 21,858               | 92                                   | 84                   |
| East North Central ..... | 49,608                   | 43,101               | 52,079               | 105                                  | 121                  |
| West North Central ..... | 33,587                   | 54,500               | 50,259               | 150                                  | 92                   |
| South Atlantic .....     | 14,668                   | 23,309               | 21,593               | 147                                  | 93                   |
| West South Central ..... | 1,680                    | 1,727                | 1,625                | 97                                   | 94                   |
| Mountain .....           | 42                       | 190                  | 153                  | 364                                  | 81                   |
| Pacific .....            | 151,332                  | 194,397              | 178,787              | 118                                  | 92                   |

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## Frozen Vegetables in Cold Storage – Regions: December 31, 2016 with Comparisons (continued)

| Commodity                | Stocks in all warehouses |                      |                      | December 31, 2016<br>as a percent of |                      |
|--------------------------|--------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------|
|                          | December 31,<br>2015     | November 30,<br>2016 | December 31,<br>2016 | December 31,<br>2015                 | November 30,<br>2016 |
|                          | (1,000 pounds)           | (1,000 pounds)       | (1,000 pounds)       | (percent)                            | (percent)            |
| Peas and carrots mixed   |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |
| Middle Atlantic .....    | 916                      | 1,006                | 1,305                | 142                                  | 130                  |
| East North Central ..... | 1,019                    | 1,286                | 989                  | 97                                   | 77                   |
| West North Central ..... | 44                       | 32                   | 22                   | 50                                   | 69                   |
| South Atlantic .....     | 554                      | 616                  | 583                  | 105                                  | 95                   |
| West South Central ..... | 360                      | 259                  | 195                  | 54                                   | 75                   |
| Mountain .....           | -                        | -                    | -                    | (X)                                  | (X)                  |
| Pacific .....            | 4,159                    | 3,441                | 3,699                | 89                                   | 107                  |
| Spinach                  |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |
| Middle Atlantic .....    | 11,936                   | 17,813               | 16,631               | 139                                  | 93                   |
| East North Central ..... | 3,423                    | 3,549                | 3,867                | 113                                  | 109                  |
| West North Central ..... | 603                      | 539                  | 496                  | 82                                   | 92                   |
| South Atlantic .....     | 8,512                    | 8,506                | 9,327                | 110                                  | 110                  |
| West South Central ..... | 7,695                    | 8,435                | 11,512               | 150                                  | 136                  |
| Mountain .....           | 6                        | 19                   | 23                   | 383                                  | 121                  |
| Pacific .....            | 10,454                   | 14,407               | 13,215               | 126                                  | 92                   |
| Squash, summer/zucchini  |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |
| Middle Atlantic .....    | 5,652                    | 7,120                | 7,369                | 130                                  | 103                  |
| East North Central ..... | 19,720                   | 19,524               | 17,194               | 87                                   | 88                   |
| West North Central ..... | 98                       | 52                   | 111                  | 113                                  | 213                  |
| South Atlantic .....     | 3,425                    | 5,461                | 5,213                | 152                                  | 95                   |
| West South Central ..... | 5,333                    | 5,062                | 4,564                | 86                                   | 90                   |
| Mountain .....           | 21                       | 109                  | 88                   | 419                                  | 81                   |
| Pacific .....            | 31,301                   | 29,554               | 29,702               | 95                                   | 101                  |
| Southern greens          |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |
| Middle Atlantic .....    | 3,641                    | 5,506                | 5,130                | 141                                  | 93                   |
| East North Central ..... | 397                      | 103                  | 63                   | 16                                   | 61                   |
| West North Central ..... | 1                        | 6                    | 7                    | 700                                  | 117                  |
| South Atlantic .....     | 1,746                    | 1,663                | 2,367                | 136                                  | 142                  |
| West South Central ..... | 12,073                   | 8,798                | 10,525               | 87                                   | 120                  |
| Mountain .....           | 10                       | 5                    | 4                    | 40                                   | 80                   |
| Pacific .....            | 537                      | 587                  | 809                  | 151                                  | 138                  |
| Other                    |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |
| Middle Atlantic .....    | 59,661                   | 80,147               | 72,438               | 121                                  | 90                   |
| East North Central ..... | 79,126                   | 87,015               | 89,899               | 114                                  | 103                  |
| West North Central ..... | 19,425                   | 18,563               | 18,094               | 93                                   | 97                   |
| South Atlantic .....     | 20,709                   | 17,425               | 17,058               | 82                                   | 98                   |
| West South Central ..... | 38,695                   | 29,989               | 30,570               | 79                                   | 102                  |
| Mountain .....           | 22,365                   | 40,011               | 37,611               | 168                                  | 94                   |
| Pacific .....            | 151,905                  | 184,702              | 187,875              | 124                                  | 102                  |
| Total frozen vegetables  |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |
| Middle Atlantic .....    | 265,638                  | 303,592              | 286,283              | 108                                  | 94                   |
| East North Central ..... | 463,340                  | 466,828              | 492,422              | 106                                  | 105                  |
| West North Central ..... | 225,623                  | 243,430              | 221,579              | 98                                   | 91                   |
| South Atlantic .....     | 135,871                  | 125,852              | 121,996              | 90                                   | 97                   |
| West South Central ..... | 166,915                  | 135,609              | 137,346              | 82                                   | 101                  |
| Mountain .....           | 37,563                   | 58,778               | 57,558               | 153                                  | 98                   |
| Pacific .....            | 1,128,878                | 1,346,546            | 1,272,947            | 113                                  | 95                   |

