

poultry slaughter



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Inspected Poultry - There were 1,114 million pounds live weight of poultry inspected for slaughter by the United States Department of Agriculture during April 1975. This is 1 percent less than April 1974, but 12 percent above March 1975.

Young chickens inspected totaled 949 million pounds, 2 percent above April 1974 and 12 percent more than last month. Mature chickens inspected totaled 71.4 million pounds, 13 percent less than last year, but 3 percent more than March 1975. Total turkeys inspected at 86.5 million pounds were down 15 percent from a year ago, but up 26 percent from last month. Duck inspections at 6.8 million pounds were up 10 percent from April 1974 and 67 percent from the previous month.

Poultry Certified Wholesome in April totaled 806 million pounds ready-to-cook weight, about the same as April 1974, but up 12 percent from last month. Of the April 1975 total, 86 percent was chilled and 14 percent was frozen.

Further Processed poultry totaled 127 million pounds ready-to-cook weight -- down 9 percent from April 1974, but up 10 percent from March 1975.

Poultry Cut-up and Packaged totaled 237 million pounds ready-to-cook weight -- up 8 percent from April 1974 and 12 percent from last month.

Ante-Mortem Condemnations during April were 3.5 million pounds live weight. This was 0.31 percent of total quantities inspected, compared with 0.39 percent a year ago. Post Mortem Condemnations were 19.8 million pounds (NYD weight). This is 1.97 percent of quantities inspected, compared with 2.61 percent in April 1974.

Total Poultry Slaughtered (including that slaughtered in non-federally inspected plants) during April 1975 was 825 million pounds ready-to-cook weight, down 1 percent from April 1974 but up 12 percent from last month.

POULTRY: SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, APRIL 1975 WITH COMPARISONS

NUMBER INSPECTED 3/ MONTH	: YOUNG : MATURE :		: CHICKENS : CHICKENS :		: FRYER- : ROASTERS :		: YOUNG : TURKEYS :		: OLD : TURKEYS :		: TOTAL : TURKEYS :		: DUCKS : POULTRY :		: OTHER : POULTRY :		: TOTAL :	
	CHICKENS	CHICKENS	CHICKENS	CHICKENS	CHICKENS	CHICKENS	CHICKENS	TURKEYS	TURKEYS	TURKEYS	TURKEYS	TURKEYS	DUCKS	POULTRY	POULTRY	POULTRY	POULTRY	TOTAL
MARCH 1975	225,287	16,282	241,569	1,070	3,320	73	4,363	635	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
APRIL 1974	246,076	19,125	265,201	1,156	4,799	184	6,139	960	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
APRIL 1975	249,141	17,658	266,799	1,072	4,238	34	5,344	1,050	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
JAN.-APRIL 1974	969,996	72,497	1,042,493	4,884	15,943	428	21,255	2,741	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
JAN.-APRIL 1975	920,357	66,956	987,313	4,051	13,417	194	17,662	2,747	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
POUNDS INSPECTED 4/																		
MARCH 1975	850,716	69,408	920,124	9,522	57,725	1,515	68,762	4,060	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	993,164
APRIL 1974	934,957	81,686	1,016,643	10,436	87,497	3,561	101,494	6,174	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	1,124,497
APRIL 1975	949,487	71,395	1,020,882	9,636	76,175	704	86,515	6,766	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	1,114,395
JAN.-APRIL 1974	3,665,135	313,790	3,978,925	44,781	324,785	8,499	378,065	17,112	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	4,374,833
JAN.-APRIL 1975	3,479,749	279,261	3,759,010	36,851	256,773	3,969	297,593	17,606	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	4,075,213
AVERAGE LIVEWEIGHTS/																		
MARCH 1975	3.78	4.26	3.81	8.90	17.93	20.62	15.76	6.40	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
APRIL 1974	3.80	4.27	3.83	9.02	18.23	19.34	16.53	6.43	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
APRIL 1975	4.04	4.04	3.83	8.99	17.98	20.51	16.19	6.44	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
JAN.-APRIL 1974	3.78	4.33	3.82	9.17	20.37	19.86	17.79	6.24	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
JAN.-APRIL 1975	3.78	4.17	3.81	9.10	19.14	20.46	16.85	6.41	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---

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

MARCH 1975, 2,289; APRIL 1974, 2,375; AND APRIL 1975, 1,500.

