POULTRY
Slaughtered under Federal Inspection and Poultry
Used in Canning and Other Processed Foods
October 1963

December 9, 1963

Inspected Poultry - The number of head and pounds live weight (chickens, turkeys and ducks combined) inspected during October 1963 under the Poultry Inspection Act carried on by the U.S.D.A. were 193,259,000 head and 962,002,000 pounds as compared with 195,112,000 head and 946,602,000 pounds in October 1962. The number of head and pounds (live weight) inspected by classes in October 1963 were: young chickens, 159,093,000 head, 562,773,000 pounds; mature chickens, 16,631,000 head, 77,517,000 pounds; fryer-roaster turkeys 1,912,000 head, 17,032,000 pounds; young turkeys, 14,585,000 head, 297,723,000 pounds; old turkeys, 20,000 head, 330,000 pounds; and ducks 1,018,000 head, 6,627,000 pounds.

Certified Poultry - The quantity of poultry certified as wholesome in October 1963 totaled 718,607,000 pounds ready-to-cook weight of which 409,414,000 pounds were iced and 309,193,000 pounds were frozen. Total pounds certified by class of poultry were as follows: young chickens, 409,313,000 pounds; mature chickens, 52,099,000 pounds; fryer-roaster turkeys, 13,220,000 pounds; young turkeys, 238,365,000 pounds; old turkeys, 262,000 pounds; ducks, 4,693,000 pounds; and other poultry, 655,000 pounds.

Canned and Processed Poultry - Poultry inspected and used for canning and other processed food in October 1963 totaled 59,821,000 pounds ready-to-cook weight, compared with 53,986,000 pounds in October 1962. The quantity used in October 1963 consisted of 9,256,000 pounds of young chickens, 24,366,000 pounds of mature chickens, 22,480,000 pounds of turkeys, and 3,719,000 pounds of other poultry.

Cut-Up Poultry - Poultry cut-up and packaged in plants under Federal inspection in October 1963 was 82,976,000 pounds ready-to-cook weight, as compared with 69,877,000 pounds a year earlier. The quantity cut-up during October consisted of 73,903,000 pounds of young chickens, 897,000 pounds of mature chickens, 8,067,000 pounds of turkeys, and 109,000 pounds of other poultry.

Ante-mortem condemnations amounted to 1,555,000 pounds live weight for all classes. Condemnations by classes were equivalent to the following percentages of quantities inspected: young chickens, 0.17 percent; mature chickens, 0.31 percent; fryer-roaster turkeys, 0.11 percent; young turkeys, 0.12 percent; old turkeys, 0.18 percent; and ducks, 0.01 percent.

Post-mortem condemnations in October 1963 amounted to 17,299,000 pounds (NYD) weight. Condemnations by classes were equivalent to the following percentages of quantities inspected: young chickens, 2.07 percent; mature chickens, 3.14 percent; fryer-roaster turkeys, 1.44 percent; young turkeys, 1.61 percent; old turkeys, 1.35 percent; and ducks, 2.16 percent. In October 1962, the condemnations by classes were equivalent to the following percentages of quantities inspected: young chickens, 1.76 percent; mature chickens, 3.03 percent; fryer-roaster turkeys, 1.60 percent; young turkeys, 1.60 percent; old turkeys, 1.23 percent; and ducks 1.40 percent.

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Poultry: Slaughtered under Federal Inspection, October 1963 with comparisons

Class	Number inspected					Pounds inspected (live weight)					Average live weight				
	September	October		January-October		September	October		January-September		September	October		Jan.-October	
	1963	1962	1963	1962	1963	1963	1962	1963	1962	1963	1963	1962	1963	1962	1963
	Thou.	Thou.	Thou.	Thou.	Thou.	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	Pounds	Pounds	Pounds	Pounds	Pounds
Young chickens	154,200	161,116	159,093	1,500,815	1,565,039	537,807	562,187	562,773	5,108,194	5,397,997	3.49	3.49	3.54	3.40	3.45
Mature chickens	11,967	17,160	16,631	94,418	99,192	57,317	80,906	77,517	458,533	475,484	4.79	4.71	4.66	4.86	4.79
Total chickens	166,167	178,276	175,724	1,595,233	1,664,231	595,124	643,093	640,290	5,566,727	5,873,481	3.58	3.61	3.64	3.49	3.53
Fryer-roasters	1,395	1,840	1,912	11,253	11,389	12,080	16,167	17,032	97,198	99,013	8.66	8.79	8.91	8.64	8.69
Young turkeys	11,987	13,964	14,585	42,241	45,442	229,742	279,908	297,723	782,364	852,366	19.17	20.04	20.41	18.52	18.76
Old turkeys	45	64	20	2,488	2,988	718	1,179	330	47,276	57,885	15.96	18.42	16.50	19.00	19.37
Total turkeys	13,427	15,868	16,517	55,982	59,819	242,540	297,254	315,085	926,838	1,009,264	18.06	18.73	19.08	16.56	16.87
Ducks	1,144	968	1,018	8,290	9,243	7,353	6,255	6,627	53,009	58,986	6.43	6.46	6.51	6.39	6.38
Other poultry	---	---	---	---	---	718	913	959	2,916	3,822	---	---	---	---	---
Total poultry	---	---	---	---	---	845,735	947,515	962,961	6,549,490	6,945,553	---	---	---	---	---

Pounds certified (ready-to-cook weights)

