

poultry

Slaughtered under Federal Inspection
and Poultry Used in Further Processing



April 1973

Release:
June 1, 1973
3:00 P.M. EDT

Inspected Poultry - There were 980 million pounds live weight of poultry (chickens, turkeys and ducks) inspected for slaughter during April 1973 under the Poultry Inspection Act carried on by the United States Department of Agriculture. This is 2 percent less than the previous month and 3 percent less than April 1972.

The number of head and pounds live weight inspected by classes were: young chickens - 224,840,000 head, 828,359,000 pounds; mature chickens -- 17,519,000 head, 75,188,000 pounds; fryer-roaster turkeys -- 1,074,000 head, 9,527,000 pounds; young turkeys -- 3,451,000 head, 60,015,000 pounds; old turkeys -- 68,000 head, 1,265,000 pounds; and ducks -- 904,000 head, 5,796,000 pounds.

Poultry Certified Wholesome in April totaled 701,195,000 pounds ready-to-cook weight -- down 2 percent from March 1973 and down 2 percent from April 1972. The April 1973 total consisted of 592,904,000 pounds of chilled and 108,291,000 pounds of frozen poultry.

Further Processed - Poultry inspected and used for further processing totaled 130,186,000 pounds ready-to-cook weight -- 9 percent less than March 1973, but 9 percent more than April 1972. The April 1973 total consisted of 40,038,000 pounds young chickens, 43,176,000 pounds mature chickens, 38,447,000 pounds turkeys, and 8,525,000 pounds of other poultry.

Poultry Cut-up and Packaged totaled 200,765,000 pounds ready-to-cook weight -- 7 percent less than March, but 8 percent more than April 1972. The breakdown by class was: young chickens, 184,865,000 pounds; mature chickens, 677,000 pounds; turkeys, 15,169,000 pounds and other poultry, 54,000 pounds.

Ante-Mortem Condemnations during April were 3,795,000 pounds live weight. Condemnations by class as percent of quantities inspected were: young chickens, 0.35; mature chickens, 0.97; fryer-roaster turkeys, 0.15; young turkeys, 0.17; old turkeys, 0.69; and ducks, 0.04.

Post-Mortem Condemnations in April were 25,750,000 pounds (NYD weight). Condemnations by class as percent of quantities inspected were: young chickens, 2.68; mature chickens, 5.93; fryer-roaster turkeys, 1.58; young turkeys, 2.77; old turkeys, 6.79; and ducks, 2.38.

POULTRY: SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, APRIL 1973 WITH COMPARISONS

NUMBER INSPECTED	: YOUNG : MATURE :		: TOTAL :		: FRYER- : YOUNG :		: TURKEYS2/ :		: OLD :		: TOTAL :		: OTHER :		: TOTAL :	
	: CHICKENS1/ :	: CHICKENS1/ :	: CHICKENS :	: CHICKENS :	: ROASTERS :	: TURKEYS :	: TURKEYS2/ :	: TURKEYS :	: TURKEYS :	: TURKEYS :	: TURKEYS :	: TURKEYS :	: DUCKS :	: POULTRY :	: POULTRY :	: POULTRY :
MARCH 1973	235,691	17,450	253,141	1,345	2,425	57	3,827	598	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
APRIL 1972	234,330	17,470	251,800	954	2,448	51	3,453	930	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
APRIL 1973	224,840	17,519	242,359	1,074	3,451	68	4,593	904	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
JAN--APRIL 1972	941,502	69,884	1,011,386	4,400	9,930	174	14,504	2,319	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
JAN--APRIL 1973	924,627	69,907	994,534	4,448	11,623	237	16,308	2,550	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
POUNDS INSPECTED																
MARCH 1973	866,377	75,181	941,558	12,010	45,003	1,155	58,168	3,826	196	1,003,748						
APRIL 1972	872,622	73,524	946,546	8,604	46,632	1,085	56,321	6,058	247	1,009,172						
APRIL 1973	828,359	75,188	903,547	9,527	60,015	1,265	70,807	5,796	202	980,352						
JAN--APRIL 1972	3,494,260	303,816	3,798,076	40,118	203,901	3,676	247,695	14,926	1,047	4,061,744						
JAN--APRIL 1973	3,415,507	301,554	3,717,061	40,065	227,986	4,665	272,716	16,228	900	4,006,905						
AVERAGE LIVEWEIGHTS/																
MARCH 1973	3.68	4.31	3.72	8.93	18.56	20.28	15.20	6.40	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
APRIL 1972	3.72	4.23	3.76	9.02	19.05	21.26	16.31	6.51	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
APRIL 1973	3.68	4.29	3.73	8.87	17.39	18.64	15.42	6.41	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
JAN--APRIL 1972	3.71	4.35	3.76	9.12	20.53	21.09	17.08	6.44	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
JAN--APRIL 1973	3.69	4.31	3.74	9.01	19.62	19.53	16.72	6.36	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---