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

MARCH 1975, 113; APRIL 1974, 206; AND APRIL 1975, 70.

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

POULTRY: POUNDS CERTIFIED (READY-TO-COOK WEIGHTS), APRIL 1975 WITH COMPARISONS 1/

MARCH 1975	: YOUNG : MATURE :		: CHICKENS : CHICKENS :		: FRYER- : ROASTERS :		: YOUNG : TURKEYS :		: OLD : TURKEYS :		: TOTAL : TURKEYS :		: DUCKS : POULTRY :		: OTHER : POULTRY :		: TOTAL :	
	CHICKENS	CHICKENS	CHICKENS	CHICKENS	CHICKENS	CHICKENS	CHICKENS	TURKEYS	TURKEYS	TURKEYS	TURKEYS	TURKEYS	DUCKS	POULTRY	POULTRY	POULTRY	POULTRY	TOTAL
CHILLED	570,885	36,756	607,641	1,577	14,800	177	16,554	162	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	624,379
FROZEN	45,718	6,880	52,598	5,914	30,978	1,002	37,894	2,688	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	93,271
TOTAL	616,603	43,636	660,239	7,491	45,778	1,179	54,448	2,850	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	717,650
APRIL 1974	623,615	40,291	663,906	1,585	15,940	157	17,682	276	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	681,869
FROZEN	48,829	10,522	59,351	6,669	53,110	2,665	62,444	4,081	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	125,970
TOTAL	672,444	50,813	723,257	8,254	69,050	2,822	80,126	4,357	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	807,839
APRIL 1975	640,764	35,336	676,100	1,982	14,222	170	16,374	131	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	692,607
FROZEN	47,549	9,289	56,838	5,674	46,329	381	52,284	4,604	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	113,847
TOTAL	688,313	44,625	732,938	7,656	60,451	551	68,658	4,735	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	806,454
JANUARY-APRIL 1974	2,409,233	156,678	2,565,911	7,983	74,310	1,110	83,303	540	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	2,649,797
CHILLED	219,356	38,928	258,284	27,304	180,823	5,598	212,925	11,635	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	483,189
FROZEN	2,628,589	195,608	2,824,195	35,187	254,333	6,708	296,228	12,175	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	3,132,986
TOTAL	2,847,945	234,536	3,082,481	62,491	429,143	12,818	489,153	23,810	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	3,582,175
JANUARY-APRIL 1975	2,332,289	143,493	2,475,782	6,471	57,209	513	64,193	495	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	2,540,552
CHILLED	189,030	31,761	220,791	22,569	145,693	2,581	170,843	11,833	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	403,915
FROZEN	2,143,259	111,732	2,254,991	42,102	421,516	3,094	492,036	12,328	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	2,944,467
TOTAL	2,332,319	175,254	2,507,573	29,040	202,902	3,094	235,036	12,328	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	2,944,467

