poultry

Slaughtered Under Federal Inspection
and Poultry Used in Further Processing

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September 1973

Inspected Poultry - There were 1,184 million pounds live weight of poultry (chickens, turkeys and ducks) inspected for slaughter during September 1973 by the United States Department of Agriculture. This is 11 percent less than the previous month and 6 percent less than September 1972.

The number of head and pounds live weight inspected by classes were: young chickens -- 224 million head, 848 million pounds; mature chickens -- 14.0 million head, 61.4 million pounds; fryer-roaster turkeys -- 959,000 head, 8.50 million pounds; young turkeys -- 13.7 million head, 259 million pounds; old turkeys -- 81,000 head, 1.56 million pounds; and ducks 928,000 head, 5.74 million pounds.

Poultry Certified Wholesome in September totaled 865 million pounds ready-to-cook weight -- down 12 percent from August 1973 and 6 percent below September 1972. The September 1973 total consisted of 628 million pounds of chilled and 237 million pounds of frozen poultry.

Further Processed - Poultry inspected and used for further processing totaled 172 million pounds ready-to-cook weight -- 5 percent less than August 1973 but 20 percent above September 1972. The September 1973 total consisted of 40.4 million pounds of young chickens, 36.4 million pounds of mature chickens, 83.6 million pounds of turkeys and 11.4 million pounds of other poultry.

Poultry Cut-up and Packaged totaled 205 million pounds ready-to-cook weight -- 16 percent less than August 1973 and 9 percent less than September 1972. The breakdown by class was: young chickens, 179 million pounds; mature chickens, 345,000 pounds; turkeys, 25.0 million pounds, and other poultry, 206,000 pounds.

Ante-Mortem Condemnations during September were 5.33 million pounds live weight. Condemnations by class as percent of quantities inspected were: young chickens, 0.51; mature chickens, 0.74; fryer-roaster turkeys, 0.15; young turkeys, 0.18; old turkeys, 0.54 and ducks, 0.05.

Post-Mortem Condemnations in September were 27.4 million pounds (NYD weight). Condemnations by class as percent of quantities inspected were: young chickens, 2.43; mature chickens, 5.66; fryer-roaster turkeys, 1.30; young turkeys, 2.38; and old turkeys, 5.95; and ducks 2.94.

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POULTRY: SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, SEPTEMBER 1973 WITH COMPARISONS

	YOUNG CHICKENS	MATURE CHICKENS 1/	TOTAL CHICKENS	FRYER-ROASTERS	YOUNG TURKEYS 2/	OLD TURKEYS	TOTAL TURKEYS	DUCKS	OTHER POULTRY	TOTAL POULTRY
NUMBER INSPECTED 3/										
AUGUST 1973	264,676	12,778	277,454	1,012	15,304	107	16,423	1,161	---	---
SEPTEMBER 1972	238,875	13,153	252,028	964	14,847	47	15,858	1,082	---	---
SEPTEMBER 1973	224,356	13,987	238,343	959	13,729	81	14,769	928	---	---
JAN.-SEPT. 1972	2,235,621	139,562	2,375,183	9,459	66,973	998	77,430	8,463	---	---
JAN.-SEPT. 1973	2,192,346	144,112	2,336,458	9,648	67,052	1,208	77,908	8,325	---	---
POUNDS INSPECTED 4/										
AUGUST 1973	978,318	55,225	1,033,543	8,825	284,860	1,904	295,589	7,041	296	1,336,469
SEPTEMBER 1972	888,585	61,064	949,649	8,762	296,994	875	306,631	6,875	474	1,263,629
SEPTEMBER 1973	847,831	61,424	909,255	8,503	258,672	1,561	268,736	5,736	246	1,183,973
JAN.-SEPT. 1972	8,302,755	623,291	8,926,046	85,956	1,288,592	19,765	1,394,313	53,885	3,281	10,377,525
JAN.-SEPT. 1973	8,119,889	630,649	8,750,538	85,751	1,249,478	23,392	1,358,621	52,122	2,367	10,163,648
AVERAGE LIVEWEIGHT 5/										
AUGUST 1973	3.70	4.32	3.73	8.72	18.61	17.86	18.00	6.06	---	---
SEPTEMBER 1972	3.72	4.64	3.77	9.09	20.00	18.65	19.34	6.35	---	---
SEPTEMBER 1973	3.78	4.39	3.81	8.87	18.84	19.34	18.20	6.18	---	---
JAN.-SEPT. 1972	3.71	4.47	3.76	9.09	19.24	19.81	18.01	6.37	---	---
JAN.-SEPT. 1973	3.70	4.38	3.75	8.89	18.63	19.34	17.44	6.26	---	---

