

POULTRY

Slaughtered under Federal Inspection and Poultry
Used in Canning and Other Processed Foods
January 1964

March 4, 1964

Inspected Poultry - The number of head and pounds live weight (chickens, turkeys and ducks combined) inspected during January 1964 under the Poultry Inspection Act carried on by the U. S. D. A. were 170,556,000 head and 645,475,000 pounds as compared with 163,639,000 head and 614,979,000 pounds in January 1963. The number of head and pounds (live weight) inspected by classes in January 1964 were: young chickens, 156,045,000 head, 546,076,000 pounds; mature chickens, 12,246,000 head, 58,188,000 pounds; fryer-roaster turkeys, 852,000 head, 7,615,000 pounds; young turkeys, 1,202,000 head, 31,534,000 pounds; old turkeys, 57,000 head, 1,093,000 pounds; and ducks, 154,000 head, 969,000 pounds.

Certified Poultry - The quantity of poultry certified as wholesome in January 1964 totaled 463,970,000 pounds ready-to-cook weight of which 371,513,000 pounds were iced and 92,457,000 pounds were frozen. Total pounds certified by class of poultry were as follows: young chickens, 391,751,000 pounds; mature chickens, 39,260,000 pounds; fryer-roaster turkeys, 5,904,000 pounds; young turkeys, 25,375,000 pounds; old turkeys, 866,000 pounds; ducks 711,000 pounds; and other poultry, 103,000 pounds.

Canned and Processed Poultry - Poultry inspected and used for canning and other processed food in January 1964 totaled 53,968,000 pounds ready-to-cook weight, 8 percent above the January 1963 total of 50,046,000 pounds. The quantity used in January 1964 consisted of 9,909,000 pounds of young chickens, 23,401,000 pounds of mature chickens, 16,542,000 pounds of turkeys, and 4,116,000 pounds of other poultry.

Cut-Up Poultry - Poultry cut-up and packaged in plants under Federal Inspection in January 1964 was 76,440,000 pounds ready-to-cook weight compared with 72,473,000 pounds in January 1963. The quantity cut-up during January 1964 consisted of 70,856,000 pounds young chickens, 807,000 pounds mature chickens, 4,735,000 pounds of turkeys and 42,000 pounds of other poultry.

Ante-mortem condemnations amounted to 1,747,000 pounds live weight for all classes. Condemnations by classes were equivalent to the following percentages of quantities inspected: young chickens, 0.26 percent; mature chickens, 0.43 percent; fryer-roaster turkeys, 0.23 percent; young turkeys, 0.18 percent; old turkeys, 0.13 percent.

Post-mortem condemnations in January 1964 amounted to 19,370,000 pounds (NYD) weight. Condemnations by classes were equivalent to the following percentages of quantities inspected: young chickens, 3.49 percent; mature chickens, 3.24 percent; fryer-roaster turkeys, 1.11 percent; young turkeys, 1.66 percent; old turkeys, 3.05 percent; and ducks 0.92 percent. In January 1963, the condemnations by classes were equivalent to the following percentages of quantities inspected: young chickens, 3.10 percent; mature chickens, 2.94 percent; fryer-roaster turkeys, 1.32 percent; young turkeys, 1.96 percent; old turkeys, 1.46 percent; and ducks, 1.36 percent.

Poultry: Slaughtered under Federal Inspection, January 1964 with comparisons

Class	Number inspected		Pounds inspected (live weight)		Average live weight	
	December 1963	January 1964	December 1963	January 1964	December 1963	January 1964
	Thou.	Thou.	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	Pounds	Pounds
Young chickens	143,757	150,583	514,415	525,172	3.58	3.49
Mature chickens	14,436	10,725	67,793	49,240	4.70	3.59
Total chickens	158,193	161,308	582,208	574,412	3.68	3.56
Fryer-roasters	1,126	711	9,904	6,411	8.80	9.02
Young turkeys	7,511	1,371	167,650	32,163	22.32	23.46
Old turkeys	17	34	318	685	18.71	20.15
Total turkeys	8,654	2,116	177,872	39,259	20.55	18.55
Ducks	471	215	2,866	1,308	6.08	6.08
Other poultry	---	---	1,045	179	---	---
Total poultry	---	---	763,991	645,654	---	---

