



Slaughtered under Federal Inspection  
and Poultry Used in Further Processing  
January 1972

Release:  
March 3, 1972  
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Inspected Poultry - There were 1,021 million pounds live weight (chickens, turkeys, and ducks) inspected for slaughter during January 1972 under the Poultry Inspection Act carried on by the United States Department of Agriculture. This is 7 percent less than the previous month but 9 percent more than January 1971.

The number of head and pounds live weight inspected by classes were: young chickens - 231,207,000 head, 865,719,000 pounds; mature chickens - 18,204,000 head, 78,336,000 pounds; fryer-roaster turkeys, - 933,000 head, 8,748,000 pounds; young turkeys - 2,846,000 head, 64,535,000 pounds; old turkeys - 37,000 head, 775,000 pounds; and ducks - 446,000 head, 2,848,000 pounds.

Poultry Certified Wholesome in January totaled 725,149,000 pounds ready-to-cook weight of which 611,583,000 pounds were chilled and 113,566,000 pounds were frozen. Pounds certified by class of poultry were: young chickens, 616,067,000; mature chickens, 49,228,000; fryer-roaster turkeys, 6,760,000; young turkeys, 50,289,000; old turkeys, 594,000; ducks, 2,074,000; and other poultry 137,000 pounds.

Further Processed - Poultry inspected and used for further processing totaled 113,631,000 pounds ready-to-cook weight, compared with 109,975,000 pounds in January 1971. The January 1972 total consisted of 34,025,000 young chickens, 37,502,000 pounds mature chickens, 33,612,000 pounds of turkeys, and 8,492,000 pounds of other poultry.

Poultry Cut-up and Packaged totaled 203,266,000 pounds ready-to-cook weight, compared with 163,343,000 pounds in January 1971. The breakdown by class was: young chickens, 177,058,000 pounds; mature chickens, 316,000; turkeys, 25,240,000; and other poultry, 652,000 pounds.

Ante-Mortem Condemnations during January were 4,434,000 pounds live weight. Condemnations by class as percent of quantities inspected were: young chickens, 0.38; mature chickens, 1.09; fryer-roaster turkeys, 0.41; young turkeys, 0.29; old turkeys, 0.50; and ducks, 0.05.

Post-Mortem Condemnations in January were 33,238,000 pounds (NYD weight). Condemnations by class as percent of quantities inspected were: young chickens, 3.46; mature chickens, 5.81; fryer-roaster turkeys, 2.36; young turkeys, 3.53; old turkeys, 6.18; and ducks, 1.89.

POULTRY: SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, JANUARY 1972 WITH COMPARISONS

	YOUNG : CHICKENS	MATURE : CHICKENS	TOTAL : CHICKENS	FRYER-ROASTERS	YOUNG TURKEYS	OLD TURKEYS	TOTAL TURKEYS	DUCKS	OTHER POULTRY	TOTAL POULTRY
NUMBER INSPECTED 3/										
DECEMBER 1971	223,249	14,769	238,018	1,115	8,260	49	9,424	594	---	---
JANUARY 1971	215,584	16,100	231,684	893	2,279	68	3,240	440	---	---
JANUARY 1972	231,207	18,204	249,411	933	2,846	37	3,816	446	---	---
POUNDS INSPECTED 4/										
DECEMBER 1971	845,220	66,368	911,588	10,538	174,464	946	185,948	3,718	1,590	1,102,844
JANUARY 1971	797,406	73,801	871,207	8,252	54,011	1,297	63,560	2,815	241	937,823
JANUARY 1972	865,719	78,336	944,055	8,748	64,535	775	74,058	2,848	259	1,021,220
AVERAGE LIVWEIGHTS/										
DECEMBER 1971	3.79	4.49	3.83	9.45	21.12	19.42	19.73	6.26	---	---
JANUARY 1971	3.70	4.58	3.76	9.24	23.70	19.05	19.62	6.39	---	---
JANUARY 1972	3.74	4.30	3.79	9.38	22.67	20.76	19.41	6.39	---	---

1/ OF THE MATURE CHICKENS INSPECTED, THE NUMBER REPORTED IN THOUSANDS AS HEAVY FOWL (BROILER BREEDING STOCK) WAS:  
 DECEMBER 1971, 2,538; JANUARY 1971, 3,181; AND JANUARY 1972, 2,377.  
 2/ OF THE YOUNG TURKEYS INSPECTED, THE NUMBER REPORTED IN THOUSANDS AS YOUNG BANDED BREEDERS WAS:  
 DECEMBER 1971, 36; JANUARY 1971, 40; AND JANUARY 1972, 67.  
 3/ THOUSANDS. 4/ 1,000 POUNDS. 5/ POUNDS.