Class	September 1963			October 1962			October 1963			January-October 1962			January-October 1963		
	Iced	Frozen	Total	Iced	Frozen	Total	Iced	Frozen	Total	Iced	Frozen	Total	Iced	Frozen	Total
	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds
Young chickens	342,320	48,032	390,352	361,460	47,125	408,585	356,113	53,200	409,313	3,286,108	409,522	3,695,630	3,477,136	432,718	3,909,854
Mature chickens	25,293	13,279	38,572	35,039	19,465	54,504	32,164	19,935	52,099	208,754	105,451	314,205	213,031	109,333	322,364
Total chickens	367,613	61,311	428,924	396,499	66,590	463,089	388,277	73,135	461,412	3,494,862	514,973	4,009,835	3,690,167	542,051	4,232,218
Fryer-roasters	1,025	8,295	9,320	1,738	10,756	12,494	923	12,297	13,220	17,050	58,418	75,468	12,795	63,723	76,518
Young turkeys	17,089	166,743	183,832	19,069	204,653	223,722	20,039	218,326	238,365	57,828	566,768	624,596	68,099	613,773	681,872
Old turkeys	27	542	569	---	942	942	15	247	262	3,325	34,096	37,421	4,969	40,964	45,933
Total turkeys	18,141	175,580	193,721	20,807	216,351	237,158	20,977	230,870	251,847	78,203	659,282	737,485	85,863	718,460	804,323
Ducks	135	5,044	5,179	106	4,329	4,435	149	4,544	4,693	1,146	36,243	37,389	1,260	40,520	41,780
Other poultry	4	474	478	6	683	689	11	644	655	24	1,854	1,878	31	2,371	2,402
Total poultry	385,893	242,409	628,302	417,418	287,953	705,371	409,414	309,193	718,607	3,574,235	1,212,352	4,786,587	3,777,321	1,303,402	5,080,723

Poultry: Condemnations of poultry slaughtered under Federal Inspection, October 1963 with comparisons

Class	Ante-mortem condemnations						Post-mortem condemnations					
	Pounds (live weight)		Percent 1/		Pounds (live weight)		Pounds (N.Y. dressed wt.)		Percent 2/		Pounds (N.Y. dressed wt.)	
	October		October		January-October		October		October		January-October	
	1962	1963	1962	1963	1962	1963	1962	1963	1962	1963	1962	1963
	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	Percent	Percent	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	Percent	Percent	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds
Young chickens	907	950	0.16	0.17	11,736	12,826	8,912	10,457	1.76	2.07	97,632	112,229
Mature chickens	244	237	.30	.31	1,559	1,791	2,201	2,186	3.03	3.14	11,044	12,036
Total chickens	1,151	1,187	.18	.19	13,295	14,617	11,113	12,643	1.92	2.20	108,676	124,265
Fryer-roasters	24	18	.15	.11	245	171	233	220	1.60	1.44	1,259	1,268
Young turkeys	371	348	.13	.12	1,036	1,037	4,026	4,297	1.60	1.61	10,639	11,182
Old turkeys 3/	---	1	.03	.18	65	63	13	4	1.23	1.35	857	1,025
Total turkeys	395	367	.13	.12	1,346	1,271	4,272	4,521	1.60	1.60	12,755	13,475
Ducks	1	1	.01	.01	7	13	79	129	1.40	2.16	631	833
Other poultry 3/	1	---	.06	.05	5	3	7	6	.85	.70	21	26
Total	1,548	1,555	.16	.16	14,653	15,904	15,471	17,299	1.82	2.00	122,083	138,599

1/ Pounds condemned as percent of pounds (live weight) inspected. Percentages based on unrounded data.
2/ Pounds condemned as percent of equivalent N. Y. dressed weight of quantity inspected. Percentages based on unrounded data.
3/ Dashes mean less than 500 head or 500 pounds.

Poultry: Inspected for canning and other processed foods, October 1963 with comparisons 1/

Class	Pounds used ready-to-cook weight					Pounds condemned ready-to-cook weight				
	September	October		January-October		September	October		January-October	
	1963	1962	1963	1962	1962	1963	1962	1963	1962	1963
	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds
Young chickens										
Further processed	8,407	7,331	9,256	72,311	84,558	12	6	14	71	249
Cut up	64,241	63,516	73,903	546,730	624,705	---	---	---	---	---
Mature chickens										
Further processed	18,068	24,037	24,366	178,918	208,819	35	12	36	161	167
Cut up	731	1,309	897	10,207	7,506	---	---	---	---	---
Turkeys										
Further processed	20,066	18,982	22,480	115,781	151,862	9	15	5	70	60
Cut up	4,564	4,914	8,067	28,126	38,185	---	---	---	---	---
Other poultry 2/										
Further processed	1,612	3,636	3,719	30,674	30,793	36	7	7	39	126
Cut up	38	138	109	1,946	887	---	---	---	---	---
Total										
Further processed	48,153	53,986	59,821	397,684	476,032	92	40	62	341	602
Cut up	69,574	69,877	82,976	587,009	671,283	---	---	---	---	---

1/ All poultry inspected for canning and further processing and cut up and packaged in plants under Federal inspection.
2/ Poultry parts and fat used in further processing that cannot be identified by class are included in "other poultry".

