

POULTRY

Slaughtered under Federal Inspection and Poultry
Used in Further Processing
February 1971



Release:
April 1, 1971
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Inspected Poultry - There were 868 million pounds live weight (chickens, turkeys and ducks) inspected for slaughter during February 1971 under the Poultry Inspection Act carried on by United States Department of Agriculture. This is 7 percent less than the previous month but 5 percent more than February 1970.

The number of head and pounds live weight inspected by classes were: young chickens - 205,647,000 head, 752,279,000 pounds; mature chickens - 16,382,000 head, 72,174,000 pounds; fryer-roaster turkeys, 871,000 head, 8,066,000 pounds; young turkeys - 1,493,000 head, 31,880,000 pounds; old turkeys - 33,000 head, 731,000 pounds; and ducks - 381,000 head, 2,433,000 pounds.

Poultry Certified as Wholesome in February totaled 609,102,000 pounds ready-to-cook weight, of which 528,315,000 pounds were chilled and 80,787,000 pounds were frozen. Pounds certified by class of poultry were: young chickens, 530,276,000; mature chickens, 45,501,000; fryer-roaster turkeys, 6,203,000; young turkeys, 24,711,000; old turkeys, 567,000; ducks, 1,738,000 and other poultry, 106,000.

Further Processed - Poultry inspected and used for further processing totaled 106,371,000 pounds ready-to-cook weight, compared with 95,028,000 pounds in February 1970. The February 1971 total consisted of 27,433,000 pounds young chickens, 36,694,000 pounds mature chickens, 34,783,000 pounds turkeys and 7,461,000 pounds other poultry.

Poultry Cut-up and Packaged totaled 163,697,000 pounds ready-to-cook weight, compared with 145,381,000 pounds in February 1970. The breakdown by classes was: young chickens, 150,107,000 pounds; mature chickens, 633,000; turkeys, 12,602,000; and other poultry, 355,000 pounds.

Ante-Mortem Condemnations during February were 4,111,000 pounds live weight. Condemnations by classes as a percent of quantities inspected were: young chickens, 0.41; mature chickens, 1.09; fryer-roaster turkeys, 0.25; young turkeys, 0.42; old turkeys, 0.41; and ducks, 0.05.

Post-Mortem Condemnations during February were 36,972,000 pounds (NYD weight). Condemnations by classes as percent of quantities inspected were: young chickens, 4.70; mature chickens, 6.12; fryer-roaster turkeys, 2.42; young turkeys, 3.68; old turkeys, 5.09; and ducks, 1.84.

POULTRY: SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, FEBRUARY 1971 WITH COMPARISONS

	YOUNG :CHICKENS	MATURE :CHICKENS	TOTAL :CHICKENS	FRYER- :ROASTERS	YOUNG :TURKEYS	OLD :TURKEYS	TOTAL :TURKEYS	DUCKS	OTHER :POULTRY	TOTAL :POULTRY
NUMBER INSPECTED 3/										
JANUARY 1971	215,584	15,100	231,684	893	2,279	68	3,240	440	---	---
FEBRUARY 1971	206,944	12,786	217,730	584	1,045	33	1,662	451	---	---
JAN.-FEB. 1971	428,710	28,886	453,132	1,372	2,818	69	4,259	1,072	---	---
JAN.-FEB. 1970	421,231	32,482	453,713	1,764	3,772	101	5,637	821	---	---
POUNDS INSPECTED 4/										
JANUARY 1971	797,406	73,801	871,207	3,252	54,011	1,297	63,560	2,815	241	937,823
FEBRUARY 1971	737,363	59,224	796,587	5,497	22,154	700	28,351	2,741	166	827,845
JAN.-FEB. 1971	1,534,769	133,025	1,667,794	8,749	76,165	1,997	91,911	5,556	407	1,065,668
JAN.-FEB. 1970	1,557,175	123,613	1,677,788	12,943	66,172	1,572	80,687	6,437	365	1,076,277
JAN.-FEB. 1971	1,549,585	145,574	1,695,659	16,318	85,891	2,028	104,237	5,248	441	1,085,585
AVERAGE LIVEWEIGHTS/										
JANUARY 1971	3.70	4.58	3.76	9.24	25.70	19.05	19.62	6.39	---	---
FEBRUARY 1971	3.50	4.63	3.66	9.42	21.20	21.24	17.06	6.07	---	---
JAN.-FEB. 1971	3.66	4.61	3.71	9.27	21.35	21.88	16.97	6.39	---	---
JAN.-FEB. 1970	3.65	4.56	3.70	9.44	23.48	22.64	18.94	6.00	---	---
JAN.-FEB. 1971	3.68	4.49	3.74	9.25	22.77	19.98	18.49	6.39	---	---

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

JANUARY 1971, 3,181; FEBRUARY 1971, 2,398; AND FEBRUARY 1970, 2,414.