Pounds certified (ready-to-cook weights)

Class	December 1963		January 1963		January 1964	
	Iced	Frozen	Iced	Frozen	Iced	Frozen
	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds
Young chickens	319,453	51,774	332,043	45,459	339,834	51,917
Mature chickens	29,370	16,182	22,610	10,769	25,581	13,679
Total chickens	348,823	67,956	354,653	56,228	365,415	65,596
Fryer-roasters	1,656	6,056	493	4,513	671	5,233
Young turkeys	28,617	105,537	4,298	21,161	5,270	20,105
Old turkeys	---	256	34	508	---	866
Total turkeys	30,273	111,849	4,825	26,182	5,941	26,204
Ducks	206	1,858	281	684	146	565
Other poultry	17	718	1	105	11	92
Total poultry	379,319	182,381	359,760	83,199	371,513	92,457

Poultry: Condemnations of poultry slaughtered under Federal Inspection, January 1964, with comparisons

Class	Ante-mortem condemnations				Post-mortem condemnations			
	Pounds (live weight)		Percent 1/		Pounds (N.Y. dressed wt.)		Percent 2/	
	1963	1964	1963	1964	1963	1964	1963	1964
Young chickens	1,000	1,000	0.26	0.26	1,000	1,000	3.10	3.49
Mature chickens	1,363	1,423	.41	.43	14,621	17,095	2.94	3.24
Total chickens	2,363	2,423	.27	.28	15,917	18,786	3.09	3.46
Fryer-roasters	27	17	.42	.23	76	76	1.32	1.11
Young turkeys	53	56	.16	.18	565	469	1.96	1.66
Old turkeys	1	2	.17	.13	9	30	1.46	3.05
Total turkeys	54	58	.20	.19	650	575	1.84	1.59
Ducks 3/	---	---	---	---	16	8	1.36	.92
Other poultry 3/	---	---	---	---	1	1	.60	.62
Total	1,644	1,747	.27	.27	16,584	19,370	3.00	3.34

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, January 1964, with comparisons 1/

Class	Pounds used ready-to-cook weight		Pounds condemned ready-to-cook weight	
	January		December	
	1963	1964	1963	1964
Young chickens	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000
Further processed	9,021	8,406	9,909	7
Cut up	67,223	68,097	70,856	---
Mature chickens	21,665	23,260	23,401	21
Further processed	611	846	807	---
Turkeys	19,246	13,816	16,542	21
Further processed	4,804	3,381	4,735	---
Other Poultry 2/	3,255	4,564	4,116	7
Further processed	65	149	42	---
Total	53,187	50,046	53,968	56
Further processed	72,703	72,473	76,440	---
Cut up	---	---	---	39
Total	---	---	---	41