POULTRY: POUNDS CERTIFIED (READY-TO-COOK WEIGHTS), JANUARY 1972 WITH COMPARISONS 1/

	YOUNG : CHICKENS	MATURE : CHICKENS	TOTAL : CHICKENS	FRYER-ROASTERS	YOUNG TURKEYS	OLD TURKEYS	TOTAL TURKEYS	DUCKS	OTHER POULTRY	TOTAL POULTRY
DECEMBER 1971	538,696	34,098	572,794	2,369	44,262	281	46,912	300	72	620,078
FROZEN	61,961	7,789	69,750	5,741	93,007	461	99,209	2,402	993	172,354
TOTAL	600,657	41,887	642,544	8,110	137,269	742	146,121	2,702	1,065	792,432
JANUARY 1971	510,858	36,190	547,048	1,490	9,509	73	11,072	251	34	558,405
FROZEN	52,230	10,807	63,037	4,949	32,911	939	38,799	1,780	96	103,712
TOTAL	563,088	46,997	610,085	6,439	42,420	1,012	49,871	2,031	130	662,117
JANUARY 1972	557,852	38,922	596,774	1,082	13,520	73	14,675	105	29	611,583
FROZEN	58,215	10,306	68,521	5,678	36,769	521	42,968	1,969	108	113,566
TOTAL	616,067	49,228	665,295	6,760	50,289	594	57,643	2,074	137	725,149

1/ 1,000 POUNDS.

POULTRY: CONDEMNATIONS OF POULTRY SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, JANUARY 1972 WITH COMPARISONS 3/

	: YOUNG : MATURE :		: TOTAL :		: FRYER- : YOUNG :		: OLD :		: TOTAL :		: OTHER :	
	: CHICKENS :		: CHICKENS :		: TURKEYS :		: TURKEYS :		: TURKEYS :		: POULTRY :	
ANTE-MORTEM												
1,000 POUNDS (LIVEWEIGHT):												
JANUARY 1971:	3,298	734	4,032	18	152	3	173	2	---	---		4,207
JANUARY 1972:	3,343	860	4,203	36	189	4	229	2	---	---		4,434
PERCENT 1/												
JANUARY 1971:	.41	.99	.46	.21	.28	.26	.27	.06	.19	.44		.44
JANUARY 1972:	.38	1.09	.44	.41	.29	.50	.30	.05	.35	.43		.43
POST-MORTEM												
1,000 LBS. (N.-Y. DRESSED):												
JANUARY 1971:	33,922	4,233	38,155	161	1,502	50	1,713	53	3	39,925		
JANUARY 1972:	26,863	4,050	30,913	185	2,044	43	2,272	48	4	33,238		
PERCENT 2/												
JANUARY 1971:	4.74	6.44	4.89	2.17	3.09	4.33	3.00	2.09	1.29	4.75		
JANUARY 1972:	3.46	5.81	3.65	2.36	3.53	6.18	3.42	1.89	1.52	3.63		

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 HEAD OR 500 POUNDS.

POULTRY: INSPECTED FOR FURTHER PROCESSING AND CUT-UP UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, JANUARY 1972 WITH COMPARISONS

