

## POULTRY

Slaughtered under Federal Inspection and Poultry  
Used in Further Processing  
November 1969

Release:  
January 5, 1970  
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Inspected Poultry - There were 988 million pounds live weight (chickens, turkeys and ducks) inspected for slaughter during November under the Poultry Inspection Act carried on by the United States Department of Agriculture. This is 22 percent less than the previous month but 2 percent more than November 1968.

The number of head and pounds live weight inspected by classes were: Young chickens 176,349,000 head, 645,072,000 pounds; mature chickens 10,066,000 head, 47,767,000 pounds; fryer-roaster turkeys 1,056,000 head, 10,174,000 pounds; young turkeys 12,791,000 head, 280,212,000 pounds; old turkeys 14,000 head, 248,000 pounds; ducks 770,000 head, 4,827,000 pounds.

Poultry Certified as Wholesome in November totaled 726,931,000 pounds ready-to-cook weight of which 502,614,000 pounds were chilled and 224,317,000 pounds were frozen. Pounds certified by class of poultry were: Young chickens, 461,282,000; mature chickens, 30,727,000; fryer-roaster turkeys, 8,027,000; young turkeys, 221,433,000; old turkeys, 204,000; ducks 3,453,000 and other poultry, 1,805,000 pounds.

Further Processed - Poultry inspected and used for further processing in November totaled 109,308,000 pounds ready-to-cook weight, compared with 97,435,000 pounds in November 1968. The November total consisted of 21,725,000 pounds of young chickens, 27,958,000 pounds of mature chickens, 51,886,000 pounds of turkeys and 7,739,000 pounds of other poultry.

Poultry Cut-up and Packaged during November totaled 139,503,000 pounds ready-to-cook weight, compared with 125,845,000 pounds a year earlier. The breakdown by classes was: Young chickens, 123,016,000 pounds; mature chickens, 1,644,000 pounds; turkeys, 14,763,000 pounds; and other poultry, 80,000 pounds.

Ante-Mortem Condemnations during November were 2,789,000 pounds live weight. Condemnations by classes as percent of quantities inspected were: Young chickens, 0.29 percent; mature chickens, 0.71 percent; fryer-roaster turkeys, 0.31 percent; young turkeys, 0.17 percent; old turkeys, 0.05 percent; and ducks, 0.10 percent.

Post-Mortem Condemnations in November were 29,823,000 pounds (NYD weight). Condemnations by classes as percent of quantities inspected were: Young chickens, 3.55 percent; mature chickens, 5.99 percent; fryer-roaster turkeys, 2.31 percent; young turkeys, 2.53 percent; old turkeys 4.06 percent; and ducks, 1.93 percent.

POULTRY: SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, NOVEMBER 1969 WITH COMPARISONS

NUMBER INSPECTED <sup>3/</sup>	: YOUNG		: MATURE		: TOTAL		: FRYER-ROASTERS:		: YOUNG TURKEYS:		: OLD TURKEYS:		: TOTAL TURKEYS:		: DUCKS:		: OTHER POULTRY:		: TOTAL POULTRY:				
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OCTOBER 1969	232,472	15,046	247,518	941	15,539	12	16,492	1,126	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
NOVEMBER 1968	165,337	12,741	178,078	1,130	13,908	27	15,065	765	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
NOVEMBER 1969	176,349	10,066	186,415	1,056	12,791	14	13,861	770	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
JAN.-NOV. 1968	2,157,531	137,104	2,294,635	10,344	76,026	1,433	87,803	9,570	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
JAN.-NOV. 1969	2,306,275	142,294	2,448,569	8,671	76,536	1,207	86,414	10,705	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
POUNDS INSPECTED <sup>4/</sup>	850,224	70,030	920,254	8,812	327,011	169	335,992	7,155	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
OCTOBER 1969	595,624	59,401	655,025	10,644	297,586	490	308,720	4,927	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
NOVEMBER 1968	645,072	47,767	692,839	10,174	280,212	248	290,634	4,827	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
NOVEMBER 1969	7,658,016	630,331	8,288,347	92,827	1,507,738	27,860	1,628,425	60,578	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
JAN.-NOV. 1968	8,287,018	656,369	8,943,387	80,281	1,517,133	23,024	1,620,438	66,529	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
JAN.-NOV. 1969	8,500,224	700,030	9,200,254	88,812	327,011	169	335,992	7,155	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
AVERAGE LIVWEIGHTS <sup>5/</sup>	3.66	4.65	3.72	9.36	21.04	14.67	20.37	6.35	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
OCTOBER 1969	3.60	4.66	3.68	9.42	21.40	18.46	20.49	6.44	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
NOVEMBER 1968	3.66	4.75	3.72	9.63	21.91	17.94	20.97	6.27	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
NOVEMBER 1969	3.55	4.60	3.61	8.97	19.83	19.44	18.55	6.33	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
JAN.-NOV. 1968	3.59	4.61	3.65	9.26	19.82	19.07	18.75	6.21	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---

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

OCTOBER 1969, 2,809; NOVEMBER 1968, 2,384; AND NOVEMBER 1969, 2,155.