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

MARCH 1973, 2,249; APRIL 1972, 1,518; AND APRIL 1973, 2,179.

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

MARCH 1973, 75; APRIL 1972, 58; AND APRIL 1973, 77.

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

PCULTRY: POUNDS CERTIFIED (READY-TO-COOK WEIGHTS), APRIL 1973 WITH COMPARISONS 1/

MARCH 1973	: YOUNG :		: MATURE :		: TOTAL :		: FRYER- : YOUNG :		: TURKEYS :		: OLD :		: TOTAL :		: OTHER :		: TOTAL :	
	: CHICKENS :	: CHICKENS :	: CHICKENS :	: CHICKENS :	: CHICKENS :	: CHICKENS :	: ROASTERS :	: TURKEYS :	: TURKEYS :	: TURKEYS :	: TURKEYS :	: TURKEYS :	: TURKEYS :	: TURKEYS :	: DUCKS :	: POULTRY :	: POULTRY :	: POULTRY :
CHILLED	564,759	39,386	604,145	1,976	10,222	85	12,283	95	18	616,541								
FROZEN	56,645	7,580	64,225	7,431	24,845	780	33,056	2,651	86	100,018								
TOTAL	621,404	46,966	668,370	9,407	35,067	865	45,339	2,746	104	716,559								
APRIL 1972	574,670	38,029	612,699	1,406	9,645	215	11,266	234	24	624,223								
FROZEN	49,015	7,720	56,735	5,307	27,148	607	33,062	4,096	107	94,000								
TOTAL	623,685	45,749	669,434	6,713	36,793	822	44,328	4,330	131	718,223								
APRIL 1973	540,101	38,524	578,625	1,524	12,462	95	14,081	176	22	552,904								
CHILLED	54,276	8,326	62,602	5,890	34,913	875	41,678	3,926	85	108,291								
FROZEN	594,377	46,850	641,227	7,414	47,375	970	55,759	4,102	107	701,195								
TOTAL	2,270,297	153,078	2,423,375	6,633	45,019	686	52,338	689	108	2,476,510								
JANUARY-APRIL 1972	218,208	37,068	255,276	24,406	114,050	2,143	140,599	10,095	448	406,418								
CHILLED	2,488,505	190,146	2,678,651	31,039	159,069	2,829	192,937	10,784	556	2,882,928								
FROZEN	2,221,189	155,160	2,376,349	6,466	53,867	362	60,695	535	86	2,437,665								
TOTAL	2,222,910	32,872	2,555,782	24,674	123,757	3,205	151,636	11,096	393	418,907								
JANUARY-APRIL 1973	2,444,099	188,032	2,632,131	31,140	177,624	3,567	212,331	11,631	479	2,856,572								

