

POULTRY

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

Release:
January 28, 1970
3:00 P. M. EST

Inspected Poultry - There were 1,025 million pounds liveweight (chickens, turkeys and ducks) inspected for slaughter during December under the Poultry Inspection Act carried on by the United States Department of Agriculture. This is 4 percent more than the previous month and 11 percent more than December 1968.

The number of head and pounds liveweight inspected by classes were: Young chickens 210,012,000 head, 777,944,000 pounds; mature chickens 11,474,000 head, 54,566,000 pounds; fryer-roaster turkeys 980,000 head, 9,336,000 pounds; young turkeys 7,941,000 head, 176,510,000 pounds; old turkeys 33,000 head, 658,000 pounds; ducks 885,000 head, 5,489,000 pounds.

Poultry Certified as Wholesome in December totaled 740,166,000 pounds ready-to-cook weight of which 568,056,000 pounds were chilled and 172,110,000 pounds were frozen. Pounds certified by class of poultry were: Young chickens, 553,158,000; mature chickens, 35,140,000; fryer-roaster turkeys, 7,247,000; young turkeys, 139,608,000; old turkeys, 519,000; ducks 3,913,000 and other poultry, 581,000 pounds.

Further Processed - Poultry inspected and used for further processing in December totaled 104,603,000 pounds ready-to-cook weight, compared with 90,392,000 pounds December 1968. The December total consisted of 23,433,000 pounds of young chickens, 28,899,000 pounds of mature chickens, 44,756,000 pounds of turkeys and 7,515,000 pounds of other poultry.

Poultry Cut-up and Packaged during December totaled 152,503,000 pounds ready-to-cook weight, compared with 130,481,000 pounds a year earlier. The breakdown by classes was: young chickens, 139,048,000 pounds; mature chickens, 883,000 pounds; turkeys, 12,477,000 pounds; and other poultry, 95,000 pounds.

Ante-Mortem Condemnations during December were 3,869,000 pounds liveweight. Condemnations by classes as percent of quantities inspected were: Young chickens, 0.40 percent; mature chickens 0.73 percent; fryer-roaster turkeys, 0.27 percent; young turkeys, 0.18 percent; old turkeys, 0.13 percent; and ducks, 0.07 percent.

Post-Mortem Condemnations in December were 35,029,000 pounds (NYD weight). Condemnations by classes as percent of quantities inspected were: young chickens 4.01 percent; mature chickens, 5.55 percent; fryer-roaster turkeys, 2.47 percent; young turkeys, 2.52 percent; old turkeys, 3.57 percent; and ducks, 2.03 percent.

POULTRY: SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, DECEMBER 1969 WITH COMPARISONS

NUMBER INSPECTED	YOUNG : CHICKENS	MATURE : CHICKENS	TOTAL : CHICKENS	FRYER-ROASTERS	YOUNG TURKEYS	OLD TURKEYS	TOTAL TURKEYS	DUCKS	OTHER POULTRY	TOTAL POULTRY
NOVEMBER 1969	176,349	10,066	186,415	1,056	12,791	10	13,857	770	---	---
DECEMBER 1968 6/	178,443	14,076	192,519	973	8,610	39	9,622	687	---	---
DECEMBER 1969	210,012	11,474	221,486	980	7,941	33	8,954	885	---	---
JAN.-DEC. 1968	2,335,881	151,180	2,487,061	11,317	84,636	1,471	97,424	10,257	---	---
JAN.-DEC. 1969	2,516,287	153,767	2,670,054	9,651	84,476	1,237	95,364	11,589	---	---
POUNDS INSPECTED 4/										
NOVEMBER 1969	645,072	47,767	692,839	10,174	280,212	182	290,568	4,827	2,573	990,807
DECEMBER 1968 6/	652,186	63,465	715,651	9,202	193,439	722	203,363	4,168	822	924,004
DECEMBER 1969	777,944	54,566	832,510	9,336	176,510	658	186,504	5,489	845	1,025,348
JAN.-DEC. 1968 6/	8,310,202	693,796	9,003,998	102,029	1,701,777	28,582	1,831,788	64,745	6,453	10,906,984
JAN.-DEC. 1969	9,064,962	710,935	9,775,897	89,618	1,693,643	23,616	1,806,877	72,018	6,898	11,661,690
AVERAGE LIVEMWEIGHTS/										
NOVEMBER 1969	3.66	4.75	3.72	9.63	21.91	18.02	20.97	6.27	---	---
DECEMBER 1968	3.65	4.51	3.72	9.45	22.47	18.70	21.14	6.07	---	---
DECEMBER 1969	3.70	4.76	3.76	9.53	22.23	19.75	20.83	6.21	---	---
JAN.-DEC. 1968	3.56	4.59	3.62	9.02	20.10	19.45	18.80	6.31	---	---
JAN.-DEC. 1969	3.60	4.62	3.66	9.29	20.05	19.10	18.95	6.21	---	---

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

NOVEMBER 1969, 2,155; DECEMBER 1968, 2,110; AND DECEMBER 1969, 2,508.

