

POULTRY

Slaughtered under Federal Inspection and Poultry
Used in Canning and Other Processed Foods
February 1967

March 31, 1967

Inspected Poultry - A total of 669,714,000 pounds live weight (chickens, turkeys, and ducks combined) were inspected for slaughter during February 1967 under the Poultry Inspection Act carried on by the U.S.D.A. This was 17 percent less than the previous month but 5 percent more than February 1966.

The number of head and pounds (live weight) inspected by classes in February 1967 were young chickens, 162,214,000 head, 570,840,000 pounds; mature chickens, 14,670,000 head, 66,390,000 pounds; fryer-roaster turkeys, 944,000 head, 8,761,000 pounds; young turkeys, 999,000 head, 21,470,000 pounds; old turkeys, 60,000 head, 1,119,000 pounds; and ducks, 177,000 head, 1,134,000 pounds.

Certified Poultry - The quantity of poultry certified as wholesome in February 1967 totaled 472,319,000 pounds ready-to-cook weight of which 395,081,000 pounds were chilled and 77,238,000 pounds were frozen. Total pounds certified by class of poultry were as follows: young chickens, 403,604,000 pounds; mature chickens, 43,060,000 pounds; fryer-roaster turkeys, 6,739,000 pounds; young turkeys, 17,128,000 pounds; old turkeys, 893,000 pounds; ducks, 807,000 pounds; and other poultry, 88,000 pounds.

Canned and Processed Poultry - Poultry inspected and used for canning and other processed food in February 1967 totaled 75,541,000 pounds ready-to-cook weight, compared with 64,466,000 pounds in February 1966. The quantity used in February 1967 consisted of 15,217,000 pounds of young chickens, 29,302,000 pounds of mature chickens, 25,018,000 pounds of turkeys, and 6,004,000 pounds of other poultry.

Cut-up Poultry - Poultry cut-up and packaged in Federally inspected plants during February 1967 totaled 95,917,000 pounds ready-to-cook weight compared with 86,582,000 pounds in February 1966. The breakdown by classes for February 1967 consisted of 88,793,000 pounds of young chickens, 617,000 pounds of mature chickens, 6,409,000 pounds of turkeys, and 98,000 pounds of other poultry.

Ante-mortem condemnations amounted to 2,425,000 pounds live weight for all classes. Condemnations by classes were equivalent to the following percentages of quantities inspected: young chickens, 0.33 percent; mature chickens, 0.65 percent; fryer-roaster turkeys, 0.53 percent; young turkeys, 0.26 percent; old turkeys, 0.18 percent.

Post-mortem condemnations in February 1967 amounted to 28,678,000 pounds (NYD weight) for all types of poultry. Condemnations by classes were equivalent to the following percentages of quantities inspected: young chickens, 4.94 percent; mature chickens, 4.61 percent; fryer-roaster turkeys, 2.17 percent; young turkeys, 2.27 percent; old turkeys, 2.39 percent; and ducks, 1.57 percent.

Poultry: Condemnations of poultry slaughtered under Federal Inspection, February 1967 with comparisons

Class	Ante-mortem condemnations				Post-mortem condemnations			
	Pounds (live weight)		Pounds (live weight)		Pounds (N.Y. dressed wt.)		Pounds (N.Y. dressed wt.)	
	1966	1967	1966	1967	1966	1967	1966	1967
Young chickens	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000
Mature chickens	1,540	1,890	3,014	3,322	21,616	25,293	4,322	4,942
Total chickens	2,540	2,890	4,028	4,342	23,632	28,586	8,644	9,942
Zryer-roasters	14	47	.16	.53	31	108	1.52	2.17
Young turkeys	24	56	.17	.26	111	245	1.97	2.27
Old turkeys	3	2	.22	.18	5	35	3.45	2.39
Total turkeys	41	105	.18	.33	147	388	1.88	2.25
Ducks 3/	---	---	---	---	---	8	16	1.57
Other poultry 3/	---	---	---	---	1	1	.88	.67
Total	1,860	2,425	.29	.36	3,746	23,875	4.18	4.77

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, February 1967 with comparisons 1/