1/ 1,000 POUNDS

POULTRY: CONDEMNATIONS OF POULTRY SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, APRIL 1973 WITH COMPARISONS 3/

	: YOUNG		: MATURE		: TOTAL		: FRYER-		: OLD		: TOTAL		: OTHER	
	: CHICKENS	: CHICKENS	: CHICKENS	: CHICKENS	: CHICKENS	: CHICKENS	: TURKEYS	: TURKEYS	: TURKEYS	: TURKEYS	: TURKEYS	: TURKEYS	: DUCKS	: POULTRY
ANTE-MORTEM														
1,000 POUNDS (LIVWEIGHT):														
APRIL 1972:	3,075	707	3,782	11	81	6	98	3	1					3,884
APRIL 1973:	2,932	735	3,667	15	102	9	126	2	---					3,755
JAN.-APRIL 1972:	12,547	2,998	15,545	95	501	18	614	8	3					16,170
JAN.-APRIL 1973:	13,822	3,097	16,919	90	650	15	755	7	2					17,683
PERCENT 1/														
APRIL 1972:	.35	.55	.39	.12	.17	.53	.17	.05	.21					.38
APRIL 1973:	.35	.97	.40	.15	.17	.69	.17	.04	.33					.38
POST-MORTEM														
1,000 LBS. (N.Y. DRESSED):														
APRIL 1972:	25,302	3,726	29,028	140	1,301	81	1,522	89	3					30,641
APRIL 1973:	19,944	3,970	23,914	136	1,495	77	1,708	124	3					25,750
JAN.-APRIL 1972:	107,400	15,658	123,058	807	6,465	209	7,481	228	15					130,823
JAN.-APRIL 1973:	88,414	16,765	105,179	621	7,483	258	8,362	331	15					113,887
PERCENT 2/														
APRIL 1972:	3.23	5.66	3.42	1.81	3.10	8.29	3.00	1.63	1.38					3.38
APRIL 1973:	2.68	5.53	2.95	1.58	2.77	6.79	2.68	2.38	1.73					2.93

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, APRIL 1973 WITH COMPARISONS

	: YOUNG CHICKENS		: MATURE CHICKENS		: TURKEYS		: OTHER POULTRY 1/		: TOTAL POULTRY	
	: FURTHER PROCESSED:	: CUT UP:	: FURTHER PROCESSED:	: CUT UP:	: FURTHER PROCESSED:	: CUT UP:	: FURTHER PROCESSED:	: CUT UP:	: FURTHER PROCESSED:	: CUT UP:
POUNDS USED READY-TO-COOK WEIGHT 2/										
MARCH 1973:	37,881	198,148	47,998	493	48,297	16,903	8,636	65	142,812	215,609
APRIL 1972:	34,008	172,443	43,328	205	34,748	12,947	7,448	163	119,532	185,758
APRIL 1973:	40,038	184,865	43,176	677	38,447	15,169	8,525	54	130,186	200,765
JANUARY-APRIL 1972:	142,052	715,575	168,491	1,188	143,710	90,267	32,289	1,125	486,542	808,155
JANUARY-APRIL 1973:	152,738	834,292	173,806	2,586	170,037	70,790	35,737	308	532,318	907,976
LBS. CONDEMNED READY-TO-COOK WEIGHT 2/										
MARCH 1973:	534	2,173	69	18	25	92	16	1	644	2,284
APRIL 1972:	638	1,658	126	5	32	34	18	2	814	1,699
APRIL 1973:	505	1,258	36	4	39	35	23	1	603	1,298
JANUARY-APRIL 1972:	3,116	6,334	258	12	110	194	60	14	3,544	6,554
JANUARY-APRIL 1973:	2,036	8,350	191	43	122	289	66	4	2,415	8,686