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

NOVEMBER 1969, 9; DECEMBER 1968, 55; AND DECEMBER 1969, 14.

3/ THOUSANDS. 4/ 1,000 POUNDS. 5/ POUNDS. 6/ REVISED.

POULTRY: POUNDS CERTIFIED (READY-TO-COOK WEIGHTS), DECEMBER 1969 WITH COMPARISONS 1/

	YOUNG : CHICKENS	MATURE : CHICKENS	TOTAL : CHICKENS	FRYER-ROASTERS	YOUNG TURKEYS	OLD TURKEYS	TOTAL TURKEYS	DUCKS	OTHER POULTRY	TOTAL POULTRY
NOVEMBER 1969	408,685	24,977	433,662	1,804	66,686	---	68,490	347	115	502,614
CHILLED	52,597	5,750	58,347	6,223	154,747	204	161,174	3,106	1,690	224,317
FROZEN	461,282	30,727	492,009	8,027	221,433	204	229,664	3,453	1,805	726,931
DECEMBER 1968 2/	410,897	31,213	442,110	2,099	41,820	37	43,956	326	132	486,524
CHILLED	53,121	9,346	62,467	5,084	112,410	535	118,029	2,557	420	183,473
FROZEN	464,018	40,559	504,577	7,183	154,230	572	161,985	2,883	552	669,997
DECEMBER 1969	493,564	27,623	521,187	2,319	43,925	205	46,449	333	87	568,056
CHILLED	59,594	7,517	67,111	4,928	95,683	314	100,925	3,580	494	172,110
FROZEN	553,158	35,140	588,298	7,247	139,608	519	147,374	3,913	581	740,166
JANUARY-DECEMBER 1968 2/:	5,326,410	347,296	5,673,706	18,566	249,700	4,173	272,439	2,122	549	5,948,816
CHILLED	612,648	102,941	715,589	60,388	1,104,154	18,556	1,183,098	44,247	3,485	1,946,480
FROZEN	5,939,058	450,237	6,389,295	78,954	1,353,854	22,728	1,455,536	46,369	4,034	7,895,296
JANUARY-DECEMBER 1969	5,828,714	350,135	6,178,849	18,357	279,303	4,912	302,572	3,335	413	6,485,169
CHILLED	655,403	104,265	759,668	51,191	1,065,049	13,974	1,130,214	47,798	4,025	1,941,705
FROZEN	6,484,117	454,400	6,938,517	69,548	1,344,352	18,886	1,432,786	51,133	4,438	8,426,874
TOTAL										

1/ 1,000 POUNDS

POULTRY: CONDEMNATIONS OF POULTRY SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, DECEMBER 1969 WITH COMPARISONS 3/

	: YOUNG :		: MATURE :		: TOTAL :		: FRYER- :		: YOUNG :		: OLD :		: TOTAL :		: OTHER :	
	: CHICKENS :	: TURKEYS :	: CHICKENS :	: TURKEYS :	: CHICKENS :	: TURKEYS :	: CHICKENS :	: TURKEYS :	: CHICKENS :	: TURKEYS :	: CHICKENS :	: TURKEYS :	: CHICKENS :	: TURKEYS :	: CHICKENS :	: TURKEYS :
ANTE-MORTEM																
1,000 POUNDS (LIVWEIGHT):																
DECEMBER 1968:	2,007	486	2,493	21	398	---	419	2	1	2,915						
DECEMBER 1969:	3,115	403	3,518	26	320	1	347	4	---	3,869						
JAN.-DEC. 1968:	27,483	5,009	32,492	221	3,223	84	3,528	14	14	36,048						
JAN.-DEC. 1969:	34,471	5,669	40,140	214	3,514	82	3,810	34	13	43,997						
PERCENT <u>1/</u>																
DECEMBER 1968:	.30	.76	.34	.22	.20	.03	.20	.04	.11	.31						
DECEMBER 1969:	.40	.73	.42	.27	.18	.13	.18	.07	.10	.37						
POST-MORTEM																
1,000 LBS. (N.Y. DRESSED):																
DECEMBER 1968:	22,998	3,115	26,113	167	4,184	22	4,373	59	11	30,556						
DECEMBER 1969:	27,984	2,708	30,692	207	4,003	21	4,231	100	5	35,029						
JAN.-DEC. 1968:	271,093	30,512	301,605	1,817	33,049	758	35,624	727	53	338,009						
JAN.-DEC. 1969:	287,825	34,729	322,554	1,750	37,538	796	40,084	1,053	50	363,741						
PERCENT <u>2/</u>																
DECEMBER 1968:	3.93	5.49	4.06	2.01	2.40	3.45	2.39	1.57	2.19	3.68						
DECEMBER 1969:	4.01	5.55	4.11	2.47	2.52	3.57	2.52	2.03	.66	3.81						

1/ POUNDS CONDEMNED AS PERCENT OF POUNDS (LIVWEIGHT) 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 HEAD OR 500 POUNDS.