1/ OF THE MATURE CHICKENS INSPECTED, THE NUMBER REPORTED IN THOUSANDS AS HEAVY FOWL (BROILER BREEDING STOCK) WAS: AUGUST 1973, 1,897; SEPTEMBER 1972, 2,847; AND SEPTEMBER 1973, 2,281.
2/ OF THE YOUNG TURKEYS INSPECTED, THE NUMBER REPORTED IN THOUSANDS AS YOUNG BANDED BREEDERS WAS: AUGUST 1973, 176; SEPTEMBER 1972, 78; AND SEPTEMBER 1973, 123.
3/ THOUSANDS 4/ 1,000 POUNDS 5/ POUNDS

POULTRY: POUNDS CERTIFIED (READY-TO-COOK WEIGHTS), SEPTEMBER 1973 WITH COMPARISONS 1/

		YOUNG CHICKENS	MATURE CHICKENS	TOTAL CHICKENS	FRYER-ROASTERS	YOUNG TURKEYS	OLD TURKEYS	TOTAL TURKEYS	DUCKS	OTHER POULTRY	TOTAL POULTRY
AUGUST 1973											
	CHILLED	644,726	28,513	673,239	1,515	40,633	328	42,476	85	24	715,824
	FROZEN	58,743	6,181	64,924	5,270	185,226	1,171	191,667	4,929	137	261,657
	TOTAL	703,469	34,694	738,163	6,785	225,859	1,499	234,143	5,014	161	977,481
SEPTEMBER 1972											
	CHILLED	580,768	31,908	612,676	1,685	40,411	58	42,154	152	46	655,028
	FROZEN	55,284	6,475	61,759	5,068	193,854	621	199,543	4,703	222	266,227
	TOTAL	636,052	38,383	674,435	6,753	234,265	679	241,697	4,855	268	921,255
SEPTEMBER 1973											
	CHILLED	559,248	31,826	591,074	1,605	35,081	255	36,941	65	18	628,098
	FROZEN	50,211	6,844	57,055	5,023	169,409	941	175,373	3,998	116	236,542
	TOTAL	609,459	38,670	648,129	6,628	204,490	1,196	212,314	4,063	134	864,640
JANUARY-SEPTEMBER 1972											
	CHILLED	5,431,322	316,220	5,747,542	15,417	199,279	3,465	218,161	1,547	337	5,967,587
	FROZEN	496,862	74,474	571,336	51,028	818,675	11,932	881,635	36,929	1,432	1,491,332
	TOTAL	5,928,184	390,694	6,318,878	66,445	1,017,954	15,397	1,099,796	38,476	1,769	7,458,919
JANUARY-SEPTEMBER 1973											
	CHILLED	5,330,879	322,745	5,653,624	15,475	210,812	4,640	230,927	1,152	210	5,885,913
	FROZEN	491,906	71,286	563,192	51,092	775,295	13,614	840,001	36,050	1,063	1,440,306
	TOTAL	5,822,785	394,031	6,216,816	66,567	986,107	18,254	1,070,928	37,202	1,273	7,326,219

1/ 1,000 POUNDS

POULTRY: CONDEMNATIONS OF POULTRY SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, SEPTEMBER 1973 WITH COMPARISONS 3/

	YOUNG CHICKENS	MATURE CHICKENS	TOTAL CHICKENS	FRYER-ROASTERS	YOUNG TURKEYS	OLD TURKEYS	TOTAL TURKEYS	DUCKS	OTHER POULTRY	TOTAL POULTRY
ANTE-MORTEM										
1,000 POUNDS (LIVEWEIGHT):										
SEPTEMBER 1972:	5,080	647	5,727	22	758	6	786	4	1	6,518
SEPTEMBER 1973:	4,352	461	4,813	13	490	8	511	3	---	5,327
JAN.-SEPT. 1972:	39,047	6,577	45,624	181	3,108	90	3,379	26	9	49,038
JAN.-SEPT. 1973:	41,694	6,556	48,250	183	3,010	79	3,272	30	7	51,559
PERCENT 1/										
SEPTEMBER 1972:	.57	1.05	.60	.25	.25	.64	.25	.05	.26	.51
SEPTEMBER 1973:	.51	.74	.52	.15	.18	.54	.19	.05	.21	.44
POST-MORTEM										
1,000 LBS. (N.Y. DRESSED):										
SEPTEMBER 1972:	22,081	3,242	25,323	154	6,590	38	6,782	150	7	32,262
SEPTEMBER 1973:	18,462	3,107	21,569	99	5,533	83	5,715	152	3	27,440
JAN.-SEPT. 1972:	232,161	31,413	263,574	1,564	29,111	852	31,527	842	44	295,987
JAN.-SEPT. 1973:	193,614	33,140	226,754	1,297	29,377	921	31,595	1,073	39	259,461
PERCENT 2/										
SEPTEMBER 1972:	2.77	5.97	2.98	1.96	2.47	4.81	2.46	2.41	1.73	2.85
SEPTEMBER 1973:	2.43	5.66	2.65	1.30	2.38	5.95	2.36	2.94	1.50	2.58