- Represents zero.

(X) Not applicable.

<sup>1</sup> New England combined with Middle Atlantic. East South Central combined with South Atlantic.

## Frozen Potatoes in Cold Storage – Regions: December 31, 2016 with Comparisons

| Commodity                | Stocks in all warehouses |                      |                      | December 31, 2016<br>as a percent of |                      |
|--------------------------|--------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------|
|                          | December 31,<br>2015     | November 30,<br>2016 | December 31,<br>2016 | December 31,<br>2015                 | November 30,<br>2016 |
|                          | (1,000 pounds)           | (1,000 pounds)       | (1,000 pounds)       | (percent)                            | (percent)            |
| <b>Frozen potatoes</b>   |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |
| French fries             |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |
| New England .....        | 30,689                   | 20,317               | 18,247               | 59                                   | 90                   |
| Middle Atlantic .....    | 25,761                   | 11,638               | 11,239               | 44                                   | 97                   |
| East North Central ..... | 71,105                   | 77,207               | 73,772               | 104                                  | 96                   |
| West North Central ..... | 90,882                   | 81,758               | 90,708               | 100                                  | 111                  |
| South Atlantic .....     | 55,838                   | 48,488               | 43,427               | 78                                   | 90                   |
| East South Central ..... | 1,144                    | 63                   | 60                   | 5                                    | 95                   |
| West South Central ..... | 16,298                   | 31,258               | 31,380               | 193                                  | 100                  |
| Mountain .....           | 187,972                  | 192,712              | 183,727              | 98                                   | 95                   |
| Pacific .....            | 329,880                  | 464,350              | 442,072              | 134                                  | 95                   |
| Other                    |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |
| New England .....        | 1,689                    | 13,556               | 10,962               | 649                                  | 81                   |
| Middle Atlantic .....    | 12,873                   | 4,764                | 4,604                | 36                                   | 97                   |
| East North Central ..... | 30,476                   | 42,526               | 37,532               | 123                                  | 88                   |
| West North Central ..... | 14,925                   | 17,709               | 16,289               | 109                                  | 92                   |
| South Atlantic .....     | 13,831                   | 14,440               | 15,073               | 109                                  | 104                  |
| East South Central ..... | 457                      | 265                  | 47                   | 10                                   | 18                   |
| West South Central ..... | 16,359                   | 16,933               | 18,149               | 111                                  | 107                  |
| Mountain .....           | 70,751                   | 69,700               | 70,374               | 99                                   | 101                  |
| Pacific .....            | 35,966                   | 72,798               | 58,851               | 164                                  | 81                   |
| Total frozen potatoes    |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |
| New England .....        | 32,378                   | 33,873               | 29,209               | 90                                   | 86                   |
| Middle Atlantic .....    | 38,634                   | 16,402               | 15,843               | 41                                   | 97                   |
| East North Central ..... | 101,581                  | 119,733              | 111,304              | 110                                  | 93                   |
| West North Central ..... | 105,807                  | 99,467               | 106,997              | 101                                  | 108                  |
| South Atlantic .....     | 69,669                   | 62,928               | 58,500               | 84                                   | 93                   |
| East South Central ..... | 1,601                    | 328                  | 107                  | 7                                    | 33                   |
| West South Central ..... | 32,657                   | 48,191               | 49,529               | 152                                  | 103                  |
| Mountain .....           | 258,723                  | 262,412              | 254,101              | 98                                   | 97                   |
| Pacific .....            | 365,846                  | 537,148              | 500,923              | 137                                  | 93                   |