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, January 1963 and 1964

Region and State	Number inspected		Pounds inspected (live weight)		Average live weight inspected 1/		Total pounds certified (Ready-to-cook wt.)		Post-mortem condemnations			
	1963	1964	1963	1964	1963	1964	1963	1964	1963	1964		
N. Atl.	13,279	12,672	53,115	50,733	4.00	4.00	36,115	36,329	1,067	1,281	2.82	2.40
E. N. Cent.	2,605	2,263	9,206	8,390	3.53	3.71	6,674	6,094	148	180	1.80	2.85
W. N. Cent.	4,198	4,611	13,971	15,461	3.33	3.35	9,821	11,002	414	395	3.31	3.39
S. Atl.	64,917	65,336	226,931	228,384	3.50	3.50	164,403	165,145	6,116	6,942	3.00	3.83
S. Cent.	61,410	67,606	206,955	229,068	3.37	3.39	148,050	163,220	6,229	7,875	3.35	3.83
West	4,174	3,557	14,994	14,040	3.59	3.95	10,439	9,961	647	422	4.82	3.35
U. S.	150,583	156,045	525,172	546,076	3.49	3.50	377,502	391,751	14,621	17,095	3.10	3.49
Maine	5,430	5,562	21,882	22,749	4.03	4.09	16,232	16,749	366	505	1.87	2.48
Mass. 3/	544	---	2,222	---	4.08	---	1,570	---	62	---	3.07	---
Conn. 3/	---	939	---	3,394	---	3.62	---	2,337	---	---	176	---
N. J. 3/	26	---	127	---	4.83	---	36	---	1	---	---	---
Pa.	6,080	5,631	24,274	22,302	3.99	3.96	15,916	15,916	531	562	1.13	---
Ohio	686	578	2,531	2,327	3.69	4.03	1,823	1,702	46	47	2.44	2.82
Ind.	1,016	762	3,199	2,429	3.15	3.19	2,302	1,723	44	43	2.03	2.27
Wis.	859	896	3,193	3,441	3.72	3.84	2,342	2,527	55	86	1.54	2.00
Minn. 3/	---	802	---	2,865	---	3.57	---	2,165	---	---	38	---
Iowa	100	73	425	360	4.26	4.94	297	266	21	5	5.46	1.77
Mo.	3,322	3,736	10,876	12,236	3.27	3.28	7,589	8,571	315	352	3.23	3.20
Del.	7,535	7,122	29,546	27,839	3.92	3.91	21,677	20,346	716	755	2.70	3.02
Md.	9,486	10,096	36,387	38,976	3.84	3.86	26,256	27,888	711	875	2.18	2.50
Va.	4,282	3,729	12,566	11,596	2.93	3.11	8,867	8,113	282	232	2.50	2.23
N. C.	16,428	16,617	56,711	57,380	3.45	3.45	41,562	41,486	1,244	1,517	2.44	2.95
S. C.	1,426	1,339	4,766	4,514	3.34	3.37	3,395	3,193	157	202	3.66	5.00
Ge.	24,877	25,338	84,019	84,555	3.38	3.34	60,536	61,712	2,935	3,187	3.89	4.20
Ky.	1,740	1,620	5,889	5,498	3.38	3.39	4,098	3,910	175	109	3.32	2.22
Tenn.	4,193	3,985	14,686	13,524	3.50	3.39	10,616	9,731	513	349	3.89	2.87
Ala.	14,141	14,435	47,683	50,087	3.37	3.47	34,737	36,308	1,405	1,880	3.28	4.18
Miss.	10,933	13,166	36,701	44,057	3.36	3.35	26,644	31,651	1,000	1,829	3.03	4.62
Ark.	18,986	21,187	62,933	70,491	3.31	3.33	44,075	49,543	2,164	2,349	3.83	3.71
La.-Okla. 4/	2,852	2,432	9,831	8,594	3.45	3.53	7,024	6,161	304	227	3.44	2.94
Texas	8,565	10,781	29,232	36,817	3.42	3.42	20,856	25,916	668	1,132	2.54	3.43
Idaho	349	366	1,176	1,306	3.37	3.57	848	953	24	27	2.35	2.22
Utah 3/ 5/	34	---	105	---	3.13	---	78	---	---	---	42	---
Wash.	586	737	2,060	2,762	3.51	3.75	1,466	1,975	36	48	1.89	1.94
Calif.	3,205	2,432	11,653	9,883	3.64	4.06	8,047	6,967	587	346	5.63	3.90

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.
 4/ Combined to avoid disclosure of individual operations.
 5/ Dashes mean less than 500 pounds.

Young chickens: Number condemned post-mortem by cause, by regions and selected States, January 1964