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

JANUARY 1971, 40; FEBRUARY 1971, 14; AND FEBRUARY 1970, 58.

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

POULTRY: POUNDS CERTIFIED (READY-TO-COOK WEIGHTS), FEBRUARY 1971 WITH COMPARISONS 1/

	YOUNG :CHICKENS	MATURE :CHICKENS	TOTAL :CHICKENS	FRYER- :ROASTERS	YOUNG :TURKEYS	OLD :TURKEYS	TOTAL :TURKEYS	DUCKS	OTHER :POULTRY	TOTAL :POULTRY
JANUARY 1971	510,858	36,190	547,048	1,490	9,509	73	11,072	251	34	558,405
FEBRUARY 1971	521,230	10,807	532,037	4,949	32,911	939	38,799	1,780	96	573,712
JAN.-FEB. 1971	1,032,088	46,997	1,079,085	6,439	42,420	1,012	49,871	2,031	130	1,132,117
FEBRUARY 1970	464,632	29,035	493,667	1,051	4,595	47	5,733	150	12	499,562
JANUARY 1971	581,228	8,828	590,056	3,173	12,828	498	16,499	1,794	74	603,423
JAN.-FEB. 1971	1,045,860	37,863	1,083,723	4,264	17,423	545	22,232	1,944	86	1,106,985
FEBRUARY 1971	480,842	37,510	518,352	1,084	8,592	90	9,766	172	25	528,315
JANUARY 1971	491,434	7,981	503,415	5,119	16,119	477	21,715	1,566	81	523,487
JAN.-FEB. 1971	972,276	45,501	1,017,777	6,203	24,711	567	31,481	1,738	106	1,045,102
FEBRUARY 1970	584,842	58,978	643,820	3,077	12,818	86	15,981	242	27	660,070
JANUARY 1971	118,102	17,826	135,928	6,947	38,672	1,156	46,775	4,311	165	147,179
JAN.-FEB. 1971	1,102,944	76,804	1,179,748	10,024	51,490	1,242	62,756	4,553	192	1,232,249
FEBRUARY 1971	991,701	73,703	1,065,404	2,574	18,101	162	20,837	424	59	1,086,721
JANUARY 1971	101,662	18,799	120,461	10,068	40,030	1,417	60,515	3,345	177	133,498
JAN.-FEB. 1971	1,093,363	92,499	1,185,862	12,642	67,131	1,579	81,352	3,769	236	1,271,219

1/ 1,000 POUNDS

POULTRY: CONDEMNATIONS OF POULTRY SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, FEBRUARY 1971 WITH COMPARISONS 3/

	YOUNG CHICKENS	MATURE CHICKENS	TOTAL CHICKENS	FRYERS	ROASTERS	YOUNG TURKEYS	OLD TURKEYS	TOTAL TURKEYS	DUCKS	OTHER	TOTAL
ANTE-MORTEM											
1,000 POUNDS (LIVEWEIGHT):											
FEBRUARY 1970:	3,114	563	3,677	12	62	1	75	4	---	---	3,756
FEBRUARY 1971:	3,150	790	3,940	21	136	3	160	1	---	---	4,111
JAN.-FEB. 1970:	7,150	1,260	8,410	31	185	4	220	10	1	---	8,641
JAN.-FEB. 1971:	6,458	1,523	7,981	30	288	6	332	3	---	---	8,316
PERCENT 1/											
FEBRUARY 1970:	.42	.95	.46	.21	.27	.17	.26	.15	.15	.25	.45
FEBRUARY 1971:	.41	1.09	.47	.25	.42	.41	.39	.05	.05	.19	.47
POST-MORTEM											
1,000 LBS. (N.Y. DRESSED):											
FEBRUARY 1970:	29,110	2,873	32,183	92	713	36	841	47	2	---	33,073
FEBRUARY 1971:	31,735	3,932	35,667	170	1,053	33	1,262	40	2	---	36,972
JAN.-FEB. 1970:	62,090	6,453	68,543	240	2,808	59	3,107	144	4	---	71,794
JAN.-FEB. 1971:	65,657	8,165	73,822	337	2,555	84	2,976	93	5	---	76,896
PERCENT 2/											
FEBRUARY 1970:	4.43	5.44	4.51	1.85	3.58	5.78	3.30	1.90	1.90	1.17	4.46
FEBRUARY 1971:	4.70	6.12	4.83	2.42	3.68	5.09	3.46	1.84	1.84	1.32	4.75

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/ CASHES MEAN LESS THAN 500 HEAD OR 500 POUNDS.

