
POULTRY

Slaughtered under Federal Inspection and Poultry
Used in Canning and Other Processed Foods
August 1968

October 3, 1968

Inspected Poultry - A total of 1,064,886,000 pounds live weight (chickens, turkeys, and ducks) was inspected for slaughter during August 1968 under the Poultry Inspection Act carried on by the U.S.D.A. This was 8 percent more than the previous month and 9 percent less than August 1967.

The number of head and pounds (live weight) inspected by classes in August 1968 were young chickens, 219,662,000 head, 760,986,000 pounds; mature chickens, 11,441,000 head, 53,379,000 pounds; fryer-roaster turkeys, 926,000 head, 7,887,000 pounds; young turkeys, 12,637,000 head, 234,184,000 pounds; old turkeys, 72,000 head, 1,267,000 pounds; and ducks, 1,179,000 head, 7,183,000 pounds.

Certified Poultry - The quantity of poultry certified as wholesome in August totaled 782,241,000 pounds ready-to-cook weight of which 545,333,000 pounds were chilled and 236,908,000 pounds were frozen. Total pounds certified by class of poultry were as follows: young chickens, 547,743,000 pounds; mature chickens, 35,126,000 pounds; fryer-roaster turkeys, 6,054,000 pounds; young turkeys, 186,951,000 pounds; old turkeys, 1,009,000 pounds; ducks, 5,174,000 pounds; and other poultry, 184,000 pounds.

Processed Poultry - Poultry inspected and used for canning and other processed food in August totaled 91,310,000 pounds ready-to-cook weight, compared with 82,912,000 pounds in August 1967. The quantity used in August 1968 consisted of 22,590,000 pounds of young chickens, 28,171,000 pounds of mature chickens, 35,731,000 pounds of turkeys, and 4,818,000 pounds of other poultry.

Cut-up Poultry - Poultry cut-up and packaged in Federally inspected plants during August totaled 132,295,000 pounds ready-to-cook weight compared with 120,195,000 pounds a year earlier - the breakdown by classes for August 1968 consisted of 119,143,000 pounds of young chickens, 259,000 pounds of mature chickens, 12,811,000 pounds of turkeys, and 82,000 pounds of other poultry.

Ante-mortem condemnations amounted to 5,800,000 pounds live weight for all classes. Condemnations by classes were equivalent to the following percentages of quantities inspected: young chickens, 0.61 percent; mature chickens, 0.89 percent; fryer-roaster turkeys, 0.18 percent; young turkeys, 0.25 percent; old turkeys, 0.44 percent; and ducks, 0.03 percent.

Post-mortem condemnations in August amounted to 26,589,000 pounds (NYD weight). Condemnations by classes were equivalent to the following percentages of quantities inspected: young chickens, 2.98 percent; mature chickens, 4.73 percent; fryer-roaster turkeys, 1.77 percent; young turkeys, 1.79 percent; old turkeys, 3.31 percent; and ducks, 1.29 percent.

POULTRY: SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, AUGUST 1968 WITH COMPARISONS

	YOUNG : CHICKENS	MATURE : CHICKENS	TOTAL : CHICKENS	FRYER-ROASTERS	YOUNG TURKEYS ^{2/}	OLD TURKEYS	TOTAL TURKEYS	DUCKS	OTHER POULTRY	TOTAL POULTRY
NUMBER INSPECTED										
JULY 1968	220,169	11,190	231,359	994	8,046	304	9,344	1,279	---	---
AUGUST 1967	227,392	12,838	240,230	1,185	15,681	114	16,980	1,297	---	---
AUGUST 1968	219,662	11,441	231,103	926	12,637	72	13,635	1,179	---	---
JAN.-AUG. 1967	1,580,948	169,581	1,690,929	8,829	39,317	1,851	49,997	6,977	---	---
JAN.-AUG. 1968	1,579,100	106,104	1,679,204	7,316	32,364	1,366	41,046	6,770	---	---
POUNDS INSPECTED										
JULY 1968	767,500	51,950	819,450	8,921	139,939	5,716	154,576	7,817	392	982,235
AUGUST 1967	798,388	60,689	859,077	10,279	296,223	2,032	308,534	7,974	399	1,175,984
AUGUST 1968	760,986	53,379	814,365	7,887	234,184	1,267	243,338	7,183	346	1,065,232
JAN.-AUG. 1967	5,562,390	512,796	6,075,186	77,878	729,174	35,817	842,869	44,149	2,559	6,964,763
JAN.-AUG. 1968	5,562,619	456,536	6,019,155	64,993	601,957	26,747	693,697	42,449	2,123	6,757,424
AVERAGE LIVEWEIGHTS										
JULY 1968	3.49	4.64	3.54	8.98	17.39	18.83	16.54	6.11	---	---
AUGUST 1967	3.51	4.73	3.58	8.67	18.89	17.82	18.17	6.15	---	---
AUGUST 1968	3.46	4.67	3.52	8.51	18.53	17.61	17.85	6.09	---	---
JAN.-AUG. 1967	3.52	4.66	3.59	8.82	18.55	19.35	16.86	6.33	---	---
JAN.-AUG. 1968	3.52	4.56	3.58	8.88	18.60	19.57	16.90	6.27	---	---

1/ OF THE MATURE CHICKENS INSPECTED, THE NUMBER REPORTED IN THOUSANDS AS HEAVY FOWL (BROILER BREEDING STOCK) WAS:

JULY 1968, 1,954; AUGUST 1967, 2,528; AND AUGUST 1968, 2,242.