## Frozen Red Meat in Cold Storage – Regions: December 31, 2016 with Comparisons

| Commodity                      | Stocks in all warehouses |                      |                      | December 31, 2016<br>as a percent of |                      |
|--------------------------------|--------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------|
|                                | December 31,<br>2015     | November 30,<br>2016 | December 31,<br>2016 | December 31,<br>2015                 | November 30,<br>2016 |
|                                | (1,000 pounds)           | (1,000 pounds)       | (1,000 pounds)       | (percent)                            | (percent)            |
| <b>Frozen red meat</b>         |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |
| <b>Beef</b>                    |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |
| Boneless                       |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |
| New England .....              | 752                      | 870                  | 669                  | 89                                   | 77                   |
| Middle Atlantic .....          | 115,623                  | 185,476              | 203,987              | 176                                  | 110                  |
| East North Central .....       | 71,724                   | 55,406               | 64,133               | 89                                   | 116                  |
| West North Central .....       | 137,181                  | 107,510              | 106,667              | 78                                   | 99                   |
| South Atlantic .....           | 19,503                   | 8,357                | 11,886               | 61                                   | 142                  |
| East South Central .....       | 5,009                    | 1,024                | 1,080                | 22                                   | 105                  |
| West South Central .....       | 33,564                   | 48,144               | 47,071               | 140                                  | 98                   |
| Mountain .....                 | 22,808                   | 22,062               | 21,142               | 93                                   | 96                   |
| Pacific .....                  | 67,803                   | 64,547               | 69,313               | 102                                  | 107                  |
| Beef cuts                      |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |
| New England .....              | 333                      | 303                  | 227                  | 68                                   | 75                   |
| Middle Atlantic .....          | 2,586                    | 1,941                | 2,339                | 90                                   | 121                  |
| East North Central .....       | 5,304                    | 7,712                | 7,196                | 136                                  | 93                   |
| West North Central .....       | 8,790                    | 8,935                | 10,041               | 114                                  | 112                  |
| South Atlantic .....           | 2,921                    | 3,014                | 2,791                | 96                                   | 93                   |
| East South Central .....       | 1,565                    | 383                  | 280                  | 18                                   | 73                   |
| West South Central .....       | 4,316                    | 3,247                | 3,036                | 70                                   | 94                   |
| Mountain .....                 | 1,331                    | 2,335                | 1,811                | 136                                  | 78                   |
| Pacific .....                  | 11,411                   | 9,687                | 13,333               | 117                                  | 138                  |
| Total beef                     |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |
| New England .....              | 1,085                    | 1,173                | 896                  | 83                                   | 76                   |
| Middle Atlantic .....          | 118,209                  | 187,417              | 206,326              | 175                                  | 110                  |
| East North Central .....       | 77,028                   | 63,118               | 71,329               | 93                                   | 113                  |
| West North Central .....       | 145,971                  | 116,445              | 116,708              | 80                                   | 100                  |
| South Atlantic .....           | 22,424                   | 11,371               | 14,677               | 65                                   | 129                  |
| East South Central .....       | 6,574                    | 1,407                | 1,360                | 21                                   | 97                   |
| West South Central .....       | 37,880                   | 51,391               | 50,107               | 132                                  | 98                   |
| Mountain .....                 | 24,139                   | 24,397               | 22,953               | 95                                   | 94                   |
| Pacific .....                  | 79,214                   | 74,234               | 82,646               | 104                                  | 111                  |
| <b>Other meat <sup>1</sup></b> |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |
| Veal                           |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |
| Middle Atlantic .....          | 3,474                    | 4,939                | 12,604               | 363                                  | 255                  |
| East North Central .....       | 1,159                    | 1,186                | 1,112                | 96                                   | 94                   |
| West South Central .....       | 1,198                    | 966                  | 1,005                | 84                                   | 104                  |
| Pacific .....                  | 404                      | 490                  | 235                  | 58                                   | 48                   |
| Lamb and mutton                |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |
| Middle Atlantic .....          | 17,016                   | 8,398                | 10,079               | 59                                   | 120                  |
| East North Central .....       | 5,878                    | 1,754                | 2,888                | 49                                   | 165                  |
| West South Central .....       | 3,641                    | 1,306                | 1,373                | 38                                   | 105                  |
| Pacific .....                  | 14,917                   | 10,418               | 11,621               | 78                                   | 112                  |
| Total other meat               |                          |                      |                      |                                      |                      |
| Middle Atlantic .....          | 20,490                   | 13,337               | 22,683               | 111                                  | 170                  |
| East North Central .....       | 7,037                    | 2,940                | 4,000                | 57                                   | 136                  |
| West South Central .....       | 4,839                    | 2,272                | 2,378                | 49                                   | 105                  |
| Pacific .....                  | 15,321                   | 10,908               | 11,856               | 77                                   | 109                  |