POULTRY: INSPECTED FOR FURTHER PROCESSING AND CUT-UP UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, FEBRUARY 1971 WITH COMPARISONS

	YOUNG CHICKENS	MATURE CHICKENS	TURKEYS	OTHER POULTRY 1/	TOTAL POULTRY
POUNDS USED READY-TO-COOK WEIGHT 2/					
JANUARY 1971:	29,620	149,885	36,415	182	36,095
FEBRUARY 1971:	26,161	133,976	30,391	944	30,419
JAN.-FEB. 1971:	27,433	150,107	36,694	633	34,783
JANUARY-FEBRUARY 1970:	50,772	283,448	61,634	1,813	66,935
JANUARY-FEBRUARY 1971:	57,053	299,992	73,110	814	70,878
LBS. CONDEMNED READY-TO-COOK WEIGHT 2/					
JANUARY 1971:	208	1,309	82	1	41
FEBRUARY 1971:	120	793	85	14	65
JAN.-FEB. 1971:	257	1,262	36	1	40
JANUARY-FEBRUARY 1970:	230	1,749	178	35	465
JANUARY-FEBRUARY 1971:	465	2,571	118	2	81
POUNDS USED READY-TO-COOK WEIGHT 2/					
JANUARY 1971:	29,620	149,885	36,415	182	12,746
FEBRUARY 1971:	26,161	133,976	30,391	944	10,353
JAN.-FEB. 1971:	27,433	150,107	36,694	633	12,602
JANUARY-FEBRUARY 1970:	50,772	283,448	61,634	1,813	21,168
JANUARY-FEBRUARY 1971:	57,053	299,992	73,110	814	25,348
LBS. CONDEMNED READY-TO-COOK WEIGHT 2/					
JANUARY 1971:	208	1,309	82	1	38
FEBRUARY 1971:	120	793	85	14	2
JAN.-FEB. 1971:	257	1,262	36	1	165
JANUARY-FEBRUARY 1970:	230	1,749	178	35	12
JANUARY-FEBRUARY 1971:	465	2,571	118	2	84
POUNDS USED READY-TO-COOK WEIGHT 2/					
JANUARY 1971:	29,620	149,885	36,415	182	7,845
FEBRUARY 1971:	26,161	133,976	30,391	944	8,057
JAN.-FEB. 1971:	27,433	150,107	36,694	633	7,461
JANUARY-FEBRUARY 1970:	50,772	283,448	61,634	1,813	16,125
JANUARY-FEBRUARY 1971:	57,053	299,992	73,110	814	15,307
LBS. CONDEMNED READY-TO-COOK WEIGHT 2/					
JANUARY 1971:	208	1,309	82	1	51
FEBRUARY 1971:	120	793	85	14	2
JAN.-FEB. 1971:	257	1,262	36	1	33
JANUARY-FEBRUARY 1970:	230	1,749	178	35	55
JANUARY-FEBRUARY 1971:	465	2,571	118	2	203
POUNDS USED READY-TO-COOK WEIGHT 2/					
JANUARY 1971:	29,620	149,885	36,415	182	530
FEBRUARY 1971:	26,161	133,976	30,391	944	109,975
JAN.-FEB. 1971:	27,433	150,107	36,694	633	95,028
JANUARY-FEBRUARY 1970:	50,772	283,448	61,634	1,813	106,371
JANUARY-FEBRUARY 1971:	57,053	299,992	73,110	814	195,466
LBS. CONDEMNED READY-TO-COOK WEIGHT 2/					
JANUARY 1971:	208	1,309	82	1	382
FEBRUARY 1971:	120	793	85	14	290
JAN.-FEB. 1971:	257	1,262	36	1	366
JANUARY-FEBRUARY 1970:	230	1,749	178	35	928
JANUARY-FEBRUARY 1971:	465	2,571	118	2	748

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

2/ 1,000 POUNDS.