1/ 1,000 POUNDS

POULTRY CONDEMNATIONS OF POULTRY SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, APRIL 1975 WITH COMPARISONS 3/

POULTRY SLAUGHTER, MAY 1975

	YOUNG CHICKENS		MATURE CHICKENS		TOTAL CHICKENS		FRYER-ROASTERS		YOUNG TURKEYS		OLD TURKEYS		TOTAL TURKEYS		OTHER POULTRY		TOTAL POULTRY
	1974	1975	1974	1975	1974	1975	1974	1975	1974	1975	1974	1975	1974	1975	1974	1975	
ANTE-MORTEM																	
1,000 POUNDS (LIVEWEIGHT)																	
APRIL 1974	3,508	699	4,207	16	181	8	205	2	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	4,414
APRIL 1975	2,719	670	3,389	15	112	3	130	3	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	3,522
JAN.-APRIL 1974	14,810	3,066	17,876	107	845	20	972	11	2	2	11	11	11	11	11	11	18,861
JAN.-APRIL 1975	11,319	2,779	14,098	114	557	13	684	11	6	6	11	11	11	11	11	11	14,799
PERCENT 1/																	
APRIL 1974	.37	.85	.41	.15	.20	.23	.20	.03	---	---	.03	---	---	---	---	---	.39
APRIL 1975	.28	.93	.33	.15	.14	.38	.14	.04	---	---	.04	---	---	---	---	---	.31
POST-MORTEM																	
1,000 LBS. (N.Y. DRESSED)																	
APRIL 1974	19,635	4,116	23,751	149	2,162	125	2,436	147	.2	.2	147	.2	.2	.2	.2	.2	26,336
APRIL 1975	14,626	3,557	18,183	104	1,316	28	1,448	156	3	3	156	3	3	3	3	3	19,788
JAN.-APRIL 1974	81,150	16,465	97,615	737	8,489	343	9,569	434	11	11	434	11	11	11	11	11	107,628
JAN.-APRIL 1975	57,715	13,504	71,219	444	5,031	165	5,640	457	13	13	457	13	13	13	13	13	77,329
PERCENT 2/																	
APRIL 1974	2.34	5.65	2.60	1.59	2.75	3.91	2.67	2.64	1.43	1.43	2.64	1.43	1.43	1.43	1.43	1.43	2.61
APRIL 1975	1.71	5.59	1.98	1.19	1.92	4.39	1.86	2.56	1.44	1.44	2.56	1.44	1.44	1.44	1.44	1.44	1.97

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 POUNDS.

POULTRY: INSPECTED FOR FURTHER PROCESSING AND CUT-UP UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION -- APRIL 1975 WITH COMPARISONS

	YOUNG CHICKENS			MATURE CHICKENS			TURKEYS			OTHER POULTRY			TOTAL POULTRY
	FURTHER PROCESSED	CUT-UP	PROCESSED	FURTHER PROCESSED	CUT-UP	PROCESSED	FURTHER PROCESSED	CUT-UP	PROCESSED	FURTHER PROCESSED	CUT-UP	PROCESSED	
POUNDS USED READY-TO-COOK WEIGHT													
MAR 1975	36,434	193,587	25,559	1,173	12,523	32,137	16,506	6,160	29	114,813	211,295	211,295	
APR 1974	45,801	200,977	38,464	672	17,649	30,283	17,999	7,701	84	139,898	219,732	219,732	
APR 1975	41,870	214,525	29,135	1,165	12,888	36,165	21,135	6,553	22	126,611	236,847	236,847	
JAN-APR 1974	179,349	799,063	165,306	1,949	43,665	144,975	85,141	34,111	252	567,406	886,405	886,405	
JAN-APR 1975	155,473	804,559	110,332	4,109	40,928	138,956	76,433	26,167	105	471,856	885,206	885,206	
LBS. CONDEMNED READY-TO-COOK WEIGHT													
MAR 1975	195	1,400	21	6	---	19	103	60	---	295	1,509	1,509	
APR 1974	315	1,510	64	2	---	51	30	26	1	456	1,543	1,543	
APR 1975	218	1,565	29	12	---	41	106	40	---	328	1,683	1,683	
JAN-APR 1974	1,374	5,032	214	3	---	234	266	110	3	1,932	5,304	5,304	
JAN-APR 1975	976	5,538	144	21	---	146	465	182	---	1,448	6,024	6,024	

1/ WHOLE CARCASS TURKEYS WHICH HAVE BEEN INJECTED, BASTED, MARINATED, SMOKED, BBQ'D PACKAGED AS SUCH.
 2/ POULTRY PARTS AND FAT USED IN FURTHER PROCESSING THAT CANNOT BE IDENTIFIED BY CLASS ARE INCLUDED IN "OTHER POULTRY".

