



Poultry: Slaughtered under Federal Inspection, December 1966 with comparisons

Class	Number inspected			Pounds inspected (live weight)			Average live weight							
	December 1966		November 1966		December 1966		November 1966		December 1966					
	1965	1966	1965	1966	1965	1966	1965	1966	1965	1966				
Young chickens	171,303	164,758	185,428	2,057,639	2,235,889	609,786	585,964	668,098	7,175,730	7,825,556	3.56	3.60	3.49	3.50
Mature chickens 1/	16,626	13,847	13,814	134,739	150,241	76,881	65,461	65,283	638,688	702,077	4.62	4.73	4.74	4.67
Total chickens	187,929	178,605	199,242	2,192,378	2,386,130	686,667	651,425	733,381	7,814,418	8,527,633	3.65	3.68	3.56	3.57
Fryer-roasters	1,635	1,610	1,383	15,393	15,760	15,161	14,603	12,983	136,499	140,321	9.07	9.39	8.87	8.90
Young turkeys 2/	15,404	8,240	9,308	75,412	85,082	330,478	177,340	205,195	1,495,759	1,684,219	21.45	21.52	19.83	19.80
Old turkeys	21	34	42	1,915	1,804	361	651	709	36,681	34,752	17.19	19.15	16.88	19.15
Total turkeys	17,060	9,684	10,733	92,720	102,646	346,000	192,594	218,887	1,668,939	1,859,892	20.28	19.49	20.39	18.12
Ducks	817	505	590	10,455	10,496	5,285	3,125	3,795	66,797	66,895	6.47	6.19	6.43	6.37
Other poultry	---	---	---	---	---	2,123	522	720	6,321	7,260	---	---	---	---
Total poultry	---	---	---	---	---	1,040,075	847,666	956,783	9,556,475	10,461,680	---	---	---	---

1/ Of the mature chickens inspected, the number reported in thousands as heavy fowl (broiler breeding stock) was November 1966, 2,577; December 1965, 2,440; and December 1966, 2,536.

2/ Of the young turkeys inspected, the number reported in thousands as young banded breeders was: November 1966, 6; December 1965, 44; and December 1966, 9.

Poultry: Pounds certified (ready-to-cook weights), December 1966 with comparisons

Class	November 1966			December 1966			January-December 1965			January-December 1966								
	Chilled		Frozen		Total		Chilled		Frozen		Total		Chilled		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	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	
Young chickens	376,523	58,752	435,275	365,325	56,122	421,447	413,371	59,344	472,715	570,110	5,194,297	4,975,877	627,953	5,603,830				
Mature chickens	38,350	12,300	50,650	31,772	11,743	43,515	32,767	10,078	42,845	118,318	425,438	342,964	118,533	461,497				
Total chickens	414,873	71,052	485,925	397,097	67,865	464,962	446,138	69,422	515,560	688,428	5,619,735	5,318,841	746,486	6,065,327				
Fryer-roasters	2,726	9,021	11,747	2,722	8,703	11,425	2,356	7,735	10,091	24,885	80,847	105,732	86,360	108,256				
Young turkeys	66,023	196,798	262,821	44,293	96,271	140,564	42,192	121,210	163,402	248,566	946,393	1,194,959	284,444	1,342,058				
Old turkeys	4	289	293	80	441	521	---	566	566	6,875	22,500	29,375	4,067	27,600				
Total turkeys	68,753	206,108	274,861	47,095	105,415	152,510	44,548	129,511	174,059	280,326	1,049,740	1,330,066	310,407	1,477,914				
Ducks	241	3,541	3,782	242	1,995	2,237	238	2,473	2,711	2,919	44,979	47,898	2,409	47,928				
Other poultry	148	1,351	1,499	51	287	338	11	462	473	253	3,814	4,067	232	4,777				
Total poultry	484,015	282,052	766,067	444,485	175,562	620,047	490,935	201,868	692,803	5,214,805	1,786,961	7,001,766	5,631,889	1,964,057	7,595,946			

Poultry: Condemnations of poultry slaughtered under Federal Inspection, December 1966 with comparisons

Class	Ante-mortem condemnations				Post-mortem condemnations			
	Pounds (live weight)		Percent 1/		Pounds (live weight)		Percent 2/	
	December	1966	December	1965	January-December	December	1965	January-December
Young chickens	1,294	1,996	0.22	0.30	16,797	24,436	173,421	260,774
Mature chickens	265	310	.40	.47	2,828	3,782	2,744	20,085
Total chickens	1,559	2,306	.24	.31	19,625	28,218	32,698	287,070
Fryer-roasters	24	46	.17	.35	261	273	264	2,092
Young turkeys	240	356	.14	.17	2,122	2,727	4,086	23,121
Old turkeys	1	1	.19	.11	42	70	13	814
Total turkeys	265	403	.14	.18	2,425	3,070	4,363	25,980
Ducks 3/	---	---	---	.01	14	6	61	753
Other poultry	1	1	.11	.16	10	10	5	34
Total	1,825	2,710	.22	.28	22,074	31,304	37,127	220,263

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.