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

OCTOBER 1969, 16; NOVEMBER 1968, 8; AND NOVEMBER 1969, 9.

<sup>3/</sup> THOUSANDS <sup>4/</sup> 1,000 POUNDS <sup>5/</sup> POUNDS

POULTRY: POUNDS CERTIFIED (READY-TO-COOK WEIGHTS), NOVEMBER 1969 WITH COMPARISONS <sup>1/</sup>

OCTOBER 1969	: YOUNG		: MATURE		: TOTAL		: FRYER-ROASTERS:		: YOUNG TURKEYS:		: OLD TURKEYS:		: TOTAL TURKEYS:		: DUCKS:		: OTHER POULTRY:		: TOTAL POULTRY:			
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CHILLED	546,980	35,610	582,590	1,527	43,524	8	45,059	225	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
FROZEN	63,541	9,049	72,590	5,237	216,026	126	221,389	4,902	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
TOTAL	610,521	44,659	655,180	6,764	259,550	134	266,448	5,127	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
NOVEMBER 1968	374,891	31,019	405,910	2,243	58,585	46	60,874	247	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
CHILLED	50,782	7,042	57,824	6,101	178,306	348	184,755	3,277	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
FROZEN	425,673	38,061	463,734	8,344	236,891	394	245,629	3,524	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
TOTAL	408,685	24,977	433,662	1,804	66,686	---	68,490	347	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
NOVEMBER 1969	52,597	5,750	58,347	6,223	154,747	204	161,174	3,106	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
CHILLED	461,282	30,727	492,009	8,027	221,433	204	229,664	3,453	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
FROZEN	4,915,513	316,082	5,231,595	16,467	207,879	4,136	228,482	1,796	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
TOTAL	559,527	93,596	653,123	55,304	991,745	18,082	1,065,131	41,690	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
JANUARY-NOVEMBER 1968	5,475,040	409,678	5,884,718	71,771	1,199,624	22,218	1,293,613	43,486	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
CHILLED	5,335,150	322,511	5,657,661	16,038	235,378	4,707	256,123	3,002	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
FROZEN	595,809	96,749	692,558	46,263	969,367	13,492	1,029,122	44,218	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
TOTAL	5,930,959	419,260	6,350,219	62,301	1,204,745	18,199	1,285,245	47,220	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---

<sup>1/</sup> 1,000 POUNDS

POULTRY: CONDEMNATIONS OF POULTRY SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, NOVEMBER 1969 WITH COMPARISONS 2/

	YOUNG : CHICKENS :	MATURE : CHICKENS :	TOTAL : CHICKENS :	FRYER-ROASTERS :	YOUNG TURKEYS :	OLD TURKEYS :	TOTAL TURKEYS :	DUCKS :	OTHER POULTRY :	TOTAL POULTRY :
ANTE-MORTEM										
1,000 POUNDS (LIVEWEIGHT) :										
NOVEMBER 1968 :	1,634	384	2,018	15	431	2	448	1	3	2,470
NOVEMBER 1969 :	1,906	344	2,250	32	500	---	532	5	2	2,789
JAN.-NOV. 1968 :	25,477	4,522	29,999	200	2,825	84	3,109	13	13	33,134
JAN.-NOV. 1969 :	31,357	5,266	36,623	188	3,194	82	3,464	30	12	40,129
PERCENT 1/ NOVEMBER 1968 :	.27	.64	.30	.13	.14	.34	.14	.01	.13	.25
NOVEMBER 1969 :	.29	.71	.32	.31	.17	.05	.18	.10	.09	.28
POST-MORTEM										
1,000 LBS. (N.Y. DRESSED) :										
NOVEMBER 1968 :	19,317	2,865	22,182	196	5,792	13	6,001	64	13	28,260
NOVEMBER 1969 :	20,579	2,555	23,134	211	6,369	9	6,589	84	15	29,823
JAN.-NOV. 1968 :	248,094	27,397	275,491	1,651	28,866	736	31,253	668	42	307,454
JAN.-NOV. 1969 :	259,841	32,022	291,863	1,543	33,535	775	35,853	953	45	328,713
PERCENT 2/ NOVEMBER 1968 :	3.61	5.39	3.77	2.04	2.16	3.03	2.16	1.43	.59	3.24
NOVEMBER 1969 :	3.55	5.99	3.72	2.31	2.53	4.06	2.52	1.93	.63	3.35

1/ POUNDS CONDEMNED AS PERCENT OF POUNDS (LIVEWEIGHT) INSPECTED. PERCENTAGE BASED ON UNROUNDED DATA.