	: YOUNG CHICKENS :		: MATURE CHICKENS :		: TURKEYS :		: OTHER POULTRY 1/ :		: TOTAL POULTRY	
	: FURTHER :		: FURTHER :		: FURTHER :		: FURTHER :		: FURTHER :	
	: PROCESSED :		: PROCESSED :		: PROCESSED :		: PROCESSED :		: PROCESSED :	
POUNDS USED READY-TO-COOK WEIGHT 2/										
DECEMBER 1971 :	32,117	176,565	32,956	393	45,503	18,014	7,838	407	118,414	195,379
JANUARY 1971 :	29,620	149,885	36,415	182	36,095	12,746	7,845	530	109,975	163,343
JANUARY 1972 :	34,025	177,058	37,502	316	33,612	25,240	8,492	652	113,631	203,266
LBS. CONDEMNED READY-TO-COOK WEIGHT 2/:										
DECEMBER 1971 :	669	1,396	36	4	22	241	27	1	754	1,642
JANUARY 1971 :	208	1,309	82	1	41	38	51	1	382	1,349
JANUARY 1972 :	660	1,477	38	3	41	31	11	9	750	1,520

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, JANUARY 1971 AND 1972

REGION AND STATE	NUMBER INSPECTED		POUNDS INSPECTED (LIVWEIGHT)		AVERAGE LIVWEIGHT : INSPECTED/1 :		TOTAL POUNDS CERTIFIED (READY-TO-COOK WT.) :		POST-MORTEM CONDEMNATIONS :			
	1971	1972	1971	1972	1971	1972	1971	1972	1971	1972		
	THOUSANDS-		-1,000 POUNDS-		-POUNDS-		-1,000 POUNDS-		-PERCENT-			
V. ATLANTIC	13,250	13,129	55,271	56,571	4.17	4.31	39,390	40,528	2,213	1,766	4.48	3.48
E. N. CENTRAL	2,430	2,813	9,730	11,398	4.00	4.05	7,053	8,161	319	348	3.68	3.42
S. N. CENTRAL	6,292	7,076	23,626	26,809	3.75	3.79	16,732	18,981	972	849	4.59	3.54
A. ATLANTIC	87,329	93,710	325,491	359,587	3.73	3.84	230,148	257,329	14,125	11,141	4.84	3.45
S. CENTRAL	100,612	109,301	362,349	391,333	3.60	3.58	255,266	276,984	15,323	12,018	4.71	3.42
WEST	5,671	5,178	20,939	20,021	3.69	3.87	14,499	14,084	970	741	5.19	4.14
J. S.	215,584	231,207	797,406	865,719	3.70	3.74	563,088	616,067	33,922	26,863	4.74	3.46
MAINE	5,941	6,253	26,015	28,286	4.38	4.52	19,089	20,774	790	663	3.39	2.61
PENNSYLVANIA	6,666	6,223	26,462	25,272	3.97	4.06	18,413	17,708	1,286	990	5.43	4.37
OHIO	14	308	104	1,237	7.35	4.02	74	902	2	41	2.62	3.73
INDIANA	1,129	1,264	4,296	4,765	3.80	3.77	3,161	3,381	116	133	3.02	3.14
WISCONSIN	1,275	1,232	5,280	5,352	4.14	4.34	3,803	3,877	200	173	4.26	3.62
MINNESOTA	761	778	3,187	3,132	4.19	4.02	2,392	2,239	71	117	2.49	4.20
MISSOURI	4,862	5,414	17,941	20,455	3.69	3.78	12,606	14,517	806	599	5.00	3.26
DELAWARE	7,565	7,598	29,325	30,183	3.88	3.97	20,805	21,632	1,354	990	5.15	3.65
MARYLAND	12,851	11,184	49,132	44,190	3.82	3.95	34,934	31,861	2,314	1,298	5.26	3.27
VIRGINIA	6,380	9,854	22,167	37,288	3.47	3.78	15,302	26,158	660	1,052	3.31	3.14
NORTH CAROLINA	22,501	23,698	86,731	95,793	3.85	4.04	62,094	67,940	2,518	3,190	3.23	3.71
SOUTH CAROLINA	2,493	3,466	8,773	11,622	3.52	3.35	5,863	8,171	417	305	5.29	2.93
GEORGIA	31,103	32,988	112,856	122,646	3.63	3.72	79,549	88,868	6,283	3,703	6.21	3.36
TENNESSEE	4,856	6,139	17,386	22,586	3.58	3.68	12,514	16,298	609	723	3.90	3.57
ALABAMA	25,944	29,052	92,260	101,816	3.56	3.50	63,960	72,089	5,777	3,128	6.98	3.42
MISSISSIPPI	17,821	19,301	65,570	69,767	3.68	3.61	46,567	49,799	2,517	2,065	4.28	3.30
ARKANSAS	29,938	32,460	105,739	113,231	3.53	3.49	74,417	78,969	3,664	3,565	3.86	2.88
LOUISIANA	4,199	4,231	15,455	15,667	3.68	3.70	10,986	11,376	649	406	4.68	3.51
TEXAS	13,967	14,598	51,405	55,326	3.68	3.79	36,582	39,277	1,650	1,748	3.58	3.53
WASHINGTON	537	572	2,032	2,253	3.79	3.94	1,461	1,655	64	76	3.49	3.78
CALIFORNIA	3,047	2,512	11,580	10,263	3.80	4.09	8,054	7,402	551	286	5.34	3.11