<sup>1</sup> 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.

**Record Highs and Lows of Nuts, Dairy Products, Frozen Eggs, and Frozen Poultry in Cold Storage – United States: December 2016**

| Commodity                            | Record high    | Year | Record low     | Year | Date records begin |
|--------------------------------------|----------------|------|----------------|------|--------------------|
|                                      | (1,000 pounds) |      | (1,000 pounds) |      |                    |
| <b>Nuts</b>                          |                |      |                |      |                    |
| Shelled                              |                |      |                |      |                    |
| Pecans .....                         | 45,067         | 2014 | 7,995          | 1971 | January 1970       |
| In-Shell                             |                |      |                |      |                    |
| Pecans .....                         | 166,628        | 2000 | 24,029         | 1976 | January 1970       |
| <b>Dairy products</b>                |                |      |                |      |                    |
| Butter .....                         | 539,402        | 1991 | 10,856         | 1975 | December 1915      |
| Natural cheese                       |                |      |                |      |                    |
| American .....                       | 1,099,675      | 1983 | 19,823         | 1918 | December 1915      |
| Swiss .....                          | 31,747         | 2012 | 651            | 1917 | August 1917        |
| Other .....                          | 453,087        | 2016 | 2,184          | 1917 | August 1917        |
| Total natural cheese .....           | 1,206,604      | 2016 | 30,225         | 1918 | August 1917        |
| <b>Frozen eggs</b>                   |                |      |                |      |                    |
| Whites .....                         | 30,859         | 1946 | 501            | 1999 | April 1940         |
| Yolks .....                          | 23,464         | 1955 | 478            | 2002 | April 1940         |
| Whole and mixed .....                | 100,805        | 1944 | 5,568          | 1983 | April 1940         |
| Unclassified .....                   | 31,526         | 1944 | 652            | 1998 | April 1940         |
| Total frozen eggs .....              | 165,933        | 1944 | 2,737          | 1916 | April 1916         |
| <b>Frozen Poultry</b>                |                |      |                |      |                    |
| Chicken                              |                |      |                |      |                    |
| Broilers, fryers, and roasters ..... | 103,157        | 1945 | 10,432         | 1916 | April 1916         |
| Hens, mature chickens .....          | 106,036        | 1947 | 1,109          | 2012 | April 1916         |
| Breasts and breast meat .....        | 192,682        | 2016 | 101,903        | 2003 | April 2001         |
| Drumsticks .....                     | 37,153         | 2015 | 9,847          | 2003 | May 2001           |
| Leg quarters .....                   | 176,718        | 2005 | 70,855         | 2001 | May 2001           |
| Legs .....                           | 24,127         | 2005 | 5,468          | 2007 | May 2001           |
| Thigh and thigh quarters .....       | 18,121         | 2015 | 3,233          | 2001 | May 2001           |
| Thigh meat .....                     | 26,184         | 2016 | 12,933         | 2005 | May 2001           |
| Wings .....                          | 88,145         | 2013 | 23,417         | 2003 | May 2001           |
| Paws and feet .....                  | 37,775         | 2011 | 6,453          | 2001 | May 2001           |
| Other .....                          | 769,132        | 2000 | 234,982        | 2013 | January 1991       |
| Total chicken .....                  | 925,763        | 2005 | 97,239         | 1968 | December 1939      |
| Turkey                               |                |      |                |      |                    |
| Whole turkeys                        |                |      |                |      |                    |
| Toms .....                           | 75,818         | 2003 | 20,440         | 2011 | March 2001         |
| Hens .....                           | 70,462         | 2008 | 23,477         | 2013 | April 2001         |
| Total whole turkeys .....            | 139,352        | 2008 | 45,408         | 2010 | March 2001         |
| Breasts .....                        | 98,224         | 2002 | 20,272         | 2005 | May 2001           |
| Legs .....                           | 22,928         | 2011 | 8,847          | 2001 | May 2001           |
| Mechanically deboned meat .....      | 10,497         | 2008 | 4,161          | 2001 | May 2001           |
| Other .....                          | 239,039        | 1997 | 13,606         | 2001 | January 1967       |
| Unclassified .....                   | 239,039        | 1997 | 57,783         | 2011 | January 1992       |
| Total turkey .....                   | 415,053        | 1997 | 2,708          | 1916 | April 1916         |
| Ducks .....                          | 11,770         | 1963 | 663            | 2004 | June 1932          |
| Total frozen poultry .....           | 1,163,579      | 2008 | 32,184         | 1916 | April 1916         |