Class	Pounds used ready-to-cook weight				Pounds condemned ready-to-cook weight			
	November		December		January-December		December	
	1966	1965	1966	1965	1966	1965	1966	1965
Young chickens	14,144	12,321	15,811	138,645	178,321	29	35	443
Further processed	93,694	89,541	101,398	1,000,957	1,108,830	---	---	---
Cut up	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Mature chickens	25,856	27,227	26,865	310,068	302,236	5	12	217
Further processed	410	1,062	743	11,289	7,506	---	---	---
Cut up	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Turkeys	35,389	28,789	33,162	252,935	334,732	6	3	82
Further processed	17,509	10,231	11,933	97,248	121,337	---	---	---
Cut up	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other poultry 2/	6,463	3,520	5,436	43,068	59,434	3	3	28
Further processed	90	46	109	739	890	---	---	---
Cut up	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Total	81,852	71,857	81,274	744,716	874,723	43	53	629
Further processed	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Cut up	111,703	100,844	113,283	1,110,233	1,238,563	---	---	---

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, December 1965 and 1966

Region and State	Number inspected		Pounds inspected (live weight)		Average live weight inspected 1/		Total pounds certified (Ready-to-cook wt.)		Post-mortem condemnations	
	1965	1966	1965	1966	1965	1966	1965	1966	1965	1966
	Thou.	Thou.	pounds	pounds	Pounds	Pounds	pounds	pounds	pounds	Percent
			1,000	1,000			1,000	1,000	1,000	Percent
N. Atl.	12,919	13,522	53,707	55,031	4.16	4.07	38,450	39,265	1,765	3.66
E. N. Cent.	2,310	2,321	9,253	10,036	4.01	4.32	6,787	7,338	157	1.89
W. N. Cent.	3,649	3,746	12,517	14,025	3.43	3.74	8,919	9,747	353	3.14
S. Atl.	68,303	77,150	242,912	279,292	3.56	3.62	175,615	198,352	7,632	3.50
S. Cent.	73,944	84,497	253,618	293,406	3.43	3.47	181,757	206,611	8,083	3.55
West	3,633	4,192	13,957	16,308	3.84	3.89	9,919	11,402	393	3.15
U. S.	164,758	185,428	585,964	668,098	3.56	3.60	421,447	472,715	18,383	3.49
Maine	5,474	5,639	23,714	23,013	4.33	4.08	17,592	16,754	598	2.81
Pa.	6,567	7,132	26,403	28,973	4.02	4.06	18,515	20,368	1,058	4.47
Ohio	173	212	847	1,237	4.89	5.84	611	896	18	2.44
Ind.	863	736	2,954	2,854	3.42	3.88	2,198	2,112	48	1.80
Ill.-Mich. 3/	51	40	364	287	7.14	7.18	260	206	9	2.76
Wis.	1,223	1,333	5,088	5,658	4.16	4.24	2,718	4,124	82	1.82
Minn.	573	611	2,124	2,400	3.71	3.93	1,559	1,815	23	1.21
Iowa	36	78	286	721	7.97	9.27	214	548	4	1.30
Mo.	2,988	3,052	9,877	10,873	3.31	3.56	6,981	7,348	321	3.07
Del.	7,375	7,895	27,955	30,844	3.79	3.91	20,051	22,134	1,002	3.62
Va.	10,181	12,557	38,385	47,091	3.77	3.75	27,396	33,345	1,477	3.99
Md.	3,350	3,657	10,658	11,504	3.18	3.15	7,394	7,804	318	4.29
N. C.	17,569	19,214	62,309	69,756	3.55	3.63	45,144	49,435	1,969	3.52
S. C.	1,754	2,342	6,174	8,254	3.52	3.52	4,422	5,705	204	3.67
Ga.	26,744	29,900	93,024	106,655	3.48	3.57	68,088	76,259	2,564	3.07
Ky.	1,799	1,169	6,260	4,265	3.48	3.65	4,130	3,055	508	9.05
Tenn.	4,823	4,971	16,982	18,266	3.52	3.67	12,288	12,369	483	3.17
Ala.	18,254	20,924	64,026	74,078	3.51	3.54	46,605	52,927	1,758	3.06
Miss.	11,009	13,956	38,295	48,237	3.48	3.46	27,944	34,561	1,143	3.32
Ark.	23,752	27,093	78,365	90,778	3.30	3.35	55,346	62,861	2,592	3.68
La.-Okla. 3/	4,195	4,688	14,408	16,954	3.43	3.62	10,407	11,794	469	3.62
Texas	10,112	11,696	35,282	40,828	3.49	3.49	25,037	29,054	1,130	3.56
Idaho 4/	324	---	1,176	---	---	---	874	---	19	1.84
Wash.	760	807	2,856	3,020	3.76	3.74	2,056	2,196	41	1.59
Calif.	2,194	2,514	8,625	10,155	3.93	4.04	6,027	7,017	310	4.03