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, JANUARY 1972

REGION AND STATE	TUBER- : : CULOSIS : : NO.	LEU- : : NOS. : : NO.	SEPTI- : : CEMIA : : NO.	AIRSAC- : : CULTIS : : NO.	SYND- : : VITIS : : NO.	TUMORS : : BRUISES : : NO.	CADAVER : : INATION : : NO.	CONTAM- : : NO.	OVER- : : NO.	OTHER : : NO.	TOTAL : : NO.
N. ATLANTIC	---	138,261	102,905	61,967	1,734	1,463	4,285	15,739	21,747	1,657	358,725
E. N. CENTRAL	---	33,773	33,450	3,113	1,349	122	2,694	5,025	6,094	1,758	89,030
M. N. CENTRAL	---	54,643	54,400	72,400	7,365	671	4,615	3,613	10,181	704	217,823
S. ATLANTIC	---	1,272,174	507,338	471,351	29,618	7,925	47,917	71,577	186,299	17,906	2,760,711
S. CENTRAL	---	1,066,090	807,688	701,644	76,246	14,559	75,511	118,421	196,365	22,912	3,224,341
WEST	---	66,442	38,282	70,049	2,165	732	2,557	10,767	5,434	358	212,205
U. S.	---	2,631,718	1,544,294	1,380,586	118,499	25,474	137,590	225,152	426,307	45,354	6,863,822
MAINE	---	39,978	54,327	11,592	1,102	588	1,403	8,638	5,987	464	126,130
PENNSYLVANIA	---	93,276	41,619	49,265	511	727	2,348	7,026	13,856	1,053	215,878
OHIO	---	4,562	6,186	425	134	46	233	127	878	9	12,623
INDIANA	---	20,841	11,603	1,535	8	56	900	1,189	1,101	146	37,405
WISCONSIN	---	8,359	15,654	1,153	1,206	19	1,561	3,709	4,115	1,603	38,982
MINNESOTA	---	16,111	7,352	427	81	48	259	114	2,131	471	6,377
MISSOURI	---	31,577	39,730	49,645	3,782	282	3,078	2,853	6,487	124	2,408
DELAWARE	---	100,446	27,847	82,922	2,868	277	1,436	9,429	7,734	972	4,306
MARYLAND	---	155,485	61,868	75,672	1,856	530	2,383	8,457	15,150	1,566	2,637
VIRGINIA	---	156,776	66,481	54,591	629	287	4,046	4,867	9,1613	3,070	5,703
NORTH CAROLINA	---	239,759	143,147	150,803	11,870	2,846	19,944	16,728	62,450	3,955	701,517
SOUTH CAROLINA	---	38,033	11,087	2,634	723	226	2,538	3,569	7,633	274	71,708
GEORGIA	---	464,092	174,152	88,433	10,795	3,517	15,518	24,346	74,960	7,720	934,474
TENNESSEE	---	102,650	42,064	6,096	3,181	390	3,693	10,434	16,780	1,268	16,652
ALABAMA	---	279,670	265,656	204,978	11,604	4,954	16,067	28,647	67,407	4,634	930,914
MISSISSIPPI	---	270,408	59,396	124,894	7,396	2,727	8,447	13,653	23,101	2,628	548,868
ARKANSAS	---	240,032	251,825	250,494	36,759	3,878	21,755	33,847	58,557	8,802	936,353
LOUISIANA	---	18,531	43,530	7,147	2,307	682	6,327	3,312	4,283	456	87,653
TEXAS	---	127,076	118,184	81,725	13,997	1,765	16,489	21,266	21,966	4,022	416,988
WASHINGTON	---	1,924	2,996	8,211	578	14	290	592	329	26	20,914
CALIFORNIA	---	35,462	15,095	10,175	619	661	716	2,367	2,181	16	67,834