Young chickens: Slaughtered under Federal Inspection by regions and selected States, October 1962 and 1963

Region and State	Number inspected		Pounds inspected (live weight)		Average live weight inspected 1/		Total pounds certified (Ready-to-cook wt.)		Post-mortem condemnations: Pounds (NYD)		Post-mortem condemnations: Percent 2/	
	1962	1963	1962	1963	1962	1963	1962	1963	1962	1963	1962	1963
	Thou.	Thou.	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	Pounds	Pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	Percent	Percent
N. Atl.	13,862	13,335	54,588	53,277	3.94	4.00	39,320	38,403	848	941	1.73	1.97
E. N. Cent.	3,415	2,829	12,271	10,777	3.59	3.81	8,954	7,885	121	174	1.10	1.80
W. N. Cent.	4,680	4,623	16,576	16,636	3.54	3.60	12,017	12,035	228	254	1.53	1.70
S. Atl.	68,885	66,932	241,242	239,221	3.50	3.57	176,479	175,338	3,729	4,125	1.72	1.92
S. Cent.	66,209	67,937	222,968	229,872	3.37	3.38	161,413	166,306	3,673	4,739	1.83	2.29
West	4,065	3,437	14,542	12,990	3.58	3.78	10,402	9,346	313	224	2.40	1.92
U. S.	161,116	159,093	562,187	562,773	3.49	3.54	408,585	409,313	8,912	10,457	1.76	2.07
Maine	5,745	5,662	22,989	23,293	4.00	4.11	17,008	17,103	399	445	1.93	2.13
Mass.	547	428	2,222	1,764	4.06	4.12	1,562	1,256	51	33	2.54	2.10
Conn.	889	836	3,153	3,155	3.55	3.77	2,164	2,237	47	59	1.64	2.09
N. J. 3/	31	25	147	125	4.78	4.98	32	46	---	1	---	1.05
Pa.	6,166	6,107	24,225	23,856	3.93	3.91	17,429	17,205	328	392	1.51	1.83
Ohio	845	651	3,034	2,549	3.59	3.91	2,224	1,888	31	27	1.17	1.16
Ind.	1,136	892	3,777	3,053	3.32	3.42	2,739	2,183	30	50	.87	1.81
Ill.-Mich. 4/	197	45	784	309	3.98	6.87	519	230	11	5	1.56	1.80
Wis.	1,237	1,241	4,676	4,866	3.78	3.92	3,431	3,584	49	92	1.18	2.10
Minn.	939	795	3,593	3,167	3.83	3.98	2,659	2,384	46	36	1.44	1.25
Iowa	181	190	1,174	1,283	6.47	6.77	859	961	20	6	1.94	.51
Mo.	3,538	3,632	11,733	12,135	3.32	3.34	8,441	8,652	161	212	1.53	1.94
Del.	7,105	6,983	27,689	27,094	3.90	3.88	20,448	19,922	468	587	1.88	2.41
Md.	9,013	10,261	34,551	39,684	3.83	3.87	24,954	28,485	438	773	1.41	2.17
Va.	4,184	3,836	13,018	12,225	3.11	3.19	9,361	8,640	161	233	1.37	2.11
N. C.	18,246	16,829	63,190	59,092	3.46	3.51	46,377	43,806	790	783	1.39	1.47
S. C.	1,780	1,837	6,117	6,485	3.44	3.53	4,408	4,678	183	149	3.34	2.56
Ga.	27,689	25,900	93,798	90,433	3.39	3.49	68,863	66,765	1,654	1,555	1.96	1.91
Ky.	2,284	1,844	7,833	6,400	3.43	3.47	5,574	4,589	103	66	1.46	1.15
Tenn.	5,280	4,491	18,157	15,496	3.44	3.45	13,295	11,340	266	297	1.63	2.13
Ala.	16,705	15,710	57,304	52,946	3.43	3.37	42,014	39,147	915	965	1.78	2.03
Miss.	11,086	12,900	36,688	44,148	3.31	3.42	26,933	32,277	568	1,123	1.72	2.83
Ark.	19,579	20,715	65,013	69,001	3.32	3.33	46,116	48,860	1,287	1,556	2.20	2.51
La.-Okla. 4/	2,473	3,111	8,389	10,625	3.39	3.42	6,136	7,664	138	218	1.83	2.28
Texas	8,802	9,166	29,584	31,256	3.36	3.41	21,345	22,429	396	514	1.49	1.83
Idaho	409	455	1,430	1,567	3.50	3.44	1,060	1,122	13	34	1.02	2.48
Utah 3/	42	23	160	85	3.76	3.72	120	64	---	---	---	---
Wash.	703	907	2,551	3,402	3.63	3.75	1,818	2,429	19	49	.82	1.60
Calif.	2,911	2,052	10,401	7,936	3.57	3.87	7,404	5,731	281	141	3.01	1.98

1/ Average weight based on unrounded data.
2/ Pounds condemned as percent of equivalent N. Y. dressed weight of quantity inspected. Percentages based on unrounded data.
3/ Dashes mean less than 500 head or 500 pounds.
4/ Combined to avoid disclosure of individual operations.