YOUNG CHICKENS: SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, UNITED STATES AND SELECTED STATES, APRIL 1974 AND 1975

STATE	NUMBER INSPECTED		POUNDS INSPECTED (LIVEWEIGHT)		AVERAGE LIVEWEIGHT		TOTAL POUNDS CERTIFIED		POST-MORTEM CONDEMNATIONS			
	1974	1975	1974	1975	1974	1975	1974	1975	1974	1975		
U. S.	246,076	249,141	934,957	949,487	3.80	3.81	672,444	688,313	19,635	14,624	2.34	1.71
ALABAMA	33,722	33,452	121,930	124,167	3.62	3.71	87,887	98,184	2,381	1,899	2.17	1.70
ARKANSAS	36,077	36,612	128,715	129,456	3.57	3.54	90,092	91,704	3,289	2,213	2.84	1.90
CALIFORNIA	6,577	7,124	30,535	30,535	4.20	4.21	20,245	22,358	607	446	2.44	1.62
DELAWARE	8,936	9,672	38,096	38,618	3.93	3.99	24,993	27,704	786	509	2.50	1.46
GEORGIA	33,965	34,972	126,330	131,149	3.72	3.75	92,674	97,143	2,064	2,036	1.82	1.72
INDIANA	1,476	1,316	5,485	4,925	3.71	3.74	3,967	3,456	116	55	2.35	1.23
LOUISIANA	4,718	5,179	17,878	20,491	3.79	3.81	12,968	15,080	421	243	2.62	1.32
MAINE	6,752	7,129	29,436	29,841	4.36	4.19	21,588	21,389	668	559	2.53	2.09
MARYLAND	12,146	11,160	48,130	45,130	3.96	4.04	34,585	38,690	1,114	524	2.58	1.29
MISSISSIPPI	14,755	19,359	58,171	72,630	3.81	3.75	40,645	53,690	1,133	1,107	2.24	1.69
MISSOURI	4,877	4,798	19,329	18,449	3.96	3.85	13,731	14,343	495	393	2.85	2.37
NORTH CAROLINA	23,536	23,490	95,165	94,585	4.04	4.03	69,366	68,664	1,758	1,348	2.06	1.58
PENNSYLVANIA	6,427	6,361	26,964	26,326	4.20	4.14	19,010	18,863	848	712	3.50	3.01
SOUTH CAROLINA	3,740	3,296	13,142	10,962	3.51	3.33	9,092	7,883	319	150	2.70	1.52
TENNESSEE	5,967	3,733	20,068	13,378	3.36	3.58	14,368	8,813	536	161	2.98	1.34
TEXAS	14,554	13,248	54,622	50,806	3.75	3.77	39,081	35,977	942	817	1.92	1.82
VIRGINIA	12,197	13,236	48,445	53,216	3.97	4.02	34,685	37,968	869	460	2.00	1.96
WASHINGTON	1,239	1,323	5,119	5,132	4.13	3.88	3,780	3,729	124	112	2.70	2.43
WISCONSIN	904	3,695	---	---	4.07	---	2,694	---	105	---	---	---

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, UNITED STATES AND SELECTED STATES, APRIL 1975