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

	: YOUNG CHICKENS :		: MATURE CHICKENS :		: TURKEYS :		: OTHER POULTRY <u>1/</u> :		: TOTAL POULTRY	
	: FURTHER : : PROCESSED:	: CUT UP : : PROCESSED:	: FURTHER : : PROCESSED:	: CUT UP : : PROCESSED:	: FURTHER : : PROCESSED:	: CUT UP : : PROCESSED:	: FURTHER : : PROCESSED:	: CUT UP : : PROCESSED:	: FURTHER : : PROCESSED:	: CUT UP
POUNDS USED READY-TO-COOK WEIGHT <u>2/</u>										
NOVEMBER 1969:	21,725	123,016	27,958	1,644	51,886	14,763	7,739	80	109,308	139,503
DECEMBER 1968:	16,907	116,903	30,709	330	35,969	12,891	6,807	357	90,392	130,481
DECEMBER 1969:	23,433	139,048	28,899	883	44,756	12,477	7,515	95	104,603	152,503
JANUARY-DECEMBER 1968:	254,016	1,390,418	377,878	6,492	362,754	135,077	72,208	1,717	1,086,856	1,533,704
JANUARY-DECEMBER 1969:	272,282	1,628,308	377,428	9,184	493,755	159,562	83,043	4,106	1,226,508	1,801,070
LBS. CONDEMNED READY-TO-COOK WEIGHT <u>2/</u> :										
NOVEMBER 1969:	86	785	40	47	33	11	23	---	182	843
DECEMBER 1968:	84	691	61	1	30	6	17	---	192	698
DECEMBER 1969:	96	929	121	31	111	6	71	1	399	967
JANUARY-DECEMBER 1968 ^{3/} :	965	11,254	917	21	319	89	448	2	2,649	11,366
JANUARY-DECEMBER 1969:	1,645	10,636	543	174	726	104	475	8	3,389	10,922

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.

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

REGION AND STATE	NUMBER		POUNDS		AVERAGE		TOTAL POUNDS		POST-MORTEM CONDEMNATIONS			
	INSPECTED	1969	INSPECTED	1969	LIVEWEIGHT	1968	CERTIFIED (READY-TO-COOK WT.)	1969	POUNDS (NYD)	PERCENT		
	1968	1969	1968	1969	1968	1969	1968	1969	1968	1969		
N. ATLANTIC	12,183	13,403	51,218	56,706	4.20	4.23	36,689	40,438	1,991	2,377	4.34	4.69
E. N. CENTRAL	2,135	2,619	8,779	11,369	4.11	4.34	6,402	8,314	208	336	2.64	3.29
W. N. CENTRAL	4,383	4,759	16,371	17,715	3.74	3.72	11,525	12,488	494	683	3.36	4.31
S. ATLANTIC	73,593	89,851	270,922	337,065	3.69	3.75	191,642	239,569	10,767	13,019	4.43	4.30
S. CENTRAL	82,699	94,471	291,107	336,736	3.52	3.56	207,980	239,379	9,147	11,053	3.50	3.66
WEST	3,650	4,909	13,789	18,353	3.78	3.74	9,780	12,970	391	516	3.13	3.13
U. S.	178,443	210,012	652,186	777,944	3.66	3.70	464,018	553,158	22,998	27,984	3.93	4.01
MAINE	5,181	6,163	22,496	26,546	4.34	4.31	16,237	19,308	900	1,000	4.46	4.20
PENNSYLVANIA	6,176	6,237	25,088	25,892	4.06	4.15	17,822	18,105	970	1,209	4.31	5.23
OHIO	19	19	105	105	5.50	5.50	---	72	---	3	---	2.91
INDIANA	957	1,112	3,625	4,288	3.79	3.86	2,647	3,175	70	139	2.14	3.61
WISCONSIN	1,138	1,421	4,887	6,512	4.29	4.58	3,565	4,728	130	180	2.97	3.07
MINNESOTA	712	886	2,938	3,777	4.12	4.26	2,092	2,774	51	82	1.92	2.43
MISSOURI	3,620	3,688	12,974	12,758	3.58	3.46	9,097	8,885	421	548	3.61	4.80
DELAWARE	6,876	7,688	26,082	30,485	3.79	3.97	18,234	21,647	1,022	1,131	4.37	4.14
MARYLAND	10,346	14,145	39,727	55,815	3.84	3.95	28,150	39,587	1,351	2,049	3.79	4.09
VIRGINIA	6,262	7,082	22,215	25,230	3.55	3.56	14,944	17,182	753	950	3.78	4.19
NORTH CAROLINA	18,793	22,119	71,804	85,400	3.82	3.86	51,531	60,937	2,402	2,746	3.73	3.58
SOUTH CAROLINA	1,997	2,933	6,799	10,847	3.41	3.70	4,678	7,398	339	467	5.57	4.81
GEORGIA	27,008	32,217	96,994	116,170	3.59	3.61	68,852	83,260	4,677	5,202	5.37	4.99
TENNESSEE	4,420	5,142	16,186	19,086	3.66	3.71	11,646	13,822	546	562	3.76	3.28
ALABAMA	19,390	23,021	69,636	81,682	3.59	3.55	49,756	58,063	2,613	3,343	4.18	4.56
MISSISSIPPI	13,654	16,399	47,727	58,943	3.50	3.59	34,729	42,515	1,138	1,457	2.65	2.75
ARKANSAS	26,930	28,788	91,411	99,796	3.39	3.47	64,714	70,057	2,771	3,188	3.37	3.56
LOUISIANA	3,989	4,911	14,440	18,328	3.62	3.73	10,170	13,100	489	528	3.77	3.21
TEXAS	12,180	14,238	44,233	52,225	3.63	3.67	31,635	37,082	1,416	1,774	3.56	3.79
WASHINGTON	938	1,058	3,596	4,088	3.83	3.86	2,493	2,863	105	117	3.27	3.18
CALIFORNIA	2,328	2,739	8,982	10,502	3.86	3.83	6,445	7,506	245	269	3.04	2.86