Young chickens: Number condemned post-mortem by cause, by regions and selected States, October 1963

Region and State	Tuberculosis	Leucosis	Septicemia	Airsacculitis	Inflammatory	Tumors	Parasites	Bruises	Cadaver	Contamination	Overscald	Decomposition	Other	Total
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
N. Atl.	---	76,530	66,383	36,749	19,019	558	6	1,562	6,986	8,862	1,397	5	5,252	223,309
E. N. Cent.	---	3,618	13,197	21,472	7,829	254	11	919	1,996	2,143	145	11	2,479	54,074
W. N. Cent.	4	3,555	15,559	31,162	18,055	673	3	987	2,201	3,204	304	1	4,563	80,271
S. Atl.	---	327,365	259,695	316,967	148,723	4,741	17	12,833	44,616	83,955	4,720	3,491	12,654	1,219,777
S. Cent.	---	100,352	250,386	594,110	135,392	5,783	90	14,238	52,345	68,151	3,587	776	38,220	1,263,430
West	---	8,499	16,015	16,822	7,123	221	2	586	2,026	4,370	277	34	12,249	68,224
U. S.	4	519,919	621,235	1,017,282	336,141	12,230	129	31,125	110,170	170,685	10,430	4,318	75,417	2,909,085
Maine	---	32,796	31,668	13,891	8,129	160	3	743	3,209	3,383	324	---	3,276	97,582
Mass.	---	1,340	2,381	682	1,451	23	---	60	237	222	52	---	429	6,877
Conn.	---	6,251	5,071	681	780	55	---	69	387	1,308	1	---	456	15,059
N. J.	---	129	22	13	---	---	---	3	---	---	---	---	126	293
Pa.	---	35,175	26,414	21,294	8,511	311	3	624	2,976	3,530	1,016	4	947	100,805
Ohio	---	839	2,054	923	853	87	---	101	469	483	23	---	996	6,828
Ind.	---	1,913	4,277	3,904	2,560	25	4	274	555	807	86	11	957	15,373
Ill.-Mich. 1/	---	130	192	129	153	5	---	6	103	86	6	---	43	853
Wis.	---	736	6,674	16,516	4,263	137	7	538	869	767	30	---	483	31,020
Minn.	---	491	2,207	788	2,312	420	---	87	296	489	15	1	1,387	8,493
Iowa	---	157	426	20	71	24	1	51	23	21	1	---	54	849
Mo.	---	2,884	12,911	30,330	15,668	223	2	849	1,878	2,693	287	---	3,120	70,845
Del.	---	89,414	28,733	40,784	15,221	619	2	862	3,588	3,850	217	---	967	184,257
Md.	---	99,496	34,140	46,109	19,357	1,077	4	2,173	6,955	5,577	372	8	2,605	217,873
Va.	---	11,051	13,143	41,804	9,898	39	---	346	2,498	1,992	663	11	349	81,794
N. C.	---	41,405	55,700	55,216	43,144	1,090	1	3,320	15,065	14,454	1,102	351	1,900	232,748
S. C.	---	4,948	11,669	18,498	6,464	93	2	667	2,064	2,539	247	38	133	47,362
Ga.	---	78,841	111,484	110,455	52,884	1,732	8	5,352	14,205	55,284	2,115	3,083	6,306	441,749
Ky.	---	1,432	5,219	6,010	1,089	73	2	664	729	986	139	4	2,799	19,146
Tenn.	---	6,898	19,083	22,311	11,699	174	---	955	5,627	5,726	705	284	7,052	80,514
Ala.	---	20,291	60,396	111,783	22,770	1,160	---	1,890	7,041	16,482	303	198	7,277	249,591
Miss.	---	32,589	49,468	141,469	32,910	1,097	---	2,923	8,590	18,679	510	160	9,612	298,007
Ark.	---	20,998	71,146	243,013	34,070	1,723	80	4,418	17,993	16,129	1,277	100	8,861	419,808
La.-Okla. 1/	---	3,527	17,545	21,980	9,133	396	---	989	3,352	3,295	312	---	43	60,572
Texas	---	14,617	27,529	47,544	23,721	1,160	8	2,399	9,013	6,854	341	30	2,576	135,792
Idaho	---	270	3,164	6,706	969	27	---	131	256	779	109	---	276	12,687
Utah	---	71	51	---	5	4	---	13	9	14	8	---	---	175
Wash.	---	397	7,111	2,242	2,338	39	2	88	865	706	84	34	1,148	15,054
Calif.	---	7,761	5,689	7,874	3,811	151	---	354	896	2,871	76	---	10,825	40,308

1/ Combined to avoid disclosure of individual operations.

Mature chickens: Slaughtered under Federal Inspection, by regions and selected States, October 1962 and 1963