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, APRIL 1972 AND 1973

REGION AND STATE	NUMBER		POUNDS		AVERAGE		TOTAL POUNDS		POST-MORTEM CONDEMNATIONS			
	INSPECTED		(LIVEMEIGHT)		LIVEMEIGHT		CERTIFIED		(NYD)			
	1972	1973	1972	1973	1972	1973	1972	1973	1972	1973		
	--THOUSANDS--		--1,000 POUNDS--		--POUNDS--		--1,000 POUNDS--		--PERCENT--			
N. ATLANTIC	12,569	12,325	53,523	52,093	4.26	4.23	38,003	37,391	1,694	1,497	3.53	3.20
E. N. CENTRAL	2,466	2,612	9,711	10,007	3.94	3.83	6,996	7,277	286	245	3.28	2.72
W. N. CENTRAL	7,264	6,824	27,913	26,275	3.84	3.85	19,645	18,880	812	667	3.24	2.83
S. ATLANTIC	93,660	88,273	353,585	328,120	3.78	3.72	253,294	236,047	10,748	7,193	3.38	2.44
S. CENTRAL	113,859	107,167	409,864	380,601	3.60	3.55	292,811	272,398	11,270	9,256	3.06	2.71
WEST	4,512	7,639	18,026	31,263	3.99	4.09	12,936	22,384	492	1,086	3.04	3.87
U. S.	234,330	224,840	872,622	828,359	3.72	3.68	623,685	594,377	25,302	19,944	3.23	2.68
MAINE	5,963	5,891	26,142	24,704	4.38	4.19	18,941	18,263	650	530	2.77	2.39
PENNSYLVANIA	6,229	6,086	25,493	25,701	4.09	4.22	17,810	18,010	978	927	4.27	4.02
INDIANA	1,159	1,342	4,349	4,805	3.75	3.58	3,183	3,545	113	93	2.89	2.15
WISCONSIN	1,055	957	4,349	4,009	4.12	4.19	3,144	2,887	114	120	2.91	3.34
MISSOURI	5,403	4,918	20,682	18,881	3.83	3.84	14,535	13,512	559	484	3.01	2.86
DELAWARE	8,052	7,725	32,439	30,001	4.03	3.88	23,130	21,261	958	908	3.29	3.37
MARYLAND	11,435	11,081	46,096	43,151	4.03	3.89	32,977	31,138	1,428	1,003	3.45	2.59
VIRGINIA	10,326	10,076	38,059	36,990	3.69	3.67	26,889	26,160	1,197	656	3.50	1.97
NORTH CAROLINA	22,683	21,569	88,065	82,039	3.88	3.80	63,280	58,933	2,775	1,839	3.51	2.50
SOUTH CAROLINA	3,439	3,194	11,705	11,054	3.40	3.46	8,231	7,789	292	268	2.78	2.70
GEORGIA	32,703	29,673	119,034	107,185	3.64	3.61	85,975	77,897	3,497	2,215	3.27	2.30
TENNESSEE	6,067	5,590	21,867	17,838	3.60	3.19	15,818	12,795	702	432	3.57	2.70
ALABAMA	31,308	30,127	113,451	107,803	3.62	3.58	81,866	77,728	2,675	2,267	2.62	2.34
MISSISSIPPI	19,470	17,716	71,554	65,221	3.68	3.68	51,563	47,411	1,993	1,564	3.10	2.67
ARKANSAS	33,932	33,146	117,004	115,494	3.48	3.48	82,347	81,696	3,454	2,955	3.29	2.85
LOUISIANA	4,316	3,934	15,709	14,383	3.64	3.66	11,487	10,215	356	461	2.52	3.58
TEXAS	14,176	13,451	53,542	48,697	3.78	3.62	37,877	34,525	1,550	1,383	3.23	3.16
WASHINGTON	3/	---	2,376	---	3.85	---	1,755	---	49	---	2.31	---
CALIFORNIA	2,421	5,755	9,967	23,922	4.12	4.16	7,229	17,264	296	901	3.31	4.19

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 CCNDEMNEED POST-MORTEM BY CAUSE, BY REGIONS AND SELECTED STATES, APRIL 1973

REGION AND STATE	TUBER- : NO.	LEU- : NO.	SEPTI- : NO.	AIRSIAC- : NO.	SYNO- : NO.	TUMORS : NO.	BRUISES : NO.	CADAVER : NO.	CONTAM- : NO.	OVER- : NO.	OTHER : NO.	TOTAL : NO.
N. ATLANTIC	---	80,386	73,781	44,215	2,460	1,193	6,184	11,843	28,646	1,111	13,406	263,225
E. N. CENTRAL	---	13,338	19,503	2,201	569	127	1,979	3,254	7,175	659	2,617	51,222
W. N. CENTRAL	---	31,572	33,564	41,639	5,856	284	3,149	3,107	12,164	906	14,004	146,245
S. ATLANTIC	---	588,916	326,864	241,865	15,521	6,264	41,770	67,259	194,277	25,758	125,666	1,634,160
S. CENTRAL	---	641,134	529,530	280,045	69,084	13,632	68,146	102,775	210,695	19,618	124,137	2,058,796
WEST	---	53,434	47,566	28,747	1,448	1,170	3,245	4,238	7,494	6,799	9,360	163,501
U. S.	---	1,408,780	1,030,808	638,712	94,938	22,670	124,473	192,476	460,451	54,651	289,190	4,317,149
MAINE	---	34,392	38,548	5,313	2,224	334	1,631	7,844	7,351	840	1,665	100,142
PENNSYLVANIA	---	44,661	33,069	38,598	226	774	4,249	3,622	19,883	255	11,077	156,414
INDIANA	---	5,759	7,463	542	82	60	779	535	1,966	180	771	18,137
WISCONSIN	---	5,998	9,738	1,256	477	56	1,005	1,065	3,604	158	827	24,184
MISSOURI	---	24,415	27,139	27,269	4,015	168	2,576	1,999	6,826	512	2,981	97,900
DELAWARE	---	93,283	25,563	69,649	2,180	197	1,754	5,659	16,647	3,615	5,207	224,154
MARYLAND	---	114,229	41,567	56,354	940	477	2,565	7,569	21,516	1,431	3,482	250,130
VIRGINIA	---	88,436	39,156	30,322	236	192	2,631	3,971	8,998	2,225	4,813	180,980
NORTH CAROLINA	---	132,992	88,412	37,788	3,917	1,627	15,296	17,080	50,700	6,479	50,939	405,230
SOUTH CAROLINA	---	23,180	9,911	7,357	469	300	3,350	2,353	8,761	528	7,647	63,856
GEORGIA	---	113,022	105,134	37,297	7,250	3,277	14,131	27,401	76,624	10,568	44,940	439,644
TENNESSEE	---	50,104	26,685	6,799	1,181	203	3,443	3,690	15,075	693	9,848	117,721
ALABAMA	---	88,369	140,565	51,617	16,838	4,633	14,460	22,093	70,910	3,737	44,697	457,919
MISSISSIPPI	---	156,494	47,402	29,198	3,866	2,548	8,045	17,534	25,814	4,643	22,332	317,876
ARKANSAS	---	176,406	176,488	160,582	25,961	3,633	20,095	34,056	61,898	5,136	27,046	691,301
LOUISIANA	---	44,983	32,011	4,569	5,092	778	5,890	3,005	7,481	1,780	2,981	108,570
TEXAS	---	115,576	89,860	21,509	15,738	1,737	13,663	19,759	25,360	3,361	15,487	322,050
CALIFORNIA	---	43,589	36,684	21,514	823	1,009	2,186	2,539	5,000	6,607	6,745	126,696