1/ AVERAGE WEIGHT BASED ON UNROUNDED DATA.
 2/ POUNDS CONDEMNED AS PERCENT OF EQUIVALENT N.Y. DRESSED WEIGHT OF QUANTITY INSPECTED. PERCENTAGES BASED ON UNROUNDED DATA.
 3/ DATA FOR ONLY 1 YEAR PUBLISHED IN ORDER TO AVOID DISCLOSURE OF INDIVIDUAL OPERATIONS.
 4/ Revised.

YOUNG CHICKENS: NUMBER CONDEMNED POST-MORTEM BY CAUSE, BY REGIONS AND SELECTED STATES, DECEMBER 1969

REGION AND STATE	TUBER- : :CULOSIS:	LEU- : KOSIS :	SEPTI- : CEMIA :	AIRSAC- : CULITIS :	SYNO- : VITIS :	TUMORS : NO.	BRUISES : NO.	CADAVER : NO.	INATON : NO.	CONTAM- : SCALD :	OVER- : NO.	OTHER : NO.	TOTAL : NO.
N. ATLANTIC	---	252,135	164,986	79,300	8,508	1,528	3,688	15,659	27,637	7,007	20,476	2,087	580,924
E. N. CENTRAL	---	41,544	20,582	10,254	827	233	1,892	2,848	5,700	961	2,087	6,375	86,928
W. N. CENTRAL	---	71,091	36,580	52,535	2,783	517	2,736	4,616	11,790	1,261	109,228	3,483	190,284
S. ATLANTIC	---	1,602,134	548,791	744,252	31,307	8,488	45,220	102,745	267,130	24,030	84,057	2,946,460	3,483,325
S. CENTRAL	---	1,154,876	637,192	635,602	91,213	12,208	56,610	96,575	158,011	20,116	7,731	136,949	2,946,460
WEST	---	48,422	42,771	23,650	969	104	1,579	6,129	4,001	1,593	7,731	136,949	136,949
U. S.	---	3,170,202	1,450,902	1,545,593	135,607	23,078	111,725	228,572	474,269	54,968	229,954	7,424,870	7,424,870
MAINE	---	94,718	80,604	22,181	6,998	456	1,128	9,607	6,348	953	6,596	229,589	229,589
PENNSYLVANIA	---	147,330	70,164	53,423	1,170	751	2,015	4,408	17,919	5,723	11,790	314,693	314,693
OHIO	---	157	230	4	4	11	2	15	34	---	17	474	474
INDIANA	---	27,337	6,966	3,433	323	5	755	642	977	316	124	40,878	40,878
WISCONSIN	---	13,458	12,615	6,750	500	212	1,080	1,985	4,223	617	1,661	43,101	43,101
MINNESOTA	---	3,224	6,089	1,620	95	68	330	165	3,303	79	3,954	18,927	18,927
MISSOURI	---	65,668	28,308	50,761	2,684	288	2,311	3,957	7,527	1,117	2,364	164,985	164,985
DELAWARE	---	158,971	47,335	76,241	3,136	504	3,225	7,969	13,333	1,985	9,463	322,162	322,162
MARYLAND	---	243,129	102,246	131,901	4,030	1,173	3,537	20,033	24,436	5,109	3,779	539,373	539,373
VIRGINIA	---	116,686	64,218	92,511	872	306	2,712	5,311	6,312	1,150	3,100	293,178	293,178
NORTH CAROLINA	---	193,362	126,919	179,513	8,908	3,012	16,024	21,302	83,302	5,559	44,788	682,689	682,689
SOUTH CAROLINA	---	53,980	15,957	22,418	718	296	1,875	5,129	8,701	1,041	2,898	113,013	113,013
GEORGIA	---	780,949	173,161	206,028	11,586	2,986	16,646	40,238	125,115	8,613	37,665	1,402,987	1,402,987
TENNESSEE	---	69,011	36,134	7,541	1,166	469	2,412	6,256	12,766	2,759	6,399	144,913	144,913
ALABAMA	---	646,849	126,603	55,799	6,473	3,468	10,125	18,249	46,120	5,705	13,527	932,918	932,918
MISSISSIPPI	---	84,042	43,120	141,688	9,490	2,296	6,587	10,572	23,649	1,159	22,943	345,546	345,546