YOUNG CHICKENS: SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, BY REGIONS AND SELECTED STATES, FEBRUARY 1970 AND 1971

REGION AND STATE	NUMBER INSPECTED	POUNDS INSPECTED (LIVELINEWEIGHT)		AVERAGE LIVELINEWEIGHT INSPECTED		TOTAL POUNDS CERTIFIED		POST-MORTEM CONDEMNATIONS	
		1970	1971	1970	1971	1970	1971	1970	1971
		-1,000 POUNDS-		-POUNDS-		-1,000 POUNDS-		-PERCENT-	
N. ATLANTIC	13,136	54,548	53,675	4.15	4.21	38,987	37,999	2,222	2,184
E. N. CENTRAL	2,378	9,584	9,555	4.03	4.07	7,003	6,586	257	251
W. N. CENTRAL	5,090	18,090	23,074	3.55	3.70	12,611	16,457	805	841
S. ATLANTIC	87,644	317,128	303,692	3.62	3.69	224,216	213,534	14,435	13,586
S. CENTRAL	91,506	318,832	342,641	3.48	3.54	226,482	241,763	11,062	13,983
WEST	5,190	19,181	20,142	3.70	3.75	13,561	13,937	529	890
U. S.	204,944	737,363	752,279	3.60	3.66	522,860	530,276	29,310	31,735
MAINE	5,705	24,421	24,763	4.29	4.45	17,721	17,898	815	764
PENNSYLVANIA	6,423	25,837	26,822	4.02	4.02	18,235	18,726	1,223	1,305
OHIO	---	---	750	---	4.94	---	546	---	13
INDIANA	1,013	3,646	3,374	3.60	3.71	2,638	2,491	95	69
WISCONSIN	1,271	5,327	4,884	4.19	4.23	3,872	3,539	148	169
MINNESOTA	---	---	3,259	---	4.19	---	2,451	---	75
MISSOURI	4,327	15,008	17,387	3.47	3.62	10,325	12,364	755	652
DELAWARE	7,827	30,486	29,194	3.90	3.98	21,507	20,203	1,224	1,349
MARYLAND	13,900	54,736	44,193	3.94	3.88	38,929	31,109	2,278	2,122
VIRGINIA	6,851	23,237	22,155	3.39	3.54	15,688	15,298	1,039	710
NORTH CAROLINA	22,338	20,415	76,478	3.66	3.75	57,858	54,450	3,176	2,402
SOUTH CAROLINA	2,362	8,054	7,535	3.41	3.32	5,483	5,494	376	340
GEORGIA	31,033	107,364	107,808	3.46	3.58	76,533	75,994	5,856	5,952
TENNESSEE	5,306	4,412	19,187	3.62	3.58	13,910	11,453	607	573
ALABAMA	21,770	25,476	88,357	3.46	3.47	53,383	61,001	3,420	5,639
MISSISSIPPI	14,798	17,530	52,233	3.53	3.67	37,968	46,067	1,192	2,249
ARKANSAS	29,974	28,259	101,948	3.40	3.40	71,597	67,684	3,357	3,138
LOUISIANA	4,548	16,224	14,712	3.57	3.73	11,316	10,509	522	4.08
TEXAS	12,897	13,760	46,127	3.58	3.67	32,800	36,140	1,665	1,552
WASHINGTON	1,122	4,363	---	3.89	---	3,083	---	145	---
CALIFORNIA	2,707	10,398	10,829	3.84	3.83	7,441	7,554	250	521

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.