2/ POUNDS CONDEMNED AS PERCENT OF EQUIVALENT N.Y. DRESSED WEIGHT OF QUANTITY INSPECTED. PERCENTAGES BASED ON UNROUNDED DATA.

3/ DASHES MEAN LESS THAN 500 POUNDS.

POULTRY: INSPECTED FOR FURTHER PROCESSING AND CUT-UP UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, NOVEMBER 1969 WITH COMPARISONS

	YOUNG CHICKENS :	MATURE CHICKENS :	TURKEYS :	OTHER POULTRY 1/ :	TOTAL POULTRY :					
POUNDS USED READY-TO-COOK WEIGHT 2/ :										
OCTOBER 1969 :	30,868	147,300	33,602	955	59,282	18,838	8,345	149	132,097	167,242
NOVEMBER 1968 :	18,685	107,509	33,255	493	38,922	17,643	6,573	200	97,435	125,845
NOVEMBER 1969 :	21,725	123,016	27,958	1,644	51,886	14,763	7,739	80	109,308	139,503
JANUARY-NOVEMBER 1968 :	237,109	1,273,515	347,169	6,162	346,785	122,186	65,401	1,360	996,464	1,403,223
JANUARY-NOVEMBER 1969 :	248,849	1,489,260	348,529	8,301	448,999	147,085	75,528	3,921	1,121,905	1,648,567
LBS. CONDEMNED READY-TO-COOK WEIGHT 2/ :										
OCTOBER 1969 :	289	677	39	46	49	12	89	---	466	735
NOVEMBER 1968 :	74	650	49	3	24	11	19	---	166	664
NOVEMBER 1969 :	86	785	40	47	33	11	23	---	182	843
JANUARY-NOVEMBER 1968 3/ :	880	10,563	855	20	288	83	432	2	2,455	10,668
JANUARY-NOVEMBER 1969 :	1,549	9,707	422	143	615	98	404	7	2,990	9,955

1/ POULTRY PARTS AND FAT USED IN FURTHER PROCESSING THAT CANNOT BE IDENTIFIED BY CLASS ARE INCLUDED IN "OTHER POULTRY".

2/ 1,000 POUNDS.

3/ REVISED.

POULTRY SLAUGHTER, January 1970

YOUNG CHICKENS: SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, BY REGIONS AND SELECTED STATES, NOVEMBER 1968 AND 1969

REGION AND STATE	NUMBER INSPECTED		POUNDS INSPECTED (LIVEWEIGHT)		AVERAGE LIVEWEIGHT INSPECTED		TOTAL POUNDS CERTIFIED (READY-TO-COOK WT.)		POST-MORTEM CONDEMNATIONS	
	1968	1969	1968	1969	1968	1969	1968	1969	1968	1969
	-THOUSANDS-		-1,000 POUNDS-		-POUNDS-		-1,000 POUNDS-		-1,000 POUNDS-	
N. ATLANTIC	10,766	11,245	44,539	47,718	4.14	4.24	32,232	33,923	1,790	1,997
E. N. CENTRAL	1,954	2,137	8,114	9,193	4.15	4.30	5,981	6,681	177	283
W. N. CENTRAL	4,071	4,298	15,089	16,696	3.71	3.88	10,767	11,841	408	540
S. ATLANTIC	67,535	73,113	244,527	270,046	3.62	3.69	173,977	192,979	8,998	8,776
S. CENTRAL	77,577	81,468	270,541	286,354	3.49	3.51	193,669	205,313	7,586	8,520
WEST	3,434	4,088	12,814	15,065	3.73	3.69	9,047	10,545	358	463
U. S.	165,337	176,349	595,624	645,072	3.60	3.66	425,673	461,282	19,317	20,579
MAINE	4,378	4,759	18,433	20,837	4.21	4.38	13,448	15,172	873	783
PENNSYLVANIA	5,643	5,872	22,892	24,166	4.06	4.12	16,497	16,818	818	1,111
OHIO	18	11	125	85	6.95	7.44	91	63	4	1
INDIANA	726	843	2,694	3,156	3.71	3.74	1,998	2,329	51	105
WISCONSIN	1,177	1,227	5,057	5,539	4.29	4.52	3,717	3,990	114	164
MINNESOTA	721	716	2,824	3,034	3.92	4.23	2,109	2,275	53	49
MISSOURI	3,268	3,374	11,547	12,147	3.53	3.60	8,145	8,497	318	424
DELAWARE	5,994	6,605	22,938	26,194	3.83	3.97	16,242	18,664	788	910
MARYLAND	10,018	11,191	38,078	43,737	3.80	3.91	27,401	31,484	1,158	1,535
VIRGINIA	5,178	5,942	17,892	20,904	3.46	3.52	12,271	14,306	646	637
NORTH CAROLINA	16,657	19,440	62,317	74,222	3.74	3.82	44,659	52,867	1,968	2,111
SOUTH CAROLINA	1,921	2,421	6,513	8,347	3.39	3.45	4,573	5,812	302	280
GEORGIA	25,980	24,402	90,612	85,591	3.49	3.51	64,416	61,792	3,949	3,002
TENNESSEE	4,392	4,995	15,668	17,821	3.57	3.57	11,300	12,973	473	506
ALABAMA	17,288	19,526	61,420	69,672	3.55	3.57	43,723	49,784	2,217	2,432
MISSISSIPPI	13,519	13,640	47,615	49,061	3.52	3.60	34,558	36,129	976	961
ARKANSAS	25,594	25,741	86,003	87,795	3.36	3.41	61,280	61,945	2,233	2,766
LOUISIANA	3,912	4,150	14,097	15,026	3.60	3.62	10,110	10,890	380	359
TEXAS	10,753	11,467	38,557	40,417	3.59	3.52	27,544	28,927	1,155	1,320
WASHINGTON	871	926	3,287	3,692	3.77	3.99	2,311	2,519	84	169
CALIFORNIA	2,116	2,196	8,116	8,333	3.84	3.79	5,742	5,935	219	198