1/ POUNDS CONDEMNED AS PERCENT OF POUNDS (LIVEWEIGHT) INSPECTED. PERCENTAGE 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 FURTHER PROCESSING AND CUT-UP UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, SEPTEMBER 1973 WITH COMPARISONS

	YOUNG CHICKENS		MATURE CHICKENS		TURKEYS		OTHER POULTRY 1/		TOTAL POULTRY	
	FURTHER PROCESSED	CUT UP	FURTHER PROCESSED	CUT UP	FURTHER PROCESSED	CUT UP	FURTHER PROCESSED	CUT UP	FURTHER PROCESSED	CUT UP
POUNDS USED READY-TO-COOK WEIGHT 2/										
AUGUST 1973	43,205	213,480	38,005	389	89,310	28,632	9,429	163	175,949	242,664
SEPTEMBER 1972	35,668	195,235	31,960	116	3/67,771	29,305	7,461	110	3/142,860	224,766
SEPTEMBER 1973	40,401	179,189	36,394	345	83,606	25,028	11,427	206	171,828	204,768
JANUARY-SEPTEMBER 1972	323,929	1,723,914	358,097	4,248	442,983	208,230	69,394	2,110	1,194,403	1,936,502
JANUARY-SEPTEMBER 1973	353,324	1,857,852	372,109	4,681	507,268	185,345	79,673	1,167	1,312,374	2,049,045
LBS. CONDEMNED READY-TO-COOK WEIGHT 2/:										
AUGUST 1973	503	1,249	35	13	36	122	50	23	624	1,407
SEPTEMBER 1972	574	1,390	35	6	145	86	15	2	769	1,484
SEPTEMBER 1973	366	1,157	43	6	30	104	48	1	487	1,268
JANUARY-SEPTEMBER 1972	6,352	14,698	752	63	637	563	168	49	7,909	15,373
JANUARY-SEPTEMBER 1973	4,389	14,903	408	91	380	735	322	36	5,499	15,765

1/ POULTRY PARTS AND FAT USED IN FURTHER PROCESSING THAT CANNOT BE INDENTIFIED BY CLASS ARE INCLUDED IN "OTHER POULTRY".
2/ 1,000 POUNDS.
3/ REVISED.

YOUNG CHICKENS: SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, BY REGIONS AND SELECTED STATES, SEPTEMBER 1972 AND 1973

REGION AND STATE	NUMBER INSPECTED		POUNDS INSPECTED (LIVEWEIGHT)		AVERAGE LIVEWEIGHT INSPECTED1/		TOTAL POUNDS CERTIFIED (READY-TO-COOK WT.)		POST-MORTEM CONDEMNATIONS POUNDS (NYD)		POST-MORTEM CONDEMNATIONS PERCENT 2/	
	1972	1973	1972	1973	1972	1973	1972	1973	1972	1973	1972	1973
	-THOUSANDS-		-1,000 POUNDS-		-POUNDS-		-1,000 POUNDS-		-1,000 POUNDS-		-PERCENT-	
N. ATLANTIC	12,079	11,774	52,015	48,965	4.31	4.16	37,059	35,413	1,586	1,156	3.40	2.63
E. N. CENTRAL	2,497	2,496	9,879	9,907	3.96	3.97	7,194	7,186	200	247	2.25	2.77
W. N. CENTRAL	7,416	7,128	28,858	28,857	3.89	4.05	20,639	20,830	697	664	2.70	2.57
S. ATLANTIC	93,420	86,205	354,277	328,542	3.79	3.81	254,216	237,117	8,548	5,987	2.69	2.03
S. CENTRAL	116,172	108,512	414,912	397,085	3.57	3.66	296,211	283,917	10,346	9,419	2.79	2.65
WEST	7,291	8,241	28,644	34,475	3.93	4.18	20,733	24,996	704	989	2.73	3.19
U. S.	238,875	224,356	888,585	847,831	3.72	3.78	636,052	609,459	22,081	18,462	2.77	2.43
MAINE	5,683	5,636	25,087	23,679	4.41	4.20	18,237	17,618	711	458	3.16	2.15
PENNSYLVANIA	6,065	5,754	25,358	23,483	4.18	4.08	17,804	16,600	829	642	3.65	3.04
INDIANA	1,232	1,270	4,583	4,848	3.72	3.82	3,389	3,590	59	84	1.44	1.93
WISCONSIN	1,050	996	4,449	4,154	4.24	4.17	3,207	2,964	125	141	3.13	3.77
MINNESOTA	863	837	4,032	3,855	4.67	4.60	3,031	2,886	73	53	2.00	1.51
MISSOURI	5,409	5,064	20,337	19,880	3.76	3.93	14,401	14,292	492	457	2.71	2.56
DELAWARE	7,706	7,473	30,362	30,455	3.94	4.08	21,679	21,930	791	569	2.90	2.08
MARYLAND	11,700	11,160	45,597	44,805	3.90	4.01	32,645	32,510	1,119	832	2.73	2.07
VIRGINIA	9,986	10,529	36,862	39,426	3.69	3.74	26,368	28,239	733	507	2.21	1.43
NORTH CAROLINA	23,449	19,862	93,072	78,208	3.97	3.94	66,515	56,166	2,198	1,616	2.63	2.30
SOUTH CAROLINA	3,561	3,322	12,584	11,217	3.53	3.38	8,865	7,848	306	223	2.73	2.22
GEORGIA	32,117	28,761	117,876	106,049	3.67	3.69	85,209	77,157	3,036	1,952	2.87	2.05
TENNESSEE	6,144	5,162	20,805	16,640	3.39	3.22	14,938	11,967	518	369	2.78	2.47
ALABAMA	32,529	30,617	116,081	110,638	3.57	3.61	83,810	79,670	2,529	2,511	2.43	2.53
MISSISSIPPI	20,725	18,615	75,269	69,671	3.63	3.74	54,232	50,747	1,760	1,471	2.61	2.36
ARKANSAS	33,277	33,017	117,268	120,356	3.52	3.65	82,438	85,031	3,019	2,878	2.88	2.67
LOUISIANA	4,079	4,308	15,118	15,998	3.71	3.71	10,828	11,180	391	474	2.89	3.35
TEXAS	14,935	13,157	54,439	49,949	3.65	3.80	38,551	35,463	1,716	1,346	3.53	3.01
WASHINGTON 3/	---	1,276	---	4,972	---	3.90	---	3,723	---	130	---	2.92
CALIFORNIA	5,551	5,773	21,995	24,894	3.96	4.31	16,012	18,086	579	742	2.93	3.32