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/ Combined to avoid disclosure of individual operations.  
 4/ 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, and selected States, December 1966

Region and State	Tuber- culosis		Leu- kosis		Septi- cemia		Airsac- culitis		Synovitis		Tumors		Bruises		Cadaver		Contam- ination		Over- scald		Other		Total				
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.		
N. Atl.	---	235,803	124,456	170,641	8,337	1,406	2,232	16,313	15,782	759	15,190	590,919	15,190	590,919	835	835	59,425	59,425	2,864	2,864	273,666	273,666	86,311	86,311	3,759,941	3,759,941	
E. N. Cent.	6	6,473	17,950	24,282	1,448	700	1,252	2,355	3,868	256	4,390	450	4,390	450	2,864	2,864	86,311	86,311	90,250	90,250	12,964	12,964	111,608	111,608	3,964,144	3,964,144	
W. N. Cent.	7	36,016	42,520	137,579	9,278	432	1,387	77,140	127,236	12,010	3,827	5,949	526	12,731	208,181	8,829	760	195,811	195,811	373,536	373,536	8,722	8,722	16,182	16,182	1,127	1,127
S. Atl.	---	1,183,479	589,774	1,564,421	82,252	7,663	29,655	808	66	32	1,501	53	1,577	4	264	5,897	2,483	7,489	7,489	425,247	425,247	4,976	4,976	658,663	658,663		
S. Cent.	---	722,357	690,517	2,115,153	74,538	10,858	35,753	100,146	38,446	432	14,004	148,532	53,905	1,470,889	512	32,338	419,210	419,210	11,959	11,959	990,744	990,744	13,208	13,208	440,137	440,137	
West	---	46,181	33,402	106,098	7,155	488	1,308	3,827	5,949	623	5,001	264,555	18,596	418,748	3,683	14,337	150,572	150,572	3,683	3,683	14,337	14,337	150,572	150,572			
U. S.	13	2,230,309	1,498,619	4,118,174	183,008	21,547	71,587	202,524	268,833	26,965	208,181	8,829	760	195,811	195,811	373,536	8,722	16,182	1,127	1,127	33,394	33,394	5,897	5,897	2,483	2,483	
Maine	---	82,377	63,563	29,924	3,948	536	891	5,021	5,624	309	3,618	195,811	3,618	195,811	10,477	10,477	373,536	373,536	8,722	8,722	16,182	16,182	1,127	1,127	33,394	33,394	
Pa.	---	144,162	55,975	137,523	3,518	672	1,170	10,751	8,847	441	10,477	373,536	10,477	373,536	8,722	8,722	16,182	16,182	1,127	1,127	33,394	33,394	5,897	5,897	2,483	2,483	
Ohio	---	1,257	4,042	8,567	791	40	375	808	66	32	1,501	53	1,577	4	264	5,897	2,483	7,489	7,489	425,247	425,247	4,976	4,976	658,663	658,663		
Ind.	---	1,261	3,268	8,567	791	40	375	808	66	32	1,501	53	1,577	4	264	5,897	2,483	7,489	7,489	425,247	425,247	4,976	4,976	658,663	658,663		
Ill.-Mich. 1/	6	214	504	111	53	61	4	66	66	32	1,501	53	1,577	4	264	5,897	2,483	7,489	7,489	425,247	425,247	4,976	4,976	658,663	658,663		
Wis.	---	3,741	10,136	14,762	530	306	790	1,311	636	157	1,124	5,897	2,483	7,489	7,489	425,247	425,247	4,976	4,976	658,663	658,663	1,127	1,127	33,394	33,394		
Minn.	---	1,069	1,900	420	83	110	207	191	64	5	1,124	5,897	2,483	7,489	7,489	425,247	425,247	4,976	4,976	658,663	658,663	1,127	1,127	33,394	33,394		
Iowa	7	348	974	602	244	136	37	64	62	5	1,124	5,897	2,483	7,489	7,489	425,247	425,247	4,976	4,976	658,663	658,663	1,127	1,127	33,394	33,394		