Region and State	Number inspected		Pounds inspected (live weight)		Average live weight inspected 1/		Total pounds certified (Ready-to-cook wt.)		Post-mortem condemnations: Pounds (NYD)		Post-mortem condemnations: Percent 2/	
	1962	1963	1962	1963	1962	1963	1962	1963	1962	1963	1962	1963
	Thou.	Thou.	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	Pounds	Pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	Percent	Percent
N. Atl.	3,060	3,035	15,012	14,960	4.91	4.93	10,139	10,012	208	242	1.54	1.80
E. N. Cent.	2,483	2,531	10,736	10,604	4.32	4.19	7,317	7,174	294	271	3.05	2.85
W. N. Cent.	7,011	5,822	30,078	24,492	4.29	4.21	19,509	16,202	1,008	886	3.74	4.03
S. Atl.	2,221	2,493	12,514	13,408	5.63	5.38	8,950	9,259	284	330	2.53	2.74
S. Cent.	1,356	1,646	8,219	9,233	6.06	5.61	5,731	6,266	253	294	3.43	3.55
West.	1,029	1,104	4,347	4,820	4.22	4.37	2,858	3,186	154	163	3.95	3.76
U. S.	17,160	16,631	80,906	77,517	4.71	4.66	54,504	52,099	2,201	2,186	3.03	3.14
Maine	423	391	2,703	2,418	6.39	6.18	1,965	1,762	41	40	1.69	1.82
Conn. 3/	94	---	586	---	6.21	---	405	---	9	---	1.68	---
N. Y. 3/	336	---	1,417	---	4.21	---	968	---	22	---	1.75	---
N. J.	1,327	1,371	5,236	5,536	3.95	4.04	3,248	3,432	62	98	1.31	1.97
Pa.	500	451	2,722	2,507	5.44	5.56	1,880	1,659	37	32	1.55	1.42
Ohio	591	649	2,580	2,737	4.37	4.22	1,778	1,856	72	82	3.11	3.36
Ind.	764	874	3,467	3,815	4.54	4.37	2,386	2,588	88	89	2.82	2.60
Ill.	788	697	3,261	2,741	4.14	3.93	2,200	1,852	92	56	3.15	2.28
Mich.	29	32	125	135	4.34	4.20	76	83	2	2	2.16	1.65
Wis.	311	279	1,303	1,176	4.19	4.21	877	795	40	42	3.41	3.93
Minn.	3,320	2,618	13,685	10,656	4.12	4.07	8,669	6,931	516	438	4.20	4.58
Iowa	1,063	986	4,589	3,852	4.32	3.91	3,085	2,651	115	105	2.80	3.04
Mo.	841	887	4,109	4,345	4.89	4.90	2,786	2,930	86	109	2.34	2.80
N.Dak.-S.Dak. 4/	431	360	1,938	1,596	4.50	4.43	1,260	1,039	83	64	4.77	4.47
Nebr.	1,345	971	5,680	4,043	4.22	4.16	3,656	2,651	205	170	4.03	4.69
Del.	64	33	480	246	7.49	7.51	348	176	9	5	2.15	2.32
Md.	648	657	2,552	2,709	3.94	4.12	1,839	1,833	71	49	3.10	2.01
Va.	219	248	1,263	1,309	5.77	5.27	905	934	25	34	2.15	2.87
N. C.	573	799	3,445	4,519	6.01	5.65	2,413	3,116	69	99	2.23	2.43
S. C.	59	34	365	232	6.19	6.75	265	162	9	6	2.59	2.80
Ga.	644	657	4,320	4,111	6.71	6.26	3,117	2,847	100	126	2.57	3.41
Tenn.	291	549	1,816	2,694	6.25	4.91	1,251	1,771	63	95	3.85	3.96
Ala.	248	188	1,472	1,314	5.93	6.98	1,066	932	34	34	2.58	2.88
Miss.	168	217	939	1,168	5.59	5.38	667	788	22	28	2.61	2.68
Ark.	255	278	1,863	1,762	7.31	6.35	1,295	1,200	57	57	3.42	3.65
La.-Okla. 4/	76	97	443	685	5.83	7.06	302	476	21	25	5.28	4.07
Texas	245	265	1,308	1,378	5.34	5.19	894	940	48	48	4.07	3.83
Idaho	21	25	93	116	4.46	4.54	63	79	3	4	3.65	4.39
Utah	54	57	198	218	3.71	3.80	142	149	1	2	.84	1.17
Wash.	116	107	500	477	4.31	4.47	320	309	17	14	3.79	3.27
Calif.	830	889	3,504	3,906	4.22	4.39	2,294	2,579	132	139	4.22	3.96

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Mature chickens: Number condemned post-mortem by cause, by regions and selected States, October 1963

Region and State	Tuberculosis	Leucosis	Septicemia	Airsacculitis	Inflammatory	Tumors	Parasites	Bruises	Cadaver	Contamination	Overscald	Decomposition	Other	Total
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
N. Atl.	103	6,431	14,003	78	7,222	4,942	103	914	2,627	2,984	297	42	24,148	63,894
E. N. Cent.	13,410	10,653	24,484	32	10,483	9,889	263	1,003	1,821	2,578	138	10	3,056	77,820
W. N. Cent.	73,352	15,490	56,010	1,190	26,584	24,045	1,762	3,458	4,460	8,811	1,189	40	19,621	236,012
S. Atl.	57	5,789	31,606	644	17,589	5,366	23	949	3,455	5,524	491	43	2,032	73,568
S. Cent.	12	5,242	24,169	821	12,805	4,034	262	879	998	6,693	264	35	7,312	63,526
West	1	1,275	16,230	850	9,232	7,849	72	867	599	2,032	173	13	5,179	44,372
U. S.	86,935	44,880	166,502	3,615	83,915	56,125	2,485	8,070	13,960	28,622	2,552	183	61,348	559,192
Maine	---	538	2,770	26	1,944	270	15	25	70	517	52	---	913	7,140
N. J.	69	4,034	3,077	15	621	1,021	17	237	1,654	1,101	74	---	20,651	32,571
Pa.	34	684	3,144	8	1,534	966	2	150	276	567	11	1	1	7,378
Ohio	2,877	4,428	6,381	3	3,396	2,598	159	197	489	900	81	4	1,236	22,749
Ind.	1,824	3,434	9,994	10	3,701	3,340	52	167	727	522	36	6	1,112	24,925
Ill.	3,979	417	5,634	13	1,892	2,488	52	553	437	903	15	---	517	16,900
Mich.	43	101	206	3	7	15	---	27	76	12	1	---	96	587
Wis.	4,687	2,273	2,269	3	1,487	1,448	---	59	92	241	5	---	95	12,659
Minn.	30,192	4,887	25,842	153	15,592	17,042	1,106	1,965	2,795	4,964	1,044	28	7,459	113,069
Iowa	8,462	2,102	8,982	61	2,555	1,155	286	378	656	1,112	55	11	2,310	28,125
Mo.	2,890	2,019	7,440	592	3,549	3,152	334	303	361	1,129	57	1	2,461	24,288
N.Dak.-S.Dak. 1/	10,135	785	4,910	208	1,463	896	35	353	531	541	14	---	866	20,737
Nebr.	21,673	5,697	8,836	176	3,425	1,800	1	459	117	1,065	19	---	6,525	49,793
Del.	---	161	408	4	134	42	---	2	25	27	---	---	---	803
Md.	57	1,111	4,595	362	2,254	822	19	280	843	281	111	11	736	11,482
Va.	---	400	3,019	21	4,112	875	---	40	120	404	11	---	2	9,004
N. C.	---	2,250	10,507	85	5,902	1,341	---	262	1,053	1,973	260	1	333	23,967
S. C.	---	170	510	9	205	15	---	7	29	96	---	1	7	1,049
Ga.	---	1,438	11,327	154	4,722	2,154	4	340	1,018	2,320	108	30	753	24,368
Tenn.	---	699	7,458	123	5,656	222	---	248	225	1,945	85	10	5,993	22,664
Ala.	---	107	2,882	69	321	353	---	30	106	684	2	1	376	4,931
Miss.	---	817	3,392	198	669	196	1	106	183	652	86	19	99	6,418
Ark.	---	316	5,208	317	1,774	1,827	1	289	199	1,121	84	5	32	11,173
La.-Okla. 1/	12	223	1,212	22	1,301	233	260	68	157	594	5	---	3	4,090
Texas	---	2,720	3,452	88	2,984	409	---	129	127	1,511	2	---	800	12,222
Idaho	---	66	738	72	75	138	2	7	15	123	1	---	156	1,393
Utah	1	69	397	2	169	99	---	30	33	7	14	1	---	822
Wash.	---	138	1,536	---	443	381	---	15	152	198	19	1	1,037	3,920
Calif.	---	957	13,198	776	8,496	7,185	68	597	384	1,555	130	11	3,591	36,948

