

# poultry



Slaughtered under Federal Inspection  
and Poultry Used in Further Processing

September 1971

Release:  
November 4, 1971  
3:00 P.M. EST

Inspected Poultry - There were 1,259 million pounds live weight (chickens, turkeys, and ducks) inspected for slaughter during September 1971 under Poultry Inspection Act carried on by United States Department of Agriculture. This is 2 percent less than the previous month but 1 percent more than September 1970.

The number of head and pounds live weight inspected by classes were: young chickens - 239,038,000 head, 878,832,000 pounds; mature chickens - 16,386,000 head, 73,909,000 pounds; fryer-roaster turkeys - 921,000 head, 8,303,000 pounds; young turkeys - 14,771,000 head, 290,151,000 pounds; old turkeys - 47,000 head, 824,000 pounds; and ducks - 1,200,000 head, 7,442,000 pounds.

Poultry Certified Wholesome in September totaled 919,443,000 pounds ready-to-cook weight of which 649,078,000 pounds were chilled and 270,365,000 pounds were frozen. Pounds certified by class of poultry were: young chickens, 630,870,000; mature chickens, 47,218,000; fryer-roaster turkeys, 6,409,000; young turkeys, 228,768,000; old turkeys, 646,000; ducks, 5,252,000; and other poultry, 280,000 pounds.

Further Processed - Poultry inspected and used for further processing totaled 134,562,000 pounds ready-to-cook weight, compared with 121,757,000 pounds in September 1970. The September 1971 total consisted of 33,972,000 pounds young chickens, 33,588,000 pounds mature chickens, 60,641,000 pounds of turkeys, and 6,361,000 pounds of other poultry.

Poultry Cut-up and Packaged totaled 203,050,000 pounds ready-to-cook weight, compared with 188,424,000 pounds in September 1970. The breakdown by class was: young chickens, 181,444,000 pounds; mature chickens, 211,000; turkeys, 21,110,000; and other poultry, 285,000 pounds.

Ante-Mortem Condemnations during September were 5,031,000 pounds live weight. Condemnations by class as a percent of quantities inspected were: young chickens, 0.41; mature chickens, 0.84; fryer-roaster turkeys, 0.26; young turkeys, 0.25; old turkeys, 0.28; and ducks, 0.06.

Post-Mortem Condemnations in September were 34,138,000 pounds (NYD weight). Condemnations by class as a percent of quantities inspected were: young chickens, 2.91; mature chickens, 5.78; fryer-roaster turkeys, 1.84; young turkeys, 2.71; old turkeys, 2.76; and ducks, 1.99.

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POULTRY: SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, SEPTEMBER 1971 WITH COMPARISONS

NUMBER INSPECTED 3/ AUGUST 1971 SEPTEMBER 1970 SEPTEMBER 1971 JAN.-SEPT. 1970 JAN.-SEPT. 1971	: YOUNG :		: MATURE :		: TOTAL :		: FRYER- :		: YOUNG :		: OLD :		: TOTAL :		: OTHER :		
	: CHICKENS :	: CHICKENS1/ :	: CHICKENS :	: CHICKENS2/ :	: CHICKENS :	: CHICKENS :	: ROASTERS :	: ROASTERS :	: TURKEYS2/ :	: TURKEYS :	: TURKEYS :	: TURKEYS :	: TURKEYS :	: TURKEYS :	: DUCKS :	: POULTRY :	: POULTRY :
	: 257,296	: 12,704	: 270,000	: 966	: 14,061	: 97											
	: 237,078	: 14,107	: 251,185	: 938	: 15,046	: 50											
	: 239,038	: 16,386	: 255,424	: 921	: 14,771	: 47											
	: 2,126,029	: 128,888	: 2,254,917	: 7,808	: 54,851	: 960											
	: 2,107,652	: 137,992	: 2,245,644	: 8,932	: 60,813	: 1,103											
POUNDS INSPECTED 4/ AUGUST 1971 SEPTEMBER 1970 SEPTEMBER 1971 JAN.-SEPT. 1970 JAN.-SEPT. 1971	: 940,052	: 58,337	: 998,389	: 8,582	: 270,133	: 1,798											
	: 858,985	: 66,378	: 925,363	: 8,417	: 300,946	: 890											
	: 878,832	: 73,909	: 952,741	: 8,303	: 290,151	: 824											
	: 7,668,446	: 596,793	: 8,265,239	: 71,385	: 1,044,541	: 18,631											
	: 7,699,945	: 623,382	: 8,323,327	: 81,099	: 1,163,730	: 21,627											
AVERAGE LIVEWEIGHTS/ AUGUST 1971 SEPTEMBER 1970 SEPTEMBER 1971 JAN.-SEPT. 1970 JAN.-SEPT. 1971	: 3.65	: 4.59	: 3.70	: 8.89	: 19.21	: 18.54											
	: 3.62	: 4.71	: 3.68	: 8.98	: 20.00	: 17.76											
	: 3.68	: 4.51	: 3.73	: 9.01	: 19.64	: 17.59											
	: 3.61	: 4.63	: 3.67	: 9.14	: 19.04	: 19.41											
	: 3.65	: 4.52	: 3.71	: 9.08	: 19.14	: 19.62											