Mo.	---	34,549	39,628	136,534	8,950	181	1,143	2,486	3,692	288	1,736	299,187	1,736	299,187	7,489	7,489	425,247	425,247	4,976	4,976	658,663	658,663	1,127	1,127	33,394	33,394	
Del.	---	190,973	31,656	171,912	8,610	611	998	6,379	6,199	420	7,489	425,247	7,489	425,247	4,976	4,976	658,663	658,663	1,127	1,127	33,394	33,394	5,897	5,897	2,483	2,483	
Md.	---	259,847	103,203	248,606	11,474	1,068	1,851	12,580	12,978	2,080	4,124	172,771	4,124	172,771	14,004	14,004	837,216	837,216	148,532	148,532	53,905	53,905	1,470,889	1,470,889			
Va.	---	61,498	40,361	62,582	1,096	76	926	2,397	3,268	155	14,004	837,216	14,004	837,216	53,905	53,905	1,470,889	1,470,889	512	512	32,338	32,338	419,210	419,210			
N. C.	---	192,562	177,989	348,849	26,484	1,849	9,675	23,310	38,446	432	14,004	837,216	14,004	837,216	53,905	53,905	1,470,889	1,470,889	512	512	32,338	32,338	419,210	419,210			
S. C.	---	55,046	17,420	60,319	682	257	1,553	4,361	6,073	432	53,905	1,470,889	53,905	1,470,889	512	32,338	419,210	419,210	11,959	11,959	990,744	990,744	13,208	13,208	440,137	440,137	
Ca.	---	417,744	206,727	649,894	33,115	3,731	14,132	27,466	59,302	4,873	53,905	1,470,889	53,905	1,470,889	512	32,338	419,210	419,210	11,959	11,959	990,744	990,744	13,208	13,208	440,137	440,137	
Ky.	---	1,352	5,177	19,932	464	153	661	1,487	2,091	509	5,001	264,555	18,596	418,748	3,683	14,337	150,572	150,572	3,683	3,683	14,337	14,337	150,572	150,572			
Tenn.	---	43,442	38,538	286,614	6,374	248	1,826	6,708	13,283	1,824	20,353	419,210	20,353	419,210	11,959	11,959	990,744	990,744	13,208	13,208	440,137	440,137	150,572	150,572			
Ala.	---	146,701	146,318	615,848	18,924	2,958	7,030	12,702	27,167	1,137	11,959	990,744	11,959	990,744	13,208	13,208	440,137	440,137	150,572	150,572	150,572	150,572	150,572	150,572			
Miss.	---	83,608	34,224	253,580	6,524	1,655	6,577	19,238	19,661	1,862	13,208	440,137	13,208	440,137	150,572	150,572	150,572	150,572	150,572	150,572	150,572	150,572	150,572	150,572			
Ark.	---	347,134	305,650	624,681	20,583	2,895	8,606	37,549	25,635	5,058	20,621	1,398,412	20,621	1,398,412	150,572	150,572	150,572	150,572	150,572	150,572	150,572	150,572	150,572				
La.-Okla. 1/	---	41,251	61,028	135,850	5,252	542	2,627	5,559	6,822	623	5,001	264,555	18,596	418,748	3,683	14,337	150,572	150,572	150,572	150,572	150,572	150,572	150,572				
Texas	---	58,869	99,582	178,648	16,417	2,407	8,426	16,903	16,949	1,951	18,596	418,748	18,596	418,748	3,683	14,337	150,572	150,572	150,572	150,572	150,572	150,572	150,572				
Wash.	---	120	4,930	3,070	367	79	224	271	979	14	3,683	14,337	3,683	14,337	150,572	150,572	150,572	150,572	150,572	150,572	150,572	150,572					
Calif.	---	30,939	15,692	83,914	6,624	362	744	1,757	3,728	234	6,578	150,572	6,578	150,572	150,572	150,572	150,572	150,572	150,572	150,572	150,572	150,572					

1/ Combined to avoid disclosure of individual operations.