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, NOVEMBER 1969

REGION AND STATE	: TUBER- : : CULOSIS : : NO. :	: LEU- : : KOSIS : : NO. :	: SEPTI- : : CEMIA : : NO. :	: AIRSAC- : : CULITIS : : NO. :	: SYNO- : : VITIS : : NO. :	: TUMORS : : NO. :	: BRUISES : : NO. :	: CADAVER : : INATION : : NO. :	: CONTAM- : : SCALD : : NO. :	: OVER- : : NO. :	: OTHER : : NO. :	: TOTAL : : NO. :
N. ATLANTIC	---	239,546	122,215	66,607	4,855	1,494	2,916	10,613	23,312	1,352	17,475	490,385
E. N. CENTRAL	---	33,230	18,212	3,767	1,191	203	1,399	5,211	3,987	212	1,814	69,226
W. N. CENTRAL	---	50,771	27,117	34,504	3,024	351	1,931	3,030	8,310	582	4,873	134,493
S. ATLANTIC	---	1,182,784	392,161	338,460	25,028	7,436	32,043	79,649	185,833	24,356	87,964	2,335,114
S. CENTRAL	---	848,635	500,710	497,479	70,440	9,544	42,888	76,239	114,947	14,251	67,974	2,243,107
WEST	---	62,664	30,274	17,909	453	76	1,380	4,212	4,626	1,350	5,751	128,695
U. S.	---	2,397,630	1,090,689	958,726	104,991	19,104	82,557	178,954	341,015	42,103	185,851	5,401,620
MAINE	---	83,645	59,108	5,649	4,136	403	879	7,322	5,268	405	4,713	171,528
PENNSYLVANIA	---	145,408	54,276	60,508	535	657	1,675	2,552	15,979	602	11,922	294,114
OHIO	---	19	26	1	---	7	1	8	35	---	13	110
INDIANA	---	23,025	5,557	1,001	238	27	634	1,878	1,102	127	274	33,863
WISCONSIN	---	9,807	12,015	2,593	943	167	743	3,155	2,572	78	1,292	33,365
MINNESOTA	---	2,373	3,840	275	20	43	156	123	2,161	11	2,643	11,645
MISSOURI	---	46,266	20,729	33,656	2,326	219	1,726	2,794	4,696	535	2,179	115,126
DELAWARE	---	149,994	36,098	37,201	2,057	466	2,489	5,918	9,517	2,383	8,786	254,909
MARYLAND	---	208,503	63,319	84,502	3,233	774	2,733	14,744	20,293	3,882	4,727	406,710
VIRGINIA	---	82,105	43,171	50,417	582	378	1,819	2,975	3,881	1,041	3,580	189,949
NORTH CAROLINA	---	180,602	113,368	74,496	6,444	2,789	11,301	19,405	69,734	6,538	38,294	522,971
SOUTH CAROLINA	---	43,175	12,143	9,041	481	263	1,661	4,623	4,965	315	2,436	79,103
GEORGIA	---	458,889	109,165	68,894	10,874	2,623	11,115	29,610	73,010	8,809	25,943	798,932
TENNESSEE	---	64,847	29,727	6,908	1,105	467	2,552	6,629	11,873	1,522	7,395	133,025
ALABAMA	---	432,919	97,212	30,665	5,215	2,785	7,766	16,360	31,783	4,526	10,763	639,994
MISSISSIPPI	---	58,065	26,885	82,302	4,541	1,866	4,498	7,116	14,733	1,144	15,613	216,863
ARKANSAS	---	169,814	211,362	264,428	20,669	2,365	10,793	27,791	35,559	3,688	19,947	766,416
LOUISIANA	---	19,482	43,552	12,431	6,646	494	3,250	2,806	3,752	1,241	2,189	95,843
TEXAS	---	92,863	80,230	84,308	31,799	1,495	10,503	13,499	14,561	1,995	10,174	341,427
WASHINGTON	---	23,456	5,989	4,465	207	24	666	600	924	846	1,592	38,769
CALIFORNIA	---	22,149	19,492	6,964	157	44	370	1,793	2,955	210	2,101	56,235