2/ OF THE YOUNG TURKEYS INSPECTED, THE NUMBER REPORTED IN THOUSANDS AS YOUNG BANDED BREEDERS WAS:

JULY 1968, 209; AUGUST 1967, 76; AND AUGUST 1968, 57.

3/ THOUSANDS 4/ 1,000 POUNDS 5/ POUNDS

POULTRY: POUNDS CERTIFIED (READY-TO-COOK WEIGHTS), AUGUST 1968 WITH COMPARISONS 1/

	YOUNG : CHICKENS	MATURE : CHICKENS	TOTAL : CHICKENS	FRYER-ROASTERS	YOUNG TURKEYS	OLD TURKEYS	TOTAL TURKEYS	DUCKS	OTHER POULTRY	TOTAL POULTRY
JULY 1968	498,388	24,277	522,665	1,995	14,054	1,298	17,347	217	20	540,249
FROZEN	52,473	9,337	61,810	4,898	96,763	3,252	104,913	5,347	187	172,257
TOTAL	550,861	33,614	584,475	6,893	110,817	4,550	122,260	5,564	207	712,506
AUGUST 1967	520,803	30,252	551,055	2,433	32,050	88	34,571	90	22	585,738
FROZEN	52,694	5,743	62,437	5,442	204,478	1,533	211,453	5,622	200	279,712
TOTAL	573,497	39,995	613,492	7,875	236,528	1,621	246,024	5,712	222	865,450
AUGUST 1968	493,533	25,157	518,690	1,539	24,617	349	26,505	122	16	545,333
FROZEN	54,210	9,969	64,179	4,515	162,334	660	167,509	5,052	168	236,908
TOTAL	547,743	35,126	582,869	6,054	186,951	1,009	194,014	5,174	184	782,241
JANUARY-AUGUST 1967	3,565,307	253,104	3,818,411	15,877	98,079	3,133	117,084	999	57	3,936,551
FROZEN	402,765	81,964	484,729	44,005	483,545	25,237	552,787	30,501	1,397	1,069,414
TOTAL	3,968,072	335,068	4,303,140	59,877	581,624	28,370	669,871	31,500	1,454	5,005,965
JANUARY-AUGUST 1968	3,574,947	225,564	3,800,511	11,159	81,901	4,039	97,099	1,305	116	3,899,031
FROZEN	399,558	71,677	471,235	39,012	396,186	17,286	452,484	29,161	1,014	953,894
TOTAL	3,974,505	297,241	4,271,746	50,171	478,087	21,325	549,583	30,466	1,130	4,852,925

1/ 1,000 POUNDS

POULTRY: CONDEMNATIONS OF POULTRY SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, AUGUST 1968 WITH COMPARISONS

		YOUNG CHICKENS	MATURE CHICKENS	TOTAL CHICKENS	FRYERS	ROASTERS	YOUNG TURKEYS	OLD TURKEYS	TOTAL TURKEYS	DUCKS	OTHER POULTRY	TOTAL
ANTE-MORTEM												
1,000 POUNDS (LIVEWEIGHT):												
AUGUST	1967:	2,566	339	2,905	16	589	3	608	1	2	3,516	
AUGUST	1968:	4,655	478	5,173	14	603	6	623	1	1	5,800	
JAN.-AUG.	1967:	17,022	3,276	20,298	192	1,568	84	1,844	5	5	22,152	
JAN.-AUG.	1968:	20,245	3,526	23,771	141	1,444	81	1,666	9	7	25,453	
PERCENT 1/												
AUGUST	1967:	.32	.56	.34	.15	.20	.14	.20	.01	.42	.30	
AUGUST	1968:	.61	.89	.63	.18	.25	.44	.25	.03	.37	.54	
POST-MORTEM												
1,000 LBS. (N.Y. DRESSED):												
AUGUST	1967:	23,115	2,456	25,571	160	5,102	48	5,310	96	3	30,980	
AUGUST	1968:	20,325	2,252	22,577	126	3,763	38	3,927	83	3	26,589	
JAN.-AUG.	1967:	207,365	20,061	227,426	1,260	12,603	999	14,862	502	20	242,810	
JAN.-AUG.	1968:	185,466	19,264	204,730	1,146	11,293	709	13,148	440	21	218,339	
PERCENT 2/												
AUGUST	1967:	3.23	4.52	3.32	1.73	1.92	2.63	1.92	1.34	.84	2.94	
AUGUST	1968:	2.98	4.73	3.10	1.77	1.79	3.31	1.79	1.29	1.05	2.79	

1/ POUNDS CONCERNED AS PERCENT OF POUNDS (LIVEWEIGHT) INSPECTED. PERCENTAGE BASED ON UNROUNDED DATA.
 2/ POUNDS CONCERNED AS PERCENT OF EQUIVALENT N.Y. DRESSED WEIGHT OF QUANTITY INSPECTED. PERCENTAGES BASED ON UNROUNDED DATA.