STATE	LEU		SEPTI		AIRSAC		SYNO		TUMORS		BRUISES		CADAVER		CONTAM		OVER		TOTAL								
	NO.	%	NO.	%	NO.	%	NO.	%	NO.	%	NO.	%	NO.	%	NO.	%	NO.	%									
U. S.	654,626	662,749	417,792	34,007	18,303	89,988	133,919	272,721	32,385	231,586	2,547,676	34,213	302,687	340,480	66,023	93,000	352,653	13,410	203,207	65,153	246,168	122,034	36,012	38,089	121,849	88,585	17,446
ALABAMA	33,339	106,948	42,756	5,323	3,913	12,270	14,998	45,423	3,304	28,236	302,687	3,304	34,213	340,480	66,023	93,000	352,653	13,410	203,207	65,153	246,168	122,034	36,012	38,089	121,849	88,585	17,446
ARKANSAS	91,090	86,830	58,633	5,496	2,826	11,650	19,465	33,634	3,020	28,236	302,687	3,304	34,213	340,480	66,023	93,000	352,653	13,410	203,207	65,153	246,168	122,034	36,012	38,089	121,849	88,585	17,446
CALIFORNIA	15,206	25,462	1,311	1,293	1,293	1,698	3,270	4,919	1,431	2,933	93,000	1,431	2,933	93,000	352,653	13,410	203,207	65,153	246,168	122,034	36,012	38,089	121,849	88,585	17,446		
DELAWARE	40,410	17,692	19,892	624	129	1,018	3,953	4,919	1,431	2,933	93,000	1,431	2,933	93,000	352,653	13,410	203,207	65,153	246,168	122,034	36,012	38,089	121,849	88,585	17,446		
GEORGIA	108,869	71,507	44,254	2,875	3,155	10,319	13,648	48,952	4,988	44,086	352,653	4,988	44,086	352,653	13,410	203,207	65,153	246,168	122,034	36,012	38,089	121,849	88,585	17,446			
INDIANA	1,284	6,276	1,170	36	---	858	970	2,518	176	118	13,410	176	118	13,410	203,207	65,153	246,168	122,034	36,012	38,089	121,849	88,585	17,446				
LOUISIANA	2,472	13,557	2,222	1,102	267	2,099	2,676	3,190	1,728	2,749	32,062	1,728	2,749	32,062	135,566	92,758	92,758	135,566	92,758	92,758	135,566	92,758	92,758	135,566	92,758	92,758	135,566
MAINE	50,669	36,860	23,703	1,499	124	1,491	8,982	8,353	1,464	1,464	135,566	8,353	1,464	1,464	135,566	92,758	92,758	135,566	92,758	92,758	135,566	92,758	92,758	135,566	92,758	92,758	135,566
MARYLAND	30,758	19,837	21,300	107	244	2,083	6,540	8,353	1,464	1,464	135,566	8,353	1,464	1,464	135,566	92,758	92,758	135,566	92,758	92,758	135,566	92,758	92,758	135,566	92,758	92,758	135,566
MISSISSIPPI	53,976	32,815	34,857	7,663	2,006	7,454	11,290	23,724	4,221	25,201	203,207	4,221	25,201	203,207	65,153	246,168	122,034	36,012	38,089	121,849	88,585	17,446					
MISSOURI	15,062	19,908	11,821	845	---	3,757	6,561	184	4,586	65,153	246,168	184	4,586	65,153	246,168	122,034	36,012	38,089	121,849	88,585	17,446						
NORTH CAROLINA	65,619	60,217	38,386	1,853	2,222	11,505	9,976	11,877	1,877	32,616	246,168	11,877	32,616	246,168	122,034	36,012	38,089	121,849	88,585	17,446							
PENNSYLVANIA	21,052	27,919	39,630	309	230	3,315	3,940	308	5,988	122,034	308	5,988	122,034	36,012	38,089	121,849	88,585	17,446									
SOUTH CAROLINA	4,336	7,483	7,320	312	106	3,633	2,808	86	5,988	122,034	86	5,988	122,034	36,012	38,089	121,849	88,585	17,446									
TENNESSEE	8,064	13,098	3,447	309	210	1,443	1,345	6,941	61	3,171	38,089	61	3,171	38,089	121,849	88,585	17,446										
TEXAS	19,176	38,862	11,084	1,722	1,080	7,281	14,339	1,906	6,437	88,585	1,906	6,437	88,585	17,446													
VIRGINIA	33,826	39,199	15,663	89	375	1,599	2,921	1,622	3,748	121,849	1,622	3,748	121,849	88,585	17,446												
WASHINGTON	2,956	6,809	5,993	483	38	633	167	289	196	17,446	196	17,446	88,585	17,446													