MATURE CHICKENS: SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, BY REGIONS AND SELECTED STATES, APRIL 1972 AND 1973

REGION AND STATE	NUMBER		AVERAGE		TOTAL POUNDS		POST-MORTEM CONDEMNATIONS				
	INSPECTED	PGUNDS	LIVEWEIGHT	INSPECTED/100	CERTIFIED	(READY-TO-COOK WT.)	POUNDS (NYD)	PERCENT 2/			
	1972	1973	1972	1973	1972	1973	1972	1973			
	-THOUSANDS-	-1,000 POUNDS-	-POUNDS-	-1,000 POUNDS-	-1,000 POUNDS-	-1,000 POUNDS-	-PERCENT-				
N. ATLANTIC	1,665	2,023	9,820	4.74	4.85	5,093	372	4.17	5.27	4.76	
E. N. CENTRAL	2,332	2,335	9,271	3.93	3.97	5,538	425	4.01	5.19	4.87	
W. N. CENTRAL	4,176	3,415	14,147	4.13	4.14	10,496	873	760	5.69	6.05	
S. ATLANTIC	4,333	4,388	19,183	4.27	4.37	11,619	882	871	5.35	5.09	
S. CENTRAL	3,118	3,614	15,849	4.35	4.39	8,517	829	1,142	6.85	8.08	
WEST	1,846	1,744	7,519	4.07	3.97	4,486	345	379	5.13	6.13	
U. S.	17,470	17,519	73,924	4.23	4.29	45,749	3,726	3,970	5.66	5.93	
MAINE	215	304	1,806	6.42	5.95	960	44	56	3.58	3.46	
NEW JERSEY	958	1,095	4,617	4.25	4.22	2,491	235	235	6.49	5.71	
PENNSYLVANIA	60	42	323	7.71	7.78	320	7	6	1.79	2.16	
OHIO	658	467	1,997	4.22	4.28	1,711	131	94	5.28	5.29	
MINNESOTA	1,581	1,095	3,989	3.71	3.64	3,549	264	206	5.05	5.80	
MISSOURI	1,235	1,190	6,027	5.15	5.06	4,090	325	283	5.74	5.29	
MARYLAND	---	---	2,447	---	4.39	---	---	---	---	---	5.48
VIRGINIA	61	---	470	---	7.75	---	---	16	---	---	3.85
NORTH CAROLINA	154	100	1,170	7.60	7.58	806	51	27	4.89	3.89	
GEORGIA	2,906	3,051	13,181	4.20	4.32	7,622	591	588	5.42	5.00	
ALABAMA	21	37	266	6.80	7.22	96	9	12	7.16	4.85	
MISSISSIPPI	1,763	1,761	8,341	4.56	4.74	5,052	480	616	6.70	8.28	
ARKANSAS	290	59	460	4.75	7.73	886	311	106	22	8.63	
TEXAS	474	514	2,098	4.05	4.08	1,202	122	126	7.13	6.68	
WASHINGTON	93	171	665	3.90	3.89	245	14	27	4.41	4.50	
CALIFORNIA	1,562	1,431	5,715	4.06	3.99	3,726	298	314	5.26	6.14	