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Young turkeys (mature): Slaughtered under Federal Inspection, by regions and selected States, October 1962 and 1963

Region and State	Number inspected		Pounds inspected (live weight)		Average live weight inspected 1/		Total pounds certified (Ready-to-cook wt.)		Post-mortem condemnations: Pounds (NYD)		Post-mortem condemnations: Percent 2/	
	1962	1963	1962	1963	1962	1963	1962	1963	1962	1963	1962	1963
	Thou.	Thou.	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	Pounds	Pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	Percent	Percent
N. Atl.	255	321	5,293	6,640	20.76	20.69	4,182	5,324	64	55	1.34	0.92
E. N. Cent.	1,939	1,971	38,704	39,988	19.96	20.29	31,194	32,131	330	401	.95	1.12
W. N. Cent.	5,508	5,725	108,687	117,834	19.73	20.58	87,479	94,818	1,388	1,534	1.42	1.45
S. Atl.	912	1,183	16,867	22,405	18.49	18.94	13,264	17,566	266	377	1.75	1.87
S. Cent.	1,737	2,122	35,285	43,316	20.29	20.41	27,940	34,255	562	841	1.77	2.16
West	3,613	3,263	75,072	67,540	20.78	20.70	59,663	54,271	1,416	1,089	2.10	1.79
U. S.	13,964	14,585	279,908	297,723	20.04	20.41	223,722	238,365	4,026	4,297	1.60	1.61
Pa.	196	271	4,166	5,489	21.29	20.27	3,327	4,404	44	48	1.20	.97
Ohio	308	329	6,190	6,747	20.10	20.49	4,992	5,456	33	42	.60	.69
Ind.	608	610	12,535	12,033	20.61	19.74	10,204	9,752	115	138	1.02	1.28
Ill.-Mich. 3/	435	396	9,081	8,837	20.88	22.32	7,236	7,099	84	65	1.03	.82
Wis.	588	636	10,898	12,371	18.54	19.47	8,762	9,824	98	156	1.00	1.41
Minn.	2,690	2,624	50,784	53,053	18.88	20.22	41,015	42,852	652	615	1.43	1.29
Iowa	1,201	1,269	24,175	26,621	20.13	20.98	19,606	21,595	338	319	1.55	1.33
Mo.	688	913	14,876	19,291	21.62	21.13	11,704	15,209	192	314	1.44	1.81
N. Dak.-S. Dak. 3/	288	283	5,840	5,892	20.28	20.82	4,713	4,728	49	86	.64	1.62
Nebr.	466	427	9,633	8,999	20.65	21.07	7,779	7,313	101	118	1.17	1.46
Kans.	175	209	3,379	3,978	19.31	19.03	2,662	3,121	56	82	1.85	2.29
Va.	350	466	6,301	8,496	17.98	18.22	4,729	6,390	172	191	3.03	2.51
N. C.	360	457	6,943	9,204	19.28	20.15	5,589	7,441	70	123	1.11	1.48
S. C.	52	61	1,052	1,185	20.39	19.30	853	964	7	8	.75	.81
Ga.	108	109	1,914	2,234	17.74	20.43	1,571	1,788	12	44	.73	2.22
Ky.	254	297	5,009	6,278	19.72	21.12	3,933	5,097	58	60	1.28	1.07
Ark.	435	621	9,242	12,754	21.27	20.53	7,258	9,896	181	364	2.18	3.18
Okla. 4/	310	---	6,108	---	19.71	---	4,920	---	75	---	1.37	---
Texas	703	729	14,349	14,876	20.42	20.42	11,380	11,755	244	347	1.90	2.59
Colo.	340	352	7,927	7,250	23.34	20.59	6,512	6,027	53	47	.74	.72
Utah	637	648	14,295	14,222	22.43	21.95	11,560	11,548	101	146	.79	1.14
Oreg.	206	226	4,293	4,826	20.88	21.38	3,427	3,886	66	65	1.71	1.49
Calif.	2,327	1,950	46,507	39,480	19.99	20.24	36,527	31,392	1,171	814	2.80	2.29