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

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

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

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

AUGUST 1971 SEPTEMBER 1970 SEPTEMBER 1971 JANUARY-SEPTEMBER 1970 JANUARY-SEPTEMBER 1971	: YOUNG :		: MATURE :		: TOTAL :		: FRYER- :		: YOUNG :		: OLD :		: TOTAL :		: OTHER :		
	: CHICKENS :	: CHICKENS :	: CHICKENS :	: CHICKENS :	: CHICKENS :	: CHICKENS :	: ROASTERS :	: ROASTERS :	: TURKEYS :	: TURKEYS :	: TURKEYS :	: TURKEYS :	: TURKEYS :	: TURKEYS :	: DUCKS :	: POULTRY :	: POULTRY :
CHILLED	: 614,238	: 28,304	: 642,542	: 1,702	: 29,443	: 288											
FROZEN	: 59,492	: 8,964	: 68,456	: 4,866	: 183,790	: 1,123											
TOTAL	: 673,730	: 37,268	: 710,998	: 6,568	: 213,233	: 1,411											
CHILLED	: 552,261	: 32,557	: 584,818	: 1,033	: 35,678	: 160											
FROZEN	: 61,215	: 9,931	: 71,146	: 5,436	: 201,698	: 549											
TOTAL	: 613,476	: 42,488	: 655,964	: 6,469	: 237,376	: 709											
CHILLED	: 572,471	: 37,111	: 609,582	: 1,148	: 38,089	: 36											
FROZEN	: 58,399	: 10,107	: 68,506	: 5,261	: 190,679	: 610											
TOTAL	: 630,870	: 47,218	: 678,088	: 6,409	: 228,768	: 646											
CHILLED	: 4,908,860	: 285,405	: 5,194,265	: 12,445	: 142,553	: 3,680											
FROZEN	: 544,522	: 95,299	: 639,821	: 42,764	: 682,965	: 11,271											
TOTAL	: 5,453,382	: 380,704	: 5,834,086	: 55,209	: 825,518	: 14,751											
CHILLED	: 4,993,527	: 309,441	: 5,302,968	: 14,391	: 156,928	: 3,165											
FROZEN	: 486,141	: 86,752	: 572,893	: 48,273	: 760,123	: 13,746											
TOTAL	: 5,479,668	: 396,193	: 5,875,861	: 62,664	: 917,051	: 16,911											

1/ 1,000 POUNDS

POULTRY: CONDEMNATIONS OF POULTRY SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, SEPTEMBER 1971 WITH COMPARISONS