MATURE CHICKENS: SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, BY REGIONS AND SELECTED STATES, NOVEMBER 1968 AND 1969

REGION AND STATE	NUMBER		POUNDS		AVERAGE		TOTAL POUNDS		POST-MORTEM CONDEMNATIONS			
	INSPECTED	INSPECTED	INSPECTED	INSPECTED	LIVEWEIGHT	INSPECTED	CERTIFIED	(READY-TO-COOK WT.)	POUNDS (NYD)	PERCENT		
	1968	1969	1968	1969	1968	1969	1968	1969	1968	1969		
	<u>- THOUSANDS -</u>		<u>- 1,000 POUNDS -</u>		<u>- POUNDS -</u>		<u>- 1,000 POUNDS -</u>		<u>- 1,000 POUNDS -</u>		<u>- PERCENT -</u>	
N. ATLANTIC	1,521	1,325	7,464	6,780	4.91	5.12	4,837	4,338	292	332	4.39	5.47
E. N. CENTRAL	1,508	1,261	6,492	5,242	4.31	4.16	4,076	3,213	260	209	4.48	4.47
M. N. CENTRAL	3,386	2,522	14,536	11,282	4.29	4.47	9,147	7,097	878	722	6.76	7.17
S. ATLANTIC	2,787	2,428	13,655	11,669	4.90	4.81	8,808	7,584	688	644	5.63	6.17
S. CENTRAL	2,268	1,748	11,905	9,626	5.25	5.51	7,874	6,534	530	448	4.98	5.20
WEST	1,271	782	5,349	3,168	4.21	4.05	3,319	1,961	217	200	4.52	7.07
U. S.	12,741	10,066	59,401	47,767	4.66	4.75	38,061	30,727	2,865	2,555	5.39	5.99
MAINE	195	257	1,272	1,759	6.53	6.86	900	1,194	47	71	4.10	4.48
NEW JERSEY	1,016	735	4,373	3,185	4.30	4.33	2,717	1,952	194	197	4.98	6.92
PENNSYLVANIA	86	73	572	513	6.66	7.00	389	336	19	18	3.66	3.86
OHIO	233	---	996	---	4.28	---	618	---	43	---	4.79	---
INDIANA	640	477	2,608	1,874	4.08	3.93	1,623	1,175	99	65	4.27	3.93
MINNESOTA	1,454	1,090	5,380	4,034	3.70	3.70	3,276	2,410	359	288	7.46	7.99
MISSOURI	784	723	4,699	4,529	5.99	6.26	3,189	3,069	203	255	4.84	6.31
DELAWARE	16	---	116	---	7.24	---	82	---	4	---	3.62	---
MARYLAND	441	---	1,798	---	4.08	---	1,139	---	86	---	5.35	---
VIRGINIA	71	22	495	160	7.02	7.27	348	112	21	5	4.77	3.84
NORTH CAROLINA	313	178	2,145	1,316	6.86	7.40	1,456	899	86	57	4.46	4.80
GEORGIA	997	1,334	5,116	6,389	5.13	4.79	3,383	4,195	202	311	4.41	5.45
ALABAMA	100	233	760	1,247	7.62	5.35	527	811	34	71	4.97	6.38
MISSISSIPPI	1,394	823	6,694	4,280	4.80	5.20	4,395	2,917	270	193	4.52	5.04
ARKANSAS	281	223	2,033	1,564	7.23	7.02	1,416	1,091	89	78	4.90	5.58
LOUISIANA	66	52	432	374	6.55	7.17	296	261	18	15	4.52	4.49
TEXAS	369	344	1,676	1,770	4.55	5.14	1,031	1,192	106	79	7.07	4.95
WASHINGTON	121	80	485	326	4.03	4.07	307	199	21	20	4.82	6.70
CALIFORNIA	1,127	662	4,779	2,685	4.24	4.05	2,954	1,659	194	175	4.51	7.28