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/ DATA FOR ONLY 1 YEAR PUBLISHED IN ORDER TO AVOID DISCLOSURE OF INDIVIDUAL OPERATIONS.

YOUNG CHICKENS: NUMBER CONDEMNED POST-MORTEM BY CAUSE, BY REGIONS AND SELECTED STATES, SEPTEMBER 1973

REGION AND STATE	TUBER-CULOSIS	LEU-KOSIS	SEPTI-CEMIA	AIRSAC-CULITIS	SYNO-VITIS	TUMORS	BRUISES	CADAVER	CONTAM-INATION	OVER-SCALD	OTHER	TOTAL
	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.
N. ATLANTIC	---	54,004	56,846	21,650	2,367	910	4,544	8,025	26,582	2,615	10,911	188,454
E. N. CENTRAL	---	13,656	18,617	1,286	452	89	1,920	1,573	8,711	3,322	1,677	51,303
W. N. CENTRAL	---	22,688	29,851	27,029	1,946	298	3,710	6,062	16,699	1,655	12,255	122,193
S. ATLANTIC	---	255,190	218,321	116,425	10,450	5,477	38,684	62,890	224,865	19,911	121,776	1,073,989
S. CENTRAL	---	216,521	422,719	182,198	43,164	14,065	70,237	111,306	324,252	31,473	177,029	1,592,964
WEST	---	49,686	39,517	12,932	1,408	887	2,212	2,902	6,151	4,117	14,128	133,940
U. S.	---	611,745	785,871	361,520	59,787	21,726	121,307	192,758	607,260	63,093	337,776	3,162,843
MAINE	---	29,878	27,790	2,901	1,655	332	1,565	3,616	7,953	1,761	1,747	79,198
PENNSYLVANIA	---	23,511	27,102	18,662	698	521	2,758	3,846	16,296	829	7,385	101,608
INDIANA	---	3,808	6,926	280	48	12	1,058	467	1,368	192	208	14,367
WISCONSIN	---	8,320	10,452	943	398	69	756	1,097	4,946	3,085	1,044	31,110
MINNESOTA	---	727	3,029	449	103	48	297	416	2,571	158	2,016	9,814
MISSOURI	---	17,526	23,236	19,242	968	119	3,109	3,641	9,848	1,092	1,823	80,604
DELAWARE	---	45,063	16,264	21,171	1,147	222	1,403	7,311	12,992	2,110	5,826	113,509
MARYLAND	---	67,279	32,039	23,373	872	600	2,833	10,899	20,482	3,366	6,465	168,208
VIRGINIA	---	34,080	26,793	11,450	247	192	2,184	3,322	12,378	4,083	4,582	99,311
NORTH CAROLINA	---	54,420	55,347	31,402	2,937	1,481	13,099	14,643	66,054	3,274	42,207	284,864
SOUTH CAROLINA	---	5,332	7,978	2,557	459	235	4,660	2,848	9,606	934	10,267	44,876
GEORGIA	---	34,719	68,237	24,358	4,381	2,566	13,162	19,213	95,751	5,150	47,091	314,628
TENNESSEE	---	14,938	20,411	2,744	636	159	2,608	1,943	22,345	817	13,690	80,291
ALABAMA	---	32,480	119,457	20,615	7,709	5,137	17,743	26,701	101,096	8,165	64,580	403,683
MISSISSIPPI	---	34,404	32,366	42,320	6,933	2,651	8,385	14,692	49,504	5,992	30,379	227,626
ARKANSAS	---	70,412	143,018	92,122	16,807	3,615	21,220	35,650	95,196	7,344	42,008	527,392
LOUISIANA	---	15,360	23,654	2,846	2,114	693	5,330	4,323	12,183	3,374	3,712	73,589
TEXAS	---	44,074	66,232	14,032	8,081	1,588	11,797	22,604	35,076	4,069	16,228	223,781
WASHINGTON	---	7,388	8,563	1,339	305	34	369	321	503	118	6,312	25,252
CALIFORNIA	---	37,948	23,457	10,181	772	816	1,151	1,704	4,283	3,879	5,900	90,091