	YOUNG : CHICKENS	MATURE : CHICKENS	TOTAL : CHICKENS	FRYER-ROASTERS	YOUNG TURKEYS	OLD TURKEYS	TOTAL TURKEYS	DUCKS	OTHER POULTRY	TOTAL POULTRY
ANTE-MORTEM										
1,000 POUNDS (LIVWEIGHT):										
SEPTEMBER 1970:	5,002	601	5,603	21	625	3	649	8	2	6,262
SEPTEMBER 1971:	3,637	622	4,259	22	741	2	765	5	2	5,031
JAN.-SEPT. 1970:	37,567	5,532	43,099	162	2,481	66	2,709	60	11	45,879
JAN.-SEPT. 1971:	32,515	5,602	38,117	162	2,681	68	2,911	28	8	41,054
PERCENT 1/										
SEPTEMBER 1970:	.58	.90	.60	.24	.20	.28	.20	.09	.47	.50
SEPTEMBER 1971:	.41	.84	.44	.26	.25	.28	.25	.06	.42	.39
POST-MORTEM										
1,000 LBS. (N.Y. DRESSED):										
SEPTEMBER 1970:	26,902	3,499	30,401	162	7,490	25	7,677	148	4	38,228
SEPTEMBER 1971:	22,962	3,815	26,777	138	7,066	20	7,224	133	5	34,138
JAN.-SEPT. 1970:	272,245	30,310	302,555	1,257	25,266	632	27,155	920	22	330,652
JAN.-SEPT. 1971:	261,203	31,345	292,548	1,484	28,524	841	30,849	848	31	324,277
PERCENT 2/										
SEPTEMBER 1970:	3.50	5.91	3.67	2.14	2.77	3.11	2.75	2.05	1.03	3.43
SEPTEMBER 1971:	2.91	5.78	3.13	1.84	2.71	2.76	2.68	1.99	1.07	3.02

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.

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

	YOUNG CHICKENS	MATURE CHICKENS	TURKEYS	OTHER POULTRY 1/	TOTAL POULTRY				
POUNDS USED READY-TO-COOK WEIGHT 2/									
AUGUST 1971:	31,851	188,019	562	58,551	19,083	6,357	300	130,813	207,964
SEPTEMBER 1970:	28,957	164,654	587	53,208	23,081	5,453	102	121,757	188,424
SEPTEMBER 1971:	33,972	181,444	211	60,641	21,110	6,361	285	134,562	203,050
JANUARY-SEPTEMBER 1970:	252,750	1,366,853	280,592	329,334	128,655	62,236	1,261	924,912	1,503,203
JANUARY-SEPTEMBER 1971:	284,049	1,535,270	325,687	395,287	136,416	61,802	2,596	1,066,825	1,678,017
LBS. CONDEMNED READY-TO-COOK WEIGHT 2/:									
AUGUST 1971:	358	1,170	53	100	232	16	5	527	1,409
SEPTEMBER 1970:	371	1,085	47	33	315	18	15	469	1,475
SEPTEMBER 1971:	457	1,312	97	46	252	22	2	622	1,566
JANUARY-SEPTEMBER 1970:	2,215	8,997	616	1,344	2,029	245	72	4,320	11,365
JANUARY-SEPTEMBER 1971:	3,314	10,988	455	356	1,384	243	23	4,368	12,413

1/ POULTRY PARTS AND FAT USED IN FURTHER PROCESSING THAT CANNOT BE IDENTIFIED BY CLASS ARE INCLUDED IN "OTHER POULTRY".  
 2/ 1,000 POUNDS.