**Record Highs and Lows of Frozen Fruit and Frozen Juice in Cold Storage – United States:  
December 2016**

| Commodity                                   | Record high      | Year        | Record low     | Year        | Date records begin |
|---|------------------|-------------|----------------|-------------|--------------------|
|   | (1,000 pounds)   |             | (1,000 pounds) |             |                    |
| <b>Frozen fruit</b>                         |                  |             |                |             |                    |
| Apples .....                                | 97,640           | 1977        | 19,144         | 1948        | June 1944          |
| Apricots .....                              | 32,665           | 1946        | 2,920          | 1950        | June 1945          |
| <b>Blackberries</b>                         |                  |             |                |             |                    |
| Individual quality frozen .....             | 23,531           | 2012        | 6,829          | 1993        | June 1992          |
| Pails and tubs .....                        | 6,548            | 1992        | 1,115          | 2008        | June 1992          |
| Barrels, 400 lbs net .....                  | 11,874           | 2013        | 2,053          | 1994        | June 1992          |
| Concentrate .....                           | 2,429            | 2000        | 67             | 2008        | June 1992          |
| Total blackberries .....                    | 35,272           | 2012        | 3,355          | 1938        | June 1938          |
| Blueberries .....                           | 269,016          | 2016        | 5,048          | 1938        | June 1938          |
| Boysenberries .....                         | 13,040           | 1959        | 754            | 2011        | January 1959       |
| Cherries, tart (ripe tart pitted) .....     | 157,118          | 1986        | 49,349         | 1976        | January 1967       |
| Cherries, tart (juice stock) .....          | 7,917            | 1992        | 212            | 2009        | January 1990       |
| Cherries, sweet .....                       | 23,848           | 1989        | 6,655          | 2003        | January 1978       |
| Grapes .....                                | 29,779           | 1950        | 1,197          | 2016        | June 1944          |
| Peaches .....                               | 102,049          | 1990        | 17,800         | 1949        | June 1944          |
| Raspberries, black .....                    | 8,147            | 1959        | 353            | 2011        | January 1959       |
| <b>Raspberries, red</b>                     |                  |             |                |             |                    |
| Individual quality frozen .....             | 33,320           | 2016        | 6,047          | 1992        | June 1992          |
| Pails and tubs .....                        | 19,340           | 1995        | 6,027          | 2014        | June 1992          |
| Barrels, 400 lbs net .....                  | 27,399           | 2005        | 9,200          | 2007        | June 1992          |
| Concentrate .....                           | 4,267            | 1998        | 541            | 2002        | June 1992          |
| Total red raspberries .....                 | 68,365           | 2016        | 11,601         | 1972        | January 1959       |
| <b>Strawberries</b>                         |                  |             |                |             |                    |
| Individual quality frozen and poly .....    | 176,116          | 2002        | 72,481         | 2006        | April 2001         |
| Pails and tubs .....                        | 95,193           | 2004        | 49,966         | 2014        | April 2001         |
| Barrels and drums .....                     | 92,961           | 2009        | 18,318         | 2001        | April 2001         |
| Juice stock .....                           | 33,020           | 2009        | 7,584          | 2015        | April 2001         |
| Total strawberries .....                    | 322,452          | 2009        | 19,504         | 1944        | June 1938          |
| Other .....                                 | 813,303          | 2000        | 36,133         | 1963        | June 1938          |
| <b>Total frozen fruit</b> .....             | <b>1,668,696</b> | <b>2016</b> | <b>15,588</b>  | <b>1923</b> | <b>June 1923</b>   |
| <b>Frozen juice concentrate</b>             |                  |             |                |             |                    |
| Orange .....                                | 1,791,913        | 1998        | 17,131         | 1949        | September 1949     |
| Other .....                                 | 544,253          | 1994        | 15,653         | 1944        | June 1944          |
| <b>Total frozen juice concentrate</b> ..... | <b>2,197,867</b> | <b>1998</b> | <b>15,653</b>  | <b>1944</b> | <b>June 1944</b>   |