MATURE CHICKENS: SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, BY REGIONS AND SELECTED STATES, SEPTEMBER 1972 AND 1973

REGION AND STATE	NUMBER INSPECTED		POUNDS INSPECTED (LIVEWEIGHT)		AVERAGE LIVEWEIGHT INSPECTED1/		TOTAL POUNDS CERTIFIED (READY-TO-COOK WT.)		POST-MORTEM CONDEMNATIONS POUNDS (NYD)		POST-MORTEM CONDEMNATIONS PERCENT 2/	
	1972	1973	1972	1973	1972	1973	1972	1973	1972	1973	1972	1973
	-THOUSANDS-		-1,000 POUNDS-		-POUNDS-		-1,000 POUNDS-		-1,000 POUNDS-		-PERCENT-	
N. ATLANTIC	1,652	1,738	8,275	8,505	5.01	4.89	5,382	5,455	394	413	5.33	5.43
E. N. CENTRAL	1,870	1,670	7,355	6,502	3.93	3.89	4,412	3,906	344	292	5.24	5.03
W. N. CENTRAL	3,626	2,788	15,778	12,092	4.35	4.34	9,722	7,522	856	638	6.12	5.91
S. ATLANTIC	3,027	3,324	14,572	15,000	4.81	4.51	9,189	9,453	760	737	5.87	5.50
S. CENTRAL	2,114	2,834	11,346	12,670	5.37	4.47	7,365	8,320	721	684	7.12	6.05
WEST	864	1,633	3,738	6,655	4.33	4.08	2,313	4,014	167	343	5.00	5.76
U. S.	13,153	13,987	61,064	61,424	4.64	4.39	38,383	38,670	3,242	3,107	5.57	5.66
MAINE	166	164	1,020	1,070	6.16	6.55	722	740	42	40	4.56	4.20
NEW JERSEY	854	1,058	3,614	4,517	4.23	4.27	2,200	2,742	220	241	6.85	5.96
PENNSYLVANIA	62	47	451	353	7.30	7.48	320	244	8	6	2.06	1.88
OHIO	272	217	1,153	846	4.24	3.89	696	491	59	34	5.76	4.50
INDIANA	611	605	2,349	2,284	3.85	3.78	1,466	1,418	101	91	4.80	4.44
MINNESOTA	1,496	1,067	5,572	4,037	3.72	3.78	3,335	2,440	337	227	6.77	6.29
MISSOURI	1,003	830	5,971	4,768	5.95	5.75	4,007	3,213	250	200	4.70	4.69
MARYLAND	465	444	2,289	1,981	4.92	4.46	1,474	1,261	122	111	5.98	6.33
VIRGINIA 3/	48	---	336	---	7.00	---	231	---	15	---	4.96	---
NORTH CAROLINA3/	---	151	---	1,161	---	7.70	---	793	---	46	---	4.45
GEORGIA	2,215	2,217	10,493	9,762	4.74	4.40	6,569	6,134	547	489	5.87	5.59
ALABAMA 3/	34	---	248	---	7.28	---	169	---	11	---	4.75	---
MISSISSIPPI	1,350	1,181	7,693	5,770	5.70	4.89	5,052	3,772	493	354	7.18	6.87
ARKANSAS	82	40	602	308	7.38	7.73	409	215	30	13	5.49	4.74
TEXAS	328	437	1,529	1,742	4.66	3.99	990	1,077	77	120	5.61	7.68
WASHINGTON	103	227	415	1,011	4.05	4.46	276	643	18	37	4.76	4.04
CALIFORNIA	668	1,295	2,903	5,167	4.35	3.99	1,768	3,079	134	282	5.16	6.11

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3/ DATA FOR ONLY 1 YEAR PUBLISHED IN ORDER TO AVOID DISCLOSURE OF INDIVIDUAL OPERATIONS.