POULTRY: INSPECTED FOR FURTHER PROCESSING AND CUT-UP UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, AUGUST 1968 WITH COMPARISONS 1/

		YOUNG CHICKENS	MATURE CHICKENS	TURKEYS	OTHER POULTRY	TOTAL POULTRY			
POUNDS USED READY-TO-COOK WEIGHT 3/									
JULY	1968:	18,191	30,481	416	31,687	11,156	89	84,859	130,079
AUGUST	1967:	19,546	28,331	604	28,764	13,516	161	82,912	120,195
AUGUST	1968:	22,550	28,171	259	35,731	12,811	82	91,310	132,295
JANUARY-AUGUST	1967:	142,431	790,959	4,962	204,495	66,291	665	633,542	862,877
JANUARY-AUGUST	1968:	178,423	923,420	4,944	228,742	76,079	992	706,287	1,005,435
LBS. CONDEMNED READY-TO-COOK WEIGHT 13/									
JULY	1968:	142	1,290	61	27	28	---	258	1,301
AUGUST	1967:	109	581	40	12	13	---	174	612
AUGUST	1968:	83	1,321	103	28	34	---	248	1,333
JANUARY-AUGUST	1967:	556	3,033	192	156	138	---	1,037	3,272
JANUARY-AUGUST	1968:	625	7,610	661	191	377	---	1,854	8,755

1/ POUNDS OF WHOLE CARCASS BIRDS CAN BE DERIVED BY SUBTRACTING THE SUM OF FURTHER PROCESSED AND CUT-UP FROM POUNDS CERTIFIED.
 2/ POULTRY PARTS AND FAT USED IN FURTHER PROCESSING THAT CANNOT BE IDENTIFIED BY CLASS ARE INCLUDED IN "OTHER POULTRY".
 3/ 1,000 POUNDS.

YOUNG CHICKENS: SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, BY REGIONS AND SELECTED STATES, AUGUST 1967 AND 1968

REGION AND STATE	NUMBER INSPECTED		POUNDS (LIVEWEIGHT)		AVERAGE LIVEWEIGHT INSPECTED		TOTAL POUNDS CERTIFIED (READY-TO-COOK WT.)		POST-MORTEM CONDEMNATIONS	
	1967	1968	1967	1968	1967	1968	1967	1968	1967	1968
	- THOUSANDS -		- 1,000 POUNDS -		- POUNDS -		- 1,000 POUNDS -		- PERCENT -	
N. ATLANTIC	15,666	14,786	60,166	57,236	3.84	3.87	43,412	41,214	1,989	1,794
E. N. CENTRAL	2,487	2,752	9,746	10,132	3.72	3.68	6,833	7,437	157	171
W. N. CENTRAL	4,466	5,445	15,749	19,104	3.52	3.51	11,333	13,744	328	395
S. ATLANTIC	55,236	85,893	338,071	310,669	3.55	3.46	241,366	222,499	11,494	9,655
S. CENTRAL	104,857	102,541	358,524	348,677	3.42	3.40	258,769	252,056	8,760	7,913
WEST	4,680	4,245	16,632	15,168	3.55	3.57	11,784	10,793	387	397
U. S.	227,392	219,662	798,388	760,986	3.51	3.46	573,497	547,743	23,115	20,325
MAINE	7,015	6,481	26,859	25,575	3.83	3.95	19,773	18,565	727	838
PENNSYLVANIA	7,801	7,415	30,080	28,273	3.86	3.81	21,319	20,215	1,193	884
INDIANA	1,072	1,242	3,795	4,207	3.54	3.39	2,809	3,125	56	68
WISCONSIN	1,398	1,484	5,375	5,765	3.85	3.89	3,972	4,198	100	99
MINNESOTA	725	805	2,719	3,187	3.75	3.96	2,054	2,414	35	43
MISSOURI	3,717	4,594	12,815	15,528	3.45	3.38	9,119	11,037	289	342
DELAWARE	8,784	7,835	33,001	28,675	3.76	3.66	23,616	20,445	1,264	921
MARYLAND	13,373	12,940	49,449	47,129	3.70	3.64	35,023	34,275	1,863	1,373
VIRGINIA	5,040	6,861	16,165	22,400	3.21	3.26	11,055	15,294	412	707
NORTH CAROLINA	24,968	24,196	89,303	84,351	3.58	3.49	64,438	60,776	2,406	2,139
SOUTH CAROLINA	2,478	2,377	8,628	8,136	3.48	3.42	6,145	5,807	325	311
GEORGIA	38,352	33,719	134,078	113,397	3.50	3.36	95,745	81,080	5,083	4,049
TENNESSEE	6,106	5,998	21,704	20,403	3.55	3.40	15,341	14,782	806	476
ALABAMA	26,527	25,282	93,410	88,119	3.52	3.49	67,494	63,302	2,355	2,351
MISSISSIPPI	16,107	16,252	54,871	54,426	3.41	3.35	40,516	40,405	952	957
ARKANSAS	32,875	32,904	108,375	108,233	3.30	3.29	77,369	77,478	2,666	2,306
LOUISIANA	4,957	4,766	17,208	17,080	3.47	3.58	12,426	12,405	471	425
TEXAS	15,148	14,401	51,819	50,410	3.42	3.50	37,541	36,539	1,309	1,195
WASHINGTON	566	1,224	3,535	4,614	3.66	3.77	2,492	3,274	61	81
CALIFORNIA	2,716	2,493	9,652	8,891	3.55	3.57	6,866	6,324	239	259