YOUNG CHICKENS: NUMBER CONDEMNED POST-MORTEM BY CAUSE, BY REGIONS AND SELECTED STATES, FEBRUARY 1971

REGION AND STATE	: TUBER- :		: LEU- :		: SEPTI- :		: AIRSAC- :		: SYNO- :		: 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. :
N. ATLANTIC	---	165,676	155,283	124,897	5,764	1,398	4,592	14,424	26,244	3,970	11,056	513,304										
E. N. CENTRAL	---	20,066	17,251	8,111	976	54	2,242	6,706	4,405	802	1,281	61,734										
W. N. CENTRAL	1	36,758	51,147	89,104	9,249	724	4,217	5,820	9,533	292	6,352	213,197										
S. ATLANTIC	---	1,747,826	570,113	1,031,799	33,352	6,446	51,659	90,215	202,194	21,374	163,111	3,918,089										
S. CENTRAL	---	2,027,117	605,152	733,654	92,178	12,096	61,423	100,099	148,963	11,683	107,497	3,899,862										
WEST	---	94,553	45,448	106,622	2,455	55	2,006	6,689	4,963	269	14,670	271,730										
U. S.	1	4,091,936	1,444,394	2,088,087	143,974	20,773	126,139	223,953	396,302	38,390	303,967	8,877,916										
MAINE	---	38,272	78,022	10,451	2,653	587	1,104	7,870	6,336	1,147	3,007	149,449										
PENNSYLVANIA	---	121,159	68,263	110,333	3,031	723	3,204	6,070	17,322	2,813	7,099	340,017										
OHIO	---	637	624	27	1	15	57	182	383	---	19	1,925										
INDIANA	---	9,690	5,882	1,037	---	12	597	667	972	8	130	18,995										
WISCONSIN	---	9,676	10,737	6,946	973	26	1,575	5,875	3,050	794	1,124	40,776										
MINNESOTA	---	5,168	6,319	454	98	48	296	337	2,157	62	2,914	17,854										
MISSOURI	1	29,430	35,142	72,411	4,063	502	3,017	4,463	5,497	205	2,688	157,418										
DELAWARE	---	168,527	44,320	108,075	2,227	315	2,413	9,820	15,146	2,878	6,246	360,967										
MARYLAND	---	169,112	87,566	277,026	4,477	623	3,910	10,676	24,120	8,032	4,225	589,767										
VIRGINIA	---	87,499	62,711	51,024	616	340	3,555	3,314	6,067	1,073	2,859	219,058										
NORTH CAROLINA	---	202,430	145,112	145,684	10,284	2,067	21,176	23,343	54,614	3,227	58,951	666,888										
SOUTH CAROLINA	---	45,259	19,097	17,620	795	162	3,170	3,177	3,935	127	3,060	96,402										
GEORGIA	---	974,730	197,200	365,814	13,835	2,724	16,267	34,931	94,831	5,993	47,065	1,753,390										
TENNESSEE	---	96,931	28,736	9,944	2,857	375	1,819	6,339	9,060	20	8,949	165,030										
ALABAMA	---	1,316,941	143,165	151,926	17,965	3,260	11,700	26,275	42,672	5,114	35,640	1,754,658										
MISSISSIPPI	---	227,967	47,343	174,882	14,918	2,888	9,504	12,251	30,638	1,691	27,509	549,591										
ARKANSAS	---	221,092	220,298	256,427	37,054	3,343	16,943	27,700	41,815	2,194	18,758	845,624										
LOUISIANA	---	19,640	37,139	49,567	4,755	399	3,943	6,449	3,364	658	2,364	128,278										
TEXAS	---	122,805	103,983	72,585	12,886	1,709	13,775	15,502	17,253	1,366	11,693	373,557										
CALIFORNIA	---	43,180	23,142	82,086	876	13	695	2,928	2,142	158	3,085	158,305										

MATURE CHICKENS: SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, BY REGIONS AND SELECTED STATES, FEBRUARY 1970 AND 1971

REGION AND STATE	NUMBER		POUNDS		AVERAGE		TOTAL POUNDS		POST-MORTEM CONDEMNATIONS			
	INSPECTED		INSPECTED		LIVEWEIGHT		CERTIFIED		POUNDS (NYD)			
	1970	1971	1970	1971	1970	1971	1970	1971	1970	1971		
	-THOUSANDS-		-1,000 POUNDS-		-POUNDS-		-1,000 POUNDS-		-PERCENT-			
N. ATLANTIC	1,492	1,932	7,475	9,424	5.01	4.88	4,838	6,052	362	494	5.44	5.91
E. N. CENTRAL	1,696	1,626	7,215	6,477	4.26	3.98	4,508	3,984	271	274	4.22	4.78
W. N. CENTRAL	2,570	2,978	11,097	12,561	4.32	4.22	6,951	7,610	591	750	5.99	6.75
S. ATLANTIC	3,302	5,029	15,749	22,143	4.77	4.40	10,124	14,079	747	1,029	5.31	5.20
S. CENTRAL	2,399	2,951	12,300	14,035	5.13	4.76	8,163	9,221	566	889	5.16	7.11
WEST	1,327	1,866	5,388	7,534	4.06	4.04	3,279	4,555	336	496	6.99	7.37
U. S.	12,786	16,382	59,224	72,174	4.63	4.41	37,863	45,501	2,873	3,932	5.44	6.12
MAINE	314	275	1,891	1,514	6.02	5.49	1,280	1,031	88	59	5.18	4.40
NEW JERSEY	861	1,110	3,690	4,861	4.29	4.38	2,249	2,916	224	328	6.83	7.63
PENNSYLVANIA	81	75	600	554	7.41	7.40	422	394	13	10	2.35	1.98
OHIO	419	325	1,820	1,347	4.34	4.15	1,146	809	66	54	4.07	4.52
INDIANA	565	591	2,190	2,372	3.87	4.01	1,397	1,527	83	80	4.28	3.80
MINNESOTA	751	1,256	2,779	4,689	3.70	3.73	1,728	2,826	137	253	5.56	6.08
IOWA	66	---	255	---	3.88	---	156	---	12	---	5.47	---
MISSOURI	809	676	4,654	4,146	5.75	6.13	3,086	2,750	235	209	5.66	5.67
MARYLAND	---	499	---	2,199	---	4.41	---	1,398	---	---	115	---
VIRGINIA	65	87	479	582	7.38	6.67	334	404	16	24	3.74	5.94
NORTH CAROLINA	382	300	3,012	2,192	7.88	7.31	2,038	1,474	106	71	3.94	3.62
GEORGIA	1,968	3,510	8,678	14,732	4.41	4.20	5,569	9,275	403	685	5.22	5.20
ALABAMA	303	285	1,310	1,458	4.33	5.11	856	979	86	86	7.41	6.61
MISSISSIPPI	1,194	1,668	6,329	7,961	5.30	4.77	4,235	5,326	257	535	4.55	7.57
ARKANSAS	204	89	1,406	640	6.90	7.22	963	447	60	30	4.79	5.29
LOUISIANA	3/	---	146	---	7.27	---	102	---	6	---	4.19	---
TEXAS	525	576	2,323	2,494	4.43	4.33	1,489	1,550	122	155	5.88	6.96
WASHINGTON	139	69	557	296	4.01	4.28	361	197	27	14	5.46	5.24
CALIFORNIA	1,123	1,520	4,568	6,088	4.07	4.01	2,751	3,615	296	436	7.26	8.02