MATURE CHICKENS: NUMBER CONDEMNED POST-MORTEM BY CAUSE, BY REGIONS AND SELECTED STATES, SEPTEMBER 1973

REGION AND STATE	TUBERCULOSIS	LEUKOSIS	SEPTICEMIA	AIRSACCULITIS	SYNOVITIS	TUMORS	BRUISES	CADAVER	CONTAMINATION	OVERSCALD	OTHER	TOTAL
	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.
N. ATLANTIC	---	1,405	26,438	66	134	14,940	2,175	1,669	7,047	224	19,573	73,671
E. N. CENTRAL	379	4,548	28,590	638	5	14,034	6,126	4,257	19,406	455	4,960	83,398
W. N. CENTRAL	3,046	11,664	53,688	2,563	361	48,004	7,126	6,160	10,578	1,056	15,711	159,957
S. ATLANTIC	60	2,860	43,402	1,057	680	18,151	9,650	7,728	40,908	850	12,007	137,353
S. CENTRAL	---	4,742	30,050	268	268	22,554	9,067	2,932	16,052	930	28,850	115,713
WEST	---	977	41,366	83	53	33,335	1,860	1,136	4,443	206	5,330	88,789
U. S.	3,485	26,196	223,534	4,675	1,501	151,018	36,004	23,882	98,434	3,721	86,431	658,881
MAINE	---	223	2,535	12	17	589	165	212	627	2	89	4,471
NEW JERSEY	---	896	16,203	---	55	10,644	1,484	548	3,210	18	18,700	51,758
PENNSYLVANIA	---	71	408	19	---	90	40	26	56	2	---	712
OHIO	112	1,365	2,809	1	---	1,156	277	116	1,434	24	641	7,935
INDIANA	15	803	13,706	---	---	5,714	2,118	598	6,590	16	2,248	31,808
MINNESOTA	2,089	4,607	15,542	744	50	26,097	1,571	1,104	2,034	101	11,851	65,790
MISSOURI	31	992	15,835	529	298	5,770	2,094	2,169	3,332	818	1,177	33,045
MARYLAND	60	1,152	3,184	504	80	2,385	1,656	491	13,536	65	1,375	24,488
NORTH CAROLINA	---	425	1,218	164	11	380	106	180	1,340	---	1,526	5,350
GEORGIA	---	1,075	28,972	261	559	12,796	7,069	6,077	22,264	130	7,455	86,658
MISSISSIPPI	---	1,569	10,139	9	35	9,668	4,690	810	9,002	576	12,704	49,202
ARKANSAS	---	78	707	13	9	25	25	31	345	29	114	1,376
TEXAS	---	533	3,807	115	91	6,625	1,135	647	2,189	52	13,183	28,377
WASHINGTON	---	671	6,892	29	6	941	281	81	748	15	339	10,003
CALIFORNIA	---	222	32,348	52	39	31,353	1,177	975	2,874	191	3,875	73,106

YOUNG TURKEYS (MATURE): SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, BY REGIONS AND SELECTED STATES, SEPTEMBER 1972 AND 1973

REGION AND STATE	NUMBER INSPECTED		POUNDS INSPECTED (LIVEWEIGHT)		AVERAGE LIVEWEIGHT INSPECTED1/		TOTAL POUNDS CERTIFIED (READY-TO-COOK WT.)		POST-MORTEM CONDEMNATIONS POUNDS (NYD)		POST-MORTEM CONDEMNATIONS PERCENT 2/	
	1972	1973	1972	1973	1972	1973	1972	1973	1972	1973	1972	1973
	-THOUSANDS-		-1,000 POUNDS-		-POUNDS-		-1,000 POUNDS-		-1,000 POUNDS-		-PERCENT-	
N. ATLANTIC	271	348	5,045	6,205	18.62	17.83	4,002	4,922	76	103	1.67	1.84
E. N. CENTRAL	1,778	1,564	36,317	30,152	20.42	19.28	28,582	23,920	624	475	1.91	1.75
W. N. CENTRAL	5,579	5,411	110,741	101,661	19.85	18.79	87,459	80,240	2,682	2,175	2.70	2.38
S. ATLANTIC	2,023	1,779	39,554	31,622	19.55	17.78	31,105	25,009	1,112	754	3.13	2.65
S. CENTRAL	2,020	1,825	40,442	34,389	20.02	18.84	31,465	26,787	970	838	2.67	2.71
WEST	3,176	2,802	64,895	54,643	20.43	19.50	51,652	43,612	1,126	1,188	1.93	2.42
U. S.	14,847	13,729	296,994	258,672	20.00	18.84	234,265	204,490	6,590	5,533	2.47	2.38
PENNSYLVANIA	266	346	4,957	6,146	18.65	17.76	3,932	4,875	76	102	1.70	1.85
OHIO	540	589	11,347	11,065	21.02	18.78	8,976	8,702	217	153	2.12	1.53
INDIANA	662	455	12,855	8,432	19.42	18.53	10,100	6,733	255	182	2.20	2.40
WISCONSIN	406	376	7,928	7,489	19.51	19.90	6,185	6,041	98	91	1.37	1.35
MINNESOTA	2,736	2,818	51,426	50,403	18.80	17.88	41,111	40,377	1,107	894	2.39	1.97
IOWA	1,299	1,113	27,103	21,908	20.87	19.68	21,303	17,194	731	472	3.00	2.39
MISSOURI	1,244	1,229	26,217	24,930	21.08	20.28	20,354	19,154	709	703	3.02	3.14
VIRGINIA	689	575	13,016	10,383	18.89	18.07	10,014	8,190	365	144	3.13	1.54
NORTH CAROLINA	1,086	947	19,929	14,926	18.35	15.77	15,992	11,914	510	423	2.85	3.15
ARKANSAS	1,058	1,002	21,389	17,935	20.22	17.89	16,466	13,970	549	434	2.85	2.69
TEXAS	804	823	16,093	16,454	20.02	20.00	12,616	12,817	379	403	2.62	2.73
COLORADO	412	399	8,920	8,385	21.67	21.00	6,844	6,462	111	170	1.37	2.25
UTAH	644	562	14,821	11,733	23.02	20.89	11,842	9,464	375	366	2.82	3.47
CALIFORNIA	1,831	1,604	35,699	30,206	19.50	18.83	28,719	24,381	552	536	1.71	1.97