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.

YOUNG CHICKENS: NUMBER CONDEMNED POST-MORTEM BY CAUSE, BY REGIONS AND SELECTED STATES, AUGUST 1968

REGION AND STATE	TUBER- : NO.	CULCISIS : NO.	LEU- : NO.	KOSIS : NO.	SEPII- : NO.	CEPIA : NO.	AIRSAC- : NO.	CULITIS : NO.	SYNO- : NO.	VITIS : NO.	TUMORS : NO.	BRUISES : NO.	CADAVER : NO.	INATION : NO.	CONTAM- : NO.	OVER- : NO.	SCALD : NO.	OTHER : NO.	TOTAL : NO.
N. ATLANTIC	---	---	272,383	104,601	24,529	6,359	1,389	3,420	11,340	20,948	1,983	15,313	462,265						
E. N. CENTRAL	---	---	12,135	12,628	7,067	304	1,379	3,526	3,820	1,183	688	42,824							
W. N. CENTRAL	17	---	24,244	15,599	1,940	515	2,895	12,456	750	6,563	95,949								
S. ATLANTIC	---	---	1,523,782	408,384	202,030	27,350	8,012	35,239	72,047	236,699	17,618	95,799	2,626,960						
S. CENTRAL	---	---	589,496	480,034	377,397	67,585	10,091	44,486	86,808	171,440	16,116	109,998	1,953,851						
WEST	---	---	57,120	21,782	8,746	1,541	1,059	3,432	4,964	2,102	12,638	113,507							
U. S.	17	---	2,479,160	1,052,723	635,368	105,479	20,224	88,478	182,829	450,327	39,752	240,999	5,295,356						
MAINE	---	---	118,199	53,634	5,909	4,696	529	1,535	6,021	9,390	737	4,033	204,683						
PENNSYLVANIA	---	---	146,858	45,147	17,950	1,546	673	1,578	4,504	10,352	1,073	10,775	240,496						
INDIANA	---	---	6,029	4,243	3,666	138	51	703	2,078	1,783	861	40	19,592						
MISSOURI	---	---	5,824	8,259	3,376	166	40	667	1,418	1,998	314	620	22,682						
MINNESOTA	---	---	1,840	3,025	280	33	118	194	422	1,219	65	1,886	9,082						
MISSOURI	---	---	22,133	21,866	15,287	1,895	312	2,687	5,248	11,127	682	4,677	85,914						
DELAWARE	---	---	190,749	33,745	20,356	2,008	531	1,775	6,135	14,042	1,022	6,609	276,972						
MARYLAND	---	---	273,546	53,084	28,344	2,951	1,042	2,932	6,901	18,061	2,237	3,548	392,646						
VIRGINIA	---	---	138,269	39,205	29,501	1,719	337	1,771	3,570	5,432	1,462	6,711	227,977						
NORTH CAROLINA	---	---	196,530	113,175	46,912	8,844	2,669	12,569	19,731	91,724	5,932	38,849	536,935						
SOUTH CAROLINA	---	---	65,563	11,591	6,364	581	182	1,357	2,926	4,330	706	1,135	95,335						
GEORGIA	---	---	634,392	148,987	67,931	10,568	3,177	14,297	31,577	100,638	5,534	37,521	1,054,562						
TENNESSEE	---	---	35,084	26,595	16,197	2,148	508	1,978	3,474	11,935	800	14,782	113,501						
ALABAMA	---	---	266,018	112,163	100,211	7,097	2,701	7,884	16,526	55,643	5,567	18,073	591,883						
MISSISSIPPI	---	---	63,217	28,743	50,747	5,189	1,576	6,865	7,704	20,423	948	26,857	212,269						
ARKANSAS	---	---	109,764	193,621	121,770	27,455	2,615	13,101	33,611	46,428	4,809	22,863	576,037						
ILLINOIS	---	---	32,071	30,567	11,236	3,974	487	3,389	3,745	9,394	1,266	6,919	103,048						
TEXAS	---	---	70,497	73,630	64,820	21,462	1,836	8,807	16,261	19,321	1,925	19,290	297,849						
WASHINGTON	---	---	3,168	3,687	2,649	182	55	312	1,092	759	373	3,761	16,038						
CALIFORNIA	---	---	44,793	15,679	4,270	1,358	63	405	1,258	2,902	395	7,272	77,795						