Region and State	:Tuber-: Leu-: Septi-: Airsac-: Inflam-: Tumors: Para-: Bruises: Cadaver: Contam-: Over-: Decom-: Other: Total		:culosis: cois: cemla: culitis: matory: :sites: :ination: scald: :position:		:No.:		:No.:		:No.:		:No.:		
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	
N. Atl.	91,827	76,989	95,915	30,038	790	4	2,070	7,713	11,276	1,221	24	8,685	326,554
E. N. Cent.	2,442	7,777	33,663	4,709	204	2	1,009	2,046	2,271	157	2	4,578	58,860
W. N. Cent.	3,565	15,049	76,855	24,243	522	25	1,039	2,605	2,907	197	---	5,888	132,929
S. Atl.	379,626	347,633	1,055,573	178,817	3,935	3	15,494	47,799	83,176	4,132	1,606	47,761	2,165,577
S. Cent.	149,334	273,242	1,501,512	174,708	5,336	10	18,282	55,896	68,599	3,488	1,528	43,592	2,295,507
West	9,988	21,471	58,240	13,523	234	---	893	3,979	5,880	342	165	11,251	125,966
U. S.	4 636,782	742,161	2,821,758	426,038	11,071	46	38,787	119,998	174,111	9,537	3,325	121,755	5,105,373
Maine	---	---	---	---	---	---	928	4,973	4,073	289	2	4,547	117,145
Conn.	40,060	33,739	15,779	13,380	281	---	171	213	3,103	---	---	223	46,416
Pa.	10,349	10,104	20,085	2,114	54	---	868	3,196	3,920	925	22	3,745	155,455
Ohio	39,752	30,135	58,676	13,793	419	4	172	713	636	34	---	2,500	14,450
Ind.	873	3,764	4,309	1,370	79	---	299	398	1,084	73	1	1,749	14,293
Ill.	876	1,799	6,886	1,109	19	---	535	870	525	49	1	327	29,547
Wis.	575	2,084	22,364	2,109	106	2	54	325	466	8	---	1,103	8,428
Mich.	407	1,333	2,756	1,611	365	---	41	15	45	---	---	84	1,192
Iowa	114	508	272	102	2	9	944	2,265	2,396	189	---	4,701	123,309
Mo.	3,044	13,208	73,827	22,530	185	16	923	3,763	5,032	173	1	2,810	233,429
Del.	83,061	33,402	86,919	16,803	531	1	1,472	5,361	6,909	704	18	3,985	258,429
Del.	106,018	34,744	74,996	23,408	814	---	4,467	3,175	2,757	192	1	1,549	84,657
Va.	9,632	11,977	45,928	8,937	42	---	4,225	16,741	16,380	1,263	88	15,714	503,449
N.C.	50,010	106,058	240,837	51,326	807	---	584	1,357	2,428	40	29	100	60,430
S.C.	9,014	9,253	33,985	3,582	58	---	7,697	17,155	49,251	1,753	1,469	19,022	954,923
Ca.	119,985	147,019	517,201	72,723	1,639	4	947	970	1,112	131	---	284	38,741
Ky.	3,586	5,855	22,473	3,360	23	---	979	3,177	6,363	41	133	13,684	105,869
Tenn.	12,021	15,792	42,216	11,373	90	---	2,139	10,110	17,283	241	53	4,358	508,021
Ala.	33,389	66,820	337,339	35,373	916	---	3,295	7,593	17,604	1,000	1,194	8,978	541,397
Miss.	59,700	41,384	363,366	36,263	1,020	---	4,940	18,571	16,589	1,165	66	10,187	694,625
Ark.	20,845	89,356	488,032	43,129	1,740	5	850	2,162	1,528	87	---	29	67,482
La.-Okla. 1/	2,102	8,896	45,045	6,556	224	3	5,132	13,273	8,120	823	82	6,072	339,372
Texas	17,091	45,139	203,041	38,654	1,343	2	169	228	315	56	---	120	9,716
Idaho	116	1,361	7,037	285	29	---	531	399	43	64	43	1,676	15,104
Wash.	500	5,361	4,343	1,991	62	---	564	3,214	5,160	222	122	9,455	100,514
Calif.	9,192	14,513	46,858	11,090	124	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---

1/ Combined to avoid disclosure of individual operations.

Mature chickens: Slaughtered under Federal Inspection, by regions and selected States, January 1963 and 1964