MATURE CHICKENS: SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, BY REGIONS AND SELECTED STATES, JANUARY 1971 AND 1972

REGION AND STATE	NUMBER		POUNDS		AVERAGE		TOTAL POUNDS		POST-MORTEM CONDEMNATIONS			
	INSPECTED		(LIVEWEIGHT)		LIVEWEIGHT		CERTIFIED		(NYD)			
	1971	1972	1971	1972	1971	1972	1971	1972	1971	1972		
	-THOUSANDS-		-1,000 POUNDS-		-POUNDS-		-1,000 POUNDS-		-1,000 POUNDS-		-PERCENT-	
V. ATLANTIC	1,641	2,269	8,256	11,111	5.03	4.90	5,348	7,065	465	564	6.36	5.70
E. N. CENTRAL	1,652	2,203	6,502	8,523	3.94	3.87	3,941	3,142	322	349	5.61	4.62
A. N. CENTRAL	3,048	3,825	13,825	15,858	4.42	4.15	8,372	9,745	779	831	6.53	5.91
S. ATLANTIC	4,649	4,964	21,897	21,586	4.71	4.35	14,164	14,006	1,113	1,008	5.68	5.23
S. CENTRAL	2,991	3,102	15,143	14,046	5.06	4.53	10,070	8,893	836	859	6.17	6.87
WEST	2,119	1,841	8,537	7,212	4.03	3.92	5,102	4,324	718	439	9.44	6.82
U. S.	16,100	18,204	73,801	78,336	4.58	4.30	46,997	49,228	4,233	4,050	6.44	5.81
MAINE	332	310	2,030	1,819	6.12	5.87	1,402	1,239	74	55	4.10	3.36
NEW JERSEY	890	1,245	3,812	5,322	4.28	4.27	2,299	3,142	299	343	8.87	7.26
PENNSYLVANIA	71	68	533	526	7.47	7.71	369	371	9	12	1.96	2.52
OHIO	359	435	1,457	1,729	4.06	3.98	863	1,032	81	72	6.34	4.68
INDIANA	607	---	2,351	---	3.88	---	1,465	---	113	---	5.45	---
MINNESOTA	1,032	1,206	3,876	4,315	3.76	3.58	2,355	2,603	211	195	6.16	5.11
MISSOURI	1,007	1,511	5,923	7,567	5.88	5.01	3,948	4,902	304	374	5.77	5.56
DELAWARE	---	19	---	136	---	7.00	---	94	---	---	6	---
MARYLAND	549	---	2,423	---	4.41	---	1,553	---	152	---	7.10	---
VIRGINIA	126	---	800	---	6.35	---	552	---	38	---	5.29	---
NORTH CAROLINA	399	456	2,959	2,507	7.42	5.50	2,020	1,720	102	98	3.83	4.35
GEORGIA	3,012	3,177	13,472	13,512	4.47	4.25	8,647	8,714	668	601	5.53	4.98
ALABAMA	251	93	1,549	664	6.18	7.16	1,032	447	72	30	5.19	4.99
MISSISSIPPI	1,621	1,973	7,736	8,606	4.77	4.36	5,158	5,433	464	545	6.70	7.11
ARKANSAS	253	330	1,852	1,688	7.32	5.11	1,323	1,110	72	101	4.32	6.67
TEXAS	592	511	2,677	2,249	4.52	4.40	1,711	1,392	161	140	6.70	6.99
WASHINGTON	91	100	381	384	4.18	3.83	249	260	18	13	5.19	3.79
CALIFORNIA	1,759	1,556	7,020	6,045	3.99	3.88	4,134	3,570	643	391	10.28	7.24

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.