ARKANSAS	---	205,713	237,898	279,209	26,567	2,775	13,776	33,137	46,712	5,349	23,728	874,864	874,864
LOUISIANA	---	22,198	66,114	24,431	11,831	718	4,345	2,920	4,069	834	2,204	139,664	139,664
TEXAS	---	116,117	113,093	105,664	35,097	2,397	15,891	22,258	22,103	3,665	12,845	449,130	449,130
WASHINGTON	---	5,692	7,415	4,040	572	22	670	774	977	1,434	2,313	23,909	23,909
CALIFORNIA	---	27,235	29,897	6,221	336	69	600	2,726	2,150	112	2,309	71,655	71,655

MATURE CHICKENS: SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, BY REGIONS AND SELECTED STATES, DECEMBER 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.	PERCENT		
	1968	1969	1968	1969	1968	1969	1968	1969	1968	1969		
	-THOUSANDS-	-THOUSANDS-	-1,000 POUNDS-	-1,000 POUNDS-	-POUNDS-	-POUNDS-	-1,000 POUNDS-	-1,000 POUNDS-	-1,000 POUNDS-	-PERCENT-		
N. ATLANTIC	1,633	1,386	8,042	6,915	4.92	4.99	5,248	4,440	342	339	4.78	5.50
E. N. CENTRAL	1,689	1,484	7,085	6,047	4.20	4.08	4,386	3,759	297	233	4.70	4.31
W. N. CENTRAL	3,139	2,551	13,356	11,169	4.25	4.38	8,311	6,964	740	613	6.23	6.17
S. ATLANTIC	3,159	2,808	14,627	13,800	4.63	4.91	9,420	9,061	737	695	5.64	5.61
S. CENTRAL	2,622	2,004	12,930	11,500	4.93	5.74	8,585	7,816	624	477	5.40	4.64
WEST	1,834	1,241	7,425	5,135	4.05	4.14	4,609	3,100	375	351	5.62	7.66
U. S.	14,076	11,474	63,465	54,566	4.51	4.76	40,559	35,140	3,115	2,708	5.49	5.55
MAINE	383	297	2,257	1,818	5.89	6.12	1,620	1,223	80	75	3.95	4.59
NEW JERSEY	923	798	3,938	3,417	4.27	4.28	2,416	2,066	212	216	6.05	7.12
PENNSYLVANIA	89	76	595	557	6.66	7.35	404	387	19	15	3.62	2.93
OHIO	359	248	1,517	1,032	4.23	4.16	933	599	66	49	4.86	5.35
INDIANA	693	573	2,790	2,241	4.03	3.91	1,730	1,445	112	77	4.48	3.85
MINNESOTA	1,162	925	4,279	3,459	3.68	3.74	2,537	2,096	258	202	6.76	6.54
MISSOURI	913	715	5,060	4,293	5.55	6.01	3,371	2,863	238	213	5.26	5.58
DELAWARE	27	---	196	---	7.24	---	137	---	4	---	2.44	---
MARYLAND	427	---	1,767	---	4.14	---	1,128	---	93	---	5.94	---
VIRGINIA	78	17	552	131	7.07	7.94	389	91	24	5	4.81	3.89
NORTH CAROLINA	336	263	2,142	1,939	6.37	7.38	1,449	1,332	94	83	4.87	4.79
GEORGIA	1,193	1,840	5,694	8,844	4.77	4.81	3,744	5,831	249	408	4.86	5.14
ALABAMA	216	248	1,242	1,386	5.75	5.59	831	932	61	78	5.45	6.31
MISSISSIPPI	1,569	1,081	7,016	6,055	4.47	5.60	4,683	4,108	304	239	4.85	4.42
ARKANSAS	202	210	1,443	1,498	7.14	7.12	1,005	1,041	65	59	5.00	4.41
LOUISIANA	48	56	331	424	6.96	7.61	234	289	11	14	3.80	3.73
OKLAHOMA	42	---	223	---	5.31	---	146	---	6	---	2.93	---
TEXAS	507	308	2,404	1,607	4.74	5.22	1,492	1,081	170	69	7.88	4.83
WASHINGTON	107	113	432	551	4.02	4.89	271	349	21	31	5.35	6.28
CALIFORNIA	1,683	1,063	6,827	4,330	4.06	4.08	4,234	2,581	349	307	5.70	7.95