Region and State	Number inspected		Pounds inspected (Live weight)		Average live weight inspected 1/		Total pounds certified (Ready-to-cook wt.)		Post-mortem condemnations				
	1963	1964	1963	1964	1963	1964	1963	1964	1963	1964			
N. Atl.	1,881	2,003	9,342	9,811	4.97	4.91	6,343	6,602	121	183	1.44	2.07	
E. N. Cent.	1,682	1,987	6,963	8,418	4.14	4.24	4,883	5,705	157	253	2.52	3.35	
W. N. Cent.	2,089	1,837	8,464	8,464	4.28	4.61	5,893	5,635	272	245	3.40	3.23	
S. Atl.	1,817	2,724	9,248	14,248	5.09	5.23	6,421	9,734	229	396	2.76	3.10	
S. Cent.	1,716	2,147	8,210	10,564	4.78	4.92	5,599	7,187	287	354	3.90	3.75	
West	1,540	1,548	6,547	6,650	4.25	4.30	4,300	4,397	230	260	3.93	4.36	
U. S.	10,725	12,246	49,240	58,188	4.59	4.75	33,379	39,260	1,296	1,691	2.94	3.24	
Maine	254	315	1,567	1,982	6.18	6.28	1,149	1,438	23	49	1.68	2.72	
N. Y. 3/	150	---	653	---	4.34	---	489	---	8	---	1.47	---	
N. J.	747	882	2,997	3,567	4.01	4.05	1,860	2,207	34	79	1.27	2.45	
Pa.	355	382	1,928	2,044	5.42	5.36	1,305	1,356	22	25	1.31	1.33	
Ohio	402	689	1,722	2,865	4.29	4.16	1,211	1,945	39	68	2.51	2.65	
Ind.	629	586	2,589	2,520	4.12	4.30	1,774	1,702	50	133	2.18	5.90	
Ill.	534	396	2,138	1,618	4.01	4.09	1,413	1,092	55	32	2.90	2.16	
Mich. 3/	42	---	179	---	4.25	---	107	---	4	---	2.63	---	
Wis.	75	290	335	1,313	4.43	4.52	318	904	9	19	2.92	1.67	
Minn.	703	566	2,896	2,320	4.12	4.09	1,864	1,490	111	94	4.31	4.53	
Iowa	126	103	522	404	4.14	3.93	353	273	17	10	3.63	2.62	
Mo.	735	808	3,459	4,301	4.71	5.32	2,318	2,905	75	90	2.43	2.34	
Nebr. 3/	508	---	1,982	---	3.90	---	1,308	88	66	---	3.73	---	
Del.	25	19	178	124	7.04	6.55	129	88	4	3	2.35	2.77	
Ma. 3/	---	446	---	1,813	---	4.06	---	1,206	---	49	---	---	3.02
Va.	163	336	882	1,799	5.41	5.35	140	1,287	15	37	1.87	2.30	
N. C.	608	1,009	3,242	5,549	5.33	5.50	2,240	3,807	62	127	2.13	2.55	
S. C.	21	21	127	144	6.07	6.73	92	102	5	4	4.31	2.58	
Ga.	529	817	2,906	4,481	5.50	5.48	1,997	3,024	84	167	3.24	4.15	
Tenn.	485	400	2,168	1,863	4.47	4.65	1,459	1,252	85	61	4.40	3.73	
Ala.	209	225	898	1,363	4.30	6.07	649	965	32	41	3.99	3.33	
Miss.	124	572	645	2,497	5.20	4.37	465	1,693	15	62	2.59	2.78	
Ark.	203	222	1,309	1,447	6.45	6.51	893	1,006	34	44	2.94	3.35	
La.-Okla. 3/4/	182	---	1,007	---	5.53	---	682	---	43	---	4.77	---	
Texas	430	480	1,875	2,226	4.36	4.64	1,243	1,479	71	98	4.20	4.92	
Idaho	22	33	116	147	5.34	4.43	81	97	2	3	2.23	2.75	
Utah	38	42	137	159	3.61	3.75	99	109	1	1	.65	.76	
Wash.	135	141	589	602	4.37	4.27	385	388	16	17	2.98	3.10	
Calif.	1,345	1,282	5,705	5,545	4.24	4.33	3,735	3,675	211	232	4.11	4.65	

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Mature chickens: Number condemned post-mortem by cause, by regions and selected States, January 1964