POULTRY SLAUGHTER, November 1971

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

REGION AND STATE	NUMBER INSPECTED		POUNDS INSPECTED (LIVEWEIGHT)		AVERAGE LIVEWEIGHT INSPECTED/		TOTAL POUNDS CERTIFIED (READY-TO-COOK WT.)		POST-MORTEM CONDEMNATIONS			
	1970	1971	1970	1971	1970	1971	1970	1971	1970	1971		
U. S.	237,078	239,038	858,985	878,832	3.62	3.68	613,476	630,870	26,902	22,962	3.50	2.91
N. ATLANTIC	13,880	13,603	57,290	55,950	4.13	4.11	41,091	40,076	1,886	1,959	3.68	3.90
E. N. CENTRAL	2,574	2,823	9,790	11,150	3.80	3.95	7,221	8,114	246	242	2.80	2.42
W. N. CENTRAL	6,634	7,669	24,572	28,769	3.70	3.75	17,551	20,711	719	756	3.26	2.93
S. ATLANTIC	97,998	95,262	359,487	355,775	3.67	3.73	256,129	256,071	11,841	9,518	3.68	2.98
S. CENTRAL	110,009	114,602	386,000	408,198	3.51	3.56	276,124	292,368	11,568	10,009	3.35	2.73
WEST	5,983	5,079	21,846	18,990	3.65	3.74	15,360	13,530	642	478	3.28	2.80
MAINE	5,929	5,892	24,955	24,951	4.21	4.23	18,288	18,353	656	545	2.93	2.43
PENNSYLVANIA	7,076	7,185	28,586	28,709	4.04	4.00	20,246	20,210	1,074	1,342	4.21	5.21
OHIO	---	249	---	976	---	3.91	---	711	---	---	19	2.23
INDIANA	1,264	1,270	4,449	4,700	3.52	3.70	3,293	3,476	120	80	3.01	1.89
WISCONSIN	1,283	1,291	5,168	5,402	4.03	4.19	3,805	3,925	120	143	2.58	2.94
MINNESOTA	840	844	3,694	3,588	4.40	4.25	2,783	2,689	53	85	1.61	2.63
MISSOURI	5,049	6,005	17,851	21,894	3.54	3.65	12,630	15,699	555	552	3.47	2.82
DELAWARE	7,447	7,687	29,725	30,498	3.99	3.97	21,030	21,681	912	822	3.43	3.00
MARYLAND	14,371	11,634	55,328	44,980	3.85	3.87	39,700	32,421	1,710	1,358	3.45	3.36
VIRGINIA	7,424	10,615	26,134	37,302	3.52	3.72	18,006	26,427	693	1,010	2.95	3.01
NORTH CAROLINA	26,263	23,754	98,229	91,259	3.74	3.84	70,119	65,596	2,706	2,283	3.08	2.79
SOUTH CAROLINA	3,225	2,954	12,003	10,032	3.72	3.40	8,184	7,105	520	268	4.85	2.97
GEORGIA	34,637	34,185	121,609	123,425	3.51	3.61	87,367	89,660	4,833	3,344	4.45	3.02
TENNESSEE	6,074	6,000	20,894	21,721	3.44	3.62	15,089	15,656	706	636	3.78	3.26
ALABAMA	28,323	32,003	99,313	113,908	3.51	3.56	70,697	81,206	3,924	3,066	4.41	3.00
MISSISSIPPI	18,665	20,708	66,725	75,282	3.57	3.64	48,665	54,200	1,563	1,743	2.62	2.58
ARKANSAS	31,530	31,904	108,511	110,124	3.44	3.45	76,856	78,378	2,908	2,464	2.99	2.49
LOUISIANA	4,842	4,343	17,513	15,820	3.62	3.64	12,563	11,437	445	376	2.84	2.65
TEXAS	16,094	15,663	57,592	57,264	3.57	3.66	41,310	41,310	1,662	1,446	3.24	2.82
WASHINGTON	1,248	---	4,915	---	3.86	---	3,355	---	168	---	3.87	---
CALIFORNIA	2,812	2,420	10,662	9,392	3.79	3.88	7,700	6,766	240	249	2.51	2.96