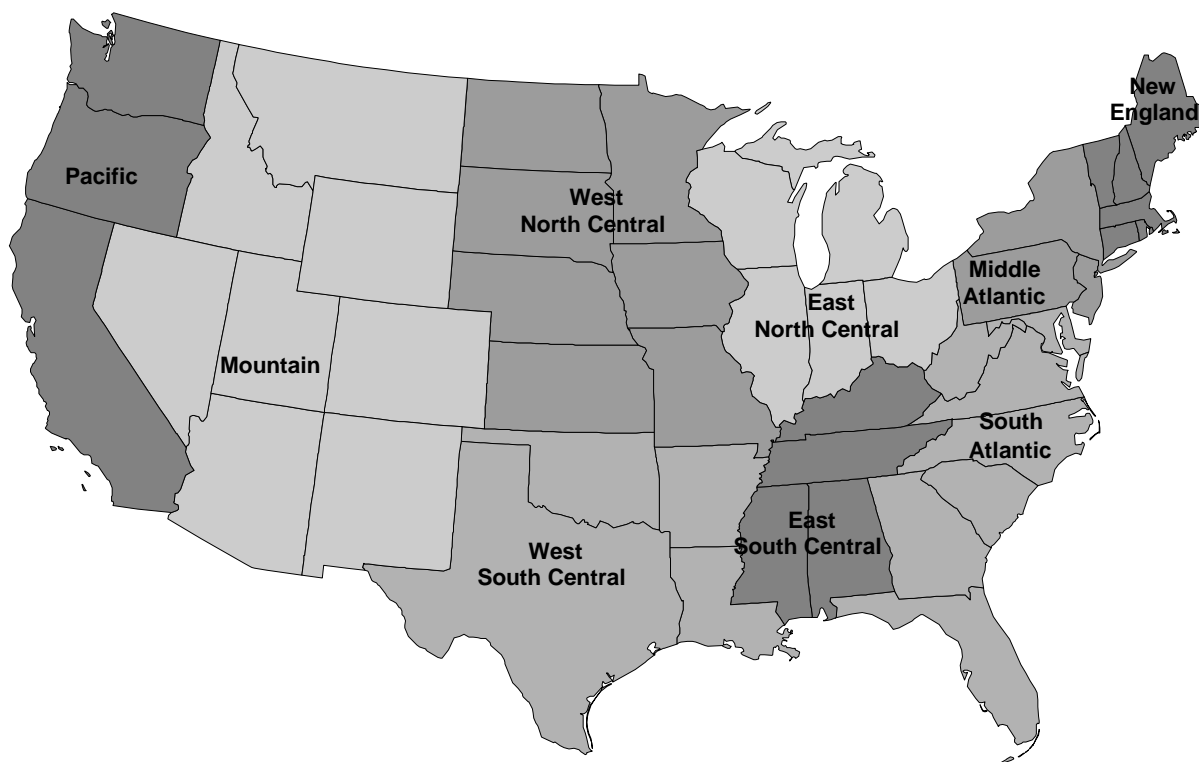
**Record Highs and Lows of Frozen Vegetables and Potatoes in Cold Storage – United States:  
December 2016**

| Commodity                       | Record high    | Year | Record low     | Year | Date records begin |
|---------------------------------|----------------|------|----------------|------|--------------------|
|                                 | (1,000 pounds) |      | (1,000 pounds) |      |                    |
| <b>Frozen Vegetables</b>        |                |      |                |      |                    |
| Asparagus .....                 | 24,010         | 1957 | 3,688          | 1938 | June 1938          |
| Lima beans .....                | 144,565        | 1969 | 41,827         | 1988 | January 1960       |
| Green beans, regular cut .....  | 252,309        | 2012 | 65,193         | 1960 | January 1960       |
| Green beans, french style ..... | 67,835         | 1990 | 14,248         | 2013 | January 1960       |
| Broccoli, spears .....          | 59,351         | 1974 | 19,665         | 1994 | January 1972       |
| Broccoli, chopped and cut ..... | 123,021        | 1999 | 23,807         | 1976 | January 1972       |
| Brussels sprouts .....          | 54,893         | 1980 | 3,683          | 1944 | June 1944          |
| Carrots, diced .....            | 170,186        | 2012 | 67,754         | 1984 | January 1976       |
| Carrots, other .....            | 220,066        | 1997 | 35,118         | 1976 | January 1976       |
| Cauliflower .....               | 91,414         | 1990 | 2,938          | 1944 | June 1944          |
| Corn, cut .....                 | 584,048        | 2009 | 148,804        | 1971 | January 1970       |