MATURE CHICKENS: SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, UNITED STATES AND SELECTED STATES, APRIL 1974 AND 1975

STATE	NUMBER INSPECTED		POUNDS INSPECTED		AVERAGE LIVEWEIGHT		TOTAL POUNDS CERTIFIED		POST-MORTEM CONDEMNATIONS			
	1974	1975	1974	1975	1974	1975	1974	1975	1974	1975		
U. S.	19,125	17,658	61,686	71,395	4.27	4.04	50,813	44,625	4,116	3,557	5.65	5.59
ALABAMA	170	---	733	---	4.31	---	508	---	21	---	3.16	---
CALIFORNIA	1,959	2,089	7,632	8,253	3.90	3.97	4,613	5,088	410	443	6.01	6.01
GEORGIA	3,564	2,785	15,663	11,099	4.39	3.99	9,813	6,760	816	591	5.83	5.98
MAINE	190	44	1,167	324	6.13	7.32	788	211	49	17	4.70	5.92
MARYLAND	634	595	2,746	2,501	4.33	4.20	1,785	1,579	127	99	5.20	4.47
MINNESOTA	1,510	1,206	5,649	4,279	3.74	3.55	3,463	2,514	273	182	5.42	4.79
MISSISSIPPI	1,371	2,019	6,749	8,444	4.92	4.18	4,266	5,296	320	524	5.30	6.96
MISSOURI	1,509	564	7,069	3,278	4.69	5.81	4,570	2,211	357	159	5.67	5.43
NEW JERSEY	1,326	1,211	5,637	4,878	4.25	4.03	3,397	2,956	291	263	5.78	6.07
NORTH CAROLINA	65	88	500	637	7.67	7.26	351	441	20	25	4.43	4.43
OHIO	472	555	1,766	2,173	3.74	3.91	1,023	1,316	98	84	6.27	4.34
PENNSYLVANIA	42	232	330	1,002	7.79	4.31	237	657	8	28	2.57	3.14
TEXAS	534	671	2,248	2,612	4.21	3.89	1,433	1,625	128	144	6.38	6.15
VIRGINIA	51	28	381	209	7.42	7.36	269	146	8	5	2.32	2.43
WASHINGTON	214	128	895	488	4.19	3.82	563	301	37	25	4.64	5.80

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MATURE CHICKENS: NUMBER CONDEMNED POST-MORTEM BY CAUSE, UNITED STATES AND SELECTED STATES, APRIL 1975