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REGION AND STATE		MATURE CHICKENS: NUMBER CONDEMNED POST-MORTEM BY CAUSE, BY REGIONS AND SELECTED STATES, NOVEMBER 1969															
: TUBER- : : SCULOSIS : : NO. :	LEU- : KOSIS : NO. :	SEPTI- : CEMIA : NO. :	AIRSAC- : CULITIS : NO. :	SYNO- : VITIS : NO. :	TUMORS : NO. :	BRUISES : NO. :	CADAVER : NO. :	INATION : NO. :	CONTAM- :		OVER- : SCALD : NO. :	OTHER : NO. :	TOTAL : NO. :				
									NO.	NO.							
N. ATLANTIC	2,658	32,532	5	281	21,128	1,060	1,846	4,926	240	5,707	70,398						
E. N. CENTRAL	5,000	18,638	235	82	18,853	1,299	1,270	5,860	162	6,323	59,552						
W. N. CENTRAL	7,060	65,922	1,716	204	49,008	5,685	3,902	14,765	688	23,801	192,767						
S. ATLANTIC	4,584	50,141	530	661	30,853	5,099	5,710	23,924	722	20,033	142,472						
S. CENTRAL	8,984	43,066	229	2,994	13,332	1,896	1,752	8,017	252	12,584	93,106						
WEST	511	27,728	35	56	17,211	1,216	686	3,675	411	5,881	57,410						
U. S.	28,797	238,027	2,750	4,278	150,385	16,255	15,166	61,167	2,475	74,329	615,705						
MAINE	909	5,662	1	137	1,501	117	299	772	30	605	10,033						
NEW JERSEY	1,258	20,649	---	39	14,427	708	1,311	3,166	11	4,630	46,214						
PENNSYLVANIA	251	1,657	2	2	409	33	42	339	32	231	2,998						
INDIANA	870	7,585	---	4	8,079	213	764	2,168	4	805	20,612						
MINNESOTA	2,026	24,814	629	97	29,037	1,903	1,423	6,144	246	13,966	90,282						
MISSOURI	2,222	29,053	348	98	6,760	1,908	1,722	3,400	413	6,928	55,018						
VIRGINIA	80	593	9	6	86	13	14	82	---	4	887						
NORTH CAROLINA	582	2,933	76	129	863	130	207	1,856	9	1,319	8,104						
GEORGIA	1,004	22,737	250	355	16,205	1,534	2,504	13,852	241	9,930	68,612						
ALABAMA	3,522	8,557	39	69	484	227	154	1,711	59	487	15,309						
MISSISSIPPI	346	18,498	4	1,709	11,326	1,208	1,017	3,334	44	5,765	43,251						
ARKANSAS	586	7,675	45	737	255	81	188	1,625	120	408	11,720						
LOUISIANA	175	1,531	4	39	109	46	39	99	7	67	2,116						
TEXAS	4,079	4,832	118	419	1,002	265	280	1,037	9	5,817	17,858						
WASHINGTON	56	1,874	5	---	426	51	37	702	27	701	3,879						
CALIFORNIA	411	25,204	29	55	16,529	1,057	610	2,897	365	4,673	51,830						

YOUNG TURKEYS (MATURE): SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, BY REGIONS AND SELECTED STATES, NOVEMBER 1968 AND 1969													
REGION AND STATE	NUMBER INSPECTED	POUNDS INSPECTED (LIVWEIGHT)	AVERAGE : LIVWEIGHT :		TOTAL POUNDS CERTIFIED (READY-TO-COOK WT.)	POST-MORTEM CONDEMNATIONS		PERCENT 2/	PERCENT 2/	PERCENT 2/	PERCENT 2/	PERCENT 2/	
			1968	1969		1968	1969						1968
	-THOUSANDS-	-1,000 POUNDS-	-POUNDS-		-1,000 POUNDS-	-1,000 POUNDS-		-PERCENT-	-PERCENT-	-PERCENT-	-PERCENT-	-PERCENT-	
N. ATLANTIC	462	9,433	8,671	20.42	19.49	7,457	6,797	115	136	1.35	1.74		
E. N. CENTRAL	1,962	39,937	37,629	20.35	21.50	32,137	29,894	738	739	2.05	2.18		
W. N. CENTRAL	4,196	90,485	84,298	21.56	21.99	72,184	66,837	1,808	2,114	2.22	2.79		
S. ATLANTIC	1,994	39,828	42,221	19.97	21.28	30,777	32,902	1,445	1,317	4.04	3.47		
S. CENTRAL	1,869	40,968	39,252	21.91	23.31	32,477	30,571	819	1,028	2.22	2.92		
WEST	3,425	76,935	68,141	22.46	22.02	61,859	54,432	867	1,035	1.25	1.68		
U. S.	13,908	297,586	280,212	21.40	21.91	236,891	221,433	5,792	6,369	2.16	2.53		
PENNSYLVANIA	420	8,564	8,486	20.41	19.44	6,804	6,656	98	134	1.26	1.75		
OHIO	736	14,744	8,599	20.02	20.14	11,786	6,795	230	171	1.73	2.21		
INDIANA	462	9,320	12,062	20.17	21.33	7,474	9,727	199	148	2.37	1.36		
WISCONSIN	550	496	10,381	20.06	20.91	9,006	8,209	213	219	2.14	2.34		
MINNESOTA	2,013	1,825	41,266	38,791	20.50	21.26	32,746	30,841	827	865	2.23	2.48	
IOWA	912	980	20,648	21.55	22.64	16,671	17,249	329	469	1.77	2.42		
MISSOURI	914	800	20,421	18,755	22.53	23.44	16,238	14,623	486	639	2.65	3.79	
NEBRASKA	161	165	3,761	3,823	23.40	23.14	3,046	3,046	81	109	2.38	3.17	
KANSAS	111	2,423	---	21.76	---	1,934	---	39	---	1.77	---		
VIRGINIA	641	672	14,085	20.01	20.96	9,877	10,809	402	450	3.49	3.56		
NORTH CAROLINA	930	867	18,122	19.52	20.90	14,020	14,383	753	551	4.61	3.38		
ARKANSAS	858	821	20,174	22.30	24.57	15,154	15,574	378	603	2.20	3.33		
TEXAS	757	737	16,072	16,066	21.23	21.79	12,610	12,608	285	383	1.97	2.65	
COLORADO	357	353	8,107	7,426	22.70	21.01	6,596	5,981	87	94	1.41	1.41	
UTAH	550	516	15,828	13,615	28.79	26.37	12,704	10,856	122	223	.85	1.82	
CALIFORNIA	2,099	1,864	39,650	21.01	21.27	35,605	31,668	573	609	1.44	1.71		