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MATURE CHICKENS: NUMBER CONDEMNED POST-MORTEM BY CAUSE, BY REGIONS AND SELECTED STATES, FEBRUARY 1971

REGION AND STATE	: TUBER- : : CULOSIS : : NO.	: LEU- : : KOSIS : : NO.	: SEPTI- : : CENIA : : NO.	: AIRSAC- : : CULITIS : : NO.	: SYNO- : : VITIS : : NO.	: TUMORS : : BRUISES : : NO.	: CADAVERS : : INALTON : : NO.	: CONTAM- : : OVER- : : NO.	: SCALD : : OTHER : : NO.	: TOTAL : : NO.	
N. ATLANTIC	---	3,667	42,910	114	812	26,090	3,479	12,230	502	12,157	105,554
E. N. CENTRAL	272	4,878	26,457	273	5	17,831	3,036	12,280	205	3,998	73,020
W. N. CENTRAL	1,726	11,722	71,925	2,709	75	59,825	4,712	12,441	399	18,472	197,425
S. ATLANTIC	93	7,006	105,496	1,110	1,273	52,785	7,487	39,437	1,058	20,156	248,131
S. CENTRAL	---	19,139	77,801	354	865	37,827	3,601	22,729	771	23,324	195,819
WEST	---	1,540	58,528	251	437	42,306	853	7,285	159	23,167	139,648
U. S.	2,091	47,952	383,117	4,811	3,471	236,664	23,168	106,402	3,094	101,274	959,597
MAINE	---	870	4,948	16	230	2,255	181	1,168	23	145	10,171
NEW JERSEY	---	1,992	31,264	22	96	18,607	2,691	9,445	382	11,215	78,320
PENNSYLVANIA	---	202	743	58	2	192	50	72	---	149	1,487
OHIO	107	2,049	3,784	8	1	2,055	476	1,385	6	1,593	12,148
INDIANA	13	1,327	8,902	18	---	5,393	855	6,156	---	1,756	24,664
MINNESOTA	1,541	3,724	20,625	752	32	27,217	1,491	5,104	175	11,274	75,100
MISSOURI	10	3,235	19,520	997	31	5,653	707	2,125	89	2,814	37,441
MARYLAND	93	1,878	11,719	170	118	5,749	2,113	5,699	617	566	30,293
VIRGINIA	---	608	2,372	68	44	297	40	210	1	211	3,947
NORTH CAROLINA	---	1,180	2,650	254	146	892	155	1,416	20	1,562	8,491
GEORGIA	---	1,814	78,954	484	938	38,197	4,716	29,487	306	12,163	175,180
ALABAMA	---	722	6,649	112	270	2,385	366	8,486	93	1,932	21,403
MISSISSIPPI	---	3,114	44,780	10	228	31,611	1,672	8,409	499	12,152	109,642
ARKANSAS	---	252	2,101	157	131	111	59	810	3	90	3,773
TEXAS	---	13,032	81,957	43	202	3,031	1,000	2,779	167	8,936	39,430
WASHINGTON	---	302	722	---	29	674	37	444	61	1,413	3,764
CALIFORNIA	---	1,092	52,090	227	400	38,905	660	5,681	91	19,741	122,902

YOUNG TURKEYS (MATURE): SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, BY REGIONS AND SELECTED STATES, FEBRUARY 1970 AND 1971