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YOUNG TURKEYS (MATURE): NUMBER CONDEMNED POST-MORTEM BY CAUSE, BY REGIONS AND SELECTED STATES, SEPTEMBER 1973

REGION AND STATE	TUBER-CULOSIS	LEU-KOSIS	SEPTI-CEMIA	AIRSAC-CULITIS	SYNO-VITIS	TUMORS	BRUISES	CADAVER	CONTAM-INATION	OVER-SCALD	OTHER	TOTAL
	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.
N. ATLANTIC	---	11	2,234	1,366	423	1	14	91	334	7	253	4,734
E. N. CENTRAL	---	23	10,344	5,268	898	8	360	641	1,265	86	519	19,412
W. N. CENTRAL	---	73	56,161	27,919	3,126	49	884	2,685	4,727	887	1,789	98,300
S. ATLANTIC	---	15	11,404	12,201	523	51	416	622	2,232	287	3,196	30,947
S. CENTRAL	---	35	14,982	5,853	6,518	33	326	966	1,836	161	696	31,406
WEST	---	482	21,016	21,161	2,778	55	726	1,487	2,119	321	818	50,963
U. S.	---	639	116,141	73,768	14,266	197	2,726	6,492	12,513	1,749	7,271	235,762
PENNSYLVANIA	---	11	2,226	1,362	423	1	14	89	334	7	248	4,715
OHIO	---	10	3,048	1,252	155	6	72	80	828	44	106	5,601
INDIANA	---	2	3,741	2,494	92	---	102	342	310	32	98	7,213
WISCONSIN	---	11	2,640	350	563	2	186	211	109	6	313	4,391
MINNESOTA	---	8	25,637	10,012	2,085	25	310	1,319	1,679	464	269	41,808
IOWA	---	---	10,690	6,176	288	5	327	411	952	333	495	19,677
MISSOURI	---	3	17,235	10,312	721	5	175	763	1,532	68	1,001	31,815
VIRGINIA	---	4	2,879	1,371	59	4	52	302	130	16	181	5,000
NORTH CAROLINA	---	7	6,249	9,436	222	25	291	220	1,874	55	2,574	20,953
ARKANSAS	---	8	8,145	2,526	5,026	11	114	484	1,008	150	229	17,701
TEXAS	---	27	6,837	3,327	1,492	22	212	482	828	11	467	13,705
COLORADO	---	---	2,730	4,026	361	1	29	249	146	217	52	7,811
UTAH	---	5	5,090	6,939	1,913	7	152	236	877	59	623	15,901
CALIFORNIA	---	476	10,599	8,150	347	40	370	511	907	43	108	21,551

FRYER-ROASTER TURKEYS: SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, BY REGIONS AND SELECTED STATES, SEPTEMBER 1972 AND 1973