Region and State	Septicemia	Leucocytosis	Tuberculosis	Air sacculitis	Inflammatory	Tumors	Parasites	Bruises	Cadaver	Contamination	Over-scald	Decomposition	Other	Total
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
N. Atl.	68	4,537	17,991	89	7,453	4,286	12	477	1,421	2,120	152	34	9,220	47,860
E. N. Cent.	4,057	5,914	19,626	39	6,476	6,181	139	728	1,951	2,168	119	8	2,500	49,906
W. N. Cent.	12,538	3,869	15,712	1,200	8,948	6,036	3,161	815	794	3,168	251	16	7,211	63,719
S. Atl.	7	9,692	41,805	752	21,244	4,507	4	1,028	4,394	7,495	254	64	785	92,031
S. Cent.	1	15,722	32,394	747	19,080	3,712	518	1,413	3,641	12,437	233	73	1,302	91,273
West	0	1,601	34,082	883	12,409	9,616	3,362	907	1,035	3,903	179	16	7,231	75,224
U. S.	16,671	41,335	161,510	3,710	75,610	34,338	7,196	5,368	13,236	31,291	1,188	211	28,249	420,013
Maine	---	438	4,469	83	2,380	399	1	31	75	416	18	---	927	9,237
N. J.	54	2,905	8,913	---	2,346	1,880	1	140	795	878	58	---	7,393	25,363
Pa.	14	609	2,526	6	1,109	787	10	68	257	462	16	---	119	5,983
Ohio	775	3,808	7,389	11	2,834	1,920	70	127	983	1,030	52	3	594	19,596
Ind.	979	1,046	5,843	3	1,421	2,046	38	234	516	427	55	5	1,607	14,220
Ill.	927	130	4,655	14	1,032	1,559	27	303	342	483	11	0	294	9,777
Wis.	1,363	825	1,655	11	1,133	656	4	38	85	221	1	---	5	5,997
Minn.	5,482	754	6,187	23	3,144	4,102	1,364	333	139	1,325	166	16	2,448	25,483
Iowa	487	119	787	2	423	111	128	30	71	107	14	---	242	2,521
Mo.	841	1,717	5,284	1,096	3,970	1,327	1,665	254	553	1,105	69	---	2,388	20,269
Del.	---	77	383	4	112	34	2	5	22	25	1	---	3	668
Md.	7	1,403	6,172	158	2,233	357	---	66	228	128	46	---	18	10,816
Va.	---	627	3,426	64	3,587	1,015	---	44	307	326	1	---	57	9,454
N. C.	---	5,060	12,322	45	8,059	653	---	518	2,506	2,343	81	---	111	31,698
S. C.	---	169	206	5	109	19	---	6	17	78	---	---	5	614
Ga.	---	2,225	17,613	473	6,846	2,383	2	320	1,256	4,366	75	50	435	36,044
Tenn.	1	4,206	1,739	9	3,585	137	---	162	418	2,990	139	5	1,157	14,548
Ala.	---	859	4,763	73	1,066	452	---	40	366	1,206	2	5	79	8,911
Miss.	---	3,612	6,911	63	2,610	313	3	183	1,014	2,209	72	63	31	17,084
Ark.	---	299	4,250	396	986	524	---	51	219	701	5	---	23	7,454
Texas	---	9,941	9,551	165	7,951	923	59	887	553	2,117	14	---	2	28,167
Idaho	---	39	536	51	83	120	---	10	27	121	2	---	2	991
Utah	---	57	157	---	22	18	---	7	10	9	3	---	---	283
Wash.	---	232	1,479	---	765	487	---	99	69	274	15	15	1,197	4,632
Calif.	---	1,045	30,607	832	11,524	8,980	3,362	699	890	3,286	159	1	6,032	67,417

Young turkeys (asture): Slaughtered under Federal Inspection, by regions and selected States, January 1963 and 1964