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REGION AND STATE	TUBERCULOSIS		LEUROSIS		SEPTICEMIA		AIRSAC-CULITIS		SYNDROMES		TUMORS		BRUISES		CADAVER INAIN		CONTAMINATION		OVERSCALD		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.	
N. ATLANTIC	---	---	41	2,952	2,196	68	4	66	201	437	9	45	6,019										
E. N. CENTRAL	---	---	256	15,747	7,404	2,064	23	328	1,652	1,254	184	394	29,306										
W. N. CENTRAL	---	---	489	44,815	32,593	4,616	58	1,326	2,143	5,938	872	1,659	94,509										
S. ATLANTIC	---	---	185	21,620	23,549	1,754	56	1,028	1,078	3,844	290	3,023	56,427										
S. CENTRAL	---	---	111	17,196	15,030	3,042	57	692	854	2,161	774	842	40,759										
WEST	---	---	485	20,463	12,930	3,790	32	498	950	989	190	870	41,197										
U. S.	---	---	1,567	122,793	93,702	15,334	230	3,938	6,878	14,623	2,319	6,833	268,217										
PENNSYLVANIA	---	---	37	2,935	2,180	62	4	56	201	431	9	45	5,960										
OHIO	---	---	12	3,377	1,875	590	6	50	429	336	100	69	6,844										
INDIANA	---	---	23	2,675	1,988	185	7	48	591	364	8	56	5,945										
WISCONSIN	---	---	167	5,004	1,973	1,174	7	211	263	429	17	63	9,308										
MINNESOTA	---	---	424	20,674	12,550	3,543	17	434	1,222	3,462	316	203	42,845										
IOWA	---	---	55	10,511	6,688	80	17	509	332	991	318	172	19,673										
MISSOURI	---	---	7	11,135	9,695	949	20	306	507	1,307	126	1,266	25,318										
NEBRASKA	---	---	2	1,838	3,036	30	4	61	65	63	107	12	5,218										
VIRGINIA	---	---	15	11,467	7,749	400	13	255	392	627	94	47	21,059										
NORTH CAROLINA	---	---	21	5,378	10,673	1,201	36	548	455	2,167	48	2,688	23,215										
ARKANSAS	---	---	81	8,971	8,140	2,247	8	176	525	1,234	752	2	22,136										
TEXAS	---	---	15	7,367	6,410	586	47	496	296	851	9	832	16,909										
COLORADO	---	---	23	1,904	1,291	142	8	60	81	59	8	---	3,576										
UTAH	---	---	153	4,630	1,511	385	2	122	169	505	37	424	7,938										
CALIFORNIA	---	---	278	11,874	9,431	1,511	18	132	516	322	128	426	24,636										

FRYER-ROASTER TURKEYS: SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, BY REGIONS AND SELECTED STATES, NOVEMBER 1968 AND 1969