Mature chickens: Slaughtered under Federal Inspection, by regions and selected States, December 1965 and 1966

Region and State	Number inspected		Pounds inspected (live weight)		Average live weight inspected 1/		Total pounds certified (Ready-to-cook wt.)		Post-mortem condemnations			
	1965	1966	1965	1966	1965	1966	1965	1966	1965	1966		
N. Atl.	Thou. 1,969	Thou. 2,016	pounds 9,649	pounds 9,668	pounds 4.90	pounds 4.80	pounds 6,330	pounds 6,312	pounds 232	pounds 326	Percent 3.76	Percent 4.27
E. N. Cent.	2,107	1,841	8,845	7,857	4.20	4.27	5,846	5,076	224	300	2.83	4.48
W. N. Cent.	2,724	2,682	11,776	12,142	4.32	4.53	7,864	7,952	473	562	3.59	4.17
S. Atl.	2,875	2,897	15,365	15,183	5.34	5.24	10,274	10,062	495	567	3.79	4.91
S. Cent.	2,511	2,900	12,773	14,222	5.09	4.90	8,681	9,545	434	626	5.21	6.51
West	1,661	1,478	7,053	6,211	4.25	4.20	4,520	3,898	330	363	3.73	4.69
U. S.	13,847	13,814	65,461	65,283	4.73	4.73	43,515	42,845	2,188	2,744	2.71	2.53
Maine	458	507	2,784	3,120	6.08	6.15	1,987	2,218	68	71	2.89	3.52
N. J.	1,075	1,243	4,520	5,206	4.20	4.19	2,788	3,226	118	217	2.07	3.12
Pa.	285	110	1,601	617	5.61	5.61	1,040	418	30	19	3.78	4.60
Ohio	619	501	2,574	2,133	4.16	4.26	1,657	1,349	87	84	1.81	3.12
Ind.	748	706	3,195	3,023	4.27	4.28	2,119	1,985	52	84	2.94	5.96
Ill.	601	433	2,428	1,749	4.04	4.04	1,646	1,109	64	93	3.89	3.71
Wis.	85	164	428	799	5.05	4.86	293	539	15	26	6.42	6.80
Minn.	1,041	1,053	3,972	4,189	3.82	3.98	2,662	2,650	228	255	4.10	3.40
Iowa 3/	69	---	297	---	4.31	---	201	---	11	---	2.62	4.71
Mo.	889	761	4,683	4,574	5.27	6.01	3,155	3,132	110	139	4.71	2.59
N. Dak.-S. Dak. 3/4/	21	---	95	---	4.52	---	64	---	4	---	3.12	2.86
Del.	22	39	166	287	7.44	7.40	117	204	3	4	3.61	4.17
Md.	576	584	2,362	2,473	4.10	4.23	1,585	1,631	66	113	4.15	5.56
Va.	141	188	914	1,241	6.47	6.59	623	872	24	28	3.67	4.04
N. C.	725	593	4,640	3,999	6.40	6.74	3,147	2,731	151	131	3.74	3.17
S. C.	17	62	128	326	7.70	5.25	94	221	4	18	3.21	5.05
Ga.	1,175	1,032	6,231	5,217	5.30	5.06	4,155	3,410	212	195	4.14	4.00
Tenn.	422	268	2,130	1,409	5.05	5.25	1,447	980	79	70	4.52	7.00
Ala.	132	92	956	665	7.22	7.25	696	475	31	24	3.27	5.33
Miss.	1,129	1,577	4,907	6,648	4.34	4.22	3,323	4,409	144	318	3.74	4.92
Ark.	257	278	1,867	2,020	7.27	7.26	1,303	1,425	63	58	4.79	5.05
La.-Okla. 4/	182	289	959	1,357	5.27	4.70	636	865	35	60	4.14	4.00
Texas	358	396	1,791	2,121	5.00	5.36	1,163	1,390	77	96	4.52	3.28
Idaho 3/	32	---	141	---	4.43	---	97	---	5	---	4.79	4.14
Wash.	96	104	425	471	4.41	4.52	272	300	17	17	4.52	4.00
Calif.	1,407	1,245	5,984	5,223	4.25	4.19	3,804	3,263	293	328	4.79	7.00

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Mature chickens: Number condemned post-mortem by cause, by regions and selected States, December 1966