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Young turkeys (mature): Number condemned post-mortem by cause, by regions and selected States, October 1963

Region and State	Tuberculosis	Leucosis	Septicemia	Airsacculitis	Inflammatory	Tumors	Parasites	Bruises	Cadaver	Contamination	Overscald	Decomposition	Other	Total
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
N. Atl.	---	20	690	1,140	252	6	---	38	98	71	7	---	49	2,371
E. N. Cent.	---	102	8,721	5,544	4,836	9	---	191	765	485	104	3	374	21,134
W. N. Cent.	2	272	22,363	36,378	7,527	76	14	951	1,953	2,662	533	50	4,806	77,587
S. Atl.	---	97	5,804	5,521	9,665	14	---	228	552	603	75	2	16	22,577
S. Cent.	---	191	13,470	19,973	6,501	48	8	191	538	1,294	172	2	1,173	43,561
West	---	294	19,255	20,998	10,253	58	239	709	569	2,096	178	22	2,502	57,173
U. S.	2	976	70,303	89,554	39,034	211	261	2,308	4,475	7,211	1,069	79	8,920	224,403
Pa.	---	12	571	1,128	165	1	---	34	87	60	7	---	49	2,114
Ohio	---	15	804	397	659	4	---	21	100	46	17	---	24	2,087
Ind.	---	8	2,942	2,159	2,349	---	---	27	156	89	11	3	122	7,866
Ill.-Mich. 1/	---	4	1,165	467	311	---	---	42	300	103	15	---	220	2,627
Wis.	---	75	3,810	2,521	1,517	5	---	101	209	247	61	---	8	8,554
Minn.	---	9	9,609	12,715	2,407	33	5	365	821	722	327	11	2,514	29,538
Iowa	2	229	5,331	8,160	1,027	8	---	150	259	622	41	17	807	16,653
Mo.	---	19	2,583	8,084	2,847	13	7	175	569	759	47	4	1,090	16,197
N.Dak.-S.Dak. 1/	---	---	1,596	2,857	321	7	2	32	155	109	52	1	20	5,152
Nebr.	---	8	1,889	2,627	676	7	---	123	74	213	16	17	324	5,974
Kans.	---	7	1,355	1,935	249	8	---	106	75	237	50	---	51	4,073
Va.	---	16	3,844	3,413	3,809	2	---	82	285	223	7	1	---	11,682
N. C.	---	12	1,055	1,390	4,322	7	---	99	215	232	55	---	14	7,401
S. C.	---	4	150	44	257	2	---	15	19	40	---	---	---	531
Ga.	---	5	394	621	1,253	2	---	31	9	47	13	---	2	2,377
Ky.	---	4	1,184	830	364	6	---	26	95	169	6	---	122	2,806
Ark.	---	19	6,514	7,147	2,443	9	---	64	140	545	84	2	864	17,831
Okla.	---	3	816	522	397	2	---	8	38	118	34	---	2	1,940
Texas	---	165	4,404	11,244	3,172	21	8	86	226	437	43	---	181	19,987
Colo.	---	---	652	862	723	---	---	36	140	59	5	5	1	2,483
Utah	---	15	3,518	2,077	922	5	---	87	88	311	83	3	45	7,154
Oreg.	---	6	1,251	972	789	3	---	12	54	36	---	3	486	3,612
Calif.	---	273	13,758	16,572	7,660	48	239	562	276	1,614	81	2	1,962	43,047

1/ Combined to avoid disclosure of individual operations.

Fryer-roaster turkeys: Slaughtered under Federal Inspection, by regions and selected States, October 1962 and 1963

Region and State	Number inspected		Pounds inspected (live weight)		Average live weight inspected 1/		Total pounds certified (Ready-to-cook wt.)		Post-mortem condemnations: Pounds (NYD)		Post-mortem condemnations: Percent 2/	
	1962	1963	1962	1963	1962	1963	1962	1963	1962	1963	1962	1963
	Thou.	Thou.	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	Pounds	Pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	Percent	Percent
N.Atl.	67	59	595	508	8.86	8.67	435	350	5	10	0.93	2.11
E.N.Cent.	373	294	3,281	2,658	8.80	9.04	2,620	2,096	30	34	1.02	1.42
W.N.Cent.	889	971	7,833	8,771	8.81	9.03	6,125	6,953	110	109	1.56	1.38
S.Atl.	413	449	3,618	3,925	8.76	8.74	2,668	2,921	81	49	2.49	1.39
S.Cent.	41	45	356	382	8.68	8.49	280	298	2	4	.62	1.16
West.	57	94	484	788	8.49	8.38	366	602	5	14	1.15	1.98
U.S.	1,840	1,912	16,167	17,032	8.79	8.91	12,494	13,220	233	220	1.60	1.44
Ohio	46	49	394	447	8.49	9.13	305	345	3	5	.78	1.18
Wis.	299	236	2,641	2,128	8.82	9.02	2,114	1,683	26	29	1.08	1.49
Minn.	731	808	6,512	7,406	8.91	9.17	5,087	5,890	99	90	1.69	1.35
Iowa	92	83	757	665	8.18	8.02	601	526	7	7	.98	1.20
Va.	406	434	3,552	3,789	8.74	8.73	2,618	2,812	81	48	2.54	1.42
Ark.	36	40	310	342	8.63	8.61	243	267	2	4	.62	1.19
Calif.	51	77	439	658	8.59	8.59	330	499	5	13	1.38	2.13