MATURE CHICKENS: SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, BY REGIONS AND SELECTED STATES, AUGUST 1967 AND 1968

REGION AND STATE	NUMBER INSPECTED	POUNDS INSPECTED (LIVEWEIGHT)		AVERAGE LIVEWEIGHT		TOTAL POUNDS CERTIFIED (READY-TO-COOK WT.)		POST-MORTEM CONDEMNATIONS					
		1967	1968	1967	1968	1967	1968	1967	1968				
		-THOUSANDS-		-POUNDS-		-1,000 POUNDS-		-PERCENT-					
N. ATLANTIC	1,547	1,055	5,667	5,463	5.21	5.18	3,700	297	213	4.10	4.35		
E. N. CENTRAL	1,286	1,585	5,565	6,979	4.33	4.40	3,624	3,624	247	4.95	4.06		
W. N. CENTRAL	3,668	2,887	16,321	12,524	4.45	4.34	10,591	8,173	734	6.73	5.03		
S. ATLANTIC	2,937	2,589	14,507	12,826	4.94	4.95	9,617	8,328	475	3.66	4.11		
S. CENTRAL	2,139	2,121	11,022	10,626	5.15	5.01	7,501	7,262	439	4.18	4.41		
WEST	1,261	1,204	5,203	4,961	4.13	4.12	3,275	3,161	227	5.66	5.09		
U. S.	12,638	11,441	60,609	53,379	4.73	4.67	39,995	35,126	2,456	2,752	4.52	4.73	
MAINE	402	197	2,573	1,316	6.40	6.69	1,834	998	70	54	3.03	4.58	
NEW JERSEY	742	531	3,158	2,225	4.31	4.19	1,968	1,361	162	110	5.66	5.54	
PENNSYLVANIA	102	58	633	396	6.23	6.82	425	287	22	9	3.86	2.61	
OHIO	312	348	1,373	1,468	4.39	4.22	877	938	62	50	5.05	3.66	
INDIANA	479	490	1,985	1,977	4.17	4.03	1,331	1,279	80	76	4.48	4.31	
ILLINOIS	358	---	1,481	---	4.05	---	923	---	70	---	5.40	---	
MINNESOTA	1,682	1,198	6,785	4,500	4.03	3.76	4,253	2,833	337	270	5.56	6.70	
IOWA	33	---	166	---	4.97	---	110	---	6	---	4.27	---	
MISSOURI	831	711	5,037	4,186	6.06	5.89	3,435	2,906	149	160	3.30	4.30	
DELAWARE	---	55	---	284	---	5.19	---	199	---	9	---	3.38	---
MARYLAND	636	550	2,605	2,255	4.10	4.10	1,694	1,439	112	110	4.82	5.49	
VIRGINIA	155	100	1,063	712	6.84	7.11	748	501	25	21	2.59	3.29	
NORTH CAROLINA	410	336	2,818	2,405	6.87	7.15	1,906	1,602	79	66	3.10	3.09	
GEORGIA	1,042	896	5,151	4,527	4.94	5.05	3,484	3,011	151	153	3.26	3.78	
ALABAMA	96	99	705	757	7.31	7.68	505	532	32	36	5.04	5.28	
MISSISSIPPI	1,303	1,282	5,686	5,855	4.36	4.57	3,799	4,048	237	217	4.67	4.18	
ARKANSAS	267	165	1,971	1,228	7.39	7.44	1,405	886	67	41	3.84	3.75	
LOUISIANA	75	12	425	83	5.64	6.93	282	60	14	3	3.83	4.37	
OKLAHOMA	65	140	474	787	7.25	5.63	337	545	8	21	1.95	2.95	
TEXAS	315	419	1,632	1,874	5.18	4.47	1,081	1,161	76	98	5.19	5.84	
WASHINGTON	73	105	317	436	4.33	4.13	202	285	10	24	3.31	6.14	
CALIFORNIA	1,095	1,080	4,457	4,445	4.11	4.11	2,822	2,824	243	201	6.01	5.04	

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MATURE CHICKENS: NUMBER CONDEMNED POST-MORTEM BY CAUSE, BY REGIONS AND SELECTED STATES, AUGUST 1968