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3/ DATA FOR ONLY 1 YEAR PUBLISHED IN ORDER TO AVOID DISCLOSURE OF INDIVIDUAL OPERATIONS.

MATURE CHICKENS: NUMBER CONCERNED POST-MORTEM BY CAUSE, BY REGIONS AND SELECTED STATES, APRIL 1973

REGION AND STATE	: TUBER- : : CULCISIS : : NO. :	: LEU- : : KOSIS : : NO. :	: SEPTI- : : CEMIA : : NO. :	: AIRSAC- : : CULITIS : : NO. :	: SYNO- : : VITIS : : NO. :	: TUMORS : : BRUISES : : NO. :	: CADAVER : : INATION : : NO. :	: CONTAM- : : SCALD : : NO. :	: OVER- : : OTHER : : NO. :	: ICTAL : : NO. :		
N. ATLANTIC	---	1,959	31,866	95	456	16,648	3,504	2,583	7,817	178	15,848	80,954
E. N. CENTRAL	24	5,919	39,598	443	13	17,866	6,641	3,515	23,357	455	10,638	108,469
W. N. CENTRAL	395	10,102	74,894	2,423	262	56,240	13,699	7,172	12,122	1,432	16,347	195,088
S. ATLANTIC	2	2,914	64,957	4,449	380	26,252	10,461	6,861	38,904	840	23,759	179,779
S. CENTRAL	2	5,214	72,514	413	237	39,674	14,567	7,083	24,328	1,137	44,192	209,361
WEST	---	603	47,502	254	30	33,333	2,073	1,333	6,981	288	10,680	103,077
U. S.	423	26,711	331,331	8,077	1,378	190,013	50,945	28,547	113,509	4,330	121,464	876,728
MAINE	---	385	3,888	6	92	1,079	385	434	943	53	101	7,366
NEW JERSEY	---	1,308	17,766	1	45	11,193	2,388	1,010	3,114	34	15,281	52,140
PENNSYLVANIA	---	72	454	14	---	67	21	48	74	---	2	752
OHIO	2	1,482	6,934	17	5	2,995	2,803	243	3,675	21	1,578	19,755
MINNESOTA	303	4,070	17,532	674	14	22,258	2,602	668	1,987	39	9,723	55,870
MISSOURI	4	1,386	28,566	683	233	10,818	2,403	2,686	3,656	1,295	1,725	53,455
MARYLAND	1	907	6,129	404	61	3,952	2,188	561	12,090	101	3,307	29,701
VIRGINIA	---	77	1,060	33	2	112	40	68	317	2	95	1,806
NORTH CAROLINA	---	300	644	118	10	388	25	13	448	---	890	2,836
GEORGIA	1	1,210	45,287	3,171	280	17,880	6,877	5,416	22,164	287	17,694	120,267
ALABAMA	---	89	839	12	1	129	16	22	443	---	126	1,677
MISSISSIPPI	---	2,095	26,613	63	58	25,392	8,525	1,023	12,639	581	22,849	95,838
ARKANSAS	---	80	1,213	48	27	91	26	183	529	---	40	2,237
TEXAS	---	518	5,962	111	104	6,221	1,282	1,529	2,293	75	11,625	25,720
WASHINGTON	---	255	4,610	---	7	701	317	190	461	18	561	7,120
CALIFORNIA	---	299	37,981	190	15	31,333	1,188	967	3,874	268	8,797	84,912

YOUNG TURKEYS (MATURE): SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, BY REGIONS AND SELECTED STATES, APRIL 1972 AND 1973