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, SEPTEMBER 1971

REGION AND STATE	TUBERCULOSIS: NO.	LEUKOSIS: NO.	SEPTICEMIA: NO.	AIR SAC CULITIS: NO.	SYNOVITIS: NO.	TUMORS: NO.	BRUISES: NO.	CADAVER INJURY: NO.	CONTAMINATION: NO.	OVERSCALD: NO.	OTHER: NO.	TOTAL: NO.
N. ATLANTIC	---	153,124	86,309	61,447	3,134	1,116	5,172	11,175	25,638	1,589	12,160	360,864
E. N. CENTRAL	---	24,240	20,585	2,308	1,358	90	2,033	2,313	4,599	940	1,025	59,491
W. N. CENTRAL	---	54,225	50,592	18,361	6,956	881	4,592	4,892	17,341	2,609	9,384	169,833
S. ATLANTIC	---	1,080,608	390,157	288,544	32,588	8,088	43,482	73,401	245,735	24,288	122,245	2,309,136
S. CENTRAL	---	862,143	457,143	265,341	64,051	14,635	62,675	125,803	251,813	25,600	117,520	2,246,724
WEST	---	62,443	24,077	11,511	631	333	1,318	6,117	4,563	959	9,831	121,783
U. S.	---	2,236,783	1,029,863	647,512	108,718	25,143	119,272	223,701	545,689	55,985	272,165	5,267,831
MAINE	---	31,619	36,444	6,390	2,194	426	1,423	4,278	5,959	521	2,471	91,725
PENNSYLVANIA	---	118,145	47,256	53,797	802	611	3,444	6,713	17,350	1,058	8,957	258,143
OHIO	---	2,260	1,783	166	126	31	156	71	365	11	106	5,075
INDIANA	---	12,190	6,392	370	---	4	609	574	796	7	40	20,982
WISCONSIN	---	9,770	12,394	1,771	1,232	52	1,267	1,668	3,438	922	879	33,393
MINNESOTA	---	7,397	3,465	206	80	76	244	263	3,093	16	5,430	20,270
MISSOURI	---	32,416	38,965	15,305	3,418	397	2,868	4,059	11,450	2,337	3,711	114,926
DELAWARE	---	111,554	23,026	24,614	3,919	273	1,643	5,599	13,814	3,191	5,030	192,463
MARYLAND	---	187,349	50,430	36,158	1,892	643	3,533	7,540	26,365	3,168	3,850	320,928
VIRGINIA	---	114,297	69,379	74,002	1,381	367	4,375	4,591	10,770	4,058	2,994	286,214
NORTH CAROLINA	---	160,554	102,397	61,221	11,882	2,551	15,872	19,798	72,909	5,250	50,041	502,475
SOUTH CAROLINA	---	28,727	7,947	5,482	486	270	2,240	6,428	8,614	317	4,345	64,856
GEORGIA	---	413,058	121,141	80,087	12,215	3,695	14,425	24,254	103,446	8,016	45,886	826,223
TENNESSEE	---	91,359	30,456	11,866	2,201	440	2,042	6,273	14,697	455	12,213	172,001
ALABAMA	---	379,052	106,757	42,291	9,886	4,853	12,708	35,125	99,518	7,834	30,561	728,585
MISSISSIPPI	---	158,055	39,419	68,244	7,896	2,871	7,622	12,317	44,514	3,954	33,981	378,873
ARKANSAS	---	114,006	152,308	96,612	28,692	3,867	17,339	35,576	56,873	7,476	25,622	538,371
LOUISIANA	---	12,566	27,563	11,864	2,689	674	4,101	4,915	5,771	475	1,393	72,011
TEXAS	---	94,853	83,591	29,973	11,779	1,745	15,840	20,900	25,239	4,370	9,580	297,870
CALIFORNIA	---	34,863	9,804	5,406	80	259	384	2,208	1,408	248	2,440	57,100