REGION AND STATE	TUBER- : NO.		LEU- : NO.		SEPTI- : NO.		AIRSAC- : NO.		SYNO- : NO.		TUMORS : NO.		BRUISES : NO.		CADAVER : NO.		CONTAM- : NO.		OVER- : NO.		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	---	3,550	44,028	148	1,790	26,816	3,708	1,755	7,833	342	22,371	112,341										
E. N. CENTRAL	364	6,581	39,135	1,027	39	21,893	5,390	3,357	16,429	138	5,077	99,430										
M. N. CENTRAL	1,959	11,750	94,639	1,904	313	56,292	8,997	6,588	18,978	250	15,695	217,365										
S. ATLANTIC	109	7,325	96,562	1,574	1,923	39,905	10,680	9,298	41,128	514	12,960	221,978										
S. CENTRAL	---	5,022	72,253	262	464	35,342	10,039	3,599	21,280	937	27,982	177,180										
WEST	---	725	72,021	155	18	31,325	2,943	825	4,499	503	15,212	128,226										
J. S.	2,432	34,953	418,638	5,070	4,547	211,573	41,757	25,422	110,147	2,684	99,297	956,520										
MAINE	---	599	4,177	4	151	1,908	348	246	979	30	108	8,550										
NEW JERSEY	---	1,738	30,762	---	81	16,746	2,683	949	3,351	168	21,636	78,114										
PENNSYLVANIA	---	345	1,070	13	3	87	12	81	131	---	30	1,772										
OHIO	9	2,158	6,086	7	6	1,807	1,413	182	2,191	26	1,007	14,892										
MINNESOTA	736	3,674	16,082	612	17	19,305	1,966	684	4,253	54	8,165	55,548										
MISSOURI	84	4,137	45,060	463	253	14,400	2,759	2,186	7,360	33	2,429	79,164										
DELAWARE	---	114	345	17	---	22	5	22	85	---	6	616										
NORTH CAROLINA	---	2,630	2,866	706	200	732	249	1,101	1,882	150	1,855	12,371										
GEORGIA	---	1,938	66,349	249	1,599	20,676	5,699	6,146	22,831	189	8,430	134,106										
ALABAMA	---	247	1,733	9	19	160	27	100	1,123	6	320	3,744										
MISSISSIPPI	---	2,661	51,515	89	248	20,754	8,275	2,228	9,350	580	9,665	105,365										
ARKANSAS	---	875	6,279	38	66	2,617	429	556	6,395	198	8,826	26,279										
TEXAS	---	898	6,940	55	120	10,813	870	313	3,107	151	8,779	32,046										
WASHINGTON	---	154	1,723	1	---	391	127	40	276	---	1,005	3,717										
CALIFORNIA	---	418	63,664	150	18	29,953	2,394	713	3,710	491	12,520	114,031										

YOUNG TURKEYS (MATURE): SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, BY REGIONS AND SELECTED STATES, JANUARY 1971 AND 1972

REGION AND STATE	NUMBER INSPECTED		POUNDS INSPECTED		AVERAGE LIVEWEIGHT		TOTAL POUNDS CERTIFIED		POST-MORTEM CONDEMNATIONS			
	1971	1972	1971	1972	1971	1972	1971	1972	1971	1972		
	- THOUSANDS-		- 1,000 POUNDS-		- POUNDS-		- 1,000 POUNDS-		- 1,000 POUNDS-		- PERCENT-	
V. ATLANTIC	105	198	2,832	5,573	26.97	28.15	2,263	4,443	58	74	2.28	1.47
E. N. CENTRAL	274	276	4,469	4,989	16.34	18.06	3,583	3,972	66	110	1.64	2.45
M. N. CENTRAL	405	594	10,193	12,406	25.14	20.89	7,901	9,361	399	588	4.38	5.29
S. ATLANTIC	622	867	12,919	17,778	20.78	20.50	10,037	13,835	400	634	3.44	3.97
S. CENTRAL	382	400	10,208	10,204	26.71	25.51	7,929	7,883	244	294	2.66	3.20
WEST	491	511	13,390	13,585	27.26	26.56	10,707	10,795	335	344	2.78	2.82
J. S.	2,279	2,846	54,011	64,535	23.70	22.67	42,420	50,289	1,502	2,044	3.09	3.53
PENNSYLVANIA	98	190	2,759	5,311	28.06	28.01	2,212	4,236	55	69	2.23	1.44
OHIO	---	148	---	2,330	---	15.78	---	1,871	---	59	---	2.83
WISCONSIN	3/	53	---	1,083	---	20.36	---	867	---	17	---	1.75
MINNESOTA	3/	270	6,602	7,601	24.43	21.82	5,193	5,858	265	366	4.47	5.36
MISSOURI	3/	38	900	---	23.37	---	717	---	27	---	3.33	---
VIRGINIA		234	4,927	5,346	21.03	19.86	3,773	4,086	186	205	4.19	4.26
NORTH CAROLINA		293	5,715	9,930	19.49	19.50	4,551	7,899	143	292	2.79	3.28
TEXAS		368	9,824	9,778	26.68	25.32	7,617	7,559	240	274	2.71	3.11
CALIFORNIA		347	9,801	9,887	28.21	27.10	7,910	7,960	229	217	2.60	2.43