Fryer-roaster turkeys: Number condemned post-mortem by cause, by regions and selected States, October 1963

Region and State	Tuber-culosis	Leu-cosis	Septi-cemia	Airsac-culitis	Inflam-matory	Tumors	Para-sites	Bruises	Cadaver	Contam-ination	Over-scald	Decom-position	Other	Total
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
N.Atl.	---	1	125	1,240	54	---	---	8	25	25	---	---	---	1,478
E.N.Cent.	---	22	2,382	527	257	2	---	42	277	210	24	---	67	3,810
W.N.Cent.	---	30	5,516	2,930	1,448	6	1	119	349	858	146	3	505	11,911
S.Atl.	12	1	1,193	1,980	677	3	---	46	233	263	29	---	---	4,437
S.Cent.	---	---	178	183	27	---	---	4	13	33	---	---	1	439
West.	---	57	451	335	193	11	---	26	17	160	10	4	34	1,298
U.S.	12	111	9,845	7,195	2,656	22	1	245	914	1,549	209	7	607	23,373
Ohio	---	---	115	158	31	---	---	2	36	21	6	---	64	433
Wis.	---	22	2,265	369	224	2	---	39	241	188	18	---	3	3,371
Minn.	---	30	4,896	1,948	1,239	4	1	88	301	714	132	3	468	9,824
Iowa	---	---	417	114	101	---	---	25	30	78	10	---	37	812
Va.	12	1	1,184	1,949	671	3	---	36	231	263	29	---	---	4,379
Ark.	---	---	178	182	23	---	---	3	9	30	---	---	1	426
Calif.	---	57	423	335	189	10	---	26	10	113	4	4	34	1,205

1/ Average weight based on unrounded data.
2/ Pounds condemned as percent of equivalent N.Y. dressed weight of quantity inspected. Percentages based on unrounded data.

Old turkeys (breeders): Slaughtered under Federal Inspection, by regions and selected States, October 1962 and 1963

Region and State	Number inspected		Pounds inspected (live weight)		Average live weight inspected 1/		Total pounds certified (Ready-to-cook wt.)		Post-mortem condemnations: Pounds (NYD)		Post-mortem condemnations: Percent 2/	
	1962	1963	1962	1963	1962	1963	1962	1963	1962	1963	1962	1963
	Thou.	Thou.	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	Pounds	Pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	Percent	Percent
N.Atl. 3/	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
E.N.Cent.	4	6	77	95	19.25	15.83	61	76	1	1	1.44	1.17
W.N.Cent.	33	12	512	198	15.52	16.50	407	157	9	3	1.95	1.69
S.Atl. 3/	1	1	19	13	19.00	13.00	15	10	---	---	---	---
S.Cent. 3/	7	---	214	---	30.57	---	168	---	1	---	.52	---
West. 3/	19	1	357	24	18.79	40.26	291	19	2	---	.62	.62
U.S.	64	20	1,179	330	18.42	16.50	942	262	13	4	1.23	1.35
Wis. 4/	23	---	366	---	15.57	---	291	---	8	---	2.43	---
Minn. 4/	---	10	---	163	---	16.33	---	130	---	3	---	1.50

Old turkeys (breeders): Number condemned post-mortem by cause, by regions and selected States, October 1963

Region and State	Tuberculosis	Leucosis	Septicemia	Airsacculitis	Inflammatory	Tumors	Parasites	Bruises	Cadaver	Contamination	Overscald	Decomposition	Other	Total
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
N.Atl.	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
E.N.Cent.	---	2	21	9	7	---	---	4	4	6	3	---	---	56
W.N.Cent.	---	1	100	41	16	---	---	1	1	5	---	---	2	167
S.Atl.	---	1	2	---	4	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	7
S.Cent.	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
West.	---	---	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	1
U.S.	---	4	124	50	27	---	---	5	5	11	3	---	2	231
Minn.	---	---	86	37	13	---	---	1	1	3	---	---	1	142

1/ Average weight based on unrounded data.
2/ Pounds condemned as percent of equivalent N. Y. dressed weight of quantity inspected. Percentages based on unrounded data.
3/ Dashes mean less than 500 head or 500 pounds.
4/ Data for only 1 year published in order to avoid disclosure of individual operations.

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Definitions -

Young chickens - Commercially grown broilers-fryers and other young immature birds such as roasters and capons.

Mature chickens - Fowl from breeder and market egg flocks and stags and cocks.

Fryer-roaster turkeys - Young immature birds, usually under 16 weeks of age.

Young turkeys (mature) - Young birds grown to a matured market age, usually 5 to 7 months.

Old turkeys (breeders) - Fully matured birds held for egg production, usually over 15 months of age.

Ducks - Includes all ducks regardless of age and weight.

Other poultry - Includes all other ready-to-cook products which bear the U. S. D. A. Inspected for Wholesomeness legend.

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