STATE	TUBERCULOSIS		LEUOKOSIS		SEPTICEMIA		AIRSAC-CULITIS		SYNCOVITIS		TUMORS		BRUISES/ECCHYMOSES		CONYANITIS		OTHER		TOTAL NO.									
	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.										
U. S.	546	36,844	268,368	4,735	1,568	161,625	51,940	20,450	93,853	3,196	129,517	772,642	116,359	114,962	1,926	20,528	48,179	88,223	22,169	56,615	3,357	18,965	7,371	33,852	569	7,106		
CALIFORNIA	---	638	53,563	540	37	46,109	1,328	756	4,287	309	8,792	116,359	114,962	1,926	20,528	48,179	88,223	22,169	56,615	3,357	18,965	7,371	33,852	569	7,106			
GEORGIA	---	892	33,783	299	522	12,445	10,215	2,769	31,687	748	21,602	114,962	114,962	1,926	20,528	48,179	88,223	22,169	56,615	3,357	18,965	7,371	33,852	569	7,106			
MAINE	---	29	825	3	7	62	43	75	839	2	41	1,926	1,926	41	41	41	41	41	41	41	41	41	41	41	41	41	41	
MARYLAND	---	912	6,651	147	73	4,085	860	717	2,734	56	4,293	20,528	20,528	41	41	41	41	41	41	41	41	41	41	41	41	41	41	
MINNESOTA	172	5,185	10,354	877	11	14,811	1,201	871	3,114	96	11,487	48,179	48,179	96	96	96	96	96	96	96	96	96	96	96	96	96	96	96
MISSISSIPPI	---	2,126	20,469	290	31	16,417	10,693	3,354	8,260	691	25,722	88,223	88,223	691	691	691	691	691	691	691	691	691	691	691	691	691	691	
MISSOURI	---	418	9,289	420	28	3,462	2,403	800	1,439	162	3,740	22,169	22,169	162	162	162	162	162	162	162	162	162	162	162	162	162	162	
NEW JERSEY	8	3,962	14,809	---	88	8,537	3,714	1,224	3,251	37	20,985	56,615	56,615	37	37	37	37	37	37	37	37	37	37	37	37	37		
NORTH CAROLINA	---	148	1,437	64	198	379	67	30	598	1	435	3,357	3,357	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1		
OHIO	1	2,035	3,432	10	5	2,613	2,441	214	4,391	129	3,694	18,965	18,965	129	129	129	129	129	129	129	129	129	129	129	129	129		
PENNSYLVANIA	---	340	3,686	23	---	1,576	522	536	7,678	1	3,694	18,965	18,965	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1		
TEXAS	---	944	7,490	153	178	9,005	1,361	927	2,592	188	11,014	33,852	33,852	188	188	188	188	188	188	188	188	188	188	188	188	188		
VIRGINIA	---	23	360	18	---	23	18	40	77	---	10	569	569	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---		
WASHINGTON	---	321	3,559	10	5	454	457	264	569	7	1,460	7,106	7,106	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7			

YOUNG TURKEYS (MATURE): SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, UNITED STATES AND SELECTED STATES, APRIL 1974 AND 1975

STATE	NUMBER INSPECTED		AVERAGE LIVEWEIGHT (LIVEWEIGHT)		TOTAL POUNDS CERTIFIED (READY-TO-COOK WT.)		POST-MORTEM CONDEMNATIONS					
	1974	1975	1974	1975	1974	1975	1974	1975				
U. S.	4,799	4,238	87,497	76,175	18.23	17.98	69,050	60,451	2,162	1,316	2.75	1.92
ARKANSAS	3/	572	10,100	---	17.66	---	7,898	---	211	---	2.32	---
CALIFORNIA	3/	766	13,553	11,056	17.70	16.79	10,942	8,843	175	182	1.43	1.83
COLORADO	3/	---	171	3,824	---	22.40	---	2,845	---	87	---	2.52
INDIANA	3/	19	---	---	18.59	---	286	---	6	---	1.98	---
MINNESOTA	3/	506	393	9,212	18.19	17.06	7,229	9,334	346	157	4.18	2.60
MISSOURI	3/	516	543	8,831	17.12	17.02	7,017	7,383	264	190	3.33	2.29
NORTH CAROLINA	3/	592	557	10,427	17.60	17.01	8,465	7,705	196	181	2.09	2.12
PENNSYLVANIA	3/	113	134	2,111	18.60	19.77	1,693	2,131	31	25	1.62	1.06
TEXAS	3/	560	477	9,376	19.87	16.73	7,339	7,545	293	126	3.43	1.49
VIRGINIA	3/	547	535	9,559	18.29	17.88	7,974	7,644	174	89	1.93	1.03

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YOUNG TURKEYS (MATURE): NUMBER CONDEMNED POST-MORTEM BY CAUSE, UNITED STATES AND SELECTED STATES, APRIL 1975