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.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
N. Atl.	162	4,274	30,380	33	703	23,195	706	2,812	4,733	401	18,819	86,218													
E. N. Cent.	4,835	5,170	29,129	618	158	28,349	1,378	3,256	6,033	132	7,523	86,581													
W. N. Cent.	21,662	5,956	47,171	2,057	414	40,117	2,451	1,331	9,056	547	28,114	158,856													
S. Atl.	465	7,986	55,876	682	2,852	22,177	1,951	5,356	14,777	636	20,480	133,238													
S. Cent.	1	14,180	51,224	3,499	1,710	31,178	2,201	2,874	16,690	598	20,521	144,676													
West	---	975	53,423	293	524	33,597	2,539	1,106	4,111	569	11,997	109,134													
U. S.	27,125	38,541	267,203	7,182	6,361	178,613	11,206	16,735	55,400	2,883	107,454	718,703													
Maine	---	1,558	7,464	26	534	1,411	60	275	1,043	12	155	12,538													
N. J.	151	2,124	18,778	2	142	18,560	529	2,349	3,091	362	17,261	63,349													
Pa.	---	322	2,490	5	8	1,341	76	71	311	23	369	5,016													
Ohio	615	1,639	8,542	31	27	6,775	436	950	2,248	51	2,204	23,518													
Ind.	389	1,385	6,957	539	56	12,366	377	1,287	1,140	56	1,094	25,646													
Ill.	1,284	816	9,790	26	52	7,775	414	756	1,964	14	3,895	26,786													
Wis.	2,544	1,290	2,302	22	4	916	119	85	576	6	40	7,904													
Minn.	7,178	1,721	20,544	112	170	23,013	1,006	619	3,860	358	18,305	76,886													
Mo.	1,669	1,993	17,387	654	139	2,161	651	400	1,508	36	1,859	28,457													
Del.	---	179	307	5	6	79	1	32	41	---	64	714													
Md.	465	2,225	10,502	71	460	3,922	492	2,900	2,458	118	646	24,259													
Va.	626	626	3,595	42	42	584	73	112	403	9	134	5,620													
N. C.	---	1,469	12,542	188	1,295	3,070	359	902	2,597	116	1,650	24,188													
S. C.	---	186	2,033	82	83	185	41	92	1,323	2	541	4,568													
Ca.	---	2,057	19,905	288	836	10,453	861	1,117	4,695	37	9,045	49,294													
Tenn.	---	410	9,397	131	308	2,146	152	607	4,123	364	1,561	19,199													
Ala.	---	161	1,992	35	108	206	74	78	610	17	178	3,459													
Miss.	---	1,770	20,728	2,876	854	26,907	904	1,564	8,304	101	11,562	75,570													
Ark.	---	440	4,998	137	181	247	95	120	689	34	769	7,710													
La.-Okla. 1/	1	1,221	8,752	96	64	1,122	589	239	1,630	8	1,630	15,372													
Texas	---	10,178	5,348	217	195	548	387	266	1,311	74	4,821	23,345													
Wash.	---	135	2,577	10	13	867	44	12	133	1	918	4,710													
Calif.	---	702	48,245	282	510	32,229	2,277	1,010	3,628	536	10,152	99,571													

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Young turkeys (mature): Slaughtered under Federal Inspection, by regions and selected States, December 1965 and 1966

Region and State	Number inspected		Pounds inspected		Average live weight inspected 1/		Total pounds certified (Ready-to-cook wt.)		Post-mortem condemnations			
	1965		1966		1965		1966		1965		1966	
	Thou.	1,000 pounds	Thou.	1,000 pounds	Pounds	1,000 pounds	Pounds	1,000 pounds	Pounds	1,000 pounds	Percent	Percent
N. Atl.	389	8,887	8,073	22.85	21.30	7,059	6,434	84	110	1.05	1.52	
E. N. Cent.	1,006	20,250	21,076	20.13	20.60	16,131	16,820	372	347	2.04	1.83	
W. N. Cent.	2,138	44,901	58,090	21.00	22.20	35,829	46,600	882	1,267	2.19	2.43	
S. Atl.	950	19,395	23,080	20.42	19.41	15,258	18,142	381	458	2.18	2.21	
S. Cent.	1,126	26,423	29,489	23.47	23.24	20,851	23,143	727	698	3.06	2.63	
West	2,631	57,484	65,387	21.85	23.10	45,436	52,263	1,251	1,206	2.42	2.05	
U. S.	8,240	177,340	205,195	21.52	22.05	140,564	163,402	3,697	4,086	2.32	2.22	
Pa.	279	6,077	6,106	21.81	20.58	4,878	4,889	47	46	.86	.84	
Ohio	269	5,842	4,602	21.73	20.71	4,656	3,650	74	80	1.39	1.94	
Ind.	205	4,447	7,308	21.67	20.82	3,518	5,777	91	132	2.27	2.01	
Ill.-Mich. 3/	117	2,524	3,185	21.57	22.43	2,031	2,593	49	44	2.16	1.54	
Wis.	415	7,437	5,981	17.94	19.43	5,926	4,800	158	91	2.36	1.69	
Minn.	875	15,571	18,966	17.79	19.32	12,344	15,210	416	315	2.97	1.85	
Iowa	546	12,799	14,824	23.46	23.54	10,261	12,012	176	330	1.53	2.48	
Mo.	493	11,497	17,579	23.32	24.48	9,171	14,038	169	449	1.64	2.84	
N. Dak. - S. Dak. 3/ 4/	35	465	---	13.29	---	366	---	10	---	2.39	---	
Nebr.	160	3,910	4,288	24.38	25.51	3,172	3,407	74	101	2.09	2.62	
Kans.	29	659	1,928	22.72	21.19	515	1,537	37	57	6.25	3.29	
Va.	429	8,656	9,669	20.20	20.30	6,628	7,388	246	245	3.16	2.82	
N. C.	360	7,508	11,169	20.88	18.92	6,091	9,013	82	167	1.22	1.66	
S. C.	18	496	388	26.89	23.62	402	311	5	5	1.17	1.54	
Ga.	32	766	230	24.28	26.19	616	183	8	4	1.23	1.76	
Ark.	343	8,564	8,446	24.95	23.28	6,930	7,014	185	267	2.41	3.37	
Texas	553	12,851	12,528	23.26	23.72	9,986	9,837	451	188	3.90	1.67	
Colo.	131	3,172	5,363	24.19	25.89	2,647	2,647	23	60	.82	1.26	
Utah	313	8,288	11,498	26.50	27.60	6,613	9,279	57	128	.76	1.24	
Calif.	1,935	41,563	42,880	20.95	22.16	32,638	34,067	1,106	955	2.96	2.48	