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REGION AND STATE	TUBER- : NO.	CULOSIS: NO.	LEU- : NO.	KOSIS : NO.	SEPTI- : NO.	CEMIA : NO.	AIRSAC- : NO.	SYNO- : NO.	SYND- : NO.	VITIS : NO.	TUMORS : NO.	BRUISES: NO.	CADAVER: NO.	INATION: NO.	CONTAM- : NO.	OVER- : NO.	SCALD : NO.	OTHER : NO.	TOTAL : NO.
N. ATLANTIC			2,752	33,796	110	387	20,795	1,337	2,010	4,005	443	7,603	73,238						
E. N. CENTRAL	1,161	5,296	21,700	326	118	23,377	1,950	1,331	6,721	94	5,976	68,050							
W. N. CENTRAL	9,324	6,647	53,308	1,644	184	43,707	5,189	5,485	11,335	500	17,945	155,268							
S. ATLANTIC	78	5,327	59,311	1,390	1,241	27,653	3,377	8,499	26,663	489	17,629	151,657							
S. CENTRAL		10,483	48,547	707	578	14,120	2,289	2,368	8,818	130	10,408	98,448							
WEST		1,031	50,093	22	50	27,645	2,141	1,177	5,916	691	9,578	98,344							
U. S.	10,563	31,536	266,755	4,199	2,558	157,297	16,283	20,870	63,458	2,347	69,139	645,005							
MAINE		585	6,837	1	164	1,824	138	299	903	412	498	11,661							
NEW JERSEY		1,764	23,445		39	15,555	1,027	1,547	2,405	24	6,603	52,409							
PENNSYLVANIA		204	1,592	3	2	260	16	35	180		114	2,406							
OHIO	101	2,513	2,572	3	1	3,418	266	256	1,558	15	1,719	12,422							
INDIANA	329	973	9,445	4	5	10,553	153	621	2,811		790	25,684							
MINNESOTA	3,948	1,468	14,156	445	84	20,459	1,433	1,954	4,426	49	9,337	57,759							
MISSOURI	974	1,617	22,728	294	46	6,340	1,712	1,103	2,648	398	6,048	43,908							
VIRGINIA		76	379	7	3	59	4	14	46			588							
NORTH CAROLINA		922	4,660	133	306	1,140	258	426	2,405	23	1,823	12,096							
GEORGIA		1,876	35,028	1,071	750	17,840	1,547	4,304	18,271	265	11,697	92,649							
ALABAMA		3,650	8,816	55	25	433	106	145	1,847	3	321	15,401							
MISSISSIPPI		898	24,968	349	155	12,019	1,611	1,493	4,572	57	6,422	52,544							
ARKANSAS		675	5,141	114	170	434	88	169	823	36	430	8,080							
LOUISIANA		191	1,406	6	57	128	65	24	112	4	82	2,075							
TEXAS		4,762	5,521	170	161	995	342	466	1,024	27	3,075	16,543							
WASHINGTON		198	3,279		2	667	58	134	1,056	140	1,606	7,140							
CALIFORNIA		768	45,682	19	48	26,092	1,948	981	4,666	550	7,099	87,853							

YOUNG TURKEYS (MATURE): SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, BY REGIONS AND SELECTED STATES, DECEMBER 1968 AND 1969