Class	Pounds used ready-to-cook weight				Pounds condemned ready-to-cook weight			
	January		February		January		February	
	1966	1967	1966	1967	1966	1967	1966	1967
Young chickens	14,877	11,417	25,217	30,094	38	33	63	74
Further processed	105,973	79,865	66,793	164,480	---	---	---	---
Cut up	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Mature chickens	27,957	25,761	28,302	57,259	7	8	11	18
Further processed	643	1,375	617	1,260	---	---	---	---
Cut up	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Turkeys	28,173	22,053	25,018	53,191	15	16	14	29
Further processed	6,623	5,176	6,409	13,032	---	---	---	---
Cut up	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Other poultry 2/	5,870	5,235	6,004	11,874	44	5	19	63
Further processed	52	166	98	150	---	---	---	---
Cut up	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Total	76,877	64,466	75,541	133,392	104	62	80	184
Further processed	113,291	86,582	95,917	179,033	---	---	---	---
Cut up	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---

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, February 1966 and 1967

Region and State	Number inspected		Founds inspected (live weight)		Average live weight inspected		Total pounds certified (Ready-to-cook wt.)		Post-mortem condemnations			
	1966	1967	1966	1967	1966	1967	1966	1967	1966	1967		
	Thou.	Thou.	pounds	pounds	Pounds	Pounds	pounds	pounds	pounds	Percent		
N. Atl.	12,416	11,742	49,031	46,534	3.95	3.96	35,173	33,000	1,750	2,026	3.98	4.86
E. N. Cent.	1,959	1,921	7,455	7,787	3.81	4.05	5,442	5,655	189	196	2.83	2.81
W. N. Cent.	3,174	3,419	10,933	12,338	3.44	3.61	7,438	8,615	675	464	6.88	4.20
S. Atl.	68,867	68,113	239,686	241,447	3.48	3.54	171,868	170,115	9,920	11,573	4.61	5.34
S. Cent.	70,389	72,744	235,717	246,124	3.35	3.38	167,850	174,559	8,463	10,397	4.00	4.71
West	3,855	4,275	14,249	16,610	3.70	3.89	10,018	11,660	619	637	4.85	4.28
U. S.	160,660	162,214	557,071	570,840	3.47	3.52	397,789	403,604	21,616	25,293	4.32	4.94
Maine	5,334	4,766	21,289	18,765	3.99	3.94	15,556	13,661	637	687	3.34	4.08
Pa.	6,268	6,295	24,535	25,162	3.91	4.00	17,516	17,507	1,004	1,236	4.56	5.50
Ohio	99	20	390	89	3.96	4.44	274	62	10	1	2.71	2.04
Ind.	689	669	2,462	2,390	3.57	3.57	1,811	1,761	64	45	2.89	2.11
Ill.-Mich. 3/	44	50	283	383	6.43	7.71	204	268	12	13	4.73	3.91
Wis.	1,127	1,182	1,320	4,925	3.83	4.17	3,153	3,564	103	137	2.68	3.10
Mo.	2,493	2,819	8,131	9,964	3.26	3.53	5,347	6,878	643	435	8.82	4.87
Del.	7,217	6,045	27,865	23,340	3.86	3.86	19,387	16,725	1,234	1,011	4.93	4.83
Md.	10,258	10,088	38,664	38,664	3.78	3.83	27,940	27,558	1,712	1,739	4.92	5.02
Va.	3,348	3,067	10,377	9,601	3.10	3.13	7,166	6,319	323	378	3.47	4.39
N. C.	18,010	18,425	61,101	65,105	3.39	3.53	43,795	45,964	2,723	3,174	4.97	5.44
S. C.	1,751	1,741	6,039	5,706	3.45	3.28	4,192	3,795	349	414	6.45	8.08
Ga.	27,302	27,519	92,328	95,110	3.38	3.46	66,766	66,990	3,470	4,711	4.19	5.52
Ky.	1,255	930	4,145	3,168	3.30	3.41	2,940	2,312	106	106	3.98	3.77
Tenn.	4,430	4,071	15,034	13,600	3.39	3.34	10,897	9,587	480	647	3.55	5.31
Ala.	18,444	17,234	63,491	59,208	3.44	3.44	45,890	42,585	2,189	2,448	3.84	4.61
Miss.	10,689	11,382	35,245	38,238	3.30	3.36	25,370	27,399	1,213	1,549	3.83	4.51
Ark.	22,523	24,511	73,615	81,547	3.27	3.33	51,611	56,964	2,677	3,764	4.05	5.14
La.-Okla. 3/	3,761	4,369	12,755	15,060	3.39	3.45	9,131	10,599	490	621	4.28	4.59
Texas	9,287	10,247	31,432	35,303	3.38	3.45	22,011	25,113	1,266	1,262	4.49	3.99
Ishabo 4/	347	---	1,215	---	3.50	---	908	---	28	---	2.54	---
Wash.	656	731	2,420	2,690	3.69	3.68	1,730	1,935	38	56	1.75	2.32
Calif.	2,488	2,677	9,249	10,856	3.72	4.05	6,369	7,587	527	431	6.36	4.42