REGION AND STATE	NUMBER		PCUNDS		AVERAGE		TOTAL POUNDS		POST-MORTEM CONDEMNATIONS	
	INSPECTED	1972	INSPECTED	1973	LIVEMEIGHT	1972	CERTIFIED	1973	POUNDS (NYD)	PERCENT 2/
	1972	1973	1972	1973	1972	1973	1972	1973	1972	1973
	-THOUSANDS-		-1,000 POUNDS-		-POUNDS-		-1,000 POUNDS-		-1,000 POUNDS-	-PERCENT-
N. ATLANTIC	33	75	783	1,652	23,73	22,03	619	1,314	22	22
E. N. CENTRAL	138	136	2,356	2,245	17,10	16,54	1,863	1,782	48	89
W. N. CENTRAL	650	867	11,692	13,757	17,99	15,87	9,319	10,864	328	333
S. ATLANTIC	591	1,009	11,643	17,465	19,72	17,31	9,095	13,749	389	493
S. CENTRAL	601	699	11,981	13,462	19,94	19,26	9,249	10,483	375	329
WEST	435	665	8,177	11,434	18,80	17,19	6,648	9,183	139	229
U. S.	2,448	3,451	46,632	60,015	19,05	17,39	36,793	47,375	1,301	1,495
PENNSYLVANIA	33	73	760	1,619	23,19	22,24	600	1,288	22	21
MINNESOTA	292	369	5,618	6,481	19,21	17,58	4,392	5,171	212	156
MISSOURI	297	450	4,729	6,234	15,94	13,86	3,854	4,920	64	138
VIRGINIA	255	345	4,824	6,135	18,94	17,79	3,718	4,735	165	199
NORTH CAROLINA	270	623	5,162	10,313	19,10	16,55	4,116	8,224	162	261
TEXAS	319	401	6,974	8,144	21,86	20,31	5,397	6,378	214	211
CALIFORNIA	398	574	7,435	10,006	18,70	17,43	6,055	8,092	130	184

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YOUNG TURKEYS (MATURE): NUMBER CONDEMNED POST-MORTEM BY CAUSE, BY REGIONS AND SELECTED STATES, APRIL 1973

REGION AND STATE	TUBER- : NO.	LEU- : NO.	KOSIS : NO.	SEPTI- : NO.	CEMIA : NO.	AIRSAC- : NO.	SYNO- : NO.	VITIS : NO.	TUMORS : NO.	BRUISES : NO.	CADAVER : NO.	INATION : NO.	CONYAN- : NO.	OVER- : NO.	SCALD : NO.	OTHER : NO.	TOTAL NC.
N. ATLANTIC	---	7	522	156	39	---	11	61	---	7	814						
E. N. CENTRAL	---	53	1,592	883	331	---	55	28	---	49	91	455	49	91	309	3,537	
W. N. CENTRAL	---	139	6,785	411	17	---	218	550	---	93	13,447	952	93	309	2,419	20,266	
S. ATLANTIC	---	135	8,073	7,640	151	---	168	431	---	68	11,587	1,099	68	212	8,685		
S. CENTRAL	---	15	5,204	1,829	2,858	---	185	361	---	55	8,685	853	55	11	306	58,336	
WEST	---	15	5,016	2,429	365	---	97	220	---	41	3,049	485	41	11	4	802	
U. S.	---	364	27,192	16,910	4,155	---	734	1,601	---	306	3,049	3,905	306	3,049	4	6,704	
PENNSYLVANIA	---	6	517	156	39	---	10	10	---	60	802	60	---	4	67	5,587	
MINNESOTA	---	5	3,302	2,371	317	---	77	227	---	309	6,704	309	19	67	239	10,071	
MISSOURI	---	16	2,987	1,187	92	---	120	304	---	574	5,587	574	65	239	664	5,429	
VIRGINIA	---	80	4,309	4,340	41	---	73	333	---	119	11,587	119	64	664	1,689	6,436	
NORTH CAROLINA	---	55	3,403	3,043	101	---	88	87	---	928	5,429	928	4	1,689	146	7,097	
TEXAS	---	11	2,478	1,046	2,189	---	121	237	---	192	6,436	192	1	146	11	7,097	
CALIFORNIA	---	14	4,504	1,674	339	---	95	144	---	270	7,097	270	40	11			

FRYER-ROASTER TURKEYS: SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, BY REGIONS AND SELECTED STATES, APRIL 1972 AND 1973