REGION AND STATE	NUMBER INSPECTED	POUNDS		AVERAGE LIVEWEIGHT	TOTAL POUNDS CERTIFIED	POST-MORTEM CONDEMNATIONS					
		INSPECTED (LIVEWEIGHT)	INSPECTED (READY-TO-COOK WT.)			POUNDS (NYD)	PERCENT 2/				
	1970	1971	1970	1971	1970	1971	1970	1971			
	-THOUSANDS-	-1,000 POUNDS-	-POUNDS-	-1,000 POUNDS-	-1,000 POUNDS-	-PERCENT-					
N. ATLANTIC	43	1,216	1,456	28.28	22,066	982	1,169	21	20	1.92	1.52
E. N. CENTRAL	40	841	2,114	20.79	16,037	673	1,672	24	39	3.13	2.07
W. N. CENTRAL	187	3,815	6,258	20.42	22,944	3,053	4,859	154	209	4.48	3.73
S. ATLANTIC	315	6,086	11,050	19.39	20,777	4,747	8,447	197	464	3.61	4.67
S. CENTRAL	311	6,263	7,775	20.12	21,988	4,785	5,969	248	243	4.42	3.51
WEST	149	3,933	3,247	26.31	23,666	3,183	2,595	69	78	1.94	2.67
U. S.	1,045	22,154	31,880	21.20	21,355	17,423	24,711	713	1,053	3.58	3.68
PENNSYLVANIA	42	1,216	1,272	29.29	23,799	981	1,032	21	15	1.94	1.34
MINNESOTA	179	3,669	4,308	20.54	21,744	2,945	3,425	148	141	4.51	3.64
VIRGINIA	150	2,947	5,285	19.70	20,333	2,237	3,964	120	303	4.53	6.39
NORTH CAROLINA	142	2,682	3,886	18.93	20,233	2,177	3,071	57	103	2.38	2.93
TEXAS	279	5,361	7,753	19.21	21,988	4,128	5,951	171	243	3.55	3.51
CALIFORNIA	126	3,332	2,649	26.48	24,440	2,706	2,118	54	69	1.79	2.90

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YOUNG TURKEYS (MATURE): NUMBER CONDEMNED POST-MORTEM BY CAUSE, BY REGIONS AND SELECTED STATES, FEBRUARY 1971

REGION AND STATE	: TUBERCULOSIS :	LEU- KOSIS :	SEPTI- CEMIA :	AIR SAC- CULITIS :	SYND- VILIS :	TUMORS :	BRUISES :	CADAVER :	INATION :	CONTAM- OVER- :	SCALD :	OTHER :	TOTAL :
	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.
N. ATLANTIC	---	44	306	121	38	---	5	8	148	1	40	711	
E. N. CENTRAL	---	2	852	581	24	1	35	60	133	11	14	1,713	
W. N. CENTRAL	---	4	3,706	2,781	338	1	71	128	215	39	154	7,437	
S. ATLANTIC	---	23	7,708	9,553	869	5	435	242	840	30	445	20,170	
S. CENTRAL	---	2	2,410	5,920	611	20	75	169	166	1	190	9,564	
WEST	---	19	1,570	508	1,007	15	33	33	45	3	33	3,266	
U. S.	---	94	16,552	19,464	2,907	42	654	640	1,547	85	876	42,861	
PENNSYLVANIA	---	3	261	117	36	---	3	3	76	1	1	501	
MINNESOTA	---	3	2,658	2,045	334	1	35	123	186	39	144	5,568	
VIRGINIA	---	---	6,325	7,560	149	3	322	170	266	16	31	14,842	
NORTH CAROLINA	---	8	845	1,205	727	2	79	65	417	14	301	3,663	
TEXAS	---	2	2,407	5,920	611	20	75	168	166	1	190	9,560	
CALIFORNIA	---	19	1,351	459	981	11	19	30	38	3	33	2,944	

FRYER-ROASTER TURKEYS: SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, BY REGIONS AND SELECTED STATES, FEBRUARY 1970 AND 1971

REGION AND STATE	NUMBER INSPECTED	POUNDS		AVERAGE LIVEWEIGHT (LIVEWEIGHT)	TOTAL POUNDS CERTIFIED	POST-MORTEM CONDEMNATIONS	
		1970	1971			1970	1971
N. ATLANTIC	6	60	74	10.00	47	57	1
E. N. CENTRAL	142	1,627	1,327	10.11	1,278	1,041	15
W. N. CENTRAL	390	2,176	3,704	9.44	1,729	2,923	61
S. ATLANTIC	270	1,251	2,434	8.91	923	1,809	65
S. CENTRAL	9	79	53	11.05	52	39	1
WEST	37	304	474	8.26	235	334	33
U. S.	871	5,497	8,066	9.42	4,264	6,203	92
MINNESOTA	221	2,077	3,704	9.41	1,653	2,923	26
VIRGINIA	125	1,104	1,811	8.82	809	1,328	26
CALIFORNIA	27	239	441	8.68	182	307	2