REGION AND STATE	:TUBER- : :CULCSIS:	LEU- : KESIS :	SEPTI- : CEMIA :	AIRSAC- : CULITIS :	SYNO- : VITIS :	TUMORS : NO.	BRUISES : NO.	CACAVER : NO.	CONTAM- : INAIONS:	OVER- : SCALD :	OTHER : NO.	TOTAL : NO.
N. ATLANTIC	---	2,173	18,189	8	1,738	12,813	961	1,044	2,345	175	4,374	43,820
E. N. CENTRAL	1,284	3,273	22,541	154	69	22,055	1,848	740	4,422	175	8,633	65,194
W. N. CENTRAL	9,792	9,697	42,561	1,282	250	57,050	10,661	3,185	13,264	652	20,284	168,678
S. ATLANTIC	156	5,804	36,025	502	1,168	26,148	2,085	4,136	13,608	376	12,772	102,780
S. CENTRAL	---	9,112	29,926	209	818	17,277	2,545	2,111	7,015	216	19,361	88,590
WEST	---	951	23,001	135	100	24,063	1,685	726	2,888	821	6,617	60,987
U. S.	11,232	31,010	172,243	2,290	4,143	159,406	19,785	11,942	43,542	2,415	72,041	530,049
MAINE	---	508	4,218	1	253	811	226	231	562	20	289	7,519
NEW JERSEY	---	711	11,096	---	23	8,739	646	644	1,414	86	3,463	26,822
PENNSYLVANIA	---	143	448	1	---	497	33	26	81	---	415	1,644
OHIO	361	1,310	1,566	3	3	3,359	457	207	872	52	3,706	11,896
INDIANA	79	699	8,362	6	39	8,706	278	102	1,284	29	530	20,114
MINNESOTA	4,031	2,541	14,286	210	70	29,608	5,141	1,526	6,574	366	16,385	80,738
MISSOURI	1,001	1,609	15,184	123	109	5,461	2,627	492	1,792	63	640	29,101
DELAWARE	---	911	516	39	16	40	11	66	68	1	63	1,731
MARYLAND	156	851	11,057	47	127	8,142	452	1,101	2,112	164	1,377	25,586
VIRGINIA	---	366	2,048	52	34	592	58	71	182	49	14	3,506
NORTH CAROLINA	---	673	3,875	260	315	2,143	532	291	1,652	19	856	10,616
GEORGIA	---	1,504	8,874	88	598	7,831	481	789	5,158	85	6,954	32,362
ALABAMA	---	294	1,924	24	128	332	36	61	1,683	3	200	4,685
MISSISSIPPI	---	633	13,675	10	105	14,333	2,005	1,295	3,970	150	12,197	48,373
ARKANSAS	---	317	3,393	86	138	224	86	133	615	9	234	5,235
LOUISIANA	---	59	305	---	15	32	10	4	20	---	4	449
OKLAHOMA	---	206	3,060	11	42	508	120	93	228	1	163	4,432
TEXAS	---	7,602	7,478	78	390	1,843	282	516	462	53	6,538	25,242
WASHINGTON	---	113	1,803	---	8	364	171	144	532	3	1,583	4,721
CALIFORNIA	---	788	21,002	135	92	23,597	1,506	573	2,326	816	5,031	55,866

YOUNG TURKEYS (MATURE): SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, BY REGIONS AND SELECTED STATES, AUGUST 1967 AND 1968