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

REGION AND STATE	NUMBER INSPECTED		POUNDS INSPECTED (LIVWEIGHT)		AVERAGE LIVWEIGHT INSPECTED/100 WT.		TOTAL POUNDS CERTIFIED		POST-MORTEM CONDEMNATIONS				
	1970	1971	1970	1971	1970	1971	1970	1971	1970	1971			
	THOUSANDS		-POUNDS-		-POUNDS-		-1,000 POUNDS-		-1,000 POUNDS-	-PERCENT-			
U. S.	14,107	16,386	66,378	73,909	4.71	4.51	42,488	47,218	3,499	3,815	5.91	5.78	
N. ATLANTIC	1,756	2,081	9,138	10,230	5.20	4.92	5,948	6,820	512	511	6.28	5.59	
E. N. CENTRAL	1,367	1,873	5,980	7,467	4.37	3.99	3,708	4,540	245	325	4.59	4.87	
W. N. CENTRAL	3,536	4,496	15,804	19,221	4.47	4.28	9,808	11,987	968	1,071	6.86	6.26	
S. ATLANTIC	3,514	3,707	16,401	17,446	4.67	4.71	10,746	11,367	788	834	5.39	5.36	
S. CENTRAL	2,272	2,521	12,347	12,827	5.43	5.09	8,249	8,404	505	705	4.59	6.15	
WEST	1,662	1,708	6,708	6,718	4.04	3.93	4,029	4,100	481	369	8.03	6.16	
MAINE	383	286	2,515	1,839	6.57	6.43	1,726	1,283	105	62	4.66	3.77	
NEW JERSEY	953	1,153	4,059	4,766	4.26	4.13	2,437	2,974	291	295	8.08	6.94	
PENNSYLVANIA	82	78	577	577	7.07	7.38	400	408	13	12	2.52	2.27	
OHIO	183	316	742	1,266	4.06	4.01	419	756	46	57	7.00	5.02	
INDIANA	539	667	2,150	2,584	3.99	3.88	1,373	1,599	67	80	3.49	3.46	
MINNESOTA	1,221	1,809	4,751	6,683	3.89	3.69	2,831	4,056	331	423	7.81	7.10	
MISSOURI	1,096	1,291	6,495	7,498	5.93	5.81	4,379	5,027	314	321	5.41	4.81	
MARYLAND	---	620	---	2,961	---	4.78	---	1,875	---	---	133	---	5.06
VIRGINIA	115	19	827	129	7.19	6.85	578	87	22	6	3.00	5.35	
NORTH CAROLINA	153	55	1,112	384	7.25	6.94	753	265	38	13	3.80	3.76	
GEORGIA	2,556	2,636	11,372	12,356	4.45	4.69	7,464	8,139	566	581	5.58	5.26	
ALABAMA	270	84	1,435	555	5.31	6.60	957	364	71	23	5.56	4.70	
MISSISSIPPI	1,245	1,541	6,922	7,553	5.56	4.90	4,654	4,888	252	443	4.09	6.57	
ARKANSAS	149	314	1,028	1,937	6.92	6.16	732	1,327	42	92	4.54	5.32	
LOUISIANA	3/	---	117	---	6.53	---	81	---	5	---	4.85	---	
TEXAS	466	432	2,111	1,912	4.53	4.43	1,326	1,228	110	117	5.89	6.79	
WASHINGTON	94	93	396	379	4.20	4.09	246	255	23	14	6.38	4.15	
CALIFORNIA	1,483	1,406	5,947	5,442	4.01	3.87	3,549	3,252	435	313	8.20	6.45	

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 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 TURKEYS (MATURE): SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, BY REGIONS AND SELECTED STATES, SEPTEMBER 1970 AND 1971											
REGION AND STATE	NUMBER INSPECTED		POUNDS INSPECTED (LIVEWEIGHT)		AVERAGE LIVEWEIGHT (INSPECTED)		TOTAL POUNDS CERTIFIED (READY-TO-COOK WT.)		POST-MORTEM CONDEMNATIONS		PERCENT 2/
	1971	1970	1971	1970	1971	1970	1971	1970	1971	1970	
	-THOUSANDS-	-1,000 POUNDS-	-1,000 POUNDS-	-1,000 POUNDS-	-POUNDS-	-POUNDS-	-1,000 POUNDS-	-1,000 POUNDS-	-1,000 POUNDS-	-PERCENT-	
N. ATLANTIC	332	6,247	6,044	18.82	17.67	4,940	4,750	95	89	1.69	1.63
E. N. CENTRAL	1,897	38,847	34,544	20.48	19.76	30,755	27,288	631	565	1.80	1.82
W. N. CENTRAL	5,166	102,168	106,464	19.78	19.79	80,602	84,572	2,789	2,492	3.03	2.60
S. ATLANTIC	2,127	41,004	36,441	19.28	19.35	31,910	28,310	1,399	1,233	3.80	3.77
S. CENTRAL	2,077	40,417	44,252	19.46	19.40	31,544	34,479	1,292	1,362	3.56	3.43
WEST	3,447	72,263	62,406	20.97	19.88	57,625	49,369	1,284	1,325	1.97	2.36
U. S.	15,046	300,946	290,151	20.00	19.64	237,376	228,768	7,490	7,066	2.77	2.71
PENNSYLVANIA	330	6,211	5,774	18.83	17.72	4,913	4,568	94	85	1.67	1.63
OHIO	457	9,380	10,271	20.53	19.67	7,482	7,998	107	144	1.27	1.56
INDIANA	692	13,763	11,649	19.88	18.69	10,897	9,178	254	248	2.05	2.37
WISCONSIN	524	10,473	8,471	20.00	19.45	8,354	6,818	196	115	2.07	1.50
MINNESOTA	2,500	48,617	49,964	19.44	19.29	38,264	39,783	1,315	1,091	3.00	2.43
IOWA	1,165	22,915	24,603	19.66	19.56	18,198	19,591	554	492	2.68	2.22
MISSOURI	1,168	23,612	25,144	20.21	20.92	18,638	19,820	725	746	3.42	3.31
VIRGINIA	676	12,742	11,185	18.86	18.86	9,601	8,559	499	389	4.37	3.88
NORTH CAROLINA	1,082	20,271	19,462	18.74	18.49	16,110	15,281	663	654	3.64	3.74
ARKANSAS	1,046	1,285	20,308	19.42	19.60	15,921	19,417	591	870	3.18	3.85
TEXAS	888	17,284	15,887	19.47	19.25	13,336	12,535	671	407	4.32	2.85
COLORADO	389	8,236	7,216	21.15	20.60	6,490	5,585	136	141	1.84	2.17
UTAH	626	14,664	15,294	23.43	23.17	11,803	12,155	191	299	1.45	2.17
CALIFORNIA	2,014	40,579	34,919	20.15	19.00	32,360	27,720	788	764	2.16	2.43