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 TURKEYS (MATURE): NUMBER CONDEMNED POST-MORTEM BY CAUSE, BY REGIONS AND SELECTED STATES, JANUARY 1972

REGION AND STATE	: TUBER- : : COLLOSIS : : NO. :	LEU- : KOSIS : NO. :	SEPTI- : CEMIA : NO. :	AIRSAC- : CULITIS : NO. :	SYND- : VIITIS : NO. :	TUMORS : NO. :	BRUISES : NO. :	CADAVER : NO. :	CONTAM- : INATION : NO. :	OVER- : SCALD : NO. :	OTHER : NO. :	TOTAL NO.
N. ATLANTIC	:	72	1,072	890	83	5	22	92	281	4	11	2,532
E. N. CENTRAL	:	15	2,203	856	1,084	1	50	71	337	7	95	4,719
W. N. CENTRAL	:	3	9,889	9,979	1,543	4	213	147	994	217	163	23,152
S. ATLANTIC	:	111	7,636	8,302	4,813	17	371	662	1,961	226	1,866	25,965
S. CENTRAL	:	42	2,886	1,448	3,843	26	45	163	405	---	344	9,202
WEST	:	146	4,985	4,250	3,678	4	120	183	172	53	201	13,792
U. S.	:	389	28,671	25,725	15,044	57	821	1,318	4,150	507	2,680	79,362
PENNSYLVANIA	:	32	1,049	860	69	5	11	92	262	4	3	2,387
OHIO	:	13	1,384	303	286	1	19	9	199	7	---	2,221
WISCONSIN	:	2	240	197	37	---	28	11	25	---	62	602
MINNESOTA	:	2	6,339	7,632	1,084	3	64	105	512	167	17	15,925
VIRGINIA	:	38	3,565	2,730	1,990	5	138	298	360	4	190	9,318
NORTH CAROLINA	:	35	2,963	3,546	2,730	11	159	245	1,306	126	1,637	12,758
TEXAS	:	30	2,468	1,435	3,828	26	44	146	259	---	342	8,578
CALIFORNIA	:	137	3,564	2,672	1,748	4	42	136	108	48	106	8,565

FRYER-ROASTER TURKEYS: SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, BY REGIONS AND SELECTED STATES, JANUARY 1971 AND 1972

REGION AND STATE	NUMBER INSPECTED	POUNDS INSPECTED (LIVEWEIGHT)		AVERAGE LIVEWEIGHT		TOTAL POUNDS CERTIFIED		POST-MORTEM CONDEMNATIONS				
		1971	1972	1971	1972	1971	1972	1971	1972			
- THOUSANDS -												
V. ATLANTIC	19	198	161	10.42	8.94	154	120	6	2	3.36	1.38	
E. N. CENTRAL	114	121	1,034	1,131	9.04	9.36	825	884	13	24	1.42	2.38
A. N. CENTRAL	476	445	4,354	4,259	9.15	9.57	3,476	3,334	76	100	1.94	2.62
S. ATLANTIC	225	302	2,126	2,778	9.47	9.21	1,562	2,101	56	53	2.95	2.11
S. CENTRAL	1	28	13	253	9.08	9.17	9	190	---	4	2.12	1.86
WEST	58	19	527	166	9.07	8.82	413	131	10	2	2.06	1.05
J. S.	893	933	8,252	8,748	9.24	9.38	6,439	6,760	161	185	2.17	2.36
MINNESOTA	359	414	3,369	3,942	9.39	9.53	2,668	3,083	53	94	1.73	2.67
VIRGINIA	202	210	1,912	1,969	9.47	9.39	1,399	1,472	48	33	2.80	1.87
CALIFORNIA	53	---	480	---	9.03	---	375	---	9	---	2.17	---