REGION AND STATE	NUMBER INSPECTED		POUNDS INSPECTED (LIVEWEIGHT)		AVERAGE LIVEWEIGHT INSPECTED1/		TOTAL POUNDS CERTIFIED (READY-TO-COOK WT.)		POST-MORTEM CONDEMNATIONS POUNDS (NYD)		POST-MORTEM CONDEMNATIONS PERCENT 2/	
	1972	1973	1972	1973	1972	1973	1972	1973	1972	1973	1972	1973
	-THOUSANDS-		-1,000 POUNDS-		-POUNDS-		-1,000 POUNDS-		-1,000 POUNDS-		-PERCENT-	
N. ATLANTIC 3/	6	8	50	85	8.33	10.63	39	67	---	1	---	1.30
E. N. CENTRAL	12	34	103	326	8.71	9.54	79	255	4	4	4.55	1.53
W. N. CENTRAL	536	486	4,996	4,322	9.32	8.90	3,930	3,418	79	44	1.75	1.13
S. ATLANTIC	288	276	2,521	2,377	8.75	8.62	1,858	1,775	49	26	2.17	1.19
S. CENTRAL	27	3	237	25	8.70	8.82	190	19	5	1	2.17	5.98
WEST	95	152	855	1,368	9.03	9.02	657	1,094	17	23	2.19	1.84
U. S.	964	959	8,762	8,503	9.09	8.87	6,753	6,628	154	99	1.96	1.30
MINNESOTA	531	475	4,939	4,216	9.31	8.88	3,886	3,335	78	43	1.76	1.12
VIRGINIA	253	247	2,238	2,140	8.85	8.67	1,637	1,594	45	21	2.26	1.08
CALIFORNIA	82	150	754	1,351	9.18	9.03	576	1,082	16	21	2.32	1.71

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FRYER-ROASTER TURKEYS: NUMBER CONDEMNED POST-MORTEM BY CAUSE, BY REGIONS AND SELECTED STATES, SEPTEMBER 1973

REGION AND STATE	TUBERCULOSIS	LEUKOSIS	SEPTICEMIA	AIRSACCULITIS	SYNOVITIS	TUMORS	BRUISES	CADAVER	CONTAMINATION	OVERSCALD	OTHER	TOTAL
	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.
N. ATLANTIC	---	---	75	10	---	---	---	---	20	---	2	107
E. N. CENTRAL	---	---	305	35	10	---	31	19	34	---	3	437
W. N. CENTRAL	---	2	3,046	340	67	3	44	225	515	6	109	4,357
S. ATLANTIC	---	4	1,023	165	4	---	65	226	202	17	58	1,764
S. CENTRAL	---	---	117	4	---	---	---	---	1	---	---	122
WEST	---	---	1,006	186	15	---	29	22	95	---	15	1,368
U. S.	---	6	5,572	740	96	3	169	492	867	23	187	8,155
MINNESOTA	---	2	3,002	337	67	3	43	220	505	6	109	4,294
VIRGINIA	---	4	751	138	4	---	19	223	100	17	47	1,303
CALIFORNIA	---	---	930	162	15	---	18	14	87	---	15	1,241

OLD TURKEYS (BREEDERS): SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, BY REGIONS AND SELECTED STATES, SEPTEMBER 1972 AND 1973

REGION AND STATE	NUMBER INSPECTED		POUNDS INSPECTED (LIVEWEIGHT)		AVERAGE LIVEWEIGHT INSPECTED1/		TOTAL POUNDS CERTIFIED (READY-TO-COOK WT.)		POST-MORTEM CONDEMNATIONS: POUNDS (NYD)		POST-MORTEM CONDEMNATIONS: PERCENT 2/	
	1972	1973	1972	1973	1972	1973	1972	1973	1972	1973	1972	1973
	-THOUSANDS-		-1,000 POUNDS-		-POUNDS-		-1,000 POUNDS-		-1,000 POUNDS-		-PERCENT-	
N. ATLANTIC 3/	1	1	10	---	10.00	---	7	---	---	---	---	---
E. N. CENTRAL	4	9	69	183	18.66	21.14	54	146	2	4	3.23	2.58
W. N. CENTRAL	21	22	348	400	16.36	18.31	275	318	12	10	3.85	2.91
S. ATLANTIC	9	33	217	665	22.88	20.45	163	492	15	50	7.85	8.33
S. CENTRAL 3/	4	---	69	---	18.87	---	53	---	3	---	4.43	---
WEST	8	18	162	313	19.08	17.70	127	240	6	19	3.90	6.79
U. S.	47	81	875	1,561	18.65	19.34	679	1,196	38	83	4.81	5.95
MINNESOTA	21	22	348	399	16.36	18.30	275	317	12	10	3.85	2.90

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OLD TURKEYS (BREEDERS): NUMBER CONDEMNED POST-MORTEM BY CAUSE, BY REGIONS AND SELECTED STATES, SEPTEMBER 1973

REGION AND STATE	TUBERCULOSIS	LEUKOSIS	SEPTICEMIA	AIRSACCULITIS	SYNOVITIS	TUMORS	BRUISES	CADAVER	CONTAMINATION	OVERSCALD	OTHER	TOTAL
	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.
N. ATLANTIC	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
E. N. CENTRAL	---	1	73	57	3	---	9	6	2	---	3	154
W. N. CENTRAL	---	1	157	133	---	5	15	6	19	1	29	366
S. ATLANTIC	---	4	529	175	8	18	8	3	38	---	895	1,678
S. CENTRAL	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
WEST	---	17	659	70	18	1	17	175	62	---	5	1,024
U. S.	---	23	1,418	435	29	24	49	190	121	1	932	3,222
MINNESOTA	---	1	157	133	---	5	15	6	19	1	29	366

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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