REGION AND STATE	NUMBER		PCUNDS		AVERAGE		TOTAL PCUNDS		POST-MORTEM CONDEMNATIONS			
	INSPECTED	1968	INSPECTED	1968	LIVWEIGHT	INSPECTED	CERTIFIED	1967	1968	PCUNDS (NYD)	PERCENT 2/	
	1967	1968	1967	1968	1967	1968	1967	1968	1967	1968	1967	1968
	-THOUSANDS-		-1,000 PCUNDS-		-POUNDS-		-1,000 PCUNDS-		-1,000 PCUNDS-		-PERCENT-	
N. ATLANTIC	349	178	6,117	3,043	17.53	17.10	4,835	2,438	71	31	1.29	1.13
E. N. CENTRAL	1,857	1,637	34,774	28,796	18.33	17.59	27,967	22,990	471	392	1.51	1.51
W. N. CENTRAL	5,554	4,691	113,989	89,117	19.02	19.00	91,667	71,251	1,892	1,557	1.85	1.94
S. ATLANTIC	1,478	1,359	26,565	24,870	17.97	17.77	20,977	19,668	479	465	2.01	2.08
S. CENTRAL	2,540	1,979	47,182	36,507	18.58	18.45	37,296	28,782	1,013	779	2.39	2.37
WEST	3,423	2,753	67,556	51,851	19.75	18.84	53,786	41,822	1,176	539	1.94	1.15
U. S.	15,681	12,637	296,223	234,184	18.89	18.53	236,528	186,951	5,102	3,763	1.92	1.79
PENNSYLVANIA	281	172	4,515	2,924	16.09	17.01	3,598	2,348	43	29	1.05	1.12
OHIO	475	617	8,832	10,567	18.58	17.13	7,137	8,541	106	119	1.33	1.25
INDIANA	662	488	11,764	8,358	17.78	17.13	9,403	6,661	197	101	1.86	1.34
WISCONSIN	567	395	10,382	7,150	18.31	18.10	8,355	5,619	137	138	1.46	2.15
MINNESOTA	2,625	2,220	50,860	41,817	19.38	18.84	40,854	33,428	685	631	1.50	1.68
IOWA	1,337	1,040	26,907	20,172	20.13	19.40	21,776	16,040	436	297	1.81	1.64
MISSOURI	1,312	1,062	23,062	19,983	17.58	18.81	18,435	16,020	523	522	2.53	2.91
NEBRASKA	329	384	6,141	7,134	18.68	18.07	4,942	5,384	117	157	2.12	2.51
VIRGINIA	403	711	7,134	6,946	17.70	17.48	5,439	9,888	158	199	1.83	1.78
NORTH CAROLINA	748	711	13,318	12,435	17.81	17.48	10,642	9,888	219	199	1.83	1.78
GEORGIA	33	609	609	---	18.45	---	483	---	17	---	3.16	---
ARKANSAS	1,100	1,043	20,579	18,506	18.71	17.75	16,270	14,583	361	382	1.95	2.29
TEXAS	1,011	687	18,635	13,153	18.44	19.15	14,761	10,427	475	301	2.83	2.54
COLORADO	406	303	8,538	6,213	20.60	20.47	6,833	5,034	106	74	1.41	1.33
UTAH	669	509	14,704	9,626	21.96	18.92	11,760	7,778	150	80	1.13	.92
CALIFORNIA	1,984	1,620	37,760	30,053	19.04	18.55	29,819	24,278	812	327	2.39	1.21

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YOUNG TURKEYS (MATURE): NUMBER CONDEMNED POST-MORTEM BY CAUSE, BY REGIONS AND SELECTED STATES, AUGUST 1968

REGION AND STATE	: TUBER- :		: LEU- :		: SEPII- :		: AIRSAC- :		: SYNG- :		: TUMORS :		: BRUISES :		: CADAVER :		: 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. ATLANTIC	---	16	849	410	79	3	16	101	121	---	3	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	3	1,598
E. N. CENTRAL	---	102	8,292	7,842	1,125	9	259	1,055	891	236	322	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	322	20,133
W. N. CENTRAL	---	195	41,920	23,756	1,326	71	816	2,415	4,360	1,011	1,478	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	1,478	77,348
S. ATLANTIC	---	148	10,788	7,186	2,063	62	286	613	1,437	100	478	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	478	23,161
S. CENTRAL	---	96	21,791	9,118	4,009	59	1,031	773	2,235	132	1,526	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	1,526	40,770
WEST	---	111	14,981	5,000	1,302	19	454	1,016	960	264	218	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	218	24,325
U. S.	---	668	98,621	53,312	9,904	223	2,862	5,973	10,004	1,743	4,025	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	4,025	187,335
PENNSYLVANIA	---	15	836	389	79	1	15	97	115	---	3	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	3	1,550
OHIO	---	11	1,941	1,535	34	3	83	577	314	65	204	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	204	4,767
INDIANA	---	43	1,549	2,549	246	2	22	217	325	57	14	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	14	5,024
MISSOURI	---	42	4,194	3,361	804	2	148	184	182	7	32	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	32	8,956
MINNESOTA	---	143	18,125	10,160	501	21	290	1,543	2,575	661	343	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	343	34,362
IOWA	---	10	7,423	4,546	171	13	235	331	685	43	299	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	299	13,756
MISSOURI	---	36	12,816	7,936	520	18	253	343	788	212	765	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	765	23,687
VIRGINIA	---	53	4,154	2,368	249	8	47	112	240	19	16	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	16	7,266
NRTH CAROLINA	---	61	3,852	2,926	1,183	52	152	468	1,005	43	350	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	350	10,132
ARKANSAS	---	42	13,770	4,047	2,096	13	242	469	1,354	109	12	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	12	22,154
TEXAS	---	16	5,637	4,059	1,793	43	784	247	562	16	1,384	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	1,384	14,541
COLORADO	---	1	797	1,749	6	2	97	95	97	16	11	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	11	2,871
UTAH	---	55	3,737	614	217	3	131	414	176	91	28	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	28	5,466
CALIFORNIA	---	45	8,838	2,400	661	8	112	402	611	146	144	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	144	13,367

FRYER-ROASTER TURKEYS: SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, BY REGIONS AND SELECTED STATES, AUGUST 1967 AND 1968