Region and State	Number inspected		Pounds inspected		Average live weight inspected 1/		Total pounds certified (ready-to-cook wt.)		Post-mortem condemnations			
	1963	1964	1963	1964	1963	1964	1963	1964	1963	1964		
	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.	51	71	1,354	2,139	26,455	30.13	1,103	1,709	9	11	0.74	0.57
E. N. Cent.	106	69	1,832	1,373	17,28	19.90	1,469	1,098	18	12	1.09	.97
W. N. Cent.	136	119	1,822	2,785	13,40	23.40	1,441	2,281	32	49	1.96	1.96
S. Atl.	160	181	2,837	3,970	17.73	21.93	2,276	3,124	25	82	.98	2.30
S. Cent.	152	195	4,054	5,001	26.67	25.65	3,216	3,960	49	103	1.34	2.29
West	766	567	20,264	16,266	26.45	28.69	15,954	13,203	432	212	2.37	1.45
U. S.	1,371	1,202	32,163	31,534	23.46	26.23	25,459	25,375	565	469	1.96	1.66
Pa.	43	65	1,160	1,990	26.91	30.65	947	1,592	9	10	.84	.54
Ohio	33	31	680	701	20.71	22.32	551	564	5	6	.85	.93
Ind. 3/	12	2	198	54	17.16	22.21	160	42	2	---	1.19	---
Ill.-Mich. 4/	12	8	208	214	17.33	26.75	165	175	3	1	1.60	.52
Wis. 5/	49	---	746	---	15.35	---	593	---	8	---	1.10	---
Minn.	91	33	1,288	649	14.19	19.73	1,023	516	21	16	1.80	2.78
Iowa	28	33	278	808	9.87	24.81	219	684	5	9	2.30	1.26
Mo. 3/	2	18	30	401	15.00	22.28	23	315	---	16	---	4.46
Va.	40	51	465	986	11.78	19.47	350	719	7	25	1.69	2.82
N. C.	100	90	2,184	2,147	21.80	23.96	1,776	1,737	18	44	.91	2.26
Ca. 5/	---	12	---	346	---	27.89	---	---	280	---	---	2.76
Ark.	20	35	463	693	23.67	20.05	356	554	14	31	3.29	4.96
Texas	107	121	2,968	3,432	27.81	28.27	2,368	2,704	20	64	1.00	2.09
Utah	30	44	691	933	23.21	21.34	557	746	19	8	3.06	.89
Oreg.	7	11	157	218	21.88	19.45	124	175	2	1	1.73	.62
Calif.	720	504	19,206	14,888	26.68	29.55	15,100	12,095	411	203	2.38	1.52

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Young turkeys (mature): Number condemned post-mortem by cause, by regions and selected States, January 1964

Region and State	Tuber-: No.	leu-: No.	Septi-: No.	Airsec-: No.	Inflam-: No.	Tumors-: No.	Para-: No.	Bruises-: No.	Cadaver-: No.	Contam-: No.	Over-: No.	Decom-: No.	Other: No.	Total: No.
	culosis:	emia:	cemia:	cultis:	matu-: No.	ry:	sites:		inaction:	scald:	position:			
N. Atl.	7	54	51	156	---	---	---	28	7	15	---	---	3	321
E. N. Cent.	11	230	100	138	24	---	---	10	12	31	4	---	1	561
W. N. Cent.	33	1,006	1,359	221	1	---	---	12	23	67	7	2	6	2,737
S. Atl.	85	1,636	407	1,165	4	---	---	11	40	152	4	---	---	3,504
S. Cent.	47	572	2,943	540	8	---	---	18	47	77	35	---	9	4,296
West.	52	2,111	3,451	2,121	16	---	---	80	102	281	45	---	12	8,307
U. S.	235	5,609	8,311	4,341	53	36	159	231	623	95	2	31	19,726	
Pa.	6	42	32	141	---	---	---	28	5	9	---	---	3	266
Ohio	6	58	33	67	24	---	---	8	7	13	3	---	1	220
Ind.	1	2	2	11	---	---	---	---	1	1	---	---	---	18
Ill.-Mich. 1/	---	8	14	11	---	---	---	1	2	1	---	---	---	37
Minn.	16	375	397	77	---	---	---	1	20	57	---	---	1	944
Iowa	---	167	229	18	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	2	420
Mo.	15	230	676	46	---	---	---	8	3	6	4	2	1	987
Va.	2	697	275	190	---	---	---	3	20	5	---	---	---	1,192
N. C.	74	814	85	690	3	---	---	6	16	133	---	---	---	1,821
Ge.	6	54	31	243	1	---	---	1	2	13	4	---	---	355
Ark.	---	106	1,066	84	---	---	---	6	11	38	33	---	---	1,344
Texas	32	375	1,818	413	4	---	---	9	26	24	---	---	---	2,701
Utah	2	197	29	77	---	---	---	15	24	1	---	---	---	345
Oreg.	---	30	3	8	---	---	---	7	8	---	---	---	---	56
Calif.	50	1,871	3,413	2,017	16	36	57	69	279	45	---	---	12	7,865

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Fryer-roaster turkeys: Slaughtered under Federal Inspection, by regions and selected States, January 1963 and 1964