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, February 1967

Region and State	Tuber- cullosis	Leu- kosis	Septi- cemia	Airrac- culitits	Synovitis	Tumors	Bruises	Cadaver	Contam- ination	Over- scald	Other	Total
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
N. Atl.	---	228,743	112,515	194,601	8,267	1,066	2,338	9,828	13,130	914	14,383	585,765
E. N. Cent.	---	5,990	11,369	30,332	416	361	906	1,933	1,919	111	1,089	54,426
W. N. Cent.	---	26,337	29,544	75,367	11,997	307	1,403	2,138	3,395	119	3,365	153,972
S. Atl.	---	1,145,133	483,091	1,439,831	64,136	5,772	27,319	62,318	117,309	7,221	102,309	3,454,439
S. Cent.	---	702,428	532,650	1,477,100	80,491	7,485	30,976	83,144	89,030	7,355	67,485	3,078,144
West	---	59,254	31,157	79,722	6,716	341	1,149	3,880	4,761	1,614	10,974	199,568
U. S.	---	2,167,885	1,200,326	3,296,953	172,023	15,332	64,091	163,241	229,544	17,334	199,605	7,526,334
Maine	---	89,383	48,599	29,504	2,899	288	897	4,627	4,496	70	3,210	183,973
Pa.	---	131,756	55,727	162,039	3,753	629	1,117	4,653	6,220	774	10,498	377,166
Ohio	---	53	117	15	1	3	10	22	77	3	19	320
Ill.-Mich. 1/	---	1,389	2,769	9,185	109	51	260	343	440	36	31	14,613
Wis.	---	670	846	306	19	12	15	68	29	---	23	1,988
Mo.	---	3,878	7,637	20,826	287	295	621	1,500	1,373	72	1,016	37,505
Del.	---	25,150	27,410	74,116	11,926	147	1,160	1,923	2,627	95	1,984	146,538
Md.	---	168,107	23,055	150,444	3,871	432	1,151	3,783	5,934	55	5,334	362,166
Va.	---	242,795	71,031	160,716	5,757	931	1,813	10,803	9,782	997	4,464	509,069
N. C.	---	51,303	26,976	59,479	789	70	657	3,173	1,803	36	332	144,618
S. C.	---	173,551	167,229	403,391	23,136	1,438	9,700	18,538	31,875	2,272	31,426	862,538
Ga.	---	39,821	11,331	77,233	993	175	969	2,351	5,022	687	1,567	140,149
Ky.	---	459,633	172,090	561,879	28,280	2,687	12,731	22,870	61,960	3,174	54,843	1,380,147
Tenn.	---	2,078	6,469	23,615	357	74	928	1,960	1,977	271	312	38,041
Ala.	---	22,139	24,531	126,557	3,328	131	908	3,843	7,409	375	8,639	197,860
Miss.	---	120,923	89,263	399,402	14,938	1,984	6,633	10,616	21,584	1,019	9,845	676,207
Ark.	---	97,630	29,030	226,648	5,785	1,051	5,527	14,033	14,499	1,227	13,180	408,610
La.-Okla. 1/	---	377,937	248,906	455,155	37,698	2,284	7,672	29,315	24,259	3,097	16,129	1,202,452
Texas	---	29,122	54,673	83,393	3,762	411	2,623	5,753	6,493	231	6,100	192,561
Wash.	---	52,599	79,778	162,330	14,623	1,550	6,685	17,624	12,809	1,135	13,280	362,413
Calif.	---	551	6,301	3,935	1,041	51	146	1,211	716	36	4,070	18,058
	---	43,498	17,345	52,586	4,328	248	714	2,257	3,035	1,224	4,661	129,896

1/ Combined to avoid disclosure of individual operations.