| Corn, cob .....                 | 317,765        | 1992 | 50,120         | 1970 | January 1970       |
| Mixed vegetables .....          | 62,454         | 2016 | 20,168         | 1959 | January 1956       |
| Okra .....                      | 64,893         | 1987 | 16,341         | 1993 | January 1972       |
| Onion rings .....               | 17,026         | 1999 | 3,456          | 2009 | January 1973       |
| Onions, other .....             | 69,243         | 2011 | 11,820         | 1984 | January 1973       |
| Blackeye peas .....             | 23,878         | 1990 | 1,386          | 2013 | January 1972       |
| Green peas .....                | 326,354        | 2016 | 2,951          | 1936 | December 1936      |
| Peas and carrots mixed .....    | 18,593         | 1963 | 4,946          | 2006 | January 1956       |
| Spinach .....                   | 90,923         | 1990 | 390            | 1936 | December 1936      |
| Squash, summer/zucchini .....   | 75,397         | 1997 | 32,391         | 1980 | January 1979       |
| Southern greens .....           | 46,224         | 1972 | 11,043         | 2013 | January 1972       |
| Other .....                     | 453,545        | 2016 | 2,050          | 1936 | December 1936      |
| Total frozen vegetables .....   | 2,590,131      | 2016 | 991,869        | 1964 | January 1962       |
| <b>Frozen potatoes</b>          |                |      |                |      |                    |
| French fries .....              | 1,010,098      | 2001 | 42,034         | 1956 | January 1956       |
| Other .....                     | 261,452        | 1994 | 83,197         | 1972 | January 1971       |
| Total frozen potatoes .....     | 1,239,757      | 2001 | 549,300        | 1973 | January 1971       |