REGION AND STATE	NUMBER INSPECTED		POUNDS INSPECTED		AVERAGE LIVWEIGHT		TOTAL POUNDS CERTIFIED		POST-MORTEM CONDEMNATIONS			
	1968	1969	1968	1969	1968	1969	1968	1969	POUNDS (NY)	PERCENT 2/		
	-THOUSANDS-		-1,000 POUNDS-		-POUNDS-		-1,000 POUNDS-		-PERCENT-			
N. ATLANTIC	23	11	231	103	10.04	9.36	179	78	4	2	1.92	2.15
E. N. CENTRAL	78	61	705	576	9.03	9.38	542	458	15	6	2.32	1.13
W. N. CENTRAL	810	813	7,709	7,869	9.52	9.68	6,122	6,279	131	153	1.88	2.16
S. ATLANTIC	162	133	1,516	1,509	9.37	9.83	1,131	962	39	46	2.83	3.95
S. CENTRAL	29	7	249	59	8.63	8.51	187	46	5	1	2.32	1.67
WEST	28	31	234	258	8.30	8.31	183	204	2	3	1.16	1.25
U. S.	1,130	1,056	10,644	10,174	9.42	9.63	8,344	8,027	196	211	2.04	2.31
MINNESOTA	785	783	7,492	7,551	9.55	9.64	5,954	6,023	127	149	1.88	2.20
VIRGINIA	153	113	1,417	1,083	9.27	9.60	1,051	789	37	41	2.94	4.20
CALIFORNIA 3/	15	---	121	---	8.21	---	93	---	1	---	.75	---

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REGION AND STATE	LEU		SEPTI		AIRSAC		SYNO		TUMORS		BRUISES		GADAVERS		INATIONS		SCALD		OTHER		TOTAL
	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.
N. ATLANTIC	---	---	4	98	51	1	---	5	---	2	29	---	---	---	4	194					
E. N. CENTRAL	---	---	---	206	27	3	---	12	---	20	67	---	---	---	2	338					
W. N. CENTRAL	---	---	16	9,212	3,477	19	4	135	---	394	1,955	---	---	---	30	15,283					
S. ATLANTIC	---	---	30	1,938	1,953	4	9	50	---	182	334	---	---	---	24	4,561					
S. CENTRAL	---	---	---	7	---	2	---	---	---	---	19	---	---	---	18	51					
WEST	---	---	---	130	13	4	---	21	---	17	26	---	---	---	2	243					
U. S.	---	---	50	11,591	5,521	33	13	223	---	615	2,430	---	---	---	76	20,670					
MINNESOTA	---	---	16	9,039	3,411	19	3	123	---	376	1,825	---	---	---	22	14,874					
VIRGINIA	---	---	3	1,724	1,913	---	---	43	---	176	298	---	---	---	21	4,180					

OLD TURKEYS (BREEDERS): SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, BY REGIONS AND SELECTED STATES, NOVEMBER 1968 AND 1969

REGION AND STATE	NUMBER INSPECTED	POUNDS INSPECTED (LIVENEIGHT)	AVERAGE LIVENEIGHT		TOTAL POUNDS CERTIFIED (READY-TO-COOK WT.)	POST-MORTEM CONDEMNATIONS	
			1968	1969		1968	1969
	-THOUSANDS-	-THOUSANDS-	-POUNDS-	-POUNDS-	-1,000 POUNDS-	-1,000 POUNDS-	-PERCENT-
N. ATLANTIC	1	---	---	---	---	---	---
E. N. CENTRAL	2	42	3	19.92	32	2	---
W. N. CENTRAL	5	77	78	16.26	59	64	7.59
S. ATLANTIC	4	5	101	19.27	62	4	5.98
S. CENTRAL	8	77	---	20.97	145	77	2.85
WEST	7	173	66	16.20	96	3	1.84
U. S.	27	490	248	18.46	394	53	1.38
MINNESOTA	3/	5	---	16.26	59	4	5.98

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OLD TURKEYS (BREEDERS): NUMBER CONDEMNED POST-MORTEM BY CAUSE, BY REGIONS AND SELECTED STATES, NOVEMBER 1969

REGION AND STATE	TUBER- NO.	CULOSIS: NO.	LEU- KOSIS NO.	SEPTI- CEMIA NO.	AIRSAC- CULITIS NO.	SYND- VITIS NO.	TUMORS NO.	BRUISES: NO.	CADAVER: NO.	CONTAM- INATION: NO.	OVER- SCALD: NO.	OTHER: NO.	TOTAL NO.
E. N. CENTRAL	---	---	---	2	5	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	51
W. N. CENTRAL	---	---	1	23	17	---	---	2	1	7	---	---	391
S. ATLANTIC	---	---	---	71	264	7	9	2	4	26	---	---	8
S. CENTRAL	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
WEST	---	---	---	43	6	---	6	3	1	4	---	---	63
U. S.	---	---	1	139	292	7	15	7	6	37	---	---	512

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- 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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