Mature chickens: Slaughtered under Federal Inspection, by regions and selected States, February 1966 and 1967

Region and State	Number inspected		Pounds inspected (live weight)		Average live weight inspected 1/		Total pounds certified (Ready-to-cook wt.)		Post-mortem condemnations		
	1966	1967	1966	1967	1966	1967	1966	1967	1966	1967	
	Thou.	Thou.	pounds	pounds	Pounds	Pounds	pounds	pounds	pounds	Percent	
N. Atl.	1,731	1,773	8,369	8,632	4.83	4.87	5,539	5,702	186	252	3.61
E. N. Cent.	1,802	1,873	7,649	7,842	4.24	4.19	4,997	5,057	197	241	3.88
W. N. Cent.	1,893	2,759	12,253	12,253	4.52	4.44	5,618	8,000	302	417	4.48
S. Atl.	2,874	3,883	13,964	18,131	4.86	4.67	9,335	11,725	476	719	4.87
S. Cent.	2,591	2,867	11,846	13,240	4.57	4.62	8,007	8,636	463	473	4.69
West	1,139	1,515	4,897	6,292	4.30	4.15	3,180	3,940	238	329	6.21
U. S.	12,030	14,670	55,274	66,390	4.57	4.53	36,676	43,060	1,862	2,431	4.61
Maine	366	381	2,080	2,272	5.68	5.96	1,490	1,611	40	56	2.72
N. J.	825	1,030	3,415	4,396	4.14	4.27	2,109	2,720	88	177	4.53
Pa.	306	1,28	1,747	770	5.70	6.04	1,158	521	35	22	3.18
Ohio	535	541	2,239	2,200	4.19	4.06	1,435	1,408	67	85	4.32
Ind.	673	769	2,848	3,250	4.23	4.22	1,895	2,114	53	84	2.90
Ill.	450	414	1,859	1,675	4.13	4.04	1,206	1,055	53	79	5.23
Wis.	92	123	494	612	5.35	4.99	337	416	14	19	3.12
Minn.	647	1,003	2,573	3,935	3.98	3.92	1,631	2,492	129	206	5.90
Mo.	767	939	4,108	5,153	5.36	5.49	2,776	3,503	105	152	3.30
Nebr. 3/	404	---	1,559	---	3.86	---	1,005	---	58	---	4.18
Del. 3/	14	---	---	110	---	7.68	---	79	---	1	---
Md. 3/	---	508	---	2,153	---	4.24	---	1,414	---	114	---
Va.	217	371	1,038	1,951	4.79	5.25	712	1,365	25	51	2.72
N. C.	697	583	4,346	3,618	6.23	6.21	2,940	2,410	122	114	3.13
S. C. 3/	15	---	117	---	7.90	---	85	---	2	---	2.33
Ga.	1,183	1,326	5,468	5,814	4.62	4.38	3,560	3,748	225	231	4.44
Tenn.	403	281	1,766	1,401	4.38	4.98	1,226	968	60	60	4.77
Ala.	94	81	705	640	7.53	7.90	510	465	19	25	2.99
Miss.	1,174	1,266	4,656	5,355	3.96	4.23	3,135	3,498	187	212	4.52
Ark.	94	185	729	1,316	7.75	7.11	503	935	24	40	3.59
La.-Okla. 4/	188	375	998	1,701	5.31	4.54	676	1,051	40	79	5.20
Texas	556	617	2,717	2,595	4.88	4.20	1,754	1,578	128	136	5.83
Idaho 3/	37	---	180	---	4.80	---	124	---	5	---	3.02
Wash.	103	144	442	627	4.29	4.37	287	406	14	26	4.73
Calif.	957	1,230	4,118	5,107	4.31	4.15	2,662	3,177	215	304	6.64