REGION AND STATE	NUMBER INSPECTED	POUNDS INSPECTED (LIVEWEIGHT)	AVERAGE LIVEWEIGHT (INSPECTED)	TOTAL POUNDS CERTIFIED (READY-TO-COOK WT.)		PCST-MORTEM CONDEMNATIONS				
				1967	1968	1967	1968	PCUNDS (NYD)	PERCENT 2/	
N. ATLANTIC	11	101	9.43	10.07	80	112	1	1	-.99	.79
L. N. CENTRAL	43	840	9.55	9.16	649	305	13	9	1.72	2.59
W. N. CENTRAL	352	3,614	9.20	8.56	2,807	2,984	42	56	1.29	1.65
S. ATLANTIC	452	3,811	8.43	8.49	2,816	1,912	68	46	1.99	1.94
S. CENTRAL	33	265	8.15	8.06	202	178	5	6	2.07	2.75
WEST	205	1,644	7.90	7.99	1,261	563	31	8	2.10	1.29
U. S.	1,189	10,279	8.67	8.51	7,875	6,054	160	126	1.73	1.77
WISCONSIN	3/	86	9.55	---	632	---	13	---	1.73	---
MINNESOTA	372	3,426	9.20	8.56	2,719	2,910	40	54	1.31	1.64
VIRGINIA	440	3,666	8.38	8.49	2,719	1,894	64	46	1.95	1.94
CALIFORNIA	176	1,423	8.06	8.21	1,035	454	28	7	2.21	1.40

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REGION AND STATE	TUBERC- : NO.	LEU- : NO.	KCSIS : NO.	SEPTI- : NO.	AIRSAC- : NO.	CULITIS : NO.	SYNC- : NO.	VITIS : NO.	TUMORS : NO.	BRUISES : NO.	CADAVER : NO.	CONTAM- : NO.		OTHER : NO.	TOTAL : NO.
												INATTON :	SCALD :		
N. ATLANTIC	---	---	---	29	3	---	---	---	---	1	1	2	---	---	36
L. N. CENTRAL	---	---	---	698	133	13	9	48	55	9	---	---	---	---	974
W. N. CENTRAL	---	---	---	3,553	1,434	33	58	119	884	60	20	---	---	---	6,189
S. ATLANTIC	---	---	---	2,625	705	53	72	88	366	7	44	---	---	---	4,009
S. CENTRAL	---	---	---	171	463	10	8	21	89	---	---	---	---	---	793
WEST	---	---	---	527	83	14	23	28	142	4	26	---	---	---	848
U. S.	---	---	---	7,643	2,821	123	7	171	1,538	80	121	---	---	---	12,849
MINNESOTA	---	---	---	3,500	1,399	33	6	25	857	60	20	---	---	---	6,031
VIRGINIA	---	---	---	2,657	702	52	---	72	365	7	42	---	---	---	3,994
CALIFORNIA	---	---	---	427	82	12	---	9	125	4	12	---	---	---	684

OLD TURKEYS (BREEDERS): SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, BY REGIONS AND SELECTED STATES, AUGUST 1967 AND 1968

REGION AND STATE	NUMBER INSPECTED	POUNDS		AVERAGE LIVEWEIGHT (LIVEWEIGHT)	TOTAL POUNDS CERTIFIED (READY-TO-COOK WT.)	PCST-MORTEM CONDEMNATIONS	
		1967	1968			1967	1968
N. ATLANTIC 4/	13	241	138	18.54	191	110	6
E. N. CENTRAL	42	737	399	17.55	586	318	23
W. N. CENTRAL	24	684	518	18.41	549	409	14
S. ATLANTIC	25	64	21	14.81	54	18	1
S. CENTRAL 4/	4	306	192	17.03	241	155	4
WEST	11						5
U. S.	114	2,032	1,267	17.82	1,621	1,009	48
MINNESOTA	42	735	399	17.36	584	318	23
NORTH CAROLINA 3/	29		518	17.64		409	17

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OLD TURKEYS (BREEDERS): NUMBER CONDEMNED POST-MORTEM BY CAUSE, BY REGIONS AND SELECTED STATES, AUGUST 1968

REGION AND STATE	TUBERCULOSIS	LEU- KOSIS	SEPTI- LEMIA	AIRSAC- CULITIS	SYN- VITIS	TUMORS	BRUISES	CADAVER	CONTAM- INATION	OVER- SCALD	OTHER	TOTAL
N. ATLANTIC				36	1	6	5	2	7			85
E. N. CENTRAL		4	24	188	2	1	7	10	54	1	3	532
W. N. CENTRAL		11	243	280	21	9	5	17	36	4	100	726
S. ATLANTIC			5	2	1			1	2		2	13
S. CENTRAL		3	237	2	4	1	13	13	3			276
WEST		19	774	508	29	17	30	43	102	5	105	1,632
U. S.		11	265	188	2	1	7	10	54	1	3	532
MINNESOTA		11	243	280	21	9	5	17	36	4	100	726

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- 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.
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