REGION AND STATE	NUMBER		POUNDS		AVERAGE		TOTAL POUNDS		POST-MORTEM CONDEMNATIONS	
	INSPECTED	INSPECTED	INSPECTED	INSPECTED	LIVWEIGHT	INSPECTED	CERTIFIED	READY-TO-COOK WT.	POUNDS (NYD)	PERCENT 2/
	1968	1969	1968	1969	1968	1969	1968	1969	1968	1969
	--THOUSANDS--		-1,000 POUNDS-		-POUNDS-		-1,000 POUNDS-		-PERCENT-	
N. ATLANTIC	337	286	7,415	6,088	22.00	21.29	5,861	4,831	120	1.35
E. N. CENTRAL	1,135	1,106	23,997	23,649	21.15	21.38	19,284	18,629	90	2.81
W. N. CENTRAL	2,221	2,031	49,244	44,768	22.18	22.05	39,464	35,416	606	2.16
S. ATLANTIC	1,472	1,449	31,037	30,348	21.08	20.94	23,987	23,708	1,191	2.86
S. CENTRAL	942	919	21,355	21,633	22.67	23.54	16,903	16,966	926	3.79
WEST	2,503	2,150	60,391	50,024	24.13	23.27	48,731	40,058	618	2.04
U. S.	8,610	7,941	193,439	176,510	22.47	22.23	154,230	139,608	4,184	1.42
PENNSYLVANIA	317	282	7,014	5,992	22.12	21.25	5,564	4,758	82	1.30
OHIO	455	393	9,183	7,654	20.19	19.50	7,363	5,960	120	2.22
INDIANA	199	277	4,192	6,272	21.05	22.68	3,307	5,044	125	2.79
WISCONSIN	349	280	7,498	6,017	21.47	21.46	6,145	4,745	101	1.81
MINNESOTA	1,054	982	21,374	18,920	20.29	19.27	17,131	15,096	154	3.22
IOWA	435	443	10,697	10,735	24.57	24.22	8,521	8,445	171	2.54
MISSOURI	541	483	12,604	12,033	23.31	24.90	10,103	9,439	496	3.07
NEBRASKA	145	122	3,543	3,056	24.48	25.12	2,888	2,417	253	2.52
KANSAS	35	---	800	---	22.93	---	639	---	306	2.84
VIRGINIA	485	530	10,728	10,420	22.10	19.65	8,162	7,889	134	3.08
NORTH CAROLINA	691	642	13,676	13,515	19.80	21.06	10,668	10,835	98	1.39
ARKANSAS	248	257	6,361	6,871	25.69	26.77	5,061	5,391	10	3.98
TEXAS	607	609	12,984	13,436	21.41	22.07	10,239	10,501	410	3.94
COLORADO	177	211	4,821	5,172	27.24	24.56	3,940	4,165	325	2.67
UTAH	386	246	12,049	7,283	31.18	29.57	9,849	5,889	239	2.02
CALIFORNIA	1,630	1,424	37,357	32,250	22.92	22.64	30,024	25,930	357	2.95

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N. ATLANTIC	---	---	26	1,378	1,730	72	30	92	452	1	1,699	5,482					5,482
E. N. CENTRAL	---	---	124	10,660	5,947	189	205	864	1,229	138	1,699	19,496					19,496
W. N. CENTRAL	---	---	154	26,279	19,129	1,151	575	949	2,712	468	676	52,108					52,108
S. ATLANTIC	---	---	260	14,625	17,564	1,984	999	864	2,787	207	1,312	40,677					40,677
S. CENTRAL	---	---	132	10,076	10,167	1,115	403	366	1,291	118	749	24,488					24,488
WEST	---	---	308	15,195	7,229	1,562	296	597	681	70	780	26,761					26,761
U. S.	---	---	1,004	78,213	61,766	6,073	2,508	3,732	9,152	1,002	5,355	169,012					169,012
PENNSYLVANIA	---	---	25	1,369	1,729	71	30	92	451	1	1,699	5,469					5,469
OHIO	---	---	69	3,472	1,066	---	61	240	622	66	44	5,640					5,640
INDIANA	---	---	13	1,934	1,636	46	23	260	228	2	28	4,170					4,170
WISCONSIN	---	---	37	3,385	2,682	118	114	184	294	24	46	6,885					6,885
MINNESOTA	---	---	122	12,595	9,079	806	214	573	1,533	180	185	25,296					25,296
IOWA	---	---	18	4,868	3,616	116	140	106	327	30	72	9,295					9,295
MISSOURI	---	---	8	6,009	2,757	164	206	262	803	251	415	10,878					10,878
NEBRASKA	---	---	5	2,801	3,676	65	15	8	49	7	---	6,627					6,627
VIRGINIA	---	---	19	8,070	9,888	701	234	322	668	162	17	20,084					20,084
NORTH CAROLINA	---	---	21	3,812	4,803	645	612	284	1,593	17	1,087	12,910					12,910
ARKANSAS	---	---	3	3,453	4,901	194	45	117	435	52	26	9,228					9,228
TEXAS	---	---	127	6,117	5,129	840	349	240	831	60	721	14,483					14,483
COLORADO	---	---	2	1,550	722	62	38	134	28	1	---	2,545					2,545
UTAH	---	---	8	1,621	1,240	378	59	82	251	7	270	3,917					3,917
CALIFORNIA	---	---	287	9,716	4,449	674	92	285	317	52	505	16,400					16,400