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Mature chickens: Number condemned post-mortem by cause, by regions and selected States, February 1967

Region and State	Tuber-	Leu-	Septi-	Airsac-	Syno-	Tumors	Bruises	Cadaver	Contam-	Over-	Other	Total
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	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
N. Atl.	82	3,977	26,740	56	724	18,660	950	3,450	3,275	190	13,519	71,623
E. N. Cent.	1,701	3,520	28,258	148	80	29,489	1,166	2,938	5,051	211	6,372	78,934
W. N. Cent.	7,451	6,568	49,237	1,451	378	37,928	4,011	956	6,591	315	19,622	134,208
S. Atl.	113	8,025	72,991	769	2,041	40,108	4,056	12,041	26,502	288	36,507	203,441
S. Cent.	---	22,384	47,387	938	1,081	20,858	2,866	2,498	12,573	511	20,263	131,359
West	---	1,234	41,202	382	1,440	32,810	1,889	1,700	4,059	205	12,439	97,360
U. S.	9,047	45,708	265,815	3,744	5,744	179,853	14,938	23,583	58,051	1,720	108,722	716,925
Maine	---	1,519	6,176	20	239	1,668	138	185	465	5	152	10,567
N. J.	3	1,631	15,661	4	201	14,060	671	2,961	2,235	155	12,249	49,831
Pa.	---	385	2,384	22	4	1,320	100	98	319	3	346	4,981
Ohio	140	889	10,355	48	26	7,664	409	796	1,844	26	2,116	24,313
Ind.	243	1,032	7,745	50	23	12,666	371	1,389	1,421	146	1,201	26,287
Ill.	627	615	7,883	32	27	7,990	208	479	1,150	36	2,685	21,732
Wis.	691	971	1,723	18	4	879	140	153	452	3	56	5,090
Minn.	3,757	1,233	19,136	99	103	20,033	1,043	390	2,579	214	10,235	58,822
Mo.	414	2,121	18,656	277	199	3,485	1,875	421	1,670	34	1,793	30,945
Del.	---	81	69	5	2	24	1	9	23	---	18	232
Md.	113	1,192	10,735	39	302	4,467	977	6,214	1,731	56	471	26,297
Va.	---	647	8,525	24	73	3,193	115	172	659	5	14	13,427
N. C.	---	1,236	10,357	238	639	3,911	860	547	2,386	51	1,454	21,619
Ga.	---	1,612	24,051	273	709	13,512	1,115	1,681	9,654	54	11,138	63,799
Tenn.	---	404	6,456	130	272	2,102	203	239	3,158	52	1,509	14,525
Ala.	---	106	1,127	14	58	221	47	63	1,241	73	284	3,234
Miss.	---	1,264	12,575	584	442	16,413	624	961	3,790	214	6,788	43,655
Ark.	---	645	3,426	123	107	209	37	71	391	1	568	5,578
La.-Okla. 1/	---	2,593	14,267	63	85	1,192	437	587	2,541	51	2,243	24,059
Texas	---	17,268	8,571	24	117	582	1,498	368	1,356	119	8,871	38,774
Wash.	---	370	2,923	12	5	1,014	107	146	422	6	1,634	6,639
Calif.	---	679	35,578	366	1,435	31,409	1,597	1,430	3,255	168	9,428	85,345

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Young turkeys (mature): Slaughtered under Federal Inspection, by regions and selected States, February 1966 and 1967