REGION AND STATE	NUMBER		PCUNDS		AVERAGE		TOTAL POUNDS		POST-MORTEM CONDEMNATIONS	
	1972	1973	1972	1973	1972	1973	1972	1973	1972	1973
	-THOUSANDS-		-1,000 POUNDS-		-POUNDS-		-1,000 POUNDS-		-PERCENT-	
N. ATLANTIC	12	16	123	144	10.25	9.00	97	113	1	3
E. N. CENTRAL	47	59	400	489	8.54	8.31	310	380	7	8
W. N. CENTRAL	381	555	3,595	5,043	9.42	9.09	2,839	3,953	54	59
S. ATLANTIC	283	233	2,522	1,971	8.92	8.46	1,898	1,468	49	22
S. CENTRAL	36	2	274	17	7.68	9.29	221	12	4	---
WEST	195	209	1,690	1,863	8.68	8.92	1,348	1,488	25	44
U. S.	954	1,074	8,604	9,527	9.02	8.87	6,713	7,414	140	136
MINNESOTA	380	500	3,580	4,587	9.43	9.17	2,827	3,590	54	51
VIRGINIA	207	233	1,837	1,971	8.89	8.46	1,362	1,468	37	22
CALIFORNIA	193	204	1,673	1,820	8.68	8.92	1,334	1,454	25	43

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FRYER-ROASTER TURKEYS: NUMBER CONDEMNED POST-MORTEM BY CAUSE, BY REGIONS AND SELECTED STATES, APRIL 1973

REGION AND STATE	TUBER- : LEU- : SEPTI- : AIRSAC- : SYNO- : VILIS : TUMORS : BRUISES : CADAVER : INANITION : SCALD : OTHER : TOTAL														
	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.
N. ATLANTIC	---	1	174	20	---	---	---	2	---	124	---	---	---	---	321
E. N. CENTRAL	---	---	357	18	1	---	13	19	180	30	6	---	---	---	624
W. N. CENTRAL	---	4	3,085	515	38	4	84	439	699	10	189	---	---	---	5,067
S. ATLANTIC	---	1	939	94	---	---	25	269	79	1	22	---	---	---	1,430
S. CENTRAL	---	1	5	1	---	---	---	---	16	---	---	---	---	---	23
WEST	---	1	2,628	772	22	1	20	51	148	7	18	---	---	---	3,668
U. S.	---	8	7,188	1,420	61	5	144	778	1,246	48	235	---	---	---	11,133
MINNESOTA	---	4	2,880	382	26	3	69	405	551	4	179	---	---	---	4,503
VIRGINIA	---	1	939	94	---	---	25	269	79	1	22	---	---	---	1,430
CALIFORNIA	---	---	2,579	771	22	---	12	51	139	7	17	---	---	---	3,598

OLD TURKEYS (BREEDERS): SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, BY REGIONS AND SELECTED STATES, APRIL 1972 AND 1973

REGION AND STATE	NUMBER INSPECTED		PCUNDS INSPECTED (LIVWEIGHT)		AVERAGE LIVWEIGHT INSPECTED/ (LIVWEIGHT)		TOTAL POUNDS CERTIFIED (READY-TO-COOK WT.)		POST-MORTEM CONDEMNATIONS	
	1972	1973	1972	1973	1972	1973	1972	1973	1972	1973
	-THOUSANDS-		-1,000 POUNDS-		-POUNDS-		-1,000 POUNDS-		-PERCENT-	
N. ATLANTIC 3/	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
E. N. CENTRAL	4	1	88	13	19.58	25.64	9	8	1	10.48
W. N. CENTRAL	14	24	298	451	21.03	18.98	218	26	21	9.92
S. ATLANTIC	25	28	539	464	21.81	16.57	410	36	39	7.51
S. CENTRAL 3/										
WEST	8	16	161	337	20.89	21.63	130	10	15	6.72
U. S.	51	68	1,085	1,265	21.26	18.64	822	81	77	8.29
MINNESOTA	6	20	104	347	18.59	17.64	80	7	14	7.10

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OLD TURKEYS (BREEDERS): NUMBER CONDEMNED POST-MORTEM BY CAUSE, BY REGIONS AND SELECTED STATES, APRIL 1973

REGION AND STATE	TUBERCULOSIS		LEUROSIS		SEPTICEMIA		AIRSAC		SYNOVITIS		TUMORS		BRUISES		CADAVER		CONTAMINATION		OVERSCALE		OTHER		TOTAL NC.
	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	
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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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