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 3/ DATA FOR ONLY 1 YEAR PUBLISHED IN ORDER TO AVOID DISCLOSURE OF INDIVIDUAL OPERATIONS.  
 4/ DASHES MEAN LESS THAN 500 HEAD OR 500 POUNDS.

REGION AND STATE	NUMBER CONDEMNED	POST-MORTEM BY CAUSE, BY REGIONS AND SELECTED STATES, JANUARY 1972		CONTAMINATION	OVER-SCALD	OTHER	TOTAL NO.		
		TUBERCULOSIS	LEUKOSIS					SEPTICEMIA	AIR SAC-CULITIS
- THOUSANDS -									
V. ATLANTIC	---	---	---	---	---	---	---		
E. N. CENTRAL	6	210	31	114	997	18	58		
A. N. CENTRAL	7	873	114	1,401	93	101	26		
S. ATLANTIC	23	5,476	425	482	1	193	280		
S. CENTRAL	3	166	19	3	3	8	194		
WEST	1	63	21	3	3	---	1		
J. S.	40	8,907	2,011	1,578	3	327	502		
MINNESOTA	7	5,388	1,321	93	2	96	279		
VIRGINIA	---	1,517	199	417	1	148	172		

REGION AND STATE	NUMBER INSPECTED		POUNDS INSPECTED		AVERAGE LIVEWIGHT		TOTAL POUNDS CERTIFIED		POST-MORTEM CONDEMNATIONS			
	1971	1972	1971	1972	1971	1972	1971	1972	1971	1972		
	- THOUSANDS -		- POUNDS -		- POUNDS -		- 1,000 POUNDS -		- PERCENT -			
N. ATLANTIC	---	---	38	---	1	---	30	---	1	---	2.92	
E. N. CENTRAL	8	3	172	41	22.56	14.05	138	30	3	2.18	8.46	
W. N. CENTRAL	10	---	149	8	15.31	22.09	115	6	4	2.66	6.73	
S. ATLANTIC	33	19	653	463	19.50	24.56	505	366	33	16	5.70	3.85
S. CENTRAL	7	1	158	14	21.29	20.74	123	11	7	1	4.97	5.34
WEST	10	14	165	211	16.82	15.60	130	151	3	22	2.07	11.70
U. S.	68	37	1,297	775	19.05	20.76	1,012	594	50	43	4.33	6.18

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/ DASHES MEAN LESS THAN 500 HEAD OR 500 POUNDS.

OLD TURKEYS (BREEDERS): NUMBER CONDEMNED POST-MORTEM BY CAUSE, BY REGIONS AND SELECTED STATES, JANUARY 1972

REGION AND STATE	TUBER-		LEU-		SEPTI-		AIRSAC-		SYND-		VIRUS-		TUMORS-		BRUISES-		CADAVER-		INATION-		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.	NO.	NO.	
	- THOUSANDS -		- POUNDS -		- POUNDS -		- 1,000 POUNDS -		- 1,000 POUNDS -		- PERCENT -		- 1,000 POUNDS -		- PERCENT -		- 1,000 POUNDS -		- PERCENT -		- 1,000 POUNDS -		- PERCENT -		
N. ATLANTIC	---	---	---	---	2	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	7
E. N. CENTRAL	---	---	111	1	63	---	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	220
W. N. CENTRAL	---	---	13	1	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	18
S. ATLANTIC	---	---	155	2	101	12	---	9	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	429
S. CENTRAL	---	---	1	---	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	3
WEST	---	---	1,342	3	6	21	22	29	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	1,464
U. S.	---	---	1,622	7	174	33	23	40	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	2,141

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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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