Region and State	Number inspected	Pounds inspected		Average live weight inspected		Total pounds certified		Post-mortem condemnations	
		1963	1964	1963	1964	1963	1964	1963	1964
N. Atl. 3/	8	1,000	1,000	8.94	9.24	1,000	1,000	---	---
E. N. Cent.	172	1,545	1,613	8.98	9.38	53	14	0.86	0.96
W. N. Cent.	432	3,902	4,149	9.03	8.88	3,224	37	1.63	.99
S. Atl.	45	437	1,096	9.71	9.37	825	18	.76	1.83
S. Cent.	49	413	291	8.43	8.31	222	2	1.08	.76
West 3/	13	114	395	8.77	7.45	89	5	---	1.41
U.S.	711	6,411	7,615	9.02	8.94	5,904	76	1.32	1.11
Ohio 3/	15	129	73	8.80	9.46	100	1	.90	---
Wis. 4/	133	1,197	---	8.99	---	949	11	1.00	---
Minn.	410	3,705	3,890	9.04	8.90	2,888	57	1.72	1.02
Va.	33	347	676	9.53	9.13	239	3	1.20	2.17
Ark. 4/	36	300	---	8.37	---	234	4	1.39	---
Calif. 4/	42	---	305	---	7.26	---	4	---	1.40

Fryer-roaster turkeys: Number condemned post-mortem by cause, by regions and selected States, January 1964

Region and State	Tuberculosis	Septicemia	Airsacculitis	Influenza	Tumors	Parasites	Bruises	Cadaver sites	Contamination		Decomposition	Other	Total
									Contamination	Scald			
N. Atl.	---	21	3	2	---	---	1	7	---	---	---	---	35
E. N. Cent.	8	676	345	140	2	---	17	94	149	9	6	---	4,446
W. N. Cent.	---	1,854	583	630	3	---	61	210	299	21	3	20	3,689
S. Atl.	---	894	535	100	---	---	7	26	48	1	---	---	1,612
S. Cent.	1	51	23	50	---	---	1	10	30	---	---	10	176
West	5	77	281	46	---	---	13	166	38	1	---	---	627
U.S.	20	3,573	1,770	968	5	---	100	507	571	32	3	36	7,585
Ohio	1	10	---	1	---	---	---	7	1	---	---	6	26
Minn.	5	1,794	527	619	3	---	59	202	288	15	3	20	3,535
Va.	1	750	534	72	---	---	3	17	25	1	---	---	1,403
Calif.	5	67	279	44	---	---	11	13	18	1	---	---	438

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Old turkeys (breeders): Slaughtered under Federal Inspection, by regions and selected States, January 1963 and 1964

Region and State	Number inspected		Pounds inspected		Average live weight inspected 1/		Total pounds certified (Ready-to-cook wt.)		Post-mortem condemnations					
	1963		1964		1963		1964		1963		1964		Percent	
	Thou.	1,000	Thou.	1,000	Pounds	Pounds	Pounds	Pounds	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	Percent	Percent
N. Atl. 3/	8	141	10	214	18.10	21.40	111	166	2	5	1.92	2.60		
E. N. Cent.	12	207	22	404	17.25	18.36	163	320	4	11	2.15	3.03		
W. N. Cent.	1	26	17	313	20.05	18.41	20	252	---	---	---	3.20		
S. Atl. 3/	---	20	1	18	---	13.11	16	14	---	1	---	5.75		
S. Cent. 3/ West	13	291	7	144	22.38	20.57	232	114	3	4	1.15	3.09		
U. S.	34	685	57	1,093	20.15	19.18	542	866	9	30	1.46	3.05		
Minn.	12	205	18	327	17.07	18.22	162	260	4	10	1.86	3.51		
Va. 3/ 4/	1	20	---	---	20.95	---	15	---	---	---	---	---		
Calif. 4/	9	229	---	---	24.69	---	183	---	3	---	1.11	---		

Old turkeys (breeders): Number condemned post-mortem by cause, by regions and selected States, January 1964

Region and State	Tuberc.:Leu-:Septi-:Airsac-:Inflam-: Tumors : sites :		Bruises : Cadaver : ination: scald : position :		Contam-: Over- : Decom- : Other :		Total
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	
N. Atl.	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
E. N. Cent.	5	81	16	53	8	7	173
W. N. Cent.	7	163	281	56	10	17	540
S. Atl.	---	190	27	98	1	4	324
S. Cent.	---	2	4	40	3	18	67
West	---	83	3	33	11	4	150
U. S.	12	519	331	280	33	50	1,254
Minn.	---	126	251	35	10	14	442

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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.

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