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FRYER-ROASTER TURKEYS: NUMBER CONDEMNED POST-MORTEM BY CAUSE, BY REGIONS AND SELECTED STATES, FEBRUARY 1971

REGION AND STATE	TUBERCULOSIS	LEUROSIS	KOSIS	AIRSAC	CULITIS	SEPTICEMIA	SYNOVITIS	TUMORS	BRUISES	CADAVER INACTION	CONTAMINATION	OVERSCALD	OTHER	TOTAL
N. ATLANTIC	---	---	---	37	2	---	---	---	1	1	38	---	1	80
E. N. CENTRAL	---	---	---	562	75	18	---	---	33	25	170	1	55	939
W. N. CENTRAL	---	40	---	3,989	985	25	---	---	53	95	910	26	53	6,176
S. ATLANTIC	---	---	---	2,617	1,633	23	2	---	116	261	599	19	268	5,538
S. CENTRAL	---	---	---	16	5	---	---	---	3	---	5	1	10	40
WEST	---	---	---	567	4,555	8	---	---	16	13	72	3	1	5,235
U. S.	---	40	---	7,788	7,255	74	2	222	395	1,794	50	388	18,008	
MINNESOTA	---	40	---	3,989	585	25	---	---	53	95	910	26	53	6,176
VIRGINIA	---	---	---	2,205	1,016	4	1	---	91	246	311	15	19	3,908
CALIFORNIA	---	---	---	513	4,546	8	---	---	7	10	54	3	1	5,142

OLD TURKEYS (BREEDERS): SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, BY REGIONS AND SELECTED STATES, FEBRUARY 1970 AND 1971

REGION AND STATE	NUMBER INSPECTED		POUNDS INSPECTED (LIVEWEIGHT)		AVERAGE LIVEWEIGHT		TOTAL POUNDS CERTIFIED		POST-MORTEM CONDEMNATIONS	
	1970	1971	1970	1971	1970	1971	1970	1971	1970	1971
	--THOUSANDS--		--1,000 POUNDS--		--POUNDS--		--1,000 POUNDS--		--PERCENT--	
N. ATLANTIC 4/	---	---	1	---	---	---	1	---	2	---
E. N. CENTRAL	3	5	58	119	21.65	21.92	46	96	1	2.81
W. N. CENTRAL	2	5	42	82	16.98	16.38	34	63	2	5.89
S. ATLANTIC	25	9	542	194	21.56	20.81	418	144	30	6.06
S. CENTRAL 4/	---	---	---	112	---	23.10	---	88	---	---
WEST	3	9	59	224	21.80	25.43	47	177	3	6.02
U. S.	33	33	700	731	21.24	21.88	545	567	33	5.78
MINNESOTA	2	5	41	76	16.98	16.35	33	59	2	5.94
CALIFORNIA 3/	---	4	---	133	---	32.79	---	105	---	---

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OLD TURKEYS (BREEDERS): NUMBER CONDEMNED POST-MORTEM BY CAUSE, BY REGIONS AND SELECTED STATES, FEBRUARY 1971

REGION AND STATE	TUBERCULOSIS		LEUROSIS		SEPTICEMIA		AIRSAC		SYNOVITIS		TUMORS		BRUISES		CADAVER INACTION		CONTAMINATION		TOTAL NO.
	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.		
N. ATLANTIC	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
E. N. CENTRAL	---	---	35	5	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	46
W. N. CENTRAL	---	---	115	37	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	194
S. ATLANTIC	---	---	257	166	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	723
S. CENTRAL	---	---	122	15	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	153
WEST	---	---	270	26	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	354
U. S.	---	---	799	249	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	1,470
MINNESOTA	---	---	114	22	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	174
CALIFORNIA	---	---	131	15	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	174

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Young chickens - Commercially grown broilers-fryers and other young immature birds such as roasters and capons.

Mature chickens - Fowl from breeder and market egg flocks and stags and cocks.

Fryer-roaster turkeys - Young immature birds, usually under 16 weeks of age.

Young turkeys (mature) - Young birds grown to a matured market age, usually 5 to 7 months.

Old turkeys (breeders) - Fully matured birds held for egg production, usually over 15 months of age.

Ducks - Includes all ducks regardless of age and weight.

Other poultry - Includes all other ready-to-cook products which bear the U.S.D.A Inspected for Wholesomeness legend.

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