Region and State	Number inspected		Pounds inspected (live weight)		Average live weight inspected 1/		Total pounds certified (Ready-to-cook wt.)		Post-mortem condemnations	
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	Thou.	Thou.	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	Pounds	Pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds
N. Atl.	42	31	980	955	23.33	30.81	789	782	5	9
E. N. Cent.	51	77	890	1,713	17.45	22.25	716	1,353	17	66
W. N. Cent.	190	265	2,971	4,606	15.64	17.38	2,371	3,627	53	118
S. Atl.	188	246	3,551	4,522	18.89	18.38	2,825	3,615	64	64
S. Cent.	55	79	1,003	1,607	18.24	20.34	768	1,284	16	22
West	168	301	4,470	8,067	26.61	26.80	3,542	6,467	90	159
U. S.	694	999	13,865	21,470	19.98	21.49	11,011	17,128	245	438
Pa.	40	31	945	955	23.55	30.87	765	782	4	9
Ohio	7	12	185	353	26.48	28.64	154	290	3	4
Ill.-Mich. 3/	3	8	62	189	20.67	23.62	46	133	3	23
Wis.	41	57	643	1,171	15.59	20.45	516	930	11	39
Minn.	169	227	2,582	3,630	15.28	16.02	2,064	2,869	48	85
Iowa	16	31	274	793	17.57	25.31	213	615	3	27
Mo. 4/	2	2	24	41	12.00	20.50	19	32	1	---
Va.	52	74	1,059	1,471	20.34	19.84	821	1,136	24	35
N. C.	121	151	2,342	2,839	19.37	18.79	1,886	2,312	39	28
Texas	32	62	648	1,187	20.22	19.29	485	948	10	15
Utah 5/	---	29	---	807	---	27.99	---	644	---	9
Calif.	156	256	4,147	6,900	26.53	27.00	3,289	5,539	86	144

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Young turkeys (mature): Number condemned post-mortem by cause, by regions and selected States, February 1967

Region and State	Tuber-	Leu-	Septi-	Airsac-	Synovitis	Tumors	Bruises	Cadaver	Contam-	Over-	Other	Total
	culosis	kosis	emia	cullitis					ination	scald		
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
M. Atl.	---	7	92	38	22	---	41	5	5	---	2	212
E. N. Cent.	---	23	1,169	2,122	23	1	10	38	69	7	7	3,469
W. N. Cent.	---	19	4,252	1,862	64	4	56	88	312	6	30	6,693
S. Atl.	---	86	1,278	1,208	80	5	22	52	120	1	30	2,882
S. Cent.	---	11	369	146	100	59	13	7	22	2	192	921
West	---	10	2,179	4,330	677	1	43	72	137	9	9	7,467
U. S.	---	156	9,339	9,706	966	70	185	262	665	25	270	21,644
Pa.	---	7	92	38	22	---	41	5	5	---	2	212
Ohio	---	8	67	50	11	---	1	9	3	---	6	155
Ill.-Mich. 1/	---	---	454	424	6	---	---	2	3	---	1	890
Wis.	---	15	648	1,648	6	1	9	27	63	7	---	2,424
Minn.	---	3	3,572	1,427	28	1	40	65	240	5	27	5,408
Iowa	---	---	532	378	15	1	1	22	51	1	2	1,003
Mo.	---	---	11	4	---	---	---	---	4	---	---	19
Va.	---	4	579	1,005	12	1	5	20	25	---	3	1,654
N. C.	---	82	620	170	68	4	12	32	90	1	27	1,106
Texas	---	10	307	120	93	58	9	5	19	1	21	643
Utah	---	---	58	47	128	---	12	4	2	6	---	257
Calif.	---	9	2,030	4,162	547	1	24	62	122	3	9	6,969

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Fryer-roaster turkeys: Slaughtered under Federal Inspection, by regions and selected States, February 1966 and 1967

Region and State	Number inspected		Pounds inspected		Average live weight inspected		Total pounds certified (Ready-to-cook wt.)		Post-mortem condemnations	
	1966	1967	1966	1967	1966	1967	1966	1967	1966	1967
	Thou.	Thou.	1,000 Pounds	1,000 Pounds	Pounds	Pounds	1,000 Pounds	1,000 Pounds	Pounds	Percent
N. Atl. 3/	10	11	97	101	10.09	9.42	73	77	---	---
E. N. Cent.	146	117	1,349	1,112	9.24	9.50	1,047	854	34	2.80
W. N. Cent.	437	505	3,953	4,839	9.05	9.59	3,175	3,814	42	1.18
S. Atl.	265	234	2,337	2,061	8.82	8.81	1,766	1,512	30	1.43
S. Cent.	12	62	101	536	8.15	8.65	79	397	1	1.13
West	16	15	90	112	5.62	7.47	65	85	1	1.23
U. S.	886	944	7,927	8,761	8.95	9.28	6,205	6,739	108	1.52
Wis.	121	53	1,111	534	9.18	10.13	860	419	33	3.31
Minn.	432	505	3,908	4,839	9.05	9.59	3,138	3,814	42	1.19
Va.	199	219	1,771	1,918	8.89	8.77	1,329	1,403	25	1.52
Calif. 4/	13	---	71	---	5.51	---	50	---	1	2.85