**Record Highs and Lows of Red Meat and Commodities in Cold Storage – United States:  
December 2016**

| Commodity                          | Record high      | Year        | Record low     | Year        | Date records begin   |
|------------------------------------|------------------|-------------|----------------|-------------|----------------------|
|                                    | (1,000 pounds)   |             | (1,000 pounds) |             |                      |
| <b>Frozen red meat</b>             |                  |             |                |             |                      |
| <b>Beef</b>                        |                  |             |                |             |                      |
| Boneless .....                     | 525,948          | 2016        | 218,753        | 1981        | January 1972         |
| Beef cuts .....                    | 77,589           | 2008        | 19,423         | 1987        | January 1972         |
| Total beef .....                   | 567,002          | 2016        | 29,279         | 1932        | December 1915        |
| <b>Pork</b>                        |                  |             |                |             |                      |
| Picnics, bone-in .....             | 19,465           | 1964        | 2,986          | 1989        | January 1957         |
| <b>Hams</b>                        |                  |             |                |             |                      |
| Bone-in .....                      | 36,793           | 2008        | 15,529         | 2011        | January 1995         |
| Boneless .....                     | 51,278           | 2012        | 13,075         | 2005        | January 1995         |
| Total hams .....                   | 79,266           | 2012        | 6,747          | 1978        | January 1957         |
| Bellies .....                      | 113,137          | 1988        | 17,759         | 2016        | January 1957         |
| <b>Loins</b>                       |                  |             |                |             |                      |
| Bone-in .....                      | 27,455           | 2004        | 6,138          | 1995        | January 1993         |
| Boneless .....                     | 28,802           | 2015        | 6,582          | 1993        | January 1993         |
| Total loins .....                  | 51,148           | 2005        | 7,574          | 1960        | December 1960        |
| Ribs .....                         | 134,777          | 2015        | 7,456          | 1960        | December 1960        |
| Butts .....                        | 25,881           | 2012        | 2,467          | 1960        | December 1960        |
| Trimnings .....                    | 73,201           | 1998        | 9,691          | 1960        | December 1960        |
| Other .....                        | 123,933          | 1970        | 37,736         | 1960        | January 1957         |
| Variety meats .....                | 58,867           | 1998        | 11,211         | 1993        | January 1993         |
| Unclassified .....                 | 73,217           | 2008        | 6,696          | 1993        | January 1993         |
| Total pork .....                   | 555,642          | 2008        | 41,663         | 1917        | December 1915        |
| <b>Other red meat</b>              |                  |             |                |             |                      |
| Veal .....                         | 24,213           | 1952        | 2,881          | 2011        | June 1944            |
| Lamb and mutton .....              | 68,032           | 1920        | 1,820          | 1925        | December 1915        |
| Total other red meat .....         | 47,687           | 2015        | 7,039          | 2004        | June 1944            |
| <b>Total frozen red meat .....</b> | <b>1,199,292</b> | <b>1918</b> | <b>402,779</b> | <b>1957</b> | <b>December 1916</b> |

# 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 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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