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

REGION AND STATE	NUMBER		POUNDS		AVERAGE		TOTAL POUNDS		POST-MORTEM CONDEMNATIONS	
	1968	1969	1968	1969	1968	1969	1968	1969	1968	1969
N. ATLANTIC	3	6	26	58	8.67	9.67	21	45	---	---
E. N. CENTRAL	66	95	634	891	9.62	9.36	499	698	14	1.39
W. N. CENTRAL	635	701	6,076	6,766	9.56	9.65	4,810	5,303	103	1.88
S. ATLANTIC	194	136	1,849	1,263	9.53	9.31	1,366	925	49	2.93
S. CENTRAL	52	23	448	204	8.52	8.88	352	153	5	1.28
WEST	23	19	169	154	7.51	8.05	135	123	2	1.40
U. S.	973	980	9,202	9,336	9.45	9.53	7,183	7,247	167	2.01
MINNESOTA	630	701	6,024	6,766	9.56	9.65	4,768	5,303	101	1.87
VIRGINIA	179	123	1,710	1,134	9.56	9.21	1,258	825	44	2.88

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REGION AND STATE	TUBER-		LEU-		SEPTI-		AIRSAC-		SYMO-		VITIS		TUMORS		BRUISES		CADAVER		CONTAM-		OVER-		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	---	---	---	14	3	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	60
E. N. CENTRAL	---	---	4	552	66	8	75	94	192	21	21	21	21	21	21	21	21	21	21	21	21	21	1,014
W. N. CENTRAL	---	---	10	9,308	3,731	16	175	359	2,187	40	40	40	40	40	40	40	40	40	40	40	40	40	15,865
S. ATLANTIC	---	---	5	2,292	731	1	51	124	316	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	3,537
S. CENTRAL	---	---	---	157	14	4	5	14	77	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	275
WEST	---	---	---	58	9	2	4	44	34	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	152
U. S.	---	---	19	12,381	4,554	31	311	636	2,846	61	61	61	61	61	61	61	61	61	61	61	61	61	20,903
MINNESOTA	---	---	10	9,308	3,731	16	175	359	2,187	40	40	40	40	40	40	40	40	40	40	40	40	40	36
VIRGINIA	---	---	3	2,030	683	1	46	119	269	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	13

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

REGION AND STATE	NUMBER INSPECTED		POUNDS INSPECTED (LIVWEIGHT)		AVERAGE LIVWEIGHT INSPECTED/1000		TOTAL POUNDS CERTIFIED (READY-TO-COOK WT.)		POST-MORTEM CONDEMNATIONS		
	1968	1969	1968	1969	1968	1969	1968	1969	1968	1969	
N. ATLANTIC	---	---	---	14	---	---	1	11	---	---	
E. N. CENTRAL	1	10	208	31.35	21.26	23	165	5	1.70	2.84	
W. N. CENTRAL	5	7	105	14.63	15.00	62	85	1	1.49	1.88	
S. ATLANTIC	27	14	540	299	20.06	21.11	424	233	20	13	4.03
S. CENTRAL	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
WEST	6	2	78	32	13.95	16.71	62	25	1	1	2.05
U. S.	39	33	722	658	18.70	19.75	572	519	22	21	3.45
MINNESOTA	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
NORTH CAROLINA	27	7	540	105	20.06	15.00	424	85	20	2	4.03

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	N. ATLANTIC	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
E. N. CENTRAL	---	---	2	37	74	1	1	5	2	13	15	29	135	127	589	70	921	127	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	
W. N. CENTRAL	---	---	2	77	305	14	4	6	9	42	5	21	75	29	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	
S. ATLANTIC	---	---	1	179	44	2	1	14	1	5	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	
S. CENTRAL	---	---	3	44	403	16	5	27	21	75	29	127	589	70	921	127	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	
WEST	---	---	8	337	77	22	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	
U. S.	---	---	2	77	22	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	
MINNESOTA	---	---	2	77	22	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	

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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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