Fryer-roaster turkeys: Number condemned post-mortem by cause, by regions and selected States, February 1967

Region and State	Tuberculosis		Leptospirosis		Septicemia		Aerobic coccidiosis		Synovitis		Tumors		Bruises		Cadaver		Over-inflation		Other		Total
	No.	1967	No.	1967	No.	1967	No.	1967	No.	1967	No.	1967	No.	1967	No.	1967	No.	1967	No.	1967	
N. Atl.	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	56
E. N. Cent.	---	---	46	387	2	138	1	6	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	726
W. N. Cent.	120	120	4,452	1,013	42	42	54	564	2	102	19	19	99	1,513	99	57	16	7,916	7,916	9,292	
S. Atl.	2	77	2,178	6,788	25	101	27	101	1	153	1	1	2	123	2	56	6	788	479	---	
S. Cent.	---	---	231	198	112	---	13	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
West	---	---	105	344	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
U. S.	---	---	7,399	8,443	193	12	101	735	1,897	121	136	19,257	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Wis.	---	---	293	100	5	---	4	11	61	18	---	493	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Minn.	---	---	4,452	1,013	42	42	54	564	2	102	19	19	99	1,513	99	57	16	7,916	7,916	9,292	
Va.	---	---	2,142	6,770	19	---	23	95	131	1	2	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---

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Old turkeys (breeders): Slaughtered under Federal Inspection, by regions and selected States, February 1966 and 1967

Region and State	Number inspected		Pounds (live weight)		Average live weight inspected 1/		Total pounds certified		Post-mortem condemnations			
	1966	1967	1966	1967	1966	1967	1966	1967	Ready-to-cook-wt. (Pounds (NYD))		Percent 2/	
	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/	9	5	186	102	21.35	20.40	151	80	3	3	2.04	3.27
E. N. Cent.	23	17	390	284	16.95	16.71	311	227	11	9	3.15	3.53
W. N. Cent.	10	17	193	358	19.30	20.63	154	287	3	7	1.73	2.01
S. Atl.	---	12	6	239	37.31	19.92	5	192	---	3	---	1.40
S. Cent. 3/	16	9	354	136	22.12	15.28	276	107	18	2	5.66	2.20
West	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
U. S.	58	60	1,129	1,119	19.47	18.65	897	893	35	11	3.45	2.39
Ohio 4/	---	2	---	43	---	21.60	---	33	---	1	---	2.57
Minn.	23	13	390	196	16.95	14.67	311	156	11	5	3.15	2.67
Calif. 4/	13	---	294	---	22.06	---	234	---	16	---	6.02	---

Old turkeys (breeders): Number condemned post-mortem by cause, by regions and selected States, February 1967

Region and State	Tuber- culosis		Leu- kosis		Septi- cemia		Airsac- culitis		Synovitis		Tumors		Bruises		Cadaver : inaction		Contam- : scald		Over- : Other		Total	
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
N. Atl.	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
E. N. Cent.	---	1	71	18	3	1	2	2	2	3	7	3	3	2	12	40	7	4	4	4	110	
W. N. Cent.	---	---	193	106	2	2	2	2	2	6	6	6	6	2	2	17	17	23	5	5	362	
S. Atl.	---	---	70	27	4	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	14	14	23	23	23	157	
S. Cent.	---	---	81	26	7	2	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	14	14	25	25	25	157	
West	---	4	151	3	3	---	---	---	3	2	9	2	2	2	2	9	9	---	---	---	175	
U. S.	---	13	566	180	19	5	9	23	87	23	87	23	23	87	87	87	87	57	57	57	959	
Ohio	---	---	20	2	---	---	---	---	---	1	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	4	4	4	33	
Minn.	---	---	112	88	2	---	2	2	2	2	23	23	23	23	23	23	23	5	5	5	231	

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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.

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