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

REGION AND STATE	TUBER- : :CULDSIS: : NO.	LEU- :KOSIS : : NO.	SEPTI- : :CEMIA : : NO.	AIRSAC- : :CULLIIS : : NO.	SYND- : :VITIS : : NO.	TUMORS : : NO.	BRUISES : : NO.	CADAVER : : NO.	CONTAM- : :INAION : : NO.	OVER- : :SCALD : : NO.	OTHER : : NO.	TOTAL : : NO.
N. ATLANTIC	---	9	1,795	1,186	378	1	32	36	264	---	10	3,711
E. N. CENTRAL	---	53	13,442	4,783	2,442	9	377	882	1,128	45	831	23,992
W. N. CENTRAL	---	674	72,241	31,136	4,029	41	943	2,293	6,182	523	1,752	119,814
S. ATLANTIC	---	50	21,302	21,547	3,566	14	736	1,254	2,899	189	2,617	54,174
S. CENTRAL	---	263	25,883	15,684	13,653	63	708	1,180	2,924	15	882	61,255
WEST	---	186	23,190	22,359	12,203	88	592	1,267	1,976	423	709	62,993
U. S.	---	1,235	157,853	96,695	36,271	216	3,388	6,912	15,373	1,195	6,801	325,939
PENNSYLVANIA	---	7	1,758	1,181	375	---	23	36	253	---	4	3,637
OHIO	---	8	3,280	853	166	6	69	121	427	21	70	5,021
INDIANA	---	10	5,721	3,024	1,831	1	140	295	544	13	298	11,877
WISCONSIN	---	35	3,243	321	403	2	166	336	155	9	454	5,124
MINNESOTA	---	477	36,217	12,333	2,243	10	302	1,420	3,283	300	209	56,794
IOWA	---	189	15,207	4,609	130	11	295	232	1,339	114	210	22,336
MISSOURI	---	8	18,065	10,515	1,626	7	300	516	1,419	63	1,333	33,852
VIRGINIA	---	7	12,003	5,176	711	6	226	612	678	70	56	19,545
NORTH CAROLINA	---	22	7,174	13,541	2,610	7	396	404	1,727	75	2,118	28,074
ARKANSAS	---	140	16,503	9,992	11,539	18	413	494	2,361	14	235	41,709
TEXAS	---	112	7,090	4,563	1,938	36	245	278	323	1	647	15,233
COLORADO	---	2	1,740	2,736	649	---	15	347	88	1	160	5,738
UTAH	---	26	4,324	2,999	1,573	21	196	343	991	224	186	10,883
CALIFORNIA	---	26	14,635	14,829	8,112	42	221	462	778	196	174	39,475