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Young turkeys (mature): Number condemned post-mortem by cause, by regions and selected States, December 1966

Region and State	Tuber- culosis	Leu- kosis	Septi- cemia	Airsac- culitis	Synovitis	Tumors	Bruises	Cadaver	Contam- ination	Over- scald	Other	Total
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
N. Atl.	---	52	3,147	884	385	3	56	299	133	12	18	4,989
E. N. Cent.	---	99	7,921	6,328	645	15	143	324	1,126	215	165	16,981
W. N. Cent.	---	138	29,865	18,246	3,803	38	582	1,441	3,057	293	476	57,939
S. Atl.	---	129	9,751	9,666	1,336	125	223	544	1,038	302	235	23,349
S. Cent.	---	174	14,768	10,605	2,986	122	291	719	1,680	65	1,000	32,410
West	---	194	22,927	22,865	4,265	34	424	930	2,730	376	109	54,854
U. S.	---	786	88,379	68,594	13,420	337	1,719	4,257	9,764	1,263	2,003	190,522
Pa.	---	43	809	531	108	---	41	73	78	4	10	1,697
Ohio	---	17	2,008	1,082	50	6	42	63	566	129	118	4,081
Ind.	---	5	2,601	3,002	241	---	55	156	185	32	4	6,281
Ill.-Mich. <sup>1/</sup>	---	4	933	648	37	7	10	53	117	6	36	1,851
Wis.	---	73	2,379	1,596	317	2	36	52	258	48	7	4,768
Minn.	---	14	9,956	4,504	721	6	123	743	1,500	78	105	16,850
Iowa	---	11	8,308	4,372	894	10	185	297	895	63	104	15,139
Mo.	---	55	9,284	7,133	1,048	11	174	244	321	58	242	18,570
Nebr.	---	41	1,933	1,015	532	10	80	45	148	16	7	3,827
Kans.	---	17	922	817	601	1	7	103	192	78	18	2,756
Va.	---	75	4,869	5,684	748	4	61	255	309	9	7	12,021
N. C.	---	23	3,950	2,733	514	115	97	224	666	291	180	8,793
S. C.	---	1	70	61	35	1	7	2	9	---	26	212
Ca.	---	1	24	53	2	---	2	---	30	---	3	115
Ark.	---	48	6,895	4,672	1,894	5	110	89	643	2	66	14,424
Texas	---	104	2,658	3,058	600	110	100	505	451	15	571	8,172
Colo.	---	1	1,269	408	479	1	15	27	154	49	6	2,409
Utah	---	1	3,669	1,386	206	---	87	64	184	70	5	5,672
Calif.	---	183	16,215	20,133	3,489	17	243	795	2,230	211	97	43,613

<sup>1/</sup> Combined to avoid disclosure of individual operations.