STATE	TUBERCULOSIS		LEUKOSIS		SEPTICEMIA		CULICITIS		AIRSAC		SYNOVITIS		TUMORS		BRUISES		CAVAVERI		CONTAMINATION		OVERSCALD		OTHER		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.	
U. S.	---	---	39	26,632	11,087	2,398	89	739	1,986	3,523	520	2,072	49,085	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
CALIFORNIA	---	---	15	3,717	2,433	180	4	96	446	217	3	47	7,158	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
COLORADO	---	---	---	1,527	924	313	1	16	45	117	---	10	2,953	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
MINNESOTA	---	---	---	4,164	1,305	669	4	75	160	329	67	58	6,831	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
MISSOURI	---	---	5	4,376	648	3	1	142	543	484	108	437	6,747	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
NORTH CAROLINA	---	---	4	3,223	2,310	101	8	140	102	1,253	189	1,108	8,438	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
PENNSYLVANIA	---	---	10	460	219	78	---	6	13	74	---	9	869	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
TEXAS	---	---	3	2,100	524	583	3	70	19	309	32	98	3,741	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
VIRGINIA	---	---	2	1,920	328	12	---	33	225	41	25	137	2,723	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---

FRYER-ROASTER TURKEYS: SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, UNITED STATES AND SELECTED STATES, APRIL 1974 AND 1975

STATE	NUMBER INSPECTED		POUNDS INSPECTED (LIVEWEIGHT)		AVERAGE LIVEWEIGHT		TOTAL POUNDS CERTIFIED		POST-MORTEM CONDEMNATIONS			
	1974	1975	1974	1975	1974	1975	1974	1975	1974	1975		
U. S.	1,156	1,072	10,436	9,636	9.02	8.99	8,294	7,656	149	104	1.59	1.19
CALIFORNIA	304	---	2,580	---	8.49	---	2,045	---	46	---	1.96	---
MINNESOTA	472	487	4,425	4,441	9.38	9.12	3,487	3,498	62	59	1.55	1.47

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FRYER-ROASTER TURKEYS: NUMBER CONDEMNED POST-MORTEM BY CAUSE, UNITED STATES AND SELECTED STATES, APRIL 1975

STATE	LEU-ICULOSIS		SEPTI-CEMIA		AIRSAC-CULITIS		SYNO-VITIS		TUMORS		BRUISES		EADAVER INATION		SCALD		OTHER		TOTAL
	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	
U. S.	---	89	4,761	451	51	2	154	628	1,360	517	247	8,260							
MINNESOTA	---	87	2,690	369	42	2	95	337	953	358	172	5,105							

OLD TURKEYS (BREEDERS): SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, UNITED STATES AND SELECTED STATES, APRIL 1974 AND 1975

STATE	NUMBER INSPECTED		POUNDS INSPECTED (LIVEWEIGHT)		AVERAGE LIVEWEIGHT		TOTAL POUNDS CERTIFIED		POST-MORTEM CONDEMNATIONS		
	1974	1975	1974	1975	1974	1975	1974	1975	1974	1975	
U. S.	184	34	3,561	704	19.34	20.51	2,822	551	125	28	4.39
MINNESOTA	30	11	520	224	17.13	19.51	402	177	23	9	4.96

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OLD TURKEYS (BREEDERS): NUMBER CONDEMNED POST-MORTEM BY CAUSE, UNITED STATES AND SELECTED STATES, APRIL 1975

STATE	LEU-ICULOSIS		SEPTI-CEMIA		AIRSAC-CULITIS		SYNO-VITIS		TUMORS		BRUISES		EADAVER INATION		SCALD		OTHER		TOTAL
	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.		
U. S.	---	---	553	117	10	23	43	61	3	282	1,096								
MINNESOTA	---	---	172	57	8	10	23	---	7	---	277								

TOTAL POULTRY SLAUGHTERED (READY-TO-COOK
WEIGHTS), APRIL 1975 WITH COMPARISONS

MONTH AND YEAR	INSPECTED	OTHER ^{1/}	TOTAL
MILLION POUNDS			
MAR 1975	718	18	736
APR 1974	808	24	832
APR 1975	806	19	825
JAN - APR 1974	3,133	204	3,337
JAN - APR 1975	2,944	73	3,017

^{1/} EXCLUDES DUCKS AND OTHER MISCELLANEOUS POULTRY.

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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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