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

REGION AND STATE	NUMBER INSPECTED	POUNDS INSPECTED (LIVEWEIGHT)		AVERAGE LIVEWEIGHT		TOTAL POUNDS CERTIFIED	POST-MORTEM CONDEMNATIONS					
		1970	1971	1970	1971		POUNDS (NY)	PERCENT 2/				
		-1,000 POUNDS-		-POUNDS-		-1,000 POUNDS-		-PERCENT-				
		-THOUSANDS-										
N. ATLANTIC	9	14	76	134	8.44	9.57	59	103	1	4	1.46	3.31
E. N. CENTRAL 3/	43	7	372	62	8.56	9.22	277	50			1.70	.76
W. N. CENTRAL	495	369	4,402	3,394	8.90	9.19	3,478	2,694	67	43	1.69	1.40
S. ATLANTIC	316	366	2,900	3,237	9.19	8.85	2,146	2,406	70	67	2.68	2.31
S. CENTRAL	10	1	96	11	9.50	10.11	73	9	1		1.42	3.33
WEST	65	164	571	1,465	8.72	8.96	436	1,147	17	24	3.24	1.81
U. S.	938	921	8,417	8,303	8.98	9.01	6,469	6,409	162	138	2.14	1.84
MINNESOTA	474	353	4,197	3,257	8.86	9.22	3,324	2,584	59	41	1.56	1.39
VIRGINIA	256	299	2,313	2,615	9.05	8.73	1,691	1,919	55	53	2.64	2.25
CALIFORNIA	46	143	429	1,302	9.35	9.13	322	1,016	14	23	3.56	1.94

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

REGION AND STATE	TUBERCULOSIS	LEUKOSIS	SEPTICEMIA	AIRSAC-CULITIS	SYNOVITIS	TUMORS	BRUISES	CADAVER INACTION	CONTAMINATION	OVERSCALD	OTHER	TOTAL
N. ATLANTIC	---	---	1	338	47	---	---	---	25	---	---	411
E. N. CENTRAL	---	---	1	31	---	---	---	---	4	---	---	47
W. N. CENTRAL	---	337	2,552	312	22	1	30	216	814	9	31	4,324
S. ATLANTIC	---	4	3,879	499	43	5	145	386	665	24	140	5,790
S. CENTRAL	---	---	---	6	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	7
WEST	---	---	4	1,381	237	2	22	51	317	25	12	2,072
U. S.	---	347	8,187	1,096	86	8	197	657	1,826	58	189	12,651
MINNESOTA	---	337	2,503	309	22	---	24	213	704	9	31	4,152
VIRGINIA	---	2	3,439	297	11	---	116	367	516	21	36	4,805
CALIFORNIA	---	4	1,292	235	19	2	17	42	312	22	12	1,957

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

REGION AND STATE	NUMBER INSPECTED		AVERAGE LIVEWEIGHT		TOTAL POUNDS CERTIFIED		POST-MORTEM CONDEMNATIONS	
	1970	1971	1970	1971	1970	1971	1970	1971
	-THOUSANDS-		-POUNDS-		-1,000 POUNDS-		-PERCENT-	
N. ATLANTIC	1	1	2	2.00	1	2	---	---
E. N. CENTRAL	8	171	65	20.19	139	51	4	2
W. N. CENTRAL	25	419	167	16.55	334	131	12	4
S. ATLANTIC	4	88	187	21.35	68	147	5	8
S. CENTRAL	---	---	5	31.25	---	4	---	---
WEST	12	212	398	17.36	167	311	4	6
U. S.	50	890	824	17.76	709	646	25	20
MINNESOTA	25	419	167	16.55	334	131	12	4

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

REGION AND STATE	TUBER- NO.		LEU- NO.		SEPTI- NO.		AIRSAC- NO.		SYNO- NO.		VITIS- NO.		TUMORS- NO.		BRUISES- NO.		CADAVER- NO.		CONTAM- NO.		OVER- NO.		SCALD- NO.		OTHER- NO.		TOTAL NO.		
	1970	1971	1970	1971	1970	1971	1970	1971	1970	1971	1970	1971	1970	1971	1970	1971	1970	1971	1970	1971	1970	1971	1970	1971	1970	1971	1970	1971	
N. ATLANTIC	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
E. N. CENTRAL	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
W. N. CENTRAL	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
S. ATLANTIC	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
S. CENTRAL	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
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Definitions

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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