Fryer-roaster turkeys: Slaughtered under Federal Inspection, by regions and selected States, December 1965 and 1966

Region and State	Number inspected		Pounds inspected		Average live weight inspected		Total pounds certified		Post-mortem condemnations					
	1966		1966		1966		1965		1965		1966		1966	
	Thou.	Thou.	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	Pounds	Pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	Percent	Percent
N. Atl.	18	5	173	63	9.88	12.60	130	47	3	1	1.85	1.77		
E. N. Cent.	253	240	2,479	2,369	9.80	9.87	1,962	1,849	26	31	1.17	1.46		
W. N. Cent.	1,015	765	8,935	7,176	8.80	9.38	7,073	5,686	135	132	1.68	2.05		
S. Atl.	285	295	2,705	2,768	9.49	9.38	2,024	2,063	61	87	2.51	3.51		
S. Cent. 3/	30	55	245	439	8.17	7.98	184	319	---	11	---	2.79		
West 3/	9	23	66	168	7.33	7.30	52	127	---	2	---	1.33		
U. S.	1,610	1,383	14,603	12,983	9.07	9.39	11,425	10,091	225	264	1.71	2.27		
Ohio	70	93	687	927	9.77	10.02	529	707	7	16	1.02	1.85		
Wis.	149	122	1,482	1,187	9.97	9.73	1,187	940	18	14	1.31	1.26		
Minn.	950	720	8,395	6,787	8.84	9.43	6,637	5,384	128	121	1.70	1.99		
Iowa	50	31	424	277	8.50	8.87	345	219	6	6	1.52	2.47		
Va.	250	227	2,389	2,157	9.55	9.49	1,778	1,583	58	75	2.70	3.87		

Fryer-roaster turkeys: Number condemned post-mortem by cause, by regions and selected States, December 1966

Region and State	Tuber- culosis		Leu- kosis		Septi- cemia		Airsac- culitis		Synovitis		Tumors		Bruises		Cadaver- ination		Contam- ination		Over- scald		Other		Total			
	1966		1966		1966		1966		1966		1966		1966		1966		1966		1966		1966		1966		1966	
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
N. Atl.	---	---	50	3	---	14	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	55	
E. N. Cent.	---	19	1,284	162	---	46	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	2,492	
W. N. Cent.	---	605	7,268	2,770	---	93	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	13,546	
S. Atl.	---	5	4,804	3,954	---	6	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	9,540	
S. Cent.	---	---	123	1,067	---	11	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	1,495	
West	---	104	300	111	---	88	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	553	
U. S.	---	733	13,829	8,067	---	170	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	27,681	
Ohio	---	---	463	42	---	6	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	1,336	
Wis.	---	19	684	112	---	8	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	1,002	
Minn.	---	605	6,856	2,157	---	33	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	12,257	
Iowa	---	---	300	112	---	12	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	579	
Va.	---	4	4,180	3,397	---	88	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	8,218	

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.

Old turkeys (breeders): Slaughtered under Federal Inspection, by regions and selected States, December 1965 and 1966

Region and State	Number inspected		Pounds inspected (live weight)		Average live weight inspected 1/		Total pounds certified		Post-mortem condemnations					
	1965	1966	1965	1966	1965	1966	1965	1966	1965	1966	1965	1966	Percent	Percent
	Thou.	Thou.	1,000	1,000	Pounds	Pounds	1,000	1,000	pounds	pounds	pounds	pounds	Percent	Percent
N. Atl. 3/	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
E. N. Cent. 3/	---	6	11	116	29.31	19.74	8	93	---	3	---	---	---	2.25
W. N. Cent.	18	9	326	125	18.11	13.89	260	99	7	3	2.39	26.72		
S. Atl.	16	18	314	325	19.62	18.06	253	262	5	5	1.77	17.11		
S. Cent. 3/	---	---	---	3	---	35.74	---	2	---	---	---	---	---	8.66
West 3/	---	9	---	140	---	15.56	---	110	---	2	---	---	---	15.89
U. S.	34	42	651	709	19.15	16.88	521	566	12	13	2.05	21.04		
Minn.	15	9	273	124	18.42	13.43	218	99	7	3	2.89	2.12		

Old turkeys (breeders): Number condemned post mortem by cause, by regions and selected States, December 1966

Region and State	Tuber- : Leu- : Septi- : Aircac- : Synovitis : Tumors : Bruises : Cadaver : Contam- : Over- : Other : Total		culosis: kosis : cemia : culitis : ination : scald : :		:		:		:		:	
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
N. Atl.	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
E. N. Cent.	---	3	53	75	---	2	2	4	---	1	---	140
W. N. Cent.	---	6	99	29	1	6	3	13	---	---	1	159
S. Atl.	---	2	56	37	8	---	8	11	---	1	17	141
S. Cent.	---	---	6	---	---	---	1	1	---	---	1	9
West	---	---	90	50	15	3	4	2	---	1	1	166
U. S.	---	11	304	191	24	11	18	31	3	20	615	
Minn.	---	---	99	29	1	6	3	13	---	